

SEPTEMBER 2026

CITY OF IONA

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Public Meeting Dates

Planning and Zoning
Meeting:

September 8th @ 6:30 p.m.

City Council Work Meeting:
September 29th @ 6:00 p.m.

City Council Meeting:
September 29th @ 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

Mayor's Youth Advisory Council

The Mayor's Youth Advisory Council (MYAC) is kicking off another year on **September 9th**! MYAC is open to teens in 9th–12th grade who want to learn about local government, serve their community, and make new friends. Meetings are held twice a month on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 8:30 p.m. at the Iona City Building.

Interested in joining? Applications are available at cityofiona.org/MYAC. For more information, call 208-523-5600 and ask for Heather.

City Office Closed for Labor Day

The City Office will be closed Monday, September 7th in observance of Labor Day.

Back To School

Welcome back, Iona Elementary! As the new school year gets underway, please help us keep our students safe by following traffic laws and remembering that vehicles are not permitted on bike paths.

Parents dropping off students are encouraged to use the designated parent drop-off lane in front of Iona Elementary. Thank you for helping keep our kids safe, and have a wonderful school year!

Comprehensive Plan

Bonneville County is in the beginning phase of rewriting the Comprehensive Plan. It would be appreciated if you would please take time to check out the website and fill out the community survey by clicking the links below. We would love your feedback. This is the link to the website to learn more:

<https://bit.ly/bonnevillecompplan>

We would also welcome the community to take an online survey by scanning the QR code.



Public Works

Tree Trimming

The Public Works Department will be trimming trees in September and October. City Code § 8-4-11 states that if you have trees or shrubs on your property, you are responsible to trim or remove any parts of that plant that overhang or project into any public street, sidewalk, alley, or easement.



If you have trees, or for more details please visit cityofiona.org and scroll to the bottom, or scan the QR code.

Crosswalk Update

We are excited to announce that the updates to the crosswalk at Iona Road and Main Street are now complete and open for use! The new flashing light system for the school zone and crosswalk will help improve safety for pedestrians, especially children walking to and from school. We are grateful for your patience while this project was underway and would like to thank our Public Works Department for their hard work and efficiency in completing the project before the school year began.



City Council Meetings

Would you like to be more involved in the community and stay informed about what's happening in Iona?

Iona City Council Meetings are a great way to learn about community updates and the decisions being made to improve our city. Meetings are held on the 4th Tuesday of each month.

Planning & Zoning Meetings are held on the 2nd Tuesday of each month, where city infrastructure, development, and zoning matters are discussed. We'd love to see you there!

Local Events



Halloween Carnival

HALLOWEEN

We are excited to invite you to our fifth annual Halloween Carnival on Saturday, October 31st from 2:00-4:00PM! There will be a soup contest, a pumpkin carving competition, a costume parade, outdoor home decorating contest, and more! The Mayor's Youth Advisory Council will be doing a Spook Alley to raise funds for the MYAC program. Keep an eye out on Social Media and our website for sign ups and more information.

Volunteer

We are looking for community members who would be willing to volunteer their time in helping with City Events. Our next community event is the Halloween carnival on Halloween Day, October 31st, 2026. If you are interested in decorating, setting up tables and chairs, etc. Please contact Andy Bunderson, our City Events Coordinator at: office@cityofiona.org

Sports

Fall Basketball Registration

City of Iona Youth Basketball registration is now open!

For children Kindergarten-6th grade, both boys and girls. Registration

is for individuals, teams and coaches. Please consider being a coach for your child's team. Coaches are always needed in all of our recreational sports.

Registration deadline is September 21st. Follow the link provided or scan the QR code.

<https://app.teamlinkt.com/register/find/cityofiona1>

