**Community**

“Requirements from Eastern Idaho Public Health” - As of January 25, 2021, Eastern Idaho Public Health has updated their restrictions for Bonneville County. For additional information and restrictions please refer to the Eastern Idaho Public Health Website: https://eiph.idaho.gov/

“Happy Presidents’ Day” - The City Office will be closed Monday February 15, 2021, in observance of Presidents’ Day. Enjoy your holiday weekend!

“Heritage Commission” - The City Council has created a new commission to celebrate the rich heritage from our wonderful city. If you’re interested in having your voice heard in matters relating to city events, city history, the arts, or other aspects of our city, please contact us at office@cityofiona.org

“Iona Museum Needs You” - The Iona Historical Museum is in need of financial help from you! We want the museum to remain in the original Bingham Stake Tithing House- which is one of the first buildings constructed in Iona - and in order to do this we must pay the remaining mortgage of $53,000 which is due now. Information can be found and donations made at the following:

- bit.ly/ionamuseum
- facebook.com/ionahistoricalmuseum

or find a link at the city website. The museum has artifacts from many of the original Iona settlers and these artifacts are helping us preserve the rich historical past of this great area. Any size donation is appreciated!
Important Information

The City of Iona’s City Council has scheduled the following Public Hearings on the evening of February 16th, 2021 at 7:00 p.m. at the Iona City Building, which is located at 3548 N. Main St, Iona, ID.

“Application for Variance for Sunrise Acres” – A Public Hearing will be held at 7:15pm to consider a Variance pertaining to the allowed length for a permanent dead-end street, for Sunrise Acres; a Subdivision located on the south side of 49th North, between 45th East and 55th East.

“Application for Final Plat and Annexation Agreement for Sunrise Acres” – A Public Hearing will be held at 7:20pm to consider a Final Plat Application and Annexation Agreement for “Sunrise Acres”, a subdivision located on the south side of 49th North, between 45th East and 55th East.

“Audit Report” – The Audit Report for Fiscal Year 2020 will be presented by Searle Hart & Associates at the City Council Meeting held Tuesday, February 16, 2021.

Local Events

“Curious Savage” – Are you looking for a Valentines date idea? Ammon Arts Community Theater has a show coming up February 12th, 13th, 15th, and 16th, at 7 pm. Curious Savage is a heartwarming and hilarious story about a wealthy woman who is sent to an institution by her step-children, hoping for this eccentric older woman to stop spending money on what they deem as unworthy causes. Along the way there are some lovable misfits, a very important teddy bear, and a bundle of negotiable bonds that have gone missing. You are guaranteed to laugh, and we promise we won’t tell if we catch you crying. For ticketing information please visit trpac.anywhereseat.com or follow our Facebook page at Ammon Arts Community Theater. We look forward to seeing you there!

Public Works

“Winter Parking Restrictions” – Per Iona City Code § 9-4-5(C), “It shall be unlawful to park or place any vehicle upon any road way as defined above, from and including the period commencing on Thanksgiving Day to and until Easter Sunday of the following year, between the hours of 6:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon, Monday through Friday.”

“Snow Removal” – With winter just around the corner, we would like to remind all residents that every person who owns property within the City shall remove any snow, ice, and other obstructions or dangerous conditions upon any sidewalk abutting his or her property within twenty four (24) hours following a precipitation event. As for the streets and to help with plowing, no person shall park a motor vehicle, trailer or equipment on the streets or in the swales, during or following a precipitation event. Snow is not allowed to be shoveled into the street from your property.

“Prepare your Mailbox” – In order to avoid a runaway mailbox; please ensure that your mailbox is properly secured to its base for the winter season. If they are loose there is a greater chance they will break during a snow removal event.

“Snow Removal Exemptions” – Per Iona City Code § 6-4-8 those who are physically or mentally impaired in a manner that makes snow removal impossible, pregnant women, or residents over 80 years of age, are exempt from snow removal, and can call the city at 208-523-5600 to have the snow the plow moves into their driveway removed by the city.

Business Spotlight

“The Madbatter” – The Madbatter is owned and operated by Timber Chapa, who was born (in actual city limits) and raised in Iona. Baking and decorating cookies was taken up as a hobby and creative outlet for her when she started school and has turned into a fun business! You can find delicious cookies and treats from The Madbatter at Big Swigz in Iona! Custom decorated sets for your parties and events are also available! Just message Timber through The Madbatter Facebook page or Instagram @the.madbatter.cookies