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Beyond Cell Service: How Garden Valley's Radio Enthusiasts Are Building Resilience

By Dawna Booth

GARDEN VALLEY – Twenty-seven years ago, in January 1997, Garden Valley faced a nightmare. Heavy rain-fall on top of a thick snowpack led to widespread flooding and devastating mudslides, cutting off the community and destroying the town of Lower Banks. During that crisis, when regular communication lines failed, unsung heroes emerged: local amateur radio operators. They stepped up, helping with disaster relief, connecting the community to the state emergency center, and guiding rescue efforts. It begs the question: Could such an event happen again?

The answer, from a dedicated group of Garden Valley residents, is a resounding "yes," and they're ready for it. These local radio enthusiasts are building a vital network to ensure the community stays connected, no matter what.

Two main groups are leading the charge. One group of "Ham" radio operators meets every Wednesday at 8:00 PM over the airwaves with BCARES (Boise County Amateur Radio Emergency Services). Ham radio, short for amateur radio, is known for its ability to communicate over huge distances, even across countries. It's a global network of operators who often form crucial emergency communication teams, offering vital support when other systems go down.

Alan Hart, a low voltage

contractor and an experienced Ham operator for over 20 years, with an extra class license, explains its attraction: "Ham radio is appealing for a multitude of reasons. You can make new friends locally or globally. It can and has saved lives and is independent of infrastructure using low power equipment." This independence from regular power and internet lines makes it a lifeline when traditional services fail.

Another group champions the GV GMRS Radio Emergency Preparedness and Communications Net RETC, which meets every Wednesday at 9:00 PM on Channel 19. GMRS (General Mobile Radio Service) is a handy tool for neighbors to stay in touch during local emergencies like power outages or bad weather, especially if cell service drops. It's also great for organizing local events, making sure everyone can talk clearly and operations run smoothly. GMRS is commonly used by families and groups for local contact, offering a dependable way to keep in touch.

Lance Price, a Systems Analyst and owner of Clearline Systems, has been a radio fan for a long time. He shares, "I'm a long-time radio enthusiast and have always believed that radio communication is a valuable resource for emergency preparedness. I decided to get my Amateur HAM radio license about 15 years ago, following up with my GMRS license shortly afterward.

While not as advanced or capable as HAM radio, GMRS is more accessible to most people who aren't interested in learning about all the underlying electronics theory or taking a series of classes and exams. As a result, even beginners can get up and running fairly quickly." Like Ray Booth, who recently initiated this dedicated group, Lance adds: "GMRS sits uniquely balanced, midway between power/complexity and accessibility/simplicity, making it an attractive emergency preparedness option for small to mid-sized communities."

Bruce Hall, who hosts the weekly GMRS net, is eager for more people to tune into the channels, especially with the help of his repeater that boosts signal range. Randy Alley, another local, quickly switched to GMRS for his backcountry work because it offers a wider range than traditional CB radios. He suggests buying a preprogrammed unit to make it easy to start. You can find more information and friendly advice on his Facebook Page, GVIDahoGMRS.

Want to learn more or get help with your radio? You can meet this group of enthusiasts on August 2nd from 10:00 AM to 12:00 AM at the Garden Valley Library. They are hosting an open event called "Getting to Know Your Radio," a per-



Radio Enthusiasts. (L-R) Randy Alley, Lance Price, Bruce Hall, Ray Booth, and Alan Hart. Not pictured: Dawna Booth Photo by Dawna Booth

fect chance to understand how these local communication tools can keep our community safe and connected and make new friends at the same time.

GV's Summer Sheep Drive Charms Locals



GARDEN VALLEY — In a beloved seasonal tradition, the second sheep herd of the summer made its way through Garden Valley, into Crouch, and up Middlefork Road toward higher grazing grounds. Owned by John Peterson of Emmett, this larger flock—estimated at 400 to 500 sheep—was a striking sight in the early morning light, winding down Banks Lowman Road, turning onto Old Crouch Road, and passing through town in a peaceful procession.

This time, a bell goat led the

way, accompanied by herding dogs, a guardian dog, and horses, all traveling on foot with the flock. Compared to the first herd in June, which featured a bell sheep, this drive was notably larger and just as delightful.

Locals eagerly awaited the spectacle, with one familiar GV land overseer helping with traffic control from his red pickup truck, joined by his adorable copilot collie. As always, he graciously allowed this photographer to capture the mo-

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Crossing the bridge into Crouch. Photos by Linda Ruppel, DDS

HAPPENINGS IN BOISE COUNTY

GARDEN VALLEY - School Reunion for all "kids" that attended grade or high school in Garden Valley. Main event is on Saturday, Aug. 2, in the school multipurpose room, potluck from 12 to 2pm. Contribute to the silent auction and help raise money for scholarships. Take a tour after the luncheon to the old school and old-old school. Contact Kathy Kulm for more information at 208-739-8601.

GARDEN VALLEY - Garden Valley Radio Enthusiasts are meeting at the Library on Aug 2 from 10-12 pm. Come join and learn more from the Emergency Preparedness Committee in Garden Valley.

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BOISE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Transcribed by Eileen Capson

July 15, 2025
Present: Commissioners Clay Tucker, Bob Callahan (via phone) and Lindy Lindstrom.
Pledge of Allegiance
CONSTITUENT INPUT: None

MINUTES: Commissioner Lindstrom motioned to approve the minutes from July 7th, 2025, and the motion carried. The motion to approve the July 8th meeting minutes was also approved.

LAPTOPS: The commissioners discussed the cost with the prosecutor. There were thirteen laptops, in consideration for purchase, including those for Solid Waste, Weed Department, Community Justice, and Road Department. "And that should be it. That should be every PC, laptop, everybody should have new equipment across the entire county," the county's IT person said. Dell offered a good price at 40% off for some of the equipment. The IT representative added that the computers had been budgeted for in this fiscal year.

Lindstrom motioned to approve this quote to Dell Technologies for computers and equipment in the amount of \$31,825.65. The motion carried.

WILDERNESS RANCH BID OPENING FOR FIRE MITIGATION: Bids for project one and project two were discussed with the Emergency Manager and the Prosecutor. The projects would be covered by grant and other dedicated funds. A motion was said to award Wilderness Ranch project one, which will require mostly hand crews, to a company in the amount of \$4,500 an acre, for 22.2 acres, for \$99,900. The motion carried. Lindstrom then motioned to approve Wilderness Ranch project two to a separate company for 31.5 acres for \$4,800 an acre, which comes to \$151,200. All were in favor and the motion carried.

TRANSFER STATION POLE REPAIR: Commissioner Lindstrom said that this was just maintenance and motioned to pay a company to repair a damaged pole and im-

prove bracing for the pole [on a building] in the amount of \$6,479 and then stabilize the existing structure in the amount of \$1,360. The total would be \$7,839, all were in favor, and the motion carried.

ROAD DEPARTMENT: A request was made for a "service truck." The road superintendent explained that it was a 2011 Ford F-550 with 72,000 miles on it. He said just the toolbox on it was worth \$25,000, but it also has a crane and winch, "and it will last us for many years to come." There was said to be money in the budget for the purchase. Commissioner Lindstrom motioned to approve the purchase of a service truck in the amount of \$37,000. The motion carried.

COMPUTER ARTS: Commissioner Lindstrom motioned to approve the Computer Arts 2026 agreement and license fees in the amount of \$77,146, annual software support in the amount of \$19,586, and annual software maintenance fees in the amount of \$3,981. The motion carried.

DRAFT ORDINANCES: Prosecutor Alex Sosa addressed six ordinances and plans to notify the *Idaho World* to provide a legal notice for an upcoming public hearing in August. One of the ordinances would address minors that are runaways, "out-of-control minors who don't really mind their parents." He said that "It's not always the kid's fault... The Sheriff's office does a great job with juveniles. If they see a kid that's driving out, a 16-year-old, at two in the morning, I mean, I've heard tons of stories... [where a deputy will stop them] and say, 'Hey, call your parents right now and let's make sure you can be out this late.'" Commissioner Callahan was concerned about bringing the juveniles into the system and Prosecutor Sosa spoke about the Juveniles Corrections Act. Commissioner Tucker asked about prosecuting parents, and Sosa said, "There can be that. I actually think that's harder to prove."

The next ordinance would be addressing the snowmobile ordinance, penalizing those that damage snowmobile trails by driving on them.

Another ordinance would cover road closures that are disregarded by motorists, leading to them getting stuck or stranded, then search and rescue must save them. Or in forest fire closures, or around closed dates.

The last ordinance would be to "clean up the burn ordinance," the prosecutor said. He said the notice for these ordinances would appear in the *Idaho World*. [Nothing has been received as of 7/21/25.]

EXECUTIVE SESSION: There are three different issues that the road department wanted to address, and one included chip sealing. Commissioner Lindstrom motioned to go into executive session to discuss risk management and pending litigation. [Time 10:27 to 11:06 am] Coming back into session there was no action required.

PUBLIC HEARING: Solid waste fee increases were discussed, which would affect the residents of Boise County. The representative explained, "It is a fee, not a tax, but it comes in your tax bill, in the mail. We are proposing a 10% fee increase. And the reason why

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Second Summer Sheep Drive

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ment, turning the event into a cherished photo-op and a joyful game of leapfrog along the route.

This timeless tradition continues to connect the community to its agricultural roots, offering a glimpse into the rhythm of ranch life and the beauty of Idaho's mountain summer.



Up the Middlefork to high country Photos by Linda Ruppel, DDS

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BOISE COUNTY

Garden Valley's First Postmaster: Julia Catherine Buckley Mills and the Birth of Local Mail Service

By Titan Walker

GARDEN VALLEY -- Long before paved highways and next-day delivery, what became Garden Valley relied on one family's grit and hospitality to keep news, election results, and letters flowing over the mountains. At the heart of that effort stood Julia Catherine Buckley Mills, who became Garden Valley's first officially appointed postmaster on February 11, 1875.

The 1860s drew homesteaders to the Payette's forks after Grimes' party discovered gold in 1862—just a year before Congress carved the Idaho Territory out of the Dakota and Washington Territories. As the nation reeled from civil war and reconstruction, the settlers here craved the same things their counterparts back east did: reliable news, a voice in elections, and the steady rhythm of mail that tethered them to distant relatives and markets.

Julia and her husband, James Campbell Mills, met in the mining camps and married on January 20, 1870, at Granite Creek, east of Idaho City. Four years later, they rode into what was then known as the Upper Payette Valley on horseback, purchasing a riverside ranch at the South Fork of the Payette. Their home, located near where the current Old Crouch and

Banks-Lowman roads meet, became Garden Valley's first post office—and a lively stopping place teeming with activity.

James had already been making the weekly trek to Placer-ville to fetch mail, often without pay, using a ferry to cross the South Fork of the Payette near Alder Creek. The winter snows were unforgiving; national records show the post office was discontinued several times only to be re-established once the trails thawed.

Previously known as the Upper Payette Valley through the 1870 census, with the establishment of the Post Office came a new name for the community. The Millses, along with other influential community members at the time, proposed the name Garden Valley. From that moment, Garden Valley was no longer merely a description of fertile meadows; it was a place with an address.

The Millses raised eight children in their bustling homestead. Two, Willie and Anastasia, rode into the valley with their parents in 1874. One son died in infancy; daughter Mary lost her sight at age seven. None of it slowed the family's community service: James continued his mountain mail runs, while Julia welcomed neighbors who arrived to col-

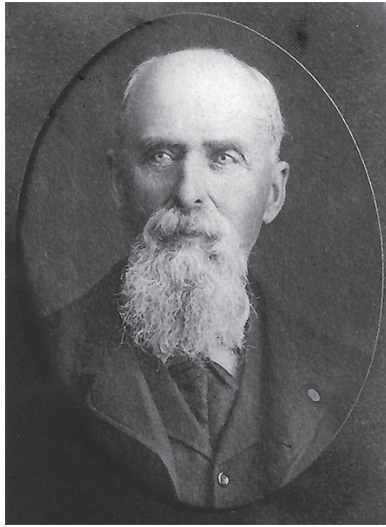
lect parcels or exchange news.

Julia's tenure stretched until May 3, 1901, when Francis Castle assumed the post. Yet the Mills postal legacy endured. Daughter Anastasia Mills McCubbin served as postmaster from 1931–1942, guiding Garden Valley through the Great Depression and the early war years.

James died at the ranch in 1919; Julia passed away in 1937 after a tragic automobile accident in Twin Falls. Their descendants carried the public-service torch: grandson W. L. "Leary" Mills became Speaker of the Idaho House of Representatives, while another grandson, Robert B. Cobb, helped lead the Allies' historic Rhine crossing in World War II.

The legacy of Julia Catherine Buckley Mills lives on through more than 150 years of postal service to a community that still relies on the efforts of dedicated postal staff to this day.

Sources for this article included *All Along the River* by Nellie Ireton Mills, as well as assorted documents and oral histories compiled by the GV Historical Society, the GV/Crouch Museum, and Judy Meserth who served as Garden Valley Postmaster from 1981 until 2009.



James Mills



Julia Mills

Boise County Commissioners

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we are proposing something that large, not maybe 5% but 10%, is because at this point in time the solid waste department is starting to lose money and we need to keep it solid." She said that the department is "not extravagant" and they are working to maintain older equipment. They have a crew of retired employees that spend two to three days a week at these sites, and the department still does not have the funds to make ends meet. "We need to be able to have the funding to handle and export the waste that comes into our four transfer stations into a landfill, and it's all the logistics in costs in doing that." This fee increase would bring in approximately \$89,000 of additional revenue. She said the deficit last year was over \$100,000, so this fee wouldn't cover everything, but this would help them move in the right direction.

Paul Rekow, a former Solid Waste Supervisor for Boise County, stated that the operating costs had increased in ten years from \$600,000 to \$1.2 million. The fees had only increased 15% in the past five years.

Extraordinary fees were discussed, including those for tires, concrete, drywall, camper toppers, boats, large furniture, refrigerators, etc.

Commissioner Lindstrom

was concerned that the service was costing the county more money than what is being charged. Chairman Tucker surmised, "People need to pay for their trash; it's pretty simple." Lindstrom added, "You have to pay for it no matter where you live." A fee increase of 12.5% was also discussed. [The prosecutor did make mention of notification in the *Idaho World*, but it was inaudible due to poor audio recording equipment.]

Commissioner Lindstrom motioned to approve Boise County Resolution 2025-34 to increase the fees for Boise County Solid Waste permits to increase them 12.5%. Commissioner Callahan seconded the motion, all weighed in with an "aye," and the motion carried.

Chairman Tucker then moved onto the next resolution that would increase the costs of extraordinary items. Commissioner Lindstrom motioned to approve Resolution 2025-35, setting Boise County solid waste fees for extraordinary items at county transfer facilities. Again, Commissioner Callahan seconded the motion, and the motion carried.

Paul Rekow recommended that the assessor determine what should be charged to Avimor residents for solid waste, because their trash is currently being hauled into Ada County.

[The public hearing lasted approximately 1.5 hours.]

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GV Adult Softball League Wraps Regular Season with Big Plays and Bigger Anticipation

GARDEN VALLEY— The GV Adult Softball League closed out its regular season on Thursday, July 17, with a pair of spirited matchups that set the tone for next week’s playoffs.

In the 7:30 PM game, KDM (HSB black with pink lettering) delivered a commanding performance against Fair-N-Square (GV stars and stripes), cruising to a 14–2 victory over seven innings. With summer in full swing, it’s not uncommon to see substitute players from other teams filling in, leading to a colorful mix of uniforms on the field—but the competitive energy remains strong.

Earlier that evening, the 5:45 PM game saw Tante Emma (GV light grey) and Mtn. Getaway (green) battle in a tight back-and-forth contest. Tante Emma ultimately edged out a narrow 11–10 win, keeping fans on their toes until the final out.

Earlier in the week on Monday, July 14, Zip Joy (GV light grey) bested Fair and Square in a lively 19–12 game at 5:45 PM, while Payette River Landscaping (HSB blue) dominated Tante Emma in the 7:30 PM game, finishing with a decisive 25–14 scoreline.

Playoff Preview

The playoffs begin next week, with games scheduled for Monday through Wednesday, and the Championship game on Thursday. Due to chipseal construction on Highway 55, all games will start 30 minutes later than usual to ensure players have time to arrive safely.

With rivalries heating up and teams hungry for the title, the GV Adult Softball League is heading into its most exciting stretch yet. Let the playoff drama begin!



Photos by Linda Ruppel, DDS



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Help Save the Lowman School

By Terry Riemenapp

GARDEN VALLEY -- The Garden Valley School District is entertaining all options to welcome students back to the Lowman School on August 11, 2025. According to Ms. Shannon Hugi, Lowman's new teacher, for this to happen, WE NEED STUDENTS!!

Ms. Shannon has been a member of the Lowman community for 30+ years. She grew up spending summers in Lowman, then finally moved to Lowman full-time in 2020. She assisted Ms. Steph, former Lowman teacher, from 2020-2023 and, after two years at the Garden Valley school, she is very excited to be back at the Lowman School!

Lowman School has served K-6 students for generations. It's a one-room schoolhouse



Lowman Elementary School Photo by Terry Riemenapp

that our community deeply values and wants to preserve. But we need more students to keep it open. If you're new to the area, have pre-K and/or school-age children, or home-school, please reach out to learn how your child/children can become part of the Lowman School family. Email questions/enroll at gvsd.net or call 208.462.3756

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Idaho History 1800 to Present

By Skip Myers

BOISE COUNTY -- There are many small communities or towns in Idaho that have vanished and never been heard of again. Mesa is one of many that has slipped through the cracks and gone without many traces.

How many have heard of the little community of Mesa, Idaho? It had its own post office, a company store, and a two-room school. Mesa was an unincorporated community in Adams County, Idaho, United States. The faint remains of Mesa are located near U.S. Route 95, 7 miles (11 km) south of Council. In 1908, the area had a post office known as "Middle Fork." In 1912, the name was changed to "Mesa." (Although there is no longer a Mesa post office, it continues with its very own zip code - 83643). Also, in 1912, a school was built which included an assembly room for public gatherings. This town, much like other small communities in Idaho, has descended into history and is now barely known. Gone are the orchards and the residents. The buildings have fallen or burned. No more can you smell the fragrant fruit tree blossoms. Mother Nature took back the hillsides. An era has ended in Mesa.



Mesa Grade School



Mesa Post office

Veteran's Benefits for Idaho Veterans

By Earl McCreary

BOISE COUNTY -- Idaho, alongside the federal government, has benefits that are available for Veterans that live in the state. Boise County has hundreds of Veterans that live in our area. Most benefits require that you have been discharged with an Honorable Discharge. There are benefits for Veterans and additional benefits for Disabled Veterans. All benefits have different qualifications, and you must check to see if you are qualified. The one thing you will need for any benefit is your DD214. I recommend you get your DD214 if you do not have currently have one, with copies that family members will retain. The DD214 is your key to obtaining most benefits.

Benefits for all Veterans

Obtaining a VA Loan is an option available for all veterans. This loan will normally allow you to get a home with zero dollars down. It does require a Certificate of Eligibility; most lenders will obtain one for you. You may be able to purchase multiple family units via the VA Loan. You are required to live in one unit. With this program you may be able to put up to 75% of the projected rental income from the other units towards qualifying for the loan. The other benefit of a VA Loan is you will have the option to use the VA Interest Rate Reduction Refinance Loan (IRRRL). It will allow you to refinance your VA loan when the rates drop, at a reduced cost. In most cases you will not need an appraisal, credit check, income verification, or underwriting.

Other potential benefits are hir-

ing preference for federal and state jobs. You can get health care at the Veterans Medical Centers. Call the Boise Veterans Medical Center at 208-422-1000 if you are interested in this. As a Veteran, you can be buried at either a National or State Cemetery. For National Cemeteries, call 800-533-2227, and for Idaho State Cemeteries call 208-780-1303. Both will allow you to get preauthorized prior to death. This makes it easier for your family. Veteran's special plates are available, just stop by the Boise County DMV for more information.

National Park services offer passes for the military, Veterans, and Gold Star Families. This pass will get you into any national parks, national wildlife refuges, national forests, and other federal recreational lands. Active military can get annual passes and Veterans and Gold Star families can get a Lifetime Pass. Active military need their Common Access Card (CAC) or the dependent's Next Generation Dependent ID. Veterans will need one of these: DOD ID Card, Veteran Health Card, Veteran ID Card or a Veteran designation on a State-issued US driver's license or ID Card. Idaho Veterans with a 100% permanent and total service connected disability can obtain a lifetime pass to Idaho State Parks.

Disabled Veterans have a few extra benefits available to them. These additional two benefits require the Veteran to have a rating of 100% permanent and total service-connected disability. There is a Property Tax reduction. This form can be obtained online or at

the Boise County Assessor's Office. This form will help reduce your property tax. As a Disabled Veteran, you can also get reductions in fees from Idaho Fish and Game. An example of this is your fishing and hunting combination license, which will cost only \$5 a year. DAV tags are reduced. To get the fees for Fish and Game, you are only required to be rated at 40% or greater service-connected disability. You will have to provide a copy of the Official VA Disability Percentage Rating Letter.

There are benefits for surviving spouses of a veteran who had a service-connected disability or presumptive service-connected cause of death. There are specific requirements that must be met to qualify for this or the Survivor Pension. The Veteran Services office can help with qualifications. I highly recommend you call now and find out if your spouse is qualified. This could lead to a benefit of up to \$1,653 a month or more. It is better to get these services figured out prior to a death, so you can avoid unnecessary stresses in the future.

There are more benefits available for Veterans. I only covered the most popular benefits. The Idaho Division of Veterans Services is your best source to learn about any of these benefits and the others that may be available. Their number is 208-780-1303 or visit their website at veterans.idaho.gov. There is more information on their website. If there is anything I can help with, just reach out to me. I am on all the Boise County Social Media sites and willing to help you get information.

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the **City Council of Crouch, Idaho**, will hold a public hearing on August 13th, 2025, at 6:00 p.m. in the Crouch City Hall, 342 Village Circle, for consideration of the proposed budget for the fiscal period October 1, 2025, to September 30, 2026, pursuant to the provisions of Section 50-1002, Idaho Code. 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 budget in detail are available at City Hall during regular open office hours (10:00am to 2:00pm Tuesday-Thursday). Anyone desire accommodations for disabilities, please call City Hall at 208-462-4687 at least 48 hours prior to the hearing.

Section 1: Adopts the budget as set forth in the table below.

REVENUES	FY2025 Budgeted Revenues	FY2026 Budgeted Revenues
General Fund	\$403,249.00	\$525,034.00
Street Fund	\$31,615.00	\$50,050.00
Hall Fund	\$6,500.00	\$6,500.00
Museum Fund	\$10,247.29	\$9,606.00
City Water Fund	\$66,595.00	\$20,060.00
TOTAL REVENUES	\$518,206.29	\$611,250.00

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Steven Raddigan, Crouch City Treasurer
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Steven Raddigan, Crouch City Treasurer
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Solution: 1. Dog's paw is hidden. 2. Pattern on chair is missing. 3. Ear on rabbit slipper is missing. 4. Mom's hand is hidden. 5. Tail on rabbit slipper is colored in. 6. Center of bow on gift is colored in. 7. Label on footstool is colored in. 8. Flower in vase has moved. 9. Spot on dog's belly has moved. 10. Girl's belt is longer. 11. Heart on card is upside down. 12. Teddy bear's arm is longer.

Solution:

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Magistrates Commission of the Fourth Judicial District is reviewing applications for a position of Magistrate Judge of the Fourth Judicial District, Boise County. The following individuals have submitted applications for this position: Applicant, Current Employment, Residence

KEIM, MICHAEL "SCOTT" Deputy Attorney General Meridian, ID

LOOS, GREGORY STEWART Attorney 2, IDOPL Boise, ID

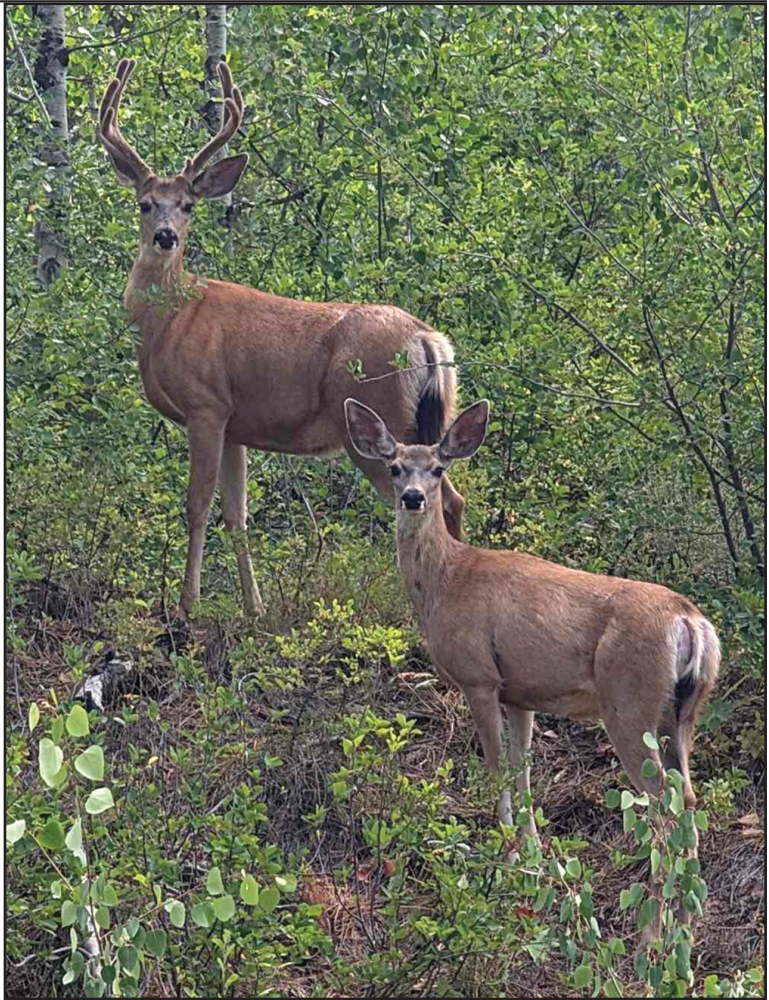
MCRAE, TRENTON ALAN Canyon County Deputy Prosecutor Home-dale, ID

SOSA, ALEXANDER FRANCIS Boise City Prosecuting Attorney Boise, ID

The public is encouraged to comment upon the qualifications of these applicants. Questionnaires can be obtained at any office of the Clerk of the District Court in Ada, Boise, Elmore or Valley Counties, by email request to: tcahelp@ada.idcourts.gov or at the following website: <http://fourthjudicialcourt.idaho.gov>. Public comment must be submitted no later than **August 7, 2025**.

Sandra Barrios
Trial Court Administrator
Ada County Courthouse
200 W. Front Street
Boise, ID 83702
(208) 287-7500

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Mule deer along Alder Creek Road on Monday morning.
Photo by Tim Benedict

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the patrons of Garden Valley Recreation District that the Board of Directors of said District will hold a public hearing for consideration of the Proposed FY 2026 Budget to appropriate monies received by the Garden Valley Recreation District, tentatively approved by the Garden Valley Recreation District Board of Directors on July 16, 2025. A public hearing will be held at 6:00 PM on August 20, 2025, at the Garden Valley Senior Center, 261 S. Middlefork Rd., Garden Valley, ID.

Revenue	Budgeted FY 2025	Proposed FY 2026	Expenditures	Budgeted FY 2025	Proposed FY 2026
Property Tax	\$ 45,000	\$ 47,000	General Supplies / Materials	\$ 1,665	\$ 2,500
Rental Revenue	\$ 2,000	\$ 2,000	Professional Services	\$ 3,000	\$ 3,000
Local Grant Revenue	\$ 0	\$ 0	Advertising	\$ 2,000	\$ 2,000
Private Contributions	\$ 0	\$ 0	Rent and Building Lease	\$ 0	\$ 500
Other Operating Revenues	\$ 0	\$ 0	Insurance	\$ 3,000	\$ 4,000
Investment Revenues	\$ 1,100	\$ 1,000	Repairs and Maintenance	\$ 50,000	\$ 79,500
Other Nonoperating Revenues	\$ 38,057	\$ 58,000	Dues and Fees	\$ 1,000	\$ 1,500
Total Revenue	\$ 86,157	\$ 108,000	Utilities	\$ 2,750	\$ 3,000
			Travel	\$ 1,000	\$ 1,000
			Other Operating Expenditures	\$ 4,742	\$ 1,000
			Non-Operating Capital Outlay	\$ 17,000	\$ 10,000
			Total Expenditures	\$ 86,157	\$ 108,000

Some Revenue and Expenditure categories were renamed and/or added to the FY 2026 Proposed Budget to be compatible with the Idaho State Controller’s Office reporting template categories. Cash Carryover is now listed as Other Nonoperating Revenues.

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 2026 Budget should or should not be adopted.

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~ Answer key on page 6

Chim Chum & the Portly Samurai by Adrian Ropp

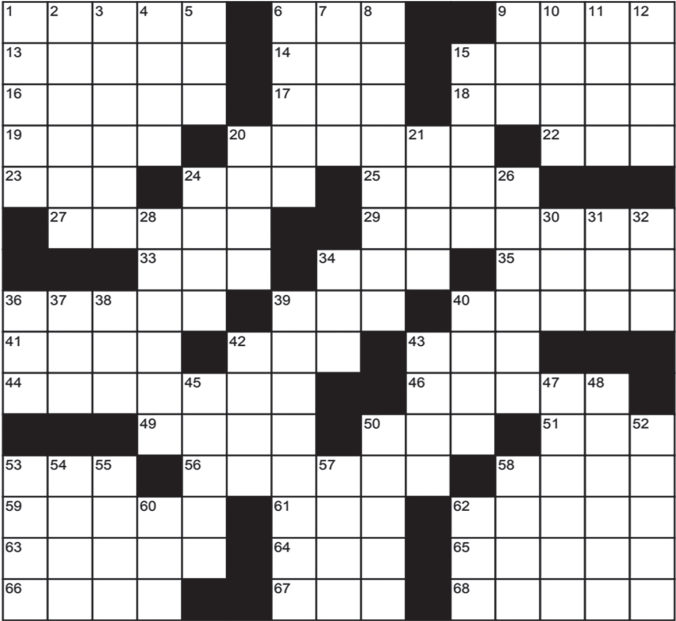


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ACROSS

- 1 Tiny amounts
- 6 Draw
- 9 Merry
- 13 Row
- 14 Possessive pronoun
- 15 Synthetic fiber
- 16 Vigorous
- 17 Wager
- 18 Visualization
- 19 Ditto
- 20 Watching the clock
- 22 Affray
- 23 Bad (prefix)
- 24 Central Intelligence Agency
- 25 Be introduced
- 27 Variety show
- 29 Supplied oxygen
- 33 Stray
- 34 Type of partnership
- 35 Uh-uh
- 36 Inhabited
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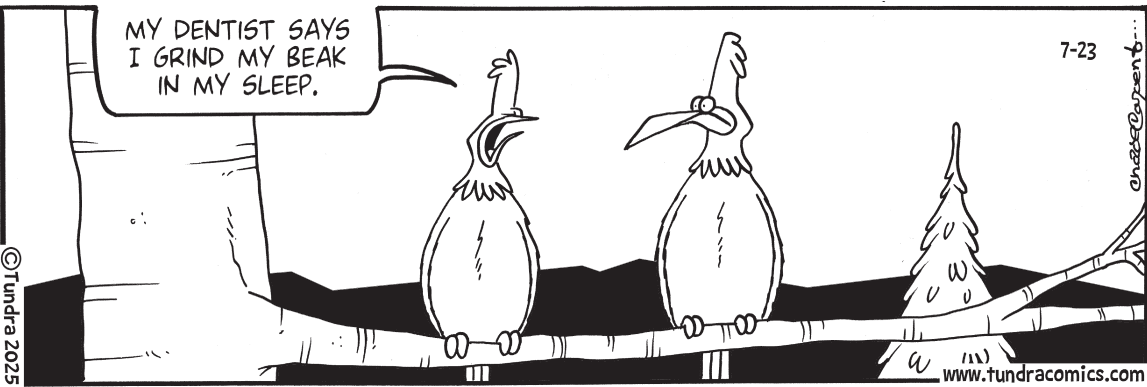
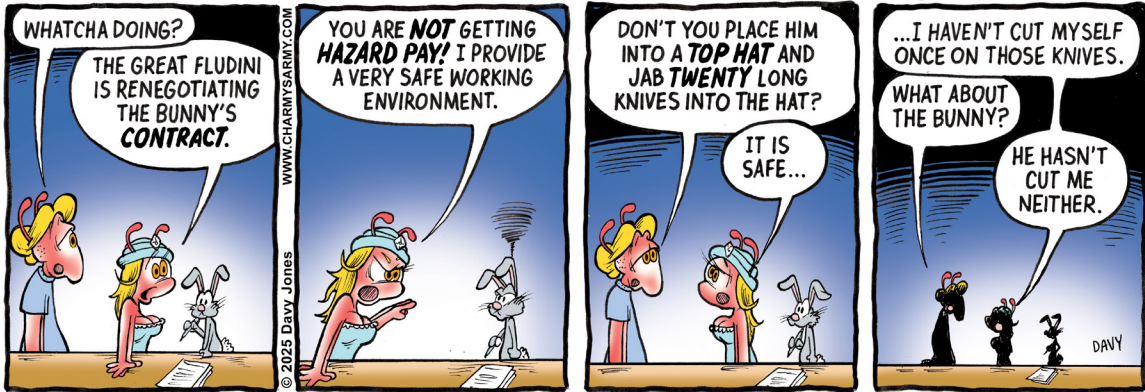
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- 1 Large religion
- 2 Optical
- 3 Mess up hair
- 4 Singing voice
- 5 Cagy
- 6 Leg bone
- 7 Detail
- 8 Guess
- 9 Workout place
- 10 Like a wing
- 11 Company symbol
- 12 Afresh
- 15 African country
- 20 Rating
- 21 Want
- 24 Brief
- 26 Bicycle-built-for-two
- 28 Hook and loop fastener
- 30 Turkey
- 31 Environmental protection agency (abbr)
- 32 Fox hole
- 34 Caustic substance
- 36 Lose moisture
- 37 Misery
- 38 Estimated time of arrival
- 39 Mattress supporter
- 40 6th month (Jewish calendar)
- 42 Plant life
- 43 Skip
- 45 Mythological water nymph
- 47 Maritime
- 48 Succumbs
- 50 Range
- 52 Sleeps
- 53 Grating sound
- 54 Small particle
- 55 Siblings
- 57 Agency (abbr.)
- 58 Unbiased
- 60 Also
- 62 Deli order

~ Answer key on page 6

CHARMY'S ARMY

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LEGAL NOTICES



BOISE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS CONDENSED MINUTES
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2nd, 2025 IDAHO CITY COMMISSIONER ROOM
Chairman Tucker called the meeting to order. Present: Chairman Tucker, Commissioner Lindstrom, Commissioner Callahan, Deputy Clerk Mayo, Amy Luft Communication Coordinator, Craig Raborn Executive Director, Toni Tinsdale Principal Planner, Matt Carlson Grant writer, Mary Ann Waldinger, Road & Bridge Superintendent Braughton and Road & Bridge Assistant Superintendent Mckee.

Chairman Tucker called the meeting to order. Representatives from COMPASS discussed with the Board as to what the plans were for Boise County Roads. They would need more information on what the priorities are, payroll and equipment. The BOCC gave a tour of Boise County. Chairman Tucker adjourned until meeting of April 8, 2025

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BOISE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS CONDENSED MINUTES
THURSDAY, APRIL 3rd, 2025 ARROW ROCK DAM
Chairman Tucker called the meeting to order. Present: Chairman Tucker, Commissioner Lindstrom, Commissioner Callahan, Prosecuting Attorney Sosa, Road & Bridge Superintendent Braughton, Road & Bridge Assistant Superintendent McKee, Atlanta Highway District Commissioners; Gary Cram, Jerry Hardy, John Howard and Idaho Transportation Department (ITD) Representatives; David Kusti, Jason Brinkman, David Dansereau and Eric Copeland.,

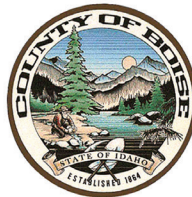
Chairman Tucker went into Executive Session under pending Litigation. No action required. Chairman Tucker adjourned the meeting until April 8, 2025.

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BOISE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS CONDENSED MINUTES
TUESDAY, APRIL 8th, 2025-Miners Exchange Building, Idaho City, Idaho, 83631
Commissioner Lindstrom called the meeting to order and the pledge of allegiance was recited. Present: Commissioner Lindstrom, Commissioner Callahan, Clerk Dresslar, Deputy Clerk Dresslar, Sheriff Turner, Prosecuting Attorney Sosa, Wildfire Mitigation Administrator Jones, Road & Bridge Office Manager Coffelt, Assessor Juszczak, Planning & Zoning Administrator Gross, and It Administrator McCracken. Absent Chairman Tucker. Minutes for April 1st, 2025 and Special Meeting Minutes for April 2nd, 2025 were approved. A purchase for a generator for the Court House was approved. A discussion to lease a loader for Road & Bridge Department was discussed. Two agreements were approved. The Bills were paid. Two (2) demand warrants were approved. Commissioner Lindstrom MOTIONED to amend the agenda to include the liability release for donated equipment for EBCAD. Adjourned. Approval, Commissioner Lindstrom. Attest, Clerk Prisco, Clerk to the Board.

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BOISE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS CONDENSED MINUTES
TUESDAY, APRIL 15th, 2025-Miners Exchange Building, Idaho City, Idaho, 83631
Chairman Tucker called the meeting to order and the pledge of allegiance was recited. Present: Chairman Tucker, Commissioner Callahan, Commissioner Lindstrom, Deputy Clerk Dresslar, Sheriff Turner, Road & Bridge Superintendent Braughton, Wildfire Mitigation Administrator Jones and Solid waste/Noxious Weeds Assistant Superintendent Allred were

present. A representative from Caterpillar spoke to the Board. Polling Place location was approved. A facility agreement was tabled. Two (2) job descriptions were approved. A purchase was approved. A payroll addition and change was approved. A representative from Southwest Idaho All Lands Partnership and Forest Foundation gave a presentation. Chairman Tucker tabled discussion of contract with Christesen fuel for a later time when have all the information. Two (2) Agreements were approved. Four (4) demand warrants were approved. Two (2) demand warrants for EBCAD were approved. Adjourned. Approval, Chairman Tucker. Attest, Deputy Clerk to the Board.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
CITY OF IDAHO CITY
The City of Idaho City Planning and Zoning Commission will hold a public hearing on August 11, 2025, beginning at 6:00 p.m. at City Hall, 511 Main Street, Idaho City, ID 83631. The purpose of this Public Hearing is to hear testimony on a proposed change to the Zoning Ordinance to require a conditional use permit for any proposed formula business and place criteria for a formula business to ensure that it fits within the unique and historic character of the City and is not detrimental to public health, safety, and welfare. The proposed ordinance defines a “formula business use” and sets the criteria for a conditional use permit for a formula business. The criteria would require that the proposed business (1) would not be detrimental to the health, safety, peace, comfort, and general welfare to the neighborhood, the City, or its citizens, (2) compliment existing businesses and promote diversity and variety of commercial uses, and (3) the design and improvement is consistent with the unique and historic character of Idaho City. The full draft of the proposed ordinance is available at City Hall or on the City’s website. Written comments may be submitted for consideration by no later than 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, August 7, 2025. Members of the public may also provide testimony at the Public Hearing concerning any of the matters. Any person needing special accommodation to participate in the above-noticed meeting must contact the office of the City Clerk at 208-392-4584 no later than 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, August 7, 2025.

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NOTICE OF HEARING ON NAME CHANGE
(Adult or Emancipated Minor)
Case No. CV08-25-00143

IN THE DISTRICT COURT FOR THE 4TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT FOR THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF BOISE
IN RE: Michael Ryan Egner
Legal Name

A Petition to change the name of Michael Ryan Egner, now residing in the City of Horseshoe Bend, State of Idaho, has been filed in the District Court in Boise County, Idaho. The name will change to Michael Ryan Ryter. The reason

for the change in name is: to have a matching last name as my wife.
A hearing on the petition is scheduled for 9:30 o'clock a.m. on September 3, 2025 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: 7/11/2025
CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT
By: Tanya Lamark
Deputy Clerk
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NOTICE OF HEARING ON NAME CHANGE
(Adult or Emancipated Minor)
Case No. CV08-25-00144

IN THE DISTRICT COURT FOR THE 4TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT FOR THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF BOISE
IN RE: Jazzmin Noel Tuckness
Legal Name

A Petition to change the name of Jazzmin Noel Tuckness, now residing in the City of Horseshoe Bend, State of Idaho, has been filed in the District Court in Boise County, Idaho. The name will change to Jazzmin Noel Ryter. The reason for the change in name is: to have the same last name as my husband.
A hearing on the petition is scheduled for 9:45 o'clock a.m. on September 3, 2025 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: 7/11/2025
CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT
By: Tanya Lamark
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The following application has been filed to appropriate the public waters of the State of Idaho:
63-35712
PEGGY LARA
9 GARDEN SPRINGS DR
CENTERVILLE, ID 83631-4150
Point of Diversion NWNW S32 T07N R05E BOISE County
Source GROUND WATER
Use: DOMESTIC
01/01 to 12/31; 0.04 CFS
Total Diversion: 0.04 CFS
Date Filed: 06-13-2025
Place Of Use: DOMESTIC
T07N R05E S32 NWNW
Water bearing zone to be appropriated is from 10 to 225 feet.

Permits will be subject to all prior water rights. For additional information concerning the property location, contact the Western Region office at (208)334-2190; or for a full description of the right, please see <https://idwr.idaho.gov/apps/ExtSearch/WRApplicationResults/>. Protests may be submitted based on the criteria of Idaho Code § 42-203A. Any protest against the approval

of this application must be filed with the Director, Dept. of Water Resources, Western Region, 2735 W AIRPORT WAY, BOISE ID 83705-5082 together with a protest fee of \$25.00 for each application on or before 8/11/2025. The protestant must also send a copy of the protest to the applicant. MATHEW WEAVER, Director

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NOTICE OF HEARING ON NAME CHANGE
(Minor)
Case No. CV08-25-00142

IN THE DISTRICT COURT FOR THE FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT FOR THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF BOISE
IN RE: Joey Reneé Webster
Legal name of child

A Petition to change the name of Joey Reneé Webster, now residing in the City of Horseshoe Bend, State of Idaho, has been filed in the District Court in Boise County, Idaho. The name will change to Joey Reneé Alley. The reason for the change in name is: so she has the same last name as her sibling and parents.
A hearing on the petition is scheduled for 9:00 o'clock a.m. on September 3, 2025 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: 7/10/2025
CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT
By: Tanya Lamark
Deputy Clerk
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
The City Council of the City of Crouch will hold a Public Hearing at City Hall, 342 Village Circle, Garden Valley, Id, on August 13, 2025 at 6:30 PM, regarding an application from Pine Grove Subdivision Phase 2, to split lot 1, Parcel RPC02570000010 into two new Lots to be numbered 16 and 17, and to amend the City's zoning map to reflect Rezoning those lots from R1 to Community Commercial.
The file relating to this permit application is available for review at Crouch City Hall. All persons desiring to be heard concerning the application should be in attendance for the hearing. Written comments may be submitted prior to the Council Meeting but to be considered, must be received by the City Clerk no later than August 8th, 2025. If you have any questions, please contact the City Clerk, at 208-462-4687 Tuesday-Thursday from 10:00 AM-2:00 PM. Disability accommodations are available by contacting the City Clerk at the above number.

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HELP WANTED:
The City of Placerville, in the upcoming elections, is looking to fill three positions-Mayor, and two council seats. If you are qualified, feel free to complete the necessary paperwork to be included in the next elections. Candidate window opens August 18th, 2025 and closes at 5

PM August 29, 2025. Candidate forms can be found at city hall or by contacting the city clerk at placervilleclerk110@gmail.com.

BOISE COUNTY DEPUTY COURT CLERK
The Boise County Court has an immediate opening for a full-time Deputy Court Clerk. The primary responsibilities of this position is administering the juror database/pool and other court clerk duties within the Boise County court operations.

Education: High school degree (or GED) required, additional education beneficial.
Qualifications: Must be a U.S. citizen and resident of Boise County. Intermediate knowledge of Microsoft Outlook, Word and Excel software needed.
Experience: Prior experience within the court system or legal field is beneficial.

Compensation: \$19.05 per hour, excellent benefits including employer covered medical/dental/vision insurance and retirement benefits (employer contribution rate of 12% of gross wages).

Interested candidates are requested to submit both an employment application and a resume.
Applications can be printed from the Boise County website www.boisecounty.us or picked up from the Clerk's Office at 420 Main Street, Idaho City, ID 83631. You may also submit completed applications and resumes by email to mprisco@co.boise.id.us.

Boise County is an Equal Opportunity Employer and gives Veteran's Preference in its hiring practices.

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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.

Boise County Road & Bridge Department is accepting applications for full time Equipment Operators for the Garden Valley, Horseshoe Bend, & Idaho City areas. Benefits include health insurance, paid vacation, paid sick

time, paid holidays and PERSI retirement. See job description, below. Pre-employment Drug testing, background check & Class A CDL with tanker endorsement is required. Boise County is an Equal Opportunity Employer and gives Veteran's Preference in hiring practices. To apply, submit to kcoffelt@co.boise.id.us the following: (1) a filled-out Boise County application form; (2) a cover letter; and (3) a resume.

Boise County Property Appraiser Position opening This is a full time position (40 hours/week) will perform a wide range of duties. Primary duties include performing on site property inspections and data entry. To apply, submit to cjszczak@co.boise.id.us the following: (1) a filled-out Boise County application form; (2) a cover letter; and (3) a resume.

Horseshoe Bend School Job Opening for Substitute Teachers. If interested, please contact Superintendent Chesnut at chesnutd@hsbschools.org

COMMUNITY SERVICES:
Garden Valley Food Bank/ Pantry: Distribution will be the 1st and 3rd Thursday of every month at the GV Senior Center from 9:30-11:30am.

Garden Valley Food Pantry distributes food the 2nd and 4th Friday of every month at the Calvary Chapel from 3:30 to 5:00 pm.
(The GV Senior Center hold their's on different dates.) **URGENT need for volunteers to pick up food for our community from the Idaho Food Bank in Boise.** Contact the

Senior Center for details.

Alcoholics Anonymous - Meet in Idaho City at 7pm on Fridays at the Library, 123 Montgomery St. (Meet at the back of the building.)

Alcoholics Anonymous - Meet at the Crouch Community Church on Mondays & Thursdays at 5:30pm.

Crouch: Al-Anon support group for friends and family of alcoholics meets weekly at Crouch Community Church on Tuesdays at 6:00 p.m. in the library.

Horseshoe Bend Pantry is open on the 2nd & 4th Friday of the month, located at the WICAP building from 10-2.

Food boxes are prepacked and delivered to cars. No choices until further notice.

Horseshoe Bend - Tuesday's & Fridays-Hot meals at the Horseshoe Bend Senior Center. Lunch is served at 12:15. The center is located at 109 S. Riverside Drive. Recommended donation is \$5.00 for seniors at least 65 years of age, \$6.00 for everyone else. For transportation or meal delivery information call (208) 793-2344.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Notice is hereby given that the Idaho City Fire Protection District will hold a public hearing for consideration of their proposed budget, including the estimated revenue for the fiscal year October 1, 2025 through September 30, 2026 pursuant to Idaho Code Section 31-1422. A Resolution for reservation of forgone dollars will also be discussed and proposed. Said hearing will be held at the Idaho City Fire Protection District station at 3861 Hwy 21 in Idaho City, at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday August 18, 2025

<u>Income</u>	
Property tax	\$ 126,492
Donations	500
Interest	40
Total Income	\$ 127,032
<u>Expenses</u>	
Payroll/insurance/tax	7230
Commissioner expense	2,687
Training/ travel	5,000
Liability insurance	1,813
Office / IT	7,500
Equipment / Repair	42,492
Utilities & fuel	11,520
Building & expenses	30,790
Contingency Reserve	18,000
Total expense	\$127,032

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CITY OF IDAHO CITY

The City of Idaho City Planning and Zoning Commission will hold a public hearing on August 11, 2025, beginning at 6:00 p.m. at City Hall, 511 Main Street, Idaho City, ID 83631. The purpose of this Public Hearing is to hear testimony on a proposed change to the Zoning Ordinance to require a conditional use permit for any proposed formula business and place criteria for a formula business to ensure that it fits within the unique and historic character of the City and is not detrimental to public health, safety, and welfare. The proposed ordinance defines a “formula business use” and sets the criteria for a conditional use permit for a formula business. The criteria would require that the proposed business (1) would not be detrimental to the health, safety, peace, comfort, and general welfare to the neighborhood, the City, or its citizens, (2) compliment existing businesses and promote diversity and variety of commercial uses, and (3) the design and improvement is consistent with the unique and historic character of Idaho City. The full draft of the proposed ordinance is available at City Hall or on the City’s website. Written comments may be submitted for consideration by no later than 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, August 7, 2025. Members of the public may also provide testimony at the Public Hearing concerning any of the matters. Any person needing special accommodation to participate in the above-noticed meeting must contact the office of the City Clerk at 208-392-4584 no later than 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, August 7, 2025.

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE’S SALE

On Thursday, the 23rd day of October, 2025, at the hour of 10:00 o’clock a.m. of said day at the front steps of the Boise County Courthouse, 420 Main St., Idaho City, in the County of Boise, State of Idaho, Ryan M. Fawcett, as Successor Trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property situated in the County of Boise, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 2 in Block 1 of Clear Creek Estates Subdivision No. 11, filed in Boise County, as Instrument No. 82760, Boise County, Idaho. Except: Beginning at the most southerly lot corner common to Lots 1 and 2, Block 1, Clear Creek Estates Subdivision No. 11, according to the official plat thereof, on file in the Boise County Recorder’s Office, Idaho City, Idaho, thence North 06°00’ East along the lot line common to said Lots 1 and 2, 26.50 feet to a point; thence North 86°34’58” West 90.08 feet to a point on the southerly boundary line of said Lot 2; thence South 70°00’ West along said southerly boundary line, 92.74 feet to the Point of Beginning.

The Successor Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above-referenced real property, but for purposes of compliance with Section 60-113, Idaho Code, the Successor Trustee has been informed that the street address of 24 Deadmans Gulch Rd., Boise, Idaho, is sometimes associated with said real property.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by JEFFREY J. KEAVY, an Unmarried Man, Grantor, to Ryan M. Fawcett, Successor Trustee, for the benefit and security of D.L. EVANS BANK, recorded September 29, 2004, as Instrument No. 198587, Mortgage records of Boise County, Idaho; and assigned to the IDAHO HOUSING AND FINANCE ASSOCIATION by Assignment of Deed of Trust recorded on November 1, 2004, as Instrument No. 199168, Mortgage records of Boise County, Idaho. THE ABOVE GRANTOR IS NAMED TO COMPLETE WITH SECTION 45-1506 (4) (a), IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT HE IS, OR IS NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION.

Said sale is a public auction for which the bid price must be paid immediately upon close of bidding by certified funds in the form of cashier’s checks, certified checks, or valid money orders only. If the Trustee is unable to convey title for any reason whatsoever, the successful bidder’s exclusive and sole remedy shall be the return of actual monies paid to the Successor Trustee and the successful bidder shall have no further recourse.

The default for which this sale is to be made is the failure to pay when due, monthly installment payments under the Deed of Trust Note dated September 27, 2004, in the amount of \$655.00 each, for the months of December, 2024 through May,

2025, inclusive. All delinquent payments are now due, plus accumulated late charges, plus all escrow advances, plus any costs or expenses associated with this foreclosure. The accrued interest is at the rate of 5.49% per annum from November 1, 2024, and the Beneficiary elects to sell or cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy said obligation. The principal balance owing as of this date on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$38,076.04, plus accrued interest at the rate of 5.49% per annum from November 1, 2024.

DATED This 24th day of June, 2025.

RYAN M. FAWCETT, a Member of the Idaho State Bar, SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE

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SUMMONS TO SHANE T. COCHRAN AND EMILY DENNEY Case No CV08-24-00227

IN THE DISTRICT COURT FOR THE FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT FOR THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF BOISE STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA DBA BANK OF NORTH DAKOTA BY AND THROUGH STUDENT LOANS OF NORTH DAKOTA, Plaintiff, vs SHANE T. COCHRAN, AND EMILY DENNEY, Defendants. Notice You have been sued. The court may enter judgment against you without further notice unless you respond. Read the information below.

If you want to defend this lawsuit, you must file a written response (Answer or appropriate Rule 12 I.R.C.P. Motion) to the Complaint at the Court

Clerk’s office for the above-listed District Court at Boise County Courthouse, 420 Main St., Idaho City, ID 83631, within 21 days from the service of this Summons.

If you do not file a written response the court may enter a judgment against you without further notice. A letter to the Judge is not an appropriate written response.

The written response must comply with Rule 10(a) and other Idaho Rules of Civil Procedure and include: your name, mailing address and telephone number; or your attorney’s name, mailing address and telephone number; and the title and number of this case.

If your written response is an Answer, it must state the things you agree with and those you disagree with that are in the Complaint. You must also state any defenses you have.

You must mail or deliver a copy of your response to the Plaintiff or Plaintiff’s attorney (at the address listed above), and prove that you did. To determine whether you must pay a filing fee with your response, contact the Clerk of the District Court.

If you are considering talking to an attorney, you should do so quickly to protect your legal rights.

Date: 7/7/25
CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT
Angel O’Brien
Deputy Clerk

State of North Dakota dba Bank of North Dakota by and through Student Loans of North Dakota c/o Brian G. Sayer, Attorney 925 E. 4th Street Waterloo IA 50703 319-234-2530 inquiry@sayerlaw.com

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS Case No: CV08-25-00125 IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF BOISE

In the Matter of the Estate of DARC I A DAVIS AKA DARC I A BAUGH, Deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed personal representative of the above-named decedent. All persons having claims against the decedent or the estate are required to present their claims within four months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or their claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented to the undersigned at the address indicated, and filed with the Clerk of the Court. DATED this 3rd day of July, 2025.

Attorney for Personal Representative
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NOTICE OF DEATH

Michael G. Lolley

Michael G. Lolley, 72, a resident of Boise and Garden Valley, passed away July 15, 2025, in Boise. Arrangements are under the direction of Bowman Funeral Parlor of Garden City.

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Mountain Kids Day Camp Delivers Faith, Fun, and Community

IDAHO CITY -- The last week of June was an exciting one for Idaho City area kids and teens, as Mountain Kids Day Camp held another great week of camp. The weather was nearly perfect for being in the outdoors! You'll no doubt see many kids walking around town proudly displaying their bright green camp t-shirts. There were 51 campers and about 75 volunteers learning about the Bible and having lots of fun at beautiful Camp Ivydale, June 23-27. Of the volunteers, about half were counselors, and most of those were local teens who generously volunteered their time to make a difference in the lives of Idaho City kids. Many of the teens were once campers themselves when they were younger, and this was a chance to give back to their community. The campers were ages 6 - 11, and they were enthusiastically "lavished with love for a week."

Campers enjoyed many activities such as archery, pottery, woodworking, singing, ukulele playing, exploring electricity, swimming, hiking, puppets, board games, ping pong, and lots of arts and crafts. Krista Young, the Arts and Crafts Coordinator, helped campers and volunteers make beautiful iced dyed t-shirts. Each was unique, and feature a cross = heart on the back, signifying Jesus' love for all of us. On Wednesday, Heidi Ware, and others from the Intermountain Bird Observatory, came to demonstrate catching and banding hummingbirds. Everyone really enjoyed seeing hummingbirds up close.

MKDC was fortunate enough to have 12 brand new colorful kid-size ukuleles donated several years ago. Retired Boise music teacher Paul Olson came each day and patiently and enthusiastically taught campers and counselors how to

play several chords and songs. There was even a "ukulele concert" at the Thursday evening family dinner.

Many local Idaho City area folks helped as volunteers this year. Local adult counselors included Anne Marie Ebert, Ray Eklund, Jaycob Betancourt, Brandy Gehrls, Vanessa Gardner, Mindi Grant, and Aspen Young. Donna Schmelzenbach, Anita Townson, and Tom Catlow from Nampa, came up for the week to be counselors. Joe Sirani, Walter Durfey, and Mel Barrus encouraged kids to learn and experiment at the Exploring Electricity booth. Arts and Crafts Coordinator Krista Young led a contingent of volunteers including Melodee Barrus, Kym Still, Angie Keller, Hayley Tena, Cathy Hancock, Chris Phillips, Pamela Dougherty, Janine McCready, Cathy Durfey, Cheryl Davis, Lisa Kindelberger, Linda Maurice, and Danny Knobel who did arts and crafts with the kids and gave lots of encouragement. Jill Moughamian, Camp Director, led mid-morning games and led action-packed music with Darcie Altree both mornings and afternoons. Paul Olson led morning singing with ukulele accompaniment. Kendra Lanham and Bec Emery helped kids make clay pots on two pottery wheels - a great experience for the campers! Lonnie McDonough and Walter Durfey took turns on different days enthusiastically coaching archery. Woodworking, led by locals Mitch Tain and Bill Grable, was very popular this year, with wood projects including stepstools and bird and butterfly houses. Cathy Hancock, from Idaho City was our cheerful Camp Nurse. Tara Higgins was the pool manager and did a great job. Darcie Altree and her dad, Randy Harris, served as our excellent lifeguards. It was certainly a team effort with



Mountain Kids Day Camp 2025

Photo is courtesy of Jodi Betancourt

lots of encouragement given to each child! Even though the water was cold, all the kids really loved the swimming!

The kitchen crew led by Cheryl Davis from Nampa, assisted by Kourtney Stafford, Linda and Roane Maurice, and several others, made sure the campers had plenty of tasty snacks all week, then helped with crafts in the afternoons. They also organized a delicious chicken dinner to serve to all the campers, volunteers, and families on Thursday evening.

The excellent speaker this year was from New Plymouth Church of the Nazarene. Pastor Suzanne Plantenga and her team of Pastors Donette Morgan and Hannah Osborne taught everyone about Jesus, explaining how God's love changes everything: God's love changes our life, our direction, our attitude, our actions, and our future. They creatively entertained the children, teens, and adults all week, assisted by Dana Zoch. Tara Higgins and Michele Diehl served as Junior Counselor Coordinators, and Howard Henning was Huddle Group Coordinator; both jobs took lots of hard work and

energy. Marilyn Eklund and Carter Elliott were both very able and helpful Counselor Coordinators. Breck Young, Bill Grable, and many others took charge of much of the set-up and take-down. The whole community came together so our local kids could have a terrific, memorable week at camp, free of charge to their parents. All camp staff are volunteers. Idaho City Christian Center was especially helpful, as they have been for many years, by allowing the camp training sessions to be held there, in addition to several leadership planning and work meetings over the last few months.

The MKDC Leadership Team is made up of Jennifer Alban, Marilyn Eklund, and Jill Moughamian. They have been meeting since February to plan and organize all the aspects and many details of Mountain Kids Day Camp. One big highlight of the week was the baptism of three campers on the last day,

and many others choosing Jesus to be their Forever Friend. Many parents and relatives attended the baptism, and the audience was very enthusiastic as they gathered around the swimming pool to watch as Pastors Jason Kindelberger and Suzanne Plantenga did the baptism.

Jennifer Alban, Executive Director of The Isaiah Foundation, the non-profit which runs the camp, said, "I really appreciate the support of the parents and community people who have contributed both their time and financial support to make camp happen. This is a huge team effort, and we do it for God and for our local kids and their families."

Donations of any amount are always appreciated, as The Isaiah Foundation is funded only by donations. Donations to help fund camp next year can be sent to: The Isaiah Foundation, P.O. Box 777, Idaho City, ID 83631.

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