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Idaho City's Jack Pine Roughstock Rodeo

IDAHO CITY – It's time to make plans for the 5th Annual Jack Pine RoundUp featuring bulls, broncs, and barrels! The rodeo will be held on August 23rd and 24th at the Jim Haswell Memorial Arena, located about a mile north of Idaho

City on Highway 21. The picturesque rodeo grounds will feature a festive event with delicious food and drinks for the whole family.

In the latest news, some real elbow grease has been put into

sprucing up the Jim Haswell Memorial Arena, including tearing down the old chutes, repairing and repurposing those materials, and installing some entirely new chutes. The new paint is freshly dried. So, pack your lawn chairs and head on

up, it's rodeo time!

A heartfelt thanks goes out to the City of Idaho City employees, along with the city's Parks and Rec Department, the Jack Pine rodeo directors, and an amazing team of community volunteers for putting in the hours it has taken to organize this show.

The 5th annual event is preparing to get underway, so come join in the fun this next weekend. Pre-rodeo starts at 6pm and the grand show is at 7pm. Experience the live cowboy action, daring bull riders, skilled barrel racers, and this year's rodeo clown, Tuffy!



BOISE COUNTY DECLARES A DISASTER EMERGENCY DUE TO ACTIVE FIRES



BOISE COUNTY

RESOLUTION #2024-33

A BOISE COUNTY RESOLUTION TO DECLARE A DISASTER EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, there is threat to life and property in **BOISE COUNTY** as the result of fires, which could result in damage to private citizens structures and critical infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, a disaster emergency as defined in Section 46-1002, Idaho Code, is in existence in **BOISE COUNTY**, due to the imminent threat to life and property created by fires; and

WHEREAS, Section 46-1011, Idaho Code, authorizes the Commissioners of **BOISE COUNTY**, Idaho to declare a disaster emergency to authorize the furnishing of aid and assistance, thereunder;

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved and declared by the **BOISE COUNTY** Board of Commissioners, as follows:

1. A local emergency is hereby declared to exist within **BOISE COUNTY**, created by the fires and creating an imminent danger and threat to life and property, and;
2. These conditions require the activation of the response and recovery aspects of all applicable local disaster emergency plans, and;
3. Such disaster may require state emergency assistance to supplement local efforts to protect, rehabilitate and replace public property and to provide a coordinated multi-agency effort to mitigate, avert and lessen the threat and impact of the disaster, and;
4. Boise County is fiscally challenged to undertake and sustain these efforts, and;
5. It is vital to restore basic services and ensure our continuing fiscal stability and insure adequate public safety.

APPROVED and ADOPTED in open session this 9th day of August, 2024.

HAPPENINGS IN BOISE COUNTY

GARDEN VALLEY/ CROUCH - 12th Annual Duke Days Rodeo on Saturday at 5:30pm at the Youren Arena.

IDAHO CITY - Jack Pine Round Up rodeo on August 23 & 24 at the Jim Haswell Arena on Highway 21. Pre-rodeo at 6 and grand entry at 7pm.

IDAHO CITY - Cowboy Breakfast served at Cowboy Campground @ Legacy Park - August 24 & 25th, 8:30 am til 10 am by the Legacy Park Riders Association.

GARDEN VALLEY - Car Show on August 31st at Weilmunster Park in Crouch from 9am - 2:30pm. Call Jack 208-781-2788. Vendors, raffle, beach volleyball tournament, etc.

PLACERVILLE - Annual pig roast fundraiser on Aug. 31st at 4pm at the Placerville Plaza.

ROBIE CREEK - Come support your local Robie Creek Volunteer Fire District on Sept. 7 at the Robie Creek Park from 1pm to 5pm. BBQ and drinks. Learn more about fire mitigation, IDL, Forest Service, Fire Wise, East Boise County Ambulance, future trainings in First Aid and CPR.

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Duke Days Rodeo



Based on the classic John Wayne movie *McLintock!* Catch the action this weekend at the annual Duke Days Rodeo in Crouch.

Photo by Linda Ruppel, DDS

BOISE COUNTY

BOISE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Transcribed by Eileen Capson

August 6, 2024

Present: Commissioners Clay Tucker, Lindy Lindstrom, and Bob Callahan

Pledge of Allegiance

CONSTITUENT INPUT: A resident of Garden Valley asked that the commissioners take into account the people who choose to live and work in Boise County, rather than earn a higher wage in Boise when determining the budget for the next fiscal year.

MINUTES: Commissioner Lindstrom motioned to approve the minutes from 7/30/2024. The motion carried.

SNOWMOBILE GRANT: A grant to improve the snowmobile facilities in Idaho City was discussed. A motion was said to approve the estimate from an electric company for repairs in the amount of \$7,995. This was approved.

COMMUNITY JUSTICE: Wildlife removal was discussed. Amanda Leader said that she wanted the bats free to live their lives, but also does not want them living on the building. She stated, "We had 12 dead bats in about a week and a half," and guessed that it may have had something to do with the heatwave. She acknowledged that the estimated cost of treatment is substantial, even compared across the three companies willing to give estimates, but said, "the building is a giant bat box... every single window has bat urine on it."

OPIOID SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT: Commissioner Lindstrom motioned to approve the opioid settlement agreement with Kroger, which would provide money to the county for specific uses, and all were in agreement. The motion carried.

ALCOHOL BEVERAGE LICENSE RENEWALS: A series of licenses were approved via an assigned number. All were in favor and the motions carried.

AIR ST. LUKE'S: A motion was said to approve the membership with St. Luke's for a new employee in the amount of \$55.

NEW HIRE WITH EBCAD: A motion was said to approve the payroll addition for a part-time position and the motion carried.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: A motion was said to enter into executive session to discuss a personnel issue. [Time 9:33 am to 9:54 am] No action was required for the East Boise

County Ambulance District.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: Another motion was said to enter into executive session to discuss a personnel issue. [Time 9:54 am to 11:24 am] No action was required.

APPROVAL FOR ANNEXATION INTO PLACERVILLE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT: An approval from the Placerville Fire Protection District was received for an acceptance to be annexed, but the clerk said there was not a specified entity or subdivision. This will be addressed at a later date.

ROBIE CREEK FIRE DISTRICT: Clerk Mary Prisco reported that a solicitation was sent into the *Idaho World* letting the community know that the Board of County Commissioners is accepting applications for the fire district commissioner appointments for each of the subdistricts. There are also items on the Boise County website. The deadline for application submissions is August 23 at 5pm.

BUDGET FOR BOISE COUNTY: Clerk Prisco presented the first balanced budget for Boise County for the next fiscal year. She said, "I did take the liberty to put, [as the] budget officer, 100% of market for everyone across the board. And for those who were already at market, I put in a 3% cost of living increase." She shared with the board the charts and graphs used to balance the budget to cover services and fees throughout the departments. Prisco spoke to funding sources, expenses by fund, and then balancing that fund. The county is working with a total budget of \$16.5 million for fiscal year 2025. Property tax is 36% of

this funding at \$5.9 million. Road and Bridge Department received a new revenue stream though the new legislation to strengthen county districts, highways, and bridges. Prisco reported, "We received \$1.4 million in total for what they call the 'highway users general fund.'"

Maintenance and repairs of \$150,000 will be budgeted for, specifically for county facilities.

Commissioner Callahan would like to get more material on Centerville Road due to high traffic, because funds are becoming available for specific projects. The other two commissioners were concerned with safety factors on Highway 17.

Distributing the money equally throughout the county was a large concern for the commissioners and there was much discussion.

SHERIFF: Sheriff Scott Turner said they were having some major issues with the E911 phone system and there was no voicemail. "They get phone calls coming into dispatch and that's about it," the sheriff said. "The black box system is completely shut off." He asked that an emergency meeting be called by the commissioners to address the issue. Sheriff Turner added, "We can call in, we can call out, for now, but that's it." He said that they fear that the rest of the phone system will go down.

4-H: The 4-H program and the county's annual donation were discussed, a cost of \$8,500 per a year. A new Gem County building was discussed for the 4-H program, and the 4-H representatives asked that



L-R: Commissioners Bob Callahan, Lindy Lindstrom, and Clay Tucker
Photo by Eileen Capson

Boise County contribute ten percent. Commissioner Callahan would like to come to a realistic number as to how much the Boise County 4-H participants use the facilities.

BUDGET SALARIES: The salaries were reviewed for each employee, taking into account how many years they had served in that position and "market value."

EXECUTIVE SESSION: A motion was said to go back into executive session to discuss a personnel issue. [Time 3:48 pm to 5:31 pm] Coming back into session, there was no action required.

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS: Next week's meeting will be to discuss more budget items. Following the meeting, the commissioners will go on a tour of the county office buildings in Idaho City and Horseshoe Bend.

Recessed until next Tuesday, 5:36 pm.

SPECIAL EMERGENCY MEETING: Chairman Tucker reviewed Idaho Code stating when it was appropriate to call an emergency meeting. Sheriff Turner explained his request to hold this meeting. "Due to the failure of the phone system," the sheriff is asking to expend dollars to replace the equipment system. Commissioner Callahan recognized the situation and said, "It's completely necessary. If our emergency center goes down for the county, we're in a lot more trouble."

Commissioner Lindstrom motioned to approve the replacement of the phone system at the Sheriff's Office, authorizing up to \$40,000. The motion carried.

Adjourned at 5:41 pm.

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ROBIE CREEK FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT – SOLICITATION OF COMMISSIONER CANDIDATES

The Board of Boise County Commissioners is seeking applications for the initial appointment of Robie Creek Fire District Commissioners. Interested candidates must complete both the "Written Request for Appointment" and "Qualifications of Request for Appointment" documents. Individuals requesting to be appointed, should reside within the sub-district (1, 2, or 3) for which they are applying. Interested candidates are to submit the application documents to Boise County Clerk, Mary Prisco, at mprisco@co.boise.id.us or may mail or hand deliver the documents to Boise County Clerk's Office, 420 Main St., Idaho City, ID 83716. The deadline to submit application is August 23rd, 2024, 5:00 p.m.

Application documents and sub-district maps are located at the Boise County website: www.boisecounty.us News and Alerts section.

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Horseshoe Bend Community Pantry



The HSB Community Pantry needs volunteers to help unload pickups at about 11 AM on Thursdays before the second and fourth food distribution days. Photo courtesy of Pauleen Grant

By Pauleen Grant
HORSESHOE BEND -- The Horseshoe Bend Pantry appreciates all the support of the community, both from donations and those who volunteer. The pantry relies on monetary donations. We have been able to purchase a large refrigerator, freezers, and the new stairs, as well as purchase some food

items from the Idaho Food Bank and grocery stores to supplement items from the Idaho Food Bank. All this is not possible without volunteers: the board members, those who pick up items from the Idaho Food Bank, unload the trucks, and pack and distribute the food boxes. We are ALWAYS in need of volunteers to help

unload the pickups at about 11 am the Thursday before the second and fourth Friday distribution days. If you have an hour of time then, the help is much appreciated. Distribution days are the second and fourth Fridays of each month from 10 AM to 2 PM at the bright blue building by the DMV.

Day Trip to Stanley, Idaho

By Earl McCreary
BOISE COUNTY -- There are many beautiful, adventurous day trip destinations easily accessible from Boise County. Even though I live in the mountains, I love to adventure to other areas and experience the beauty they have to offer. My favorite place is the Stanley area, with its abundance of mountainous wilderness. The Stanley area is about two hours away from most places in Boise County. A visit to Stanley offers plenty of scenery and wildlife like elk, deer, turkeys,

antelope, eagles, hawks, coyotes, and the occasional wolf. If your timing is right, you might even get to see some white mountain goats. There are a few nice stores in Stanley to shop at, and the option to book a fly-fishing trip. The Sawtooth Wilderness Area is home to many alpine lakes, among which is the popular Redfish Lake, which sees a surge of visitors every year. For those seeking to avoid crowded shores, there are countless other alpine lakes. Hikers can spend years hiking to all the lakes found deep in the moun-

tains. Stanley Lake seems to have less people and is a great destination year-round. Between the dispersed camping options and the campgrounds, there are plenty of areas to camp in the Stanley area. Some additional attractions include the Mystic Saddle Ranch at the Redfish Corrals that offers excellent horse trail rides and the bakery in Stanley that serves delicious baked goods. Find your next adventure in Stanley, Idaho, but do check for active wildfires and road closures before heading out.



Stanley Lake

Photo by Earl McCreary

Fire Burns Brighter



GARDEN VALLEY -- Late Monday night, August 12th, the Perseid meteor shower put on quite a show for observers. However, the eerie star that stole that show was the brightly burning Nellie Fire located northeast of Garden Valley, part of the Middlefork Fire Complex.



Updated fire information is posted at the Banks Lowman Road intersection. Photos by Linda Ruppel, DDS

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Fire Update Boise National Forest

August 13, 2024, 10:00 a.m.



Incident Commander: Rick Connell, Northern Rockies Team 5

Middle Fork Complex Location: 9 miles east of Garden Valley, ID

Bulltrout Location: 15 miles WNW OF Stanley, ID
Wapiti Location: 2 miles southwest of Grandjean, ID

Start Dates: 07/24/24 – 08/06/2024

Cause: Lightning

Size:

Bulltrout: 271 acres

Wapiti: 2,667 acres

Middle Fork Complex:

Bulldog: 2,100 acres

Nellie: 3,681 acres

Containment: Middle Fork Complex: 0% Bulltrout: 92% Wapiti: 0%

Resources on site:

Middle Fork Complex: 1 hot-shot crew; 5 type 2 hand crew; 9 engines; 3 bulldozers; 3 water tenders

Wapiti: 1 type 2 hand crew; 8 engines; 1 water tender

Bulltrout: 2 engines

Total Personnel: Middle Fork Complex: 300 Bulltrout: 20 Wapiti: 57

CURRENT STATUS/PLANNED ACTIONS:

Middle Fork Complex: The Middle Fork Complex is comprised of Bulldog, Nellie, and Anderson fires.

On the Bulldog Fire, strategic overnight firing operations along the south side of the fire were successful in connecting with the historic Pioneer fire burn area. Firefighters continue to secure the edge of the fire. On the north side of the fire crews are working with terrain and fuels to create a fuel break. The public is reminded that the Middle Fork Road is closed at the Forest Service boundary just

south of Lightning Creek for firefighter and public safety as crews continue to work to protect private property and structures in the vicinity of Crouch.

On August 12th the Nellie and Anderson fires merged and will now be treated as one fire and retain the name Nellie. The current containment on the newly combined Nellie fire is 0%. The fire is burning in steep remote terrain and is backing into the 2016 Pioneer fire area. Crews plan to utilize unmanned aerial system (UAS) today to conduct strategic firing operations ahead of the fire to reduce fuels availability. The public is reminded that Forest Service Road #555 is closed at the intersection of Highway 17.

Wapiti Fire: Wapiti fire has been active in areas exposed to winds in upper elevations and ridges. Firefighters continue to ensure the structures in the vicinity of the fire are protected with improved defensible space, with an extensive sprinkler and water pumping system in communities near the fire. Crews are evaluating the Hanging Valley subdivision. Smoke may be visible from State Highway 21 please use caution while driving in the area. A predominant ridge on the west side of the fire is being assessed for opportunities to conduct strategic firing operations when conditions are favorable. On the south side of the fire is a historic fire area is adjacent to the fire and remains less receptive to fire activity.

Bulltrout Fire: The fire is 92% contained and firefighters continue suppression repair in areas affected by the fire.

The fire is smoldering and creeping through unburned areas within the interior of the fire and crews continue patrolling and extinguishing pockets of heat in the interior of the fire on the south side of the fire.

CLOSURES, RESTRICTIONS, AND EVACUATIONS:

Middle Fork Complex: The Boise County Sheriff's Office continues to maintain the Level 2 evacuation notice for residents on and near the Middlefork Road between Stump Ranch Road up to Tie Creek Campground. The Boise National Forest issued areas closure for the fire area (Closure #0402-06-59 and Closure # 0402-05-93). Effective August 12, 2024. The purpose of these orders is to protect public safety during the fires.

Wapiti Fire: The evacuation order for Summer Homes and the Sawtooth Lodge remain in effect for the Wapiti Fire, as does the area closure issued by the Sawtooth and Boise National Forests (Closure #0402-05-94) Effective August 12, 2024. This Order is for public and firefighter safety during fire suppression efforts of the Wapiti Fire.

Bulltrout Fire: The Bull Trout Fire Area Closure (Closure #0402-05-93) remains in effect for the roads, trails within the perimeter of the fire. Boise National Forest issued this order on August, 12, 2024. It will be rescinded as soon as it is safe to do so.

Closure information and maps are posted on the Forests' website and the fire's Inciweb page as they are in place.

<https://tinyurl.com/2u8v3pf7>

The Boise National Forest, Idaho Department of Lands, and Bureau of Land Management are in Stage 1 fire restrictions on state, endowment, private and federal lands within the West Central Mountains Fire Restrictions Zone. For more information on the restrictions and a map visit:

<https://www.idl.idaho.gov/fire-management/fire-restrictions-finder/>



The local chapter of the Sons of Erin made and donated a beautiful wooden table to the Idaho City Historical Foundation. This bench was placed at the Kenn Smith Wildfire Museum on August 10, 2024. Photos by Georgene Thomas



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LEGAL NOTICES

Notice is hereby given that the Wilderness Ranch Fire Protection District Board of Commissioners will hold a public hearing for consideration of the proposed fiscal year 2025 budget beginning October 1, 2024, and ending September 30, 2025. The public hearing will be held during the WRFPD Commissioners meeting on Wednesday, August 28, 2024, from 6:00 PM to 8:30 PM at Wilderness Ranch Fire Station #1, 46 Wilderness Ranch Road, Boise, Idaho, 83716. A copy of the proposed budget can also be found posted at Wilderness Ranch Fire Station #1 and on the Wilderness Ranch Fire Protection District website: <https://wrfpd.net/documents>. This hearing is pursuant to Idaho Code 31-1422.

Wilderness Ranch Fire Protection District Fiscal Year 2025 Proposed Budget	
Income	
Cash Forward	\$0.00
Property Tax Levy	\$226,469
New Construction	\$0.00
Leases	\$1,485
Incident Billing Income	\$ 11,500
Training Income	\$ 500
Grants	\$127,680*
Total Income	\$ 367,634
Expenses	
Administrative Operating Expense	\$7,096
Professional Services	\$24,460
Insurance	\$11,007
Utilities	\$12,471
Fuel	\$8,000
Leases	\$1,000
Payroll	\$72,424
Volunteers Acknowledgment	\$5,000
Operational Supplies	\$10,000
PPE (Personal Protective Equipment)	\$13,500
Major Equipment	\$29,165*
Equipment Maintenance/Repair	\$5,250
Vehicle Maintenance	\$13,000
Building Maintenance	\$5,561
Capital Expenditures	\$0.00
Firefighter Training	\$9,000
Fire Prevention	\$700
Contingency	\$2,000
Vehicle and Equipment Replacement Funds	\$138,000*
Total Expenses	\$367,634

Vehicle and Equipment Replacement Fund (VERF) status as of 8/2023	
Vehicle Replacement Fund	\$131,000
Equipment Replacement Fund	\$ 7,000
Total of VERF	\$ 138,000

* WRFPD has been awarded a FY 2025 Idaho EMSAVE Emergency Medical Services Agency Vehicle and Equipment Grant to purchase an extrication tool in the amount of \$12,680 and a new rescue apparatus in the amount of \$115,000. Published in the Idaho World on 8/14 and 8/21/2024.

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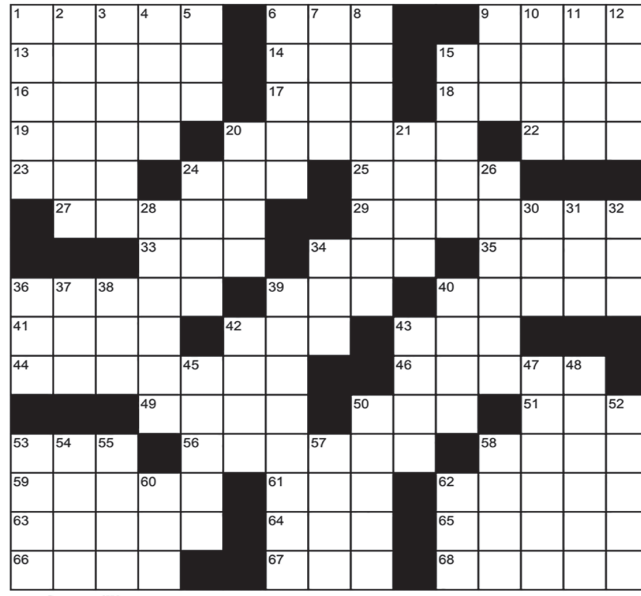


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Answer key on page 6.



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ACROSS

- 1 Ghost wear
- 6 Body of water
- 9 Animal stomach
- 13 Root beer brand (3 wds.)
- 14 Loose gown worn at mass
- 15 Outguess
- 16 Sign
- 17 Sore
- 18 Dickens' "___ of Two Cities" (2 wds.)
- 19 Canal
- 20 Elixirs
- 22 Celibate
- 23 December
- 24 Expression of surprise
- 25 Snips
- 27 National capital
- 29 One who encourages wrongdoing
- 33 Caesar's seven
- 34 Estimated time of arrival
- 35 South American country
- 36 Criminal
- 39 Monkey

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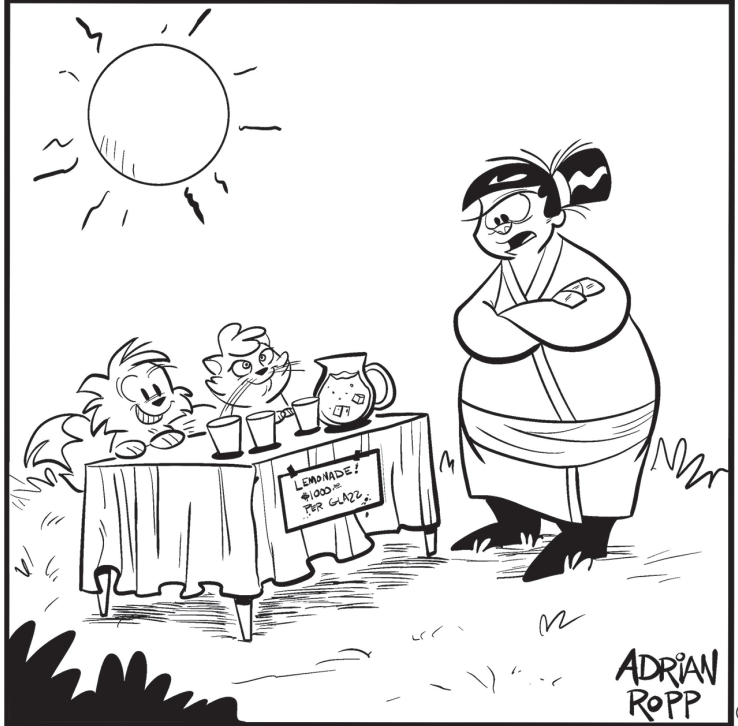
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- 3 Make better
- 4 Fringy
- 5 Couple
- 6 Island
- 7 Dash
- 8 Surrender
- 9 Central Standard Time
- 10 Baseball's Nolan
- 11 Organization concerned with civil liberties (abbr.)
- 12 Journalist's question
- 15 Stick together
- 20 Citizen
- 21 Island nation
- 24 Related
- 26 City in Minnesota (2 wds.)
- 28 Acknowledged
- 30 Decade
- 31 Unrefined metal
- 32 Track
- 34 Government agency
- 36 National police
- 37 Tree
- 38 Sever
- 39 Person sensitive to art
- 40 Dock
- 42 Unpolluted
- 43 As previously cited
- 45 Shin
- 47 Custard filled pastry
- 48 Hand weapons
- 50 Concerning
- 52 Afloat (2 wds.)
- 53 Appoint
- 54 Tiny insect
- 55 Caps
- 57 Bulb flower
- 58 Magnetic ends
- 60 Halter part
- 62 Reverend (abbr.)

DOWN

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Answer key on page 5.

Chim Chum & the Portly Samurai by Adrian Ropp

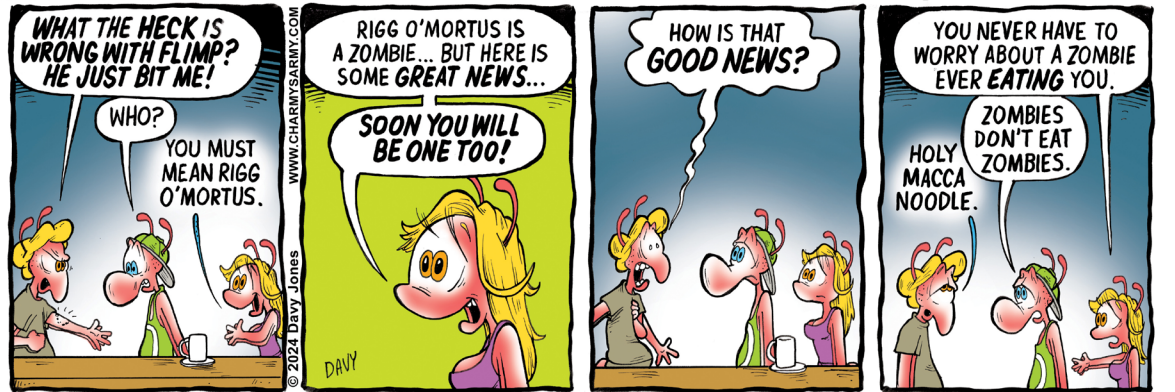


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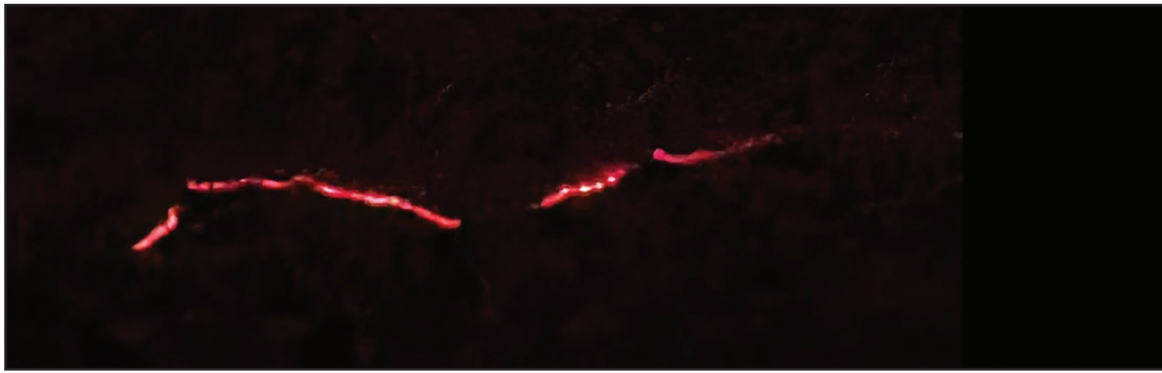
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The Paddock Fire on August 8th crested the mountains. Seen from Highway 52 looking north toward Sweet and Ola.
Photo by Eric Ruppel

NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Mores Creek Rim Ranches Water District will hold a public hearing for consideration of the proposed budget for the fiscal year October 1, 2024, to September 30, 2025, pursuant to the provisions of Section 50-1002, Idaho Code, said hearing to be held at Robie Creek Fire Station, 128 Mores Creek Rim Ranch Road, Boise, Idaho, at 7:00 p.m. on August 29, 2024. At said hearing interested persons may appear and show cause, if any, why said proposed budget should or should not be adopted. A copy of the proposed hearing on August 29, 2024 at 7:00 PM. Anyone desiring accommodations for disabilities to the budget hearing, please contact Melanie Clark at 208-392-2600, at least 48 hours prior to the public hearing.

FY 2024 / 2025	
	Proposed Expenditures
Operation and Maintenance	\$ 3,058.00
O & M Expenses	\$ 10,625.00
Office Expenses	\$ 30,020.00
Professional Services/Fees	\$ 700.00
Utilities	\$ 28,100.00
Water Plant Operations	\$ 1,326.50
Water Distribution	\$ 39,709.50
Capital Improvement Expense	\$ 113,539.00
Sub.Total Operation & Maintenance	\$ 113,539.00
Grand Total All Expenditures	\$ 113,539.00
FY 2024 / 2025	
	Proposed Revenues
Water Fees	\$ 113,539.00
Water Excess Usage	\$ -
Collections	\$ -
Total Water Fees	\$ 113,539.00
Other Revenue:	
Total Other Revenue	\$ -
Grand Total All Revenue	\$ 113,539.00

The proposed expenditures and revenues for fiscal year 2024-2025 have been tentatively approved by the Mores Creek Rim Ranches Water District Board of Directors.

Melanie Clark
Mores Creek Rim Ranches Water District Bookkeeper
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BUDGET HEARING AUGUST 2024 PIONEER CEMETERY DISTRICT Horseshoe Bend, ID 83629

A public hearing for consideration of the proposed budget of the Pioneer Cemetery District of Horseshoe Bend will be held in the Horseshoe Bend Library August 20, 2024 at 7:00 PM. A copy of the proposed budget is posted at the Library or may be obtained by calling 208-921-5483. Fiscal year is from January 1 to December 31.

INCOME	Budgeted 2024	Proposed 2025
Carryover	\$30,000	\$30,000
Boise County	13,239	13,928
Sales Tax	940	940
Interments & Plots	4,000	4,000
	\$48,179	\$48,868

EXPENSE	Budgeted 2024	Proposed 2025
Caretaker Contract	\$10,000	\$22,099
Operating Expense	12,979	3,469
Idaho Power	500	600
Interments	4,000	4,000
Insurance & Legal	700	700
Capital Outlay	20,000	18,000
	\$48,179	\$48,868

Reserved Funds - \$51,313.30
Attest Board Members of Pioneer Cemetery District
Dennis Drake, Chairman
Jim Fisher
Jesse Bowery
Shari Fisher, Clerk Published in the Idaho World on 8/14/2024.

NOTICE OF HEARING ON NAME CHANGE (Adult or Emancipated Minor) Case No. CV08-24-99182

IN THE DISTRICT COURT FOR THE FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT FOR THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF BOISE

IN RE: Diana-Lucia Garcia

A Petition to change the name of Diana-Lucia Garcia, now residing in the City of Garden Valley, State of Idaho, has been filed in the District Court in Boise County, Idaho. The name will change to Diana L. Garcia-Rojas. The reason for

the change in name is: Diana L. Garcia-Rojas is my birth given name. I regret changing it to Diana-Lucia Garcia and want to change back.

A hearing on the petition is scheduled for 11:00 o'clock a.m. on Sept. 18, 2024 at the Boise County Courthouse. Objections may be filed by any person who can show the court a good reason against the name change.
Date: 8/9/2024 4:15:22 PM
CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT
By: Tanya Lamark

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HELP WANTED:

Boise County Solid Waste is now accepting applications for a Collection Site Attendant at the Warm Springs (Idaho City) Transfer Station. Job is part time, 2 days a week or as needed.

Employment Applications are available at the Clerk's Office at 420 Main Street in Idaho City or on the web at BoiseCounty.us

Site attendant performs functions in the operation of Boise County Solid Waste including manual labor, maintaining a sanitary collection site, security of site, buildings and gates, maintain waste logs, receipt books and other required paperwork.

Equipment operating experience is beneficial, but is not required. Applicants must be 18 years of age, possess a valid Idaho driver's license and pass a pre-employment background check and drug screening.

Applications can be submitted by mail to the Solid Waste Department, PO Box 309, Horseshoe Bend, Idaho, 83629.

Horseshoe Bend, Idaho, 83629. Delivered to the Boise County Clerk's office at 420 Main Street, Idaho City. Or emailed to: JMcGee@co.boise.id.us or KAllred@co.boise.id.us . Boise County is an Equal Opportunity Employer and gives Veteran's Preference in its hiring practices. (8/28)

Position Reopened: Coordinator/Program Manager

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Stop by 102 Bear Run for an application, call 208-392-4918 or email for more information. boisebasin@co.boise.id.us

High School Math Teacher needed at Basin Schools.

Apply online at: <https://www.basinschools.net/page/employment-opportunities>

The Basin School District is in need of Bus Drivers! \$24.00 an hour plus benefits.

Call 208-392-6631

Garden Valley Translator District

is looking for 2-3 volunteer Trustees to help in the maintenance and administration of free over-the-air local television signal delivery to the Crouch/Garden Valley areas. Volunteers are appointed by the County Commissioners for 3-year terms, and must have a primary residence within Boise County. Monthly meetings

are held the 4th Thursday of each month at the Garden Valley Senior Center. This is an open public meeting.

The GVTD is a taxing district established in 1975 to serve Garden Valley residents with free over-the-air television reception. It operates under Title 31, Chapter 41 of the Idaho State Statutes.

Interested parties can send a letter of interest to GVTD - PO Box 711 - Garden Valley, ID 83622. Or send an email to: lthurmond2254@gmail.com or climb-ingtrad@hotmail.com

CITY OF IDAHO CITY IS CURRENTLY SEEKING TO HIRE FOR A TEMPORARY PUBLIC WORKS POSITION

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Full job description and applications are available at City Hall, 511 Main St., Idaho City, Id. Mon.-Thu. 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Applications will be accepted until position is filled.

Position: School Nurse District: Horseshoe Bend School District Hours: P/T

Hourly Rate: \$25-40/per hour

The School Nurse will be responsible for providing medical assistance to school-age students and they complete multiple tasks each day, from assessing minor injuries to requesting emergency services.

Interested applicants, should email Dennis Chesnut, chesnutd@

hsbschools.org a completed District Application & Resume

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Equipment operating experience is beneficial, but is not required. Applicants must be 18 years of age, possess a valid Idaho driver's license and pass a pre-employment background check and drug screening.

Applications can be submitted by mail to the Solid Waste Department, PO Box 309, Horseshoe Bend, Idaho, 83629.

Delivered to the Boise County Clerk's office at 420 Main Street, Idaho City. Or emailed to: JMcGee@co.boise.id.us or KAllred@co.boise.id.us .

Boise County is an Equal Opportunity Employer and gives Veteran's Preference in its hiring practices. (6/26)

BOISE COUNTY SANITATION IS LOOKING TO HIRE.

We are looking to hire someone for a part-time position, 20-30 hours a week; Or two positions with up to 20 hours per week.

General labor to include collection and transport of trash during weekly collection routes, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturdays. Starting pay \$12-\$15 per hour based on aptitude and abilities.

No company sponsored benefits at this time. Valid drivers license required with good record. We are a drug free workplace. Must be 18+ to apply. If you are interested, please contact us to set up an interview.

Starting salary is \$18.17/hr.

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We look forward to hearing from you.

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Garden Valley School District (including Lowman) is in need of substitute teachers.

Contact: Miranda Hennessy, District Coordinator @ 208-462-3756

Horseshoe Bend School Job Opening for Substitute Teachers.

If interested, please contact Superintendent Chesnut at chesnutd@hsbschools.org

Boise County Road & Bridge Department has an opening for a full time Equipment Operator in the Garden Valley and Horseshoe Bend area.

Starting salary \$20.10 per hour. Benefits include health insurance, paid vacation, paid sick time, paid holidays and PERSI retirement. Application and Job Description can be printed from the Boise County website www.boisecounty.us, or call (208)793-2380.

To apply, submit a filled-out Boise County employment application to mnewman@co.boise.id.us or mail to Boise County Road & Bridge Department, 39 Brownlee Road, Horseshoe Bend, ID 83629.

Pre-employment drug testing is required. Boise County is an Equal Opportunity Employer and gives Veteran's preference in its hiring practices.

Boise County Sheriff's Dispatch Center is currently accepting applications for a full time 911 Communications Officer.

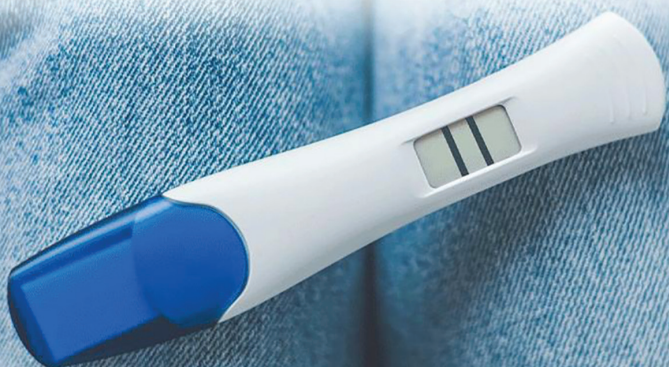
This position includes shift work, holidays, and weekends. Applicants must be at least 18 years of age, have a high school diploma or equivalency. Applicants must successfully pass a background check, polygraph, and type 35 words a minute

Starting salary is \$18.17/hr.

Are you pregnant and not sure what to do next? It's important to confirm your pregnancy before making any decisions. Schedule a free and confidential appointment at one of our Path clinic locations. Or visit Wee One's Wardrobe in Horseshoe Bend to access free baby clothes, diapers, baby accessories, and maternity clothing. Visit our website at treasurevalley.path.org or call (208) 417-3485 for more information.



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LEGAL NOTICES

Notice of Public Hearing

Public Notice and Hearing on New Fees—Idaho Code 63-1311 & 63-1311A
 The City of Idaho City is proposing to establish new Administrative Fees for Licenses and Rental Fees. The City is also proposing new Commercial Water and Sewer Rates along with the addition to all water accounts the Idaho City DW1104 Water Bond Repayment rates. A meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 28, 2024, at 7 p.m. at City Hall, 511 Main Street, Idaho City. Verbal and written comments will be accepted prior to and at the meeting.

BUSINESS AND VENDOR LICENSE FEES FOR 2025

1. Vendors license yearly fees (nonprofit org.) \$25.00

COMMUNITY HALL RENTAL FEES FOR 2025

1. Non city citizens and groups \$330.50 per day plus 6% use tax

RODEO ARENA & AMPHITHEATRE FEE

SCHEDULE (formerly known as parks and recreation) FOR 2025

1. Non-profit groups \$82.50 per day plus 6% use tax

2. City citizens, groups and local government agencies \$185.00 per day plus 6% use tax

3. Non city citizens and groups \$370 per day plus 6% use tax

IDAHO CITY COMMERCIAL WATER AND SEWER RATES FOR 2025

Commercial Water Rate

1. ¾" meter non-multiple living units \$98.28/month base rate (zero gallons); plus \$1.49 for each 1000 gallons.

2. ¾" meter multiple living units \$98.28/month base rate (zero gallons); plus \$1.49 for each 1000 gallons.

3. 1" meter non-multiple living units \$81.00/month base rate (zero gallons); plus \$1.49 for each 1000 gallons.

4. 1" meter multiple living units \$98.28/month base rate (zero gallons); plus \$1.49 for each 1000 gallons. Per edu*

5. 1 ½" meter non-multiple living units \$123.48/month base rate (zero gallons); plus \$1.49 for each 1000 gallons.

6. 1 ½" meter multiple living unit \$98.28/month base rate (zero gallons); plus \$1.49 for each 1000 gallons. Per edu*

7. 2" meter non-multiple living units \$181.44/month base rate (zero gallons); plus \$1.49 for each 1000 gallons.

8. 2" meter multiple living units \$98.28/month base rate (zero gallons); plus \$1.49 for each 1000 gallons. Per edu*

9. 3" meter non-multiple living units \$355.32/month base rate (zero gallons); plus \$1.49 for each 1000 gallons

10. 3" meter multiple living units \$98.28/month base rate (zero gallons); plus \$1.49 for each 1000 gallons. Per edu*

11. Water Vacancy Rate: \$15.50/month per edu* (purch

chased but not connected)

There will be a charge for water consumption year-round with winter use averaged from the prior winter's use and charged during the non-metered months. A credit or additional charge is then recorded at the first meter reading.

12. There will be a charge of \$52.50 meter rent per month (1-month min. charge) plus \$10.50 per thousand gallons (rounding up to the next thousand)

Commercial Sewer Rate

1. \$54.51/month per edu*
 2. Sewer Vacancy Rate: \$15.50/month per edu* (purchased but not connected)

IDAHO CITY DW1104 WATER BOND REPAYMENT RATES (per edu multiplier) FOR 2025

1. Residential Customers rates - \$17.25 base rate
 2. Commercial Customer Rates - \$25.75 base rate

The meeting will be held in a facility that is accessible to persons with disabilities. Special accommodation will be available, upon request, five (5) days prior to the hearing in a format that is usable for

persons with disabilities. For more information, contact the Idaho City Clerk, 392-4584.

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NOTICE OF CANDIDATE FILING DEADLINE FOR NOVEMBER 5, 2024 GENERAL ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that declarations of candidacy, for the office of Supervisor, Squaw Creek Soil Conservation District Board, must be filed with the District Clerk/Secretary at: 1805 Highway 16, Room 1, Emmett, Idaho, no later than 5:00 p.m. on August 30, 2024. Declaration Forms are available at the District office in Emmett, ID, or at the office of the County Clerk, 420 Main Street, Idaho City, ID.

Individuals who run as write-in candidates must file a Declaration of Intent no later than 5:00 p.m. on September 6, 2024.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED FY 2024/2025 BUDGET CITY OF IDAHO CITY, IDAHO

A public hearing, pursuant to Idaho Code 50-1002, will be held for consideration of the proposed budget for the fiscal year from October 1, 2024, to September 30, 2025 and pursuant to Idaho Code §63-802(1)(f) requires that the City adopt an annual resolution to reserve additional forgone amount in order to utilize that amount in subsequent years; and, WHEREAS, the City intends to reserve \$1 of its current year's increase in allowable forgone amount. The public hearing will be held at City Hall, 511 Main Street, Idaho City, ID during a Regular Council Meeting on August 28, 2024, at 7:00 PM. All interested persons are invited to appear and show cause, if any, why such budget should or should not be adopted. Copies of the proposed City budget in detail are available at City Hall during regular office hours (Monday – Thursday 8AM – 4:30PM.) City Hall is accessible to persons with disabilities. Anyone desiring accommodations for disabilities related to the documents or to the hearing, please contact the city clerk, 392-4584 at least 48 hours prior to the meeting/public hearing. The proposed FY 2024/2025 budget is shown below as FY 2024/2025 proposed expenditures and revenues.

CITY OF IDAHO CITY	FY 21/22	FY 21/22	FY 22/23	FY 22/23	FY 23/24	FY 23/24	FY 24/25
	BUDGETED	ACTUAL	BUDGETED	ACTUAL	BUDGETED	ATD 8-01-24	PROPOSED
REVENUES							
Property Taxes	\$97,287	\$99,689	\$101,929	\$72,538	\$108,647	\$99,515	\$138,781
Taxes and Court Revenue	\$6,539	\$5,694	\$54,110	\$4,911	\$22,375	\$6,395	\$16,375
Licenses and Permits	\$21,775	\$38,095	\$30,702	\$44,000	\$36,159	\$19,015	\$22,978
Intergovernmental Revenues	\$180,924	\$76,225	\$150,456	\$101,554	\$149,659	\$92,815	\$135,589
Charges for Services	\$5,025	\$5,825	\$13,275	\$5,900	\$11,325	\$1,371	\$7,425
Miscellaneous	\$12,747	\$50,259	\$12,820	\$2,346	\$48,747	\$1,445	\$536
Special Assessment Financing	\$57,651	\$7,010	\$59,960	\$7,547	\$10,147	\$9,784	\$12,693
Other Financing Sources	\$11,825	\$8,365	\$14,825	\$9,381	\$2,500	\$2,500	\$2,500
TOTAL General Fund	\$393,773	\$291,163	\$438,077	\$248,177	\$389,559	\$232,840	\$336,877
STREET FUND							
Boise County-Property Taxes	\$47,156	\$47,951	\$49,309	\$34,036	\$50,475	\$51,556	\$26,435
Intergovernmental Revenues	\$22,164	\$29,542	\$22,868	\$28,858	\$37,692	\$51,660	\$45,258
Other Financing Sources	\$0	\$16	\$0	\$356	\$7,845	\$4,443	\$7,845
TOTAL Street Fund	\$69,320	\$77,509	\$72,177	\$63,250	\$96,012	\$107,659	\$79,538
SEWER FUND							
Charges for Services	\$184,213	\$149,582	\$193,179	\$142,850	\$215,226	\$130,350	\$238,040
Other Financing Sources	\$0	\$175	\$50	\$3,841	\$3,000	\$4,403	\$5,000
TOTAL Sewer Fund	\$184,213	\$149,756	\$193,229	\$146,690	\$218,226	\$134,753	\$243,040
WATER FUND							
Charges for Services	\$307,922	\$286,868	\$317,260	\$289,591	\$370,278	\$229,953	\$371,282
Miscellaneous	\$0	\$492	\$400	\$10,780	\$17,754	\$15,747	\$8,075
DEQ GRANT DW2405LF 23/24	\$300,000	\$291,513	\$50,000	\$22,398	\$2,450,000	\$130,546	\$3,085,428
TOTAL Water Fund	\$607,922	\$578,873	\$367,660	\$322,769	\$2,838,032	\$376,246	\$3,464,785
DEQ Water Bond DW1104/ Repayment starting 23/24	\$63,400	\$63,400	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$80,000	\$80,000
GRAND TOTAL Revenue	\$1,318,628	\$1,160,702	\$1,071,143	\$780,887	\$3,541,829	\$931,499	\$4,204,240
EXPENDITURES							
General Administration	\$168,429	\$122,374	\$162,936	\$107,344	\$182,061	\$94,122	\$124,372
Public Safety - Law Enforcement	\$225,344	\$178,007	\$275,141	\$188,265	\$207,498	\$159,935	\$212,505
Total General Fund	\$393,773	\$300,381	\$438,077	\$295,609	\$389,559	\$254,057	\$336,877
Street Fund	\$69,320	\$42,894	\$72,177	\$67,448	\$96,012	\$80,884	\$79,538
Sewer Fund	\$184,213	\$108,338	\$193,229	\$137,796	\$218,226	\$170,403	\$243,040
Water Fund	\$607,922	\$524,664	\$367,660	\$404,067	\$388,032	\$315,846	\$379,357
DEQ GRANT DW2405LF 23/24					\$2,450,000	\$130,546	\$3,085,428
DEQ Water Bond DW1104/ Repayment starting 23/24	\$63,400		\$0			\$80,000	\$80,000
Total Other Fund Expenditures	\$924,855	\$675,896	\$633,066	\$609,311	\$3,152,270	\$777,679	\$3,867,363
Grand Total All Expenditures	\$1,318,628	\$976,277	\$1,071,143	\$904,920	\$3,541,829	\$1,031,736	\$4,204,240

The proposed expenditures and revenues for fiscal year 2024/2025 have been tentatively approved by the City Council.

Nancy L. Ptak

City Clerk-Treasurer

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BUDGET HEARING

Horseshoe Bend Hospital District

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Trustees will hold a Budget Hearing on the 28th day of August, 2024 at 7:00 PM at the Horseshoe Bend Clinic Facility at 102 Quinn Street, Horseshoe Bend, ID 83629. This Budget Hearing is called pursuant to section 39-1333 of the Idaho Code regarding the proposed Fiscal Year 2024-2025 ("FY 2025") Budget. FY 2025 commences October 1, 2024 and ends September 30, 2025. A hearing will also be held in pursuant to section 63-802, Idaho Code to recover forgone amount of \$2,524 to be used in the FY2025 budget for the clinic's bathroom remodel project.

	Approved FY 2024 Budget	Proposed FY 2025 Budget
Income:		
Cash Carryover	\$ 8,780	\$ 9,705
Property Tax	59,857	64,049
Total Income	\$68,637	\$73,754
Expenses:		
HSB Community Health, Inc.	\$59,857	\$64,049
Operating expenses	4,500	4,500
Total Expenses	\$64,357	\$68,549

A copy of the proposed budget and resolution will be posted at the Clinic or may be obtained by emailing HSB.HBoard@gmail.com.

Attest Board Members of the Horseshoe Bend Hospital District: Jim Grant, Chairperson
 Dave Jakovac, Treasurer
 Toni Shores, Secretary

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the patrons of Garden Valley Translator District that the Board of Directors of said District will hold a public hearing for consideration of the Proposed 2024-2025 fiscal Year Budget to appropriate monies received by the Garden Valley Translator District, tentatively approved by the Garden Valley Translator District Board of Directors on July 25, 2024. A public hearing will be held at 4:00 PM on August 29, 2024, at the Garden Valley Senior Center, 261 S. Middlefork Rd. – Garden Valley, ID.

Revenue	Proposed FY2024-2025
2024 Balance Forward	\$63,318.47
Boise County	\$11,000
Interest	\$440
Total Revenue	\$74,758.47

Expenditures	Proposed FY2023-2024
Idaho Power	\$2,760.47
Insurance	\$2,500
USPS	\$500
Site Visit Mileage	\$1,200
Equip. Maintenance	\$5,100
Equip. Purchase	\$30,255
Materials	\$2,000
Site expenses & leases	\$23,500
Postage/shipping	\$150
Legal fees	\$4,500
Advertising	\$225
Misc.	\$2,068
Total Expenditures	\$74,758.47

Expenditure of the monies is in accordance with the provisions authorized by State Law. At said hearing any interested person may appear and show cause, if any, why such FY 2024-2025 Budget should or should not be adopted.

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BOISE COUNTY

Smokey's 80th Birthday at the Library

By Sara Krantz
Garden Valley
Library Director

GARDEN VALLEY -- A good time was had by one and all at the library on Saturday in celebration of Smokey Bear's 80th birthday! Forest service personnel set up stations around the library, teaching valuable lessons on fire prevention skills and educating kids (and adults) on the ways fire reacts to wind and other environmental conditions and how to make sure your fire is dead out. Much to everyone's delight, Smokey made an appearance to greet everyone and take pictures, following which we all sang a very enthusiastic happy birthday!



Library Director Sara Krantz welcomed Smokey. Photos courtesy of S. Krantz



Smokey Bear celebrated his 80th birthday at the Garden Valley District Library.



OBITUARY



Jerrene Naillon
1972 - 2024

My beautiful Jerrene Lewis Naillon, 51 returned to her Father in Heaven on August 7, 2024 from a Glioblastoma brain tumor. She passed away peacefully surrounded by her family.

Born and raised in Middleton, Idaho by her loving parents Fred and Paula Lewis, she being the 4th of 6 children. Jerrene married her loving husband Bryce Naillon on November 6th, 1991, and was sealed in the Boise, ID Temple.

She is survived by her Husband Bryce Naillon, her children: Jeremy (Camille), Brock (Destiny), Sterling, and Harrison. Her Mother- Paula Lee (John), as well as by her siblings: Steve Lewis (Heidi), Loree Lewis, Paul Lewis (De-

siree), Jahaza Murdock (Marc), and Eileen Mickelsen (Robert). Also by her sister-in-laws, Grace Lee (Shane) and Tami Provolt (Ben), and by many loved nieces and nephews. Jerrene was preceded in death by her father: Fred Lewis and by her Mother and Father in law: Beth and AJ Naillon.

Jerrene is a faithful member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints and held many callings in the church that she loved. Her favorite was when she was a worker in the Meridian Idaho Temple.

Jerrene is a peacemaker, dedicated wife, mother and a friend to all. She helped many people over the years, sharing her special talent and spiritual gifts to find peace within themselves. One of Jerrene's missions in life was to teach others to forgive and to love others as Christ did. Jerrene is a 6-year breast cancer survivor turned advocate for other women who fought that disease. It was a difficult time for Jerrene, and she suffered much but she used that experience to recognize others' sufferings and did what she could to listen to and comfort them.

Jerrene was active in her community of Caldwell and Idaho City. This service included being PTO President,

a Mom Mentor to children in the schools, popcorn and cotton candy Mom of Lincoln Elementary, and also a supervisor of the Caldwell Fine Arts children's plays. In 2020, Jerrene and Bryce moved to Idaho City, where she continued her service in various organizations such as the Boise Basin Food Bank, Idaho City Community Club, and Thorn Creek Volunteer Fire Department.

Some of her favorite activities were going to Newport, Oregon, Starlight Mountain Theater in Garden Valley and Family Reunions in Donnelly Idaho, and just spending time with family and friends. She loved to visit with everyone. "A stranger is just a friend I haven't met yet" she would often say.

Jerrene's viewing and funeral services:

Viewing on Friday, August 16th from 6:00-8:30 pm
8209 Fairview Ave. Boise, ID 83704 (Boise Funeral Home)

Funeral Saturday, August 17, 2024

Service at 11:00 am, Viewing from 9:30-10:30

Kimball LDS Chapel at 3515 S. Kimball Ave. Caldwell, ID 83605.

Burial will follow at Middleton Cemetery.

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