

APRIL 2022

CITY OF IONA

"Small Town With a Big Heart"



Public Meeting Dates

Planning and Zoning
Meeting:
April 13th @ 6:30 p.m.

City Council Work Meeting:
April 19th @ 6:00 p.m.

City Council Meeting:
April 19th @ 7:00 p.m.

City Directory

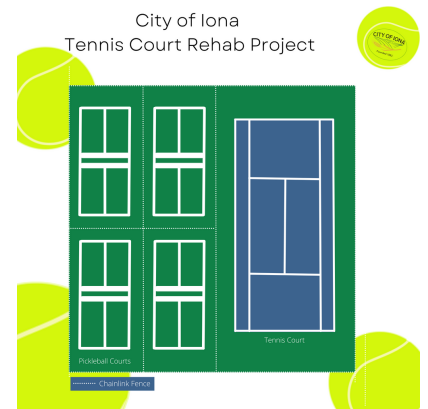
Hearing your thoughts, concerns, and opinions is the most important part of my job as the Mayor of Iona. If you would like to share something with me directly, please feel free to contact me on my direct cell phone number at (208)-520-0558 or email me at dangubler@cityofiona.org

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

Community

Tennis Court Rehab Project

The City is proud to announce that we will be updating the tennis courts at the Iona City Park this Summer. These updates will create a beautiful place to play tennis and an addition of four pickleball courts. Thank you for your patience as construction gets underway.



Iona Historical Society Cook Book

The Iona Historical Museum is creating an Iona cookbook and we would love to include your donated recipes! Please include any historical information with the recipe, if applicable. Submit your recipes by April 29th via email to: ionahistoricalmuseum@gmail.com or mail to Iona Historical Museum c/o Recipe Book, PO Box 623, Iona ID 83427. The cookbooks will be available for purchase at the museum for a modest price beginning in June. Thank you for your help and support, Iona!

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 or at 208-522-5391 and Community Council of Idaho (CCI) at www.communitycouncilofidaho.org or 208-454-1652.

Story Time at the City Building

Friends of the Iona Library Story Time is back and better than ever! Bring your little ones on Thursdays at 10:00 AM to hear some fantastic tales, and stretch their creative minds with some crafts.

Daddy Daughter Dance Postponed

In an abundance of caution, the library has decided to wait one more year to bring back their annual daddy daughter dance. It is important to the Library that they create a safe space for people to gather. See you next year!

Finishing a Basement? Putting up a Fence?

We've got a permit for that! In order to ensure your safety and to make sure the City Code is being met permits are required for finishing your basement or putting up a fence in the City Limits. For more information about our permits please refer to our website cityofiona.org or call the office at 208-523-5600

Sports / Recreation

Spring Team Registration

The City of Iona Sports will be opening team registrations for T-Ball, Softball, and Pitching Machine leagues for drop off on Monday, April 11th at 10:00am. The deadline to drop them off is Wednesday, April 13th at 5:00pm at the Iona City Building. Packets will be available on our website at cityofiona.org and in the City Office on Tuesday March 30th. Be prepared to pay for the entire team when you turn in the packet. Individual registrations will not be accepted, so now is the time to start organizing a team!

Home Run Fence Sponsor

We are looking for businesses to sponsor our sports programs! If you are interested in having a banner on our home run fences at Iona City Park refer to our website cityofiona.org/sports-and-recreation for details.

Public Works

A Big Year for Sand

Due to the nature of the weather this year our Public Works team used more sand than they typically do in order to keep our community safe. If the sand becomes an issue for you, please sweep it onto the edge of the road so that it can be taken care of by our street sweeper.

Planting Trees? Read This!

In order to prevent a necessitated removal of your tree, before planting a tree near a sidewalk, road, or utility please refer to Title 8 Section 4 of the City Code which denotes the type of tree that may be planted in these areas and the distance that needs to be maintained. If you have any questions, please contact the City Office.

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 and the Easter Bunny, and pet some furry friends!

Calling all Artists!

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, or find it on our facebook page! **Chalk will be provided!** The theme this year will be "Small Town With a Big Heart". In order for us to order the correct amount of chalk, please sign up in advance.

Business Spotlight

Idaho Falls Grazing Tables

Locals Bonnie Bunnell and her daughter Savannah Smith have started a delicious and decadent business to bring food and beauty into the same space. Their tables can be tailored to a gathering of any size. To contact for pricing or more information call or text 208-521-0491. Check them out on Instagram @ifgrazingtables.

