

MARCH 2022

# CITY OF IONA

*"Small Town With a Big Heart"*



## Public Meeting Dates

**Planning and Zoning  
Meeting:**

**March 9th @ 6:30 p.m.**

**City Council Work Meeting:**

**March 15th @ 6:00 p.m.**

**City Council Meeting:**

**March 15th @ 7:00 p.m.**

## City Directory

Hearing your thoughts, concerns, and opinions is the most important part of my job as the Mayor of Iona. If you would like to share something with me directly, please feel free to contact me on my direct cell phone number at (208)-520-0558 or email me at [dangubler@cityofiona.org](mailto:dangubler@cityofiona.org)

**FOR EMERGENCY SERVICES  
PLEASE CONTACT DISPATCH  
DIRECTLY AT (208)-529-1200  
CITY HALL: (208)-523-5600  
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT:  
(208)-716-0836**

## Community

### City of Iona Flag Football Team Registration

We are excited to announce Iona's Youth Flag Football starting April 11th. It is a 6 game season ending on May 26th. Games will be played Monday through Wednesday. This year the league is open to Kindergarten through 4th grade, with Kindergarten, First/Second Grade, and Third/Fourth Grade divisions. The cost per player is \$48, with 10 players per team. Games will be played at Iona City Park and Pioneer Park. Registration will be March 14th - March 24th. Coaches packet will be forthcoming so keep an eye out on the City Sports Facebook Page for more information. If you have any questions contact our Sports Director Randy Homer at (208)716-8907.



### Goodbye, Grandstand!

We are very sad to announce that our Iona Park Grandstand had to be removed due to irreparable damage, and safety issues. Due to a fire that happened many years ago, there was extensive damage underneath the Grandstand making it impossible to salvage without completely rebuilding it. After much discussion the decision was made by the City Council to remove it. New Aluminum bleachers will be taking its place.

### Thank you Snow Removal Team!

We have been getting so much gratitude for our snow removal team, and we wanted to publicly recognize them. Our team of three public works guys, Zech, Bryce and Quincy have done a superb job keeping our streets clear and safe. We are grateful for their efforts, and we know that you are too! We will be collecting notes for a thank you card, if you have any comments please e-mail them to [office@cityofiona.org](mailto:office@cityofiona.org).

## Low- Income Home Water Assistance Program

The City of Iona is pleased to announce our partnership with the Idaho Department of Health & Welfare for the Home Water Assistance Program. The program is designed to help residents that need assistance paying water and wastewater bills. You will need to apply through one of our available agencies. For more information contact one of the following agencies: Eastern Idaho Community Action Partnership (EICAP) at [www.eicap.org](http://www.eicap.org) or at 208-522-5391 and Community Council of Idaho (CCI) at [www.communitycouncilofidaho.org](http://www.communitycouncilofidaho.org) or 208-454-1652.

## 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 November 22nd to and until April 10th of the following year, between the hours of 5:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday November 22nd until April 10th of the following year, between the hours of 5:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

### Snow Removal

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 their property within twenty four (24) hours following a precipitation event. No person shall park a motor vehicle, trailer or equipment on the streets or in the swells, during or following a precipitation event. Snow is not allowed to be shoveled into the street from your property. 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 that the plow moves into their driveway removed by the City.

### Reflective Driveway Markers

Reflective Driveway Markers are permitted in the City as long as they do not have any metal base. Metal reflectors could harm the City's Snow Removal Equipment, and cause delays that would be inconvenient for all of our residents.

## Local Events

### City Easter Egg Hunt

We are so excited for our City Easter Egg Hunt! This year it will be held Saturday, April 9th at 1:00 PM. Come to the Iona City Park to hunt for eggs, get some toys, see some beautiful chalk art, the Easter Bunny, and pet some furry friends!

### Chalk Art Contest

If you would like to participate in this year's Chalk Art Contest, please fill out the form and read the rules at [cityofiona.org/easter-egg-hunt](http://cityofiona.org/easter-egg-hunt), or find it on our facebook page! Chalk will be provided. The theme this year will be "Small Town With a Big Heart". All ages are welcome to participate!



### Filling Easter Eggs

We are still looking for a few groups or volunteers to fill some of our 6,000 Easter Eggs during the month of March! If you e-mail [office@cityofiona.org](mailto:office@cityofiona.org) we can set up a time for you to come. Bring your family and friends, or even a hot date, and watch a movie in the Council Room on the projector while you stuff eggs with candy!

