

AUGUST 2026

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Public Meeting Dates

Planning and Zoning
Meeting:

August 11th @ 6:30 p.m.

City Council Work Meeting:

August 25th @ 6:00 p.m.

City Council Meeting:

August 25th @ 7:00 p.m.

Message from Mayor Thompson

As Mayor of Iona, hearing your thoughts, concerns, and opinions is a vital part of my responsibility. I welcome your feedback and encourage you to contact me directly at
michaelthompson@cityofiona.org

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Community

Iona Days

We are incredibly grateful for our many volunteers and sponsors who made our Iona Days Celebration a success! We especially want to thank our Iona Days Team, **Mayor Michael Thompson, Council Members: James West, Kirstie Cook, Evan Mann, & Rob Geray.**

Food Vendor Director: Shad Dunthorn, Vendor Booth Directors: Sunnie Dunthorn & Kathy McNamara, Variety Show Director: Jose & Jill Loera, and Marbella Barriga with Top Notch Lawn helping with concessions, Hannah Casper for running carnival row for her senior project, Car Show Directors Adrian Beazer, Jasa Bell & Logan Robb, Matt Ricci & Phoenix Physical Therapy's help with the sports tournaments, Heather Marley, Alisha & Randy Homer, Andy Bunderson & all of MYAC for their help with every aspect of the day. The donations from many local businesses made this all possible. If you have any photos you would like to share, please e-mail: office@cityofiona.org.

City Sponsors

City Events are brought to you by our amazing sponsors! Businesses who are willing to contribute time, money, resources and volunteers deserve a huge shout out! Thank you to **PSI for being a Headline Sponsor** and contributing dozens of extra garbage cans for Iona Days. We have **Rockwell Homes and Liberty Homes** to thank for their donation to the incredible Fireworks Show (created by James West). Here is a list of this year's sponsors:

A-B-See Vision Care
Beehive Federal Credit Union
DumpIT
Jim Stenbeck with Edward Jones
Mentor Motors
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Rockwell Homes
Stone's Auto Group
Wendy's

Bank of Commerce
Direct Communications
Idaho Central Credit Union
Liberty Homes
O'Riley Auto Parts
PSI Environmental Services
Stan's Paint Clinic, Inc.
Sunny Smiles Pediatric Dentistry
Westmark Credit Union

Public Hearings

There is currently two Public Hearings scheduled for August 25th, 2026 at 7:05pm & 7:10pm. The purpose of first hearing is to consider an application for Variance for Travis Byington for the property located at 5477 Rockwood Ave., pertaining to setback requirements for the front and side yards by Iona City Code § 11-4-5. The second hearing is for consideration of the proposed budget for the fiscal period October 1, 2026 - September 30, 2027 pursuant to the provisions of Section 50- 1002, IC.

Public Works

Water Conservation

In order to continue to provide efficient water service and water pressure to our customers, it is necessary to implement a restriction for outside watering of lawns and landscaping. Outside water use will be limited as follows: if your address ends with an odd number (ex. 245) you are allowed to water on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. Those with an address that ends with an even number (ex. 356) should water on Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday. On Sunday, please limit your watering to the bare minimum. We are getting into the hot and dry months. It will help the City to conserve water, keep costs down, and provide better water pressure to every resident. Thank you!

Sports

Fall Flag Football

Register players for Grade entering Fall 2026
Registration opens: July 7th - Closes August 10th
Divisions: K, 1st/2nd & 3rd/4th
Games played Monday nights at Iona City Park & Pioneer Park.

Fall Basketball

Register players by grade currently attending.
Cost: (\$5 late fee once registration closes)
Individual registration: \$60
Team player registration: \$55
Registration dates: August 1st - Sept 21st
Games: Oct 24, Nov 7, 14, 21, Dec 5, 12 (Saturdays)

Local Events

Family Games in the Park

Our Family Games in Town Square are every other Tuesday. We will have outdoor games for all ages! We have two left: August 4th & 18th.

Iona Farmers Market



The Iona Farmers Market (*not managed by the City of Iona*) will be **Thursdays from 4:00PM-8:00 PM.**

Check out their Facebook page for more information about which local vendors will be participating.

Bonneville Art Association

The Bonneville Art Association meet every Wednesday at 9:30am at the Stanger Building on Main Street in Iona for open painting. The **LAST** Wednesday of every month they also meet from 6:00 to 8:00 pm for an Open Paint Night. Participants may bring their own art to work on, along with their own supplies. For more information, follow "Bonneville Art Association" on Facebook.

Iona Historical Museum

We invite the community to come learn more about The City of Iona by visiting the Iona Historical Museum at 5293 Rockwood Ave. The museum is open Mondays from 6:00 to 8:00 pm or by calling 208-497-8856 to schedule an appointment.

Local Restaurant

The Society Table is now open! Hours are Wednesday-Saturday 8-11am & 4:30-9pm and Sundays 9am-2pm.

Buy A Brick

With volunteer help, we are doing a brick fundraiser to support the new playground! This is your chance to leave a lasting mark and help bring the new playground to life. Scan the QR Code!

BRICK OPTIONS

Classic Brick \$100 donation:

4" x 8" — Classic dedication size; includes 16 characters across with 2 lines of text available.

Premium Brick \$500 donation:

8" x 8" — Premium size with more space for your message; includes 16 characters across with 4 lines of text available. The deadline for brick purchases ends October 1st, 2026.

