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Big Check, Bigger Impact: Senior Center Receives $30,000

IDAHO CITY — Community leaders, business owners, and local organizations came together on Tuesday, October 27th, to present a generous donation to the Boise Basin Senior Center, helping support the center's ongoing programs and future needs.

Boise Basin Senior Center Director Theresa TenEyck welcomed attendees and recognized the community members gathered for the presentation.

"These are the movers and shakers in our community that wanted to come and see what we do in the senior center," TenEyck said. "All of you regulars know what we do. We do meals, we do food bank, we provide transportation to town, we have a gathering place, and we have fun. We wanted to welcome all these various community leaders."

As a large ceremonial check representing a sum of thirty thousand dollars was unveiled, Chris Collins addressed the crowd.

"This is for you and the senior citizen center, and you spend that any way you see fit," Collins said.

Following a round of applause, TenEyck jokingly raised her hand and asked, "Those going to Jackpot next weekend?" before turning serious about the impact of the donation.

"This will help us so much," she said. "We have an old building. We have old equipment. We can now replace things when we need to. This will go a long, long way for us."

The donation was made possible through the combined efforts of Bobby Mathews of Idaho City Grocery, Steve Ellis of the Goldmine, business owner Trudy Jackson, Boise County Assessor Chris Juszczak, Boise County Commissioner Bob Callahan, Steve Callahan, Chris Collins, Boise County Sheriff Scott Turner, John Adams of Boise County Search and Rescue, Mari Adams representing the East Boise County Ambulance District, Steve Burns of the Idaho Community Foundation, Kevin Hildebrandt of the Clear Creek Lodge, Carter Elliott of the Idaho City Chamber of Commerce, ICHS Athletic Director Jason Roeber, and several other community supporters.



Community leaders present $30,000 check to the Boise Basin Senior Center.

Beyond the immediate impact of the donation, the gathering and the donation are proof of a commitment; the next generation of community leaders stepping forward to serve Idaho City and its residents.

While there are concerns that the spirit of community service and involvement may fade as longtime leaders step away, efforts like this demonstrate that a new generation is ready and willing to carry that responsibility forward.

The continued success of Idaho City depends not only on those who have dedicated years to serving the community, but also on those who are now stepping up, taking initiative, and working alongside established leaders for the common good. This donation serves as a reminder that the commitment to helping neighbors, supporting local organizations, and strengthening the community remains alive across generations.

The contribution also marks a historic milestone for the Boise Basin Senior Center, representing the largest single donation in the organization's history. The previous record stood at $25,000, making this contribution a significant achievement for the center and the community members who helped make it possible.

Their collective contribution will help the Boise Basin Senior Center continue providing meals, transportation services, food assistance, and a welcoming gathering place for local seniors.

HAPPENINGS IN BOISE COUNTY

GARDEN VALLEY - Haunted Woods at Starlight Mountain Theatre. Saturdays only during the month of October from 5pm to 10 pm. Corn pit, bounce house, face painting and pumpkins.

IDAHO CITY - Bingo and costume party on October 30th at the Ray Robison Community Hall. Dinner starts at 5pm with chili and cornbread. Bingo begins at 6pm. Costume contest: 0-10, 11-18, and 19+. All proceeds go to the restoration efforts of the community hall.

LOWMAN - Trunk or Treat on October 30th at 5pm, held at Station #80. Games, nachos, treats, best costume and best trunk winners. The haunted house is back and even bigger this year!

IDAHO CITY - Trunk or Treat on Main Street this Saturday, Oct. 31, beginning at 6pm.

CROUCH - Trunk or Treat on Saturday, October 31. Family fun with carnival, firepits, and candy!

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS - On Sunday, November 1st, the clocks will fall back.

ELECTION DAY - Midterm Elections on Tuesday, November 3rd. All precincts are open from 8:00 am to 8 pm. *Remember to vote!*

LOWMAN: Thursday, November 5; Lowman Bookmobile, Nature Ponds 1pm, Sourdough Lodge 2pm, Joe Lewis Sub 3pm

IDAHO CITY - Holiday Craft Bazaar at the Ray Robison Community Hall on Nov. 6 (4-7pm), 7 (10am-6pm), and 8 (11am-4pm). Vendor booths, raffles, and lots of treasures to buy! Homemade cinnamon rolls *(Saturday only)*, sweet breads, homemade fudge, homemade chili and cornbread served.

GARDEN VALLEY - Photo presentation across five continents by Linda Ruppel on Nov. 8 at 6pm, held at the Seventh-day Adventist Church. Free admission and light refreshments.

IDAHO CITY - Honoring all who served on Veterans Day at the ICHS gymnasium at 9am on November 11th. Refreshments will be served.

GARDEN VALLEY - Holiday Bazaar on Nov. 14 from 10am to 4pm at the GV Senior Center.

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Community leaders, business owners, and local organizations gathered at the Boise Basin Senior Center on Oct. 27 to present a historic $30,000 donation, the largest single contribution in the center's history. The gift will help support building improvements, equipment replacement, meals, transportation services, and other programs that benefit local seniors. ***Photos by Eileen Capson***

BOISE COUNTY

Garden Valley Finishes Out the Season with a Win



Second-half surge lifts Garden Valley past Tri-Valley, 61-24. *Photos by Ralph Foote*





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Winter will soon be upon us. Golfing is still going on until we have a deep frost or snow, but our Golf Shop will be closing on November 1st for the season. We will be having our annual Halloween Party on October 31st starting at 9:00 pm. Live music with Black Diamond Rebels. Costume contest will follow. Once the snows fly, we will be grooming trails for snowshoeing and Nordic skiing. Plan on staying with us—we have newly remodeled motel rooms, cabins and condos to rent. Call the office at 208-462-3250 or book online at terracelakes.com.

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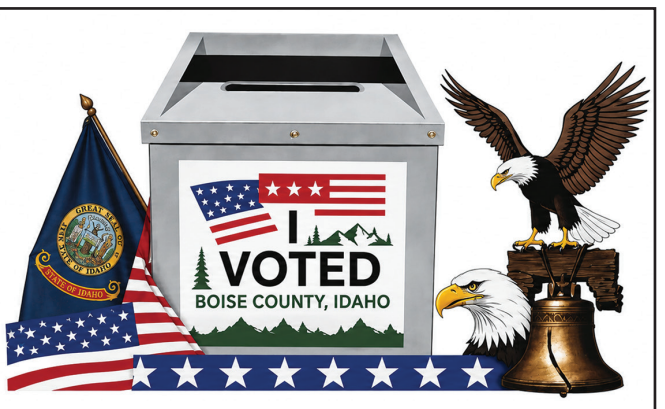

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REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES SUMMARY STATEMENT - ALL FUNDS
2025 - 2026
HORSESHOE BEND SCHOOL DISTRICT #73

	BUDGET	ACTUAL
REVENUES		
Local Revenue	443,532CR	593,275CR
State Revenue	3,472,782CR	3,325,798CR
Federal Revenue	209,158CR	628,414CR
Other Revenue	0	0
TOTAL REVENUES	4,125,472CR	4,547,487CR
Transfers In	119,942CR	132,552CR
TOTAL REVENUE & TRANSFERS	4,245,414CR	4,680,039CR
EXPENDITURES		
Salaries	2,143,072	2,228,155
Benefits	855,918	765,703
Purchased Services	518,757	465,571
Supplies & Materials	190,791	339,088
Capital Objects	157,500	434,938
Debt Retirement	0	143,300
Insurance & Judgements	70,000	69,351
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	3,936,038	4,446,106
Transfers Out	55,000	132,552
TOTAL EXPENDITURES & TRANSFERS	3,991,038	4,578,658
BEGINNING FUND BALANCE at July 1		2,282,585CR
Adjustments		189,982
ADJUSTED BEGINNING FUND BALANCE		2,092,603CR
ENDING FUND BALANCE at June 30		2,193,984CR

The undersigned certify that this is a true and correct report of the financial condition of the HORSESHOE BEND SCHOOL DISTRICT #73

Chairperson of the Board 10/21/26

Clerk of the Board Cindy Esposito 10/21/2026

Treasurer of the Board Cindy Esposito 10/21/2026

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Big Win for Wolverines!



GARDEN VALLEY – The Garden Valley Wolverines celebrated their senior football players on Friday, October 23, before putting together a dominant second-half performance to defeat Tri-Valley 61-24.

Recognized during Senior Night were Teigan Goff (#0), August Thompson (#16), Rhett Fackrell (#32), Landon Loveland (#42), Marshall Coley (#45), Jacob Brasher (#50), Cheveyo Tucker (#72), and Kendrew Ward (#99).

The Wolverines faced a tough challenge early and trailed 18-16 at halftime. Garden Valley responded with an explosive second half, pulling away from Tri-Valley and securing the 61-24 victory.

With the win, Garden Valley improved to 6-2 on the season and earned in first place in conference standings.

The Wolverines will open postseason play at home on Friday, October 30, at 7 p.m. when they host the Potlatch Loggers in the first round of the 2A Idaho State Football Tournament. Fans are encouraged to come out and support the team as they begin their playoff run.

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PUBLICATION

OFFICIAL GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTER

To vote, completely fill in the oval (●) next to the candidate or measure of your choice with a black or blue pen.

To vote a "Write-in", fill in the oval next to the blank write-in line **and** write the name of your choice on the blank write-in line.

If you make a mistake, request a new ballot from an election worker.

CANDIDATES FOR UNITED STATES OFFICES

United States Senator (Vote for One)
- ○ Todd Achilles (IND)
- ○ Natalie M Fleming (IND)
- ○ Matt Loesby (LIB)
- ○ Jim Risch (REP)

United States Representative District 1 (Vote for One)
- ○ Russ Fulcher (REP)
- ○ Brendan J. Gomez (CON)
- ○ Kaylee Peterson (DEM)
- ○ Sarah Zabel (IND)

CANDIDATES FOR STATE OFFICES

Governor (Vote for One)
- ○ Brad Little (REP)
- ○ Terri Pickens (DEM)
- ○ Pro-Life (CON) (a person, formerly known as Marvin Richardson)
- ○ Paul Sand (LIB)
- ○ John R. Stegner (IND)
- ○ _____ (WRITE-IN)

Lieutenant Governor (Vote for One)
- ○ Scott Bedke (REP)
- ○ Eric Myricks (DEM)

Secretary of State (Vote for One)
- ○ Shawn Keenan (DEM)
- ○ Phil McGrane (REP)

State Controller (Vote for One)
- ○ Rakesh Mohan (DEM)
- ○ Brandon D Woolf (REP)

State Treasurer (Vote for One)
- ○ Julie A. Ellsworth (REP)
- ○ Kevin A Jones (DEM)

Attorney General (Vote for One)
- ○ Lori Hickman (DEM)
- ○ Raul R. Labrador (REP)

Superintendent of Public Instruction (Vote for One)
- ○ Debbie Critchfield (REP)
- ○ Teresa Roundy (CON)
- ○ Becky Sundin Mitchell (DEM)

CANDIDATES FOR LEGISLATIVE OFFICES

State Senator District 8 (Vote for One)
- ○ Christy Zito (REP)

State Representative District 8 Seat A (Vote for One)
- ○ Rob Beiswenger (REP)
- ○ Heather S. Lewis (IND)

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CANDIDATES FOR LEGISLATIVE OFFICES

State Representative District 8 Seat B (Vote for One)
- ○ Brian Beckley (REP)
- ○ Jared Dawson (DEM)

CANDIDATES FOR COUNTY OFFICES

County Commissioner District 1 4 Year Term (Vote for One)
- ○ Bob Callahan (REP)

County Commissioner District 2 2 Year Term (Vote for One)
- ○ Clay Tucker (REP)

Clerk of the District Court (Vote for One)
- ○ Eva Polizzi (REP)

County Treasurer (Vote for One)
- ○ Gina Turner (REP)

County Assessor (Vote for One)
- ○ Chris Juszczak (REP)

County Coroner (Vote for One)
- ○ Pamela Garlock (REP)

NONPARTISAN BALLOT

CANDIDATES FOR THE FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

District Judge Seat Ada A (Vote for One)
- ○ Jeffrey Street, Jr.
- ○ Greg Woodard

VOTE BOTH SIDES

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SAMPLE

BOISE COUNTY



Idaho Pine Squirrel *Photo by Linda Ruppel, DDS*

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BALLOT MEASURES

IDAHO CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

House Joint Resolution 4

This proposed constitutional amendment would give the Legislature exclusive authority to legalize marijuana, narcotics, or other psychoactive substances in the State of Idaho.

Question: Shall Section 26, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Idaho be amended to provide that only the Idaho Legislature shall have the power and authority to legalize the growing, producing, manufacturing, transporting, selling, delivering, dispensing, administering, prescribing, distributing, possessing, or using of marijuana, narcotics, or other psychoactive substances?

A **YES** vote **supports** this constitutional amendment to provide that only the Idaho State Legislature shall have the authority to legalize marijuana, narcotics, or other psychoactive substances; and remove the ability for citizens to initiate state statutes that would legalize these substances.

A **NO** vote **opposes** this constitutional amendment, thereby retaining the ability for citizens to initiate state statutes that would legalize or decriminalize marijuana, narcotics, or other psychoactive substances.

- ⬭ Yes
- ⬭ No

House Joint Resolution 6

This proposed constitutional amendment would designate English as the official state language. All official speeches, meetings, and other proceedings of state and local governments, such as city council meetings and jury trials, would be conducted in English, and instruction in public schools would be provided in English. All documents of state and local government entities would be published in English. However, the amendment would allow languages other than English to be used when required by federal law.

Question: Shall Article X of the Constitution of the State of Idaho be amended by the addition of a new Section 8, to provide that the English language shall be the official language for the state of Idaho, and to further provide that, except as required by federal law, English shall be used in all public proceedings, public documents, public instruction, and any other public acts of any public institution in the state of Idaho?

A **YES** vote **supports** adding a provision to the Idaho Constitution that designates English as the state's official language.

A **NO** vote **opposes** adding a provision to the Idaho Constitution that designates English as the state's official language, maintaining English as the state's official language in state statute only.

- ⬭ Yes
- ⬭ No

PUBLICATION

PROPOSITION 1

Measure creating right to abortion before fetus viability, and post-viability to protect health; right to privacy; healthcare provider liability protections.

The measure seeks to change Idaho's laws by introducing a right to reproductive freedom and privacy including a right to abortion up to the point of the fetus's ability to survive outside the womb. After fetal viability, there would be no general right to abortion except in cases of "medical emergency." The "medical emergency" exception would expand Idaho's current life exception and allow abortions when pregnant women face complicating physical conditions that threaten their life or health, "including serious impairment to a bodily function" or "serious dysfunction of any bodily organ or part."

The proposed measure codifies a right to make reproductive decisions, including contraception, fertility treatment, and prenatal and postpartum care. This includes a "right of privacy" in making these decisions. The measure seeks to prevent the state from enforcing certain abortion laws protecting the life of the unborn child. It would also impose a requirement that any restrictions on reproductive decisions, including abortion prior to fetus viability, must be "narrowly tailored to improve or maintain the health of the person seeking reproductive health care." The measure would also prevent the state from penalizing patients, healthcare providers, or anyone who assists in exercising the proposed right.

Funding Source Statement: No funding source is required for the Reproductive Freedom and Privacy Act as it does not create any new financial obligation on the state. Because no funding source is required, the Act has no impact on income taxes, sales tax, or product taxes.

Fiscal Impact Statement: The State estimates the initiative would increase state expenditures between $3,100 and $7,800 annually, less than 0.001% of the state share of Idaho's Medicaid budget. This impact is derived from the costs of treating chemical abortion complications for women enrolled in Idaho's Medicaid program. Medicaid covers medically necessary services to treat complications from all abortions. It is anticipated that as legal abortions increase, the complications will also increase. This will likely result in an increase in Medicaid covered services and expenditures to treat complications from chemical abortions, which the State has reliable and readily available data to support.

Question: Shall the above-entitled measure proposed by Proposition One be approved?

A **YES** vote would support creating a right to abortion before fetal viability—defined as a fetus' ability to survive without extraordinary medical measures—and after fetal viability in cases of medical emergency; providing protections against professional discipline and civil and criminal liability for healthcare providers; and codifying a statutory reproductive right to freedom and privacy.

A **NO** vote would support making no change to Idaho's current law, which preserves the life of preborn children by prohibiting abortion, except when necessary to prevent the death of the pregnant woman, and during the first trimester in documented cases of rape or incest reported to law enforcement.

- ⬭ Yes
- ⬭ No

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IDAHO ADVISORY QUESTION

Which of the following guns should be designated as the state gun of Idaho? Please choose only one answer.

- ⬭ Winchester Model 1894 (.30-30)
- ⬭ Winchester Model 1873 "Gun that Won the West" (.44-40)
- ⬭ 1873 Colt Single Action Army Revolver "Peacemaker" (.45 Colt)
- ⬭ M1 Garand rifle (.30-06)
- ⬭ Colt M1911 .45 automatic Colt pistol (.45 ACP)
- ⬭ Remington Model 700 bolt-action rifle (.30-06)

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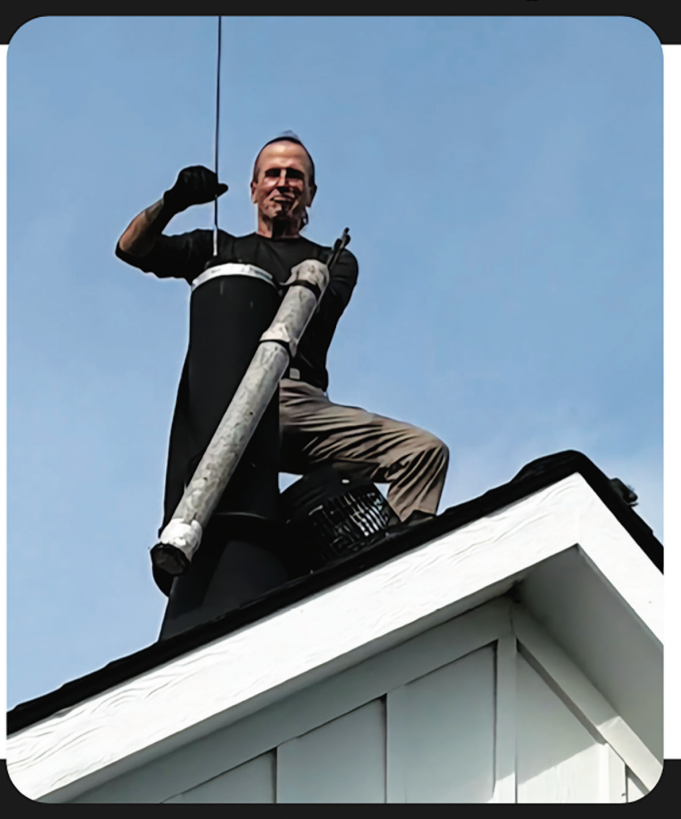

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A Garden Valley home glows with the rich colors of autumn, showcasing the beauty of the season.
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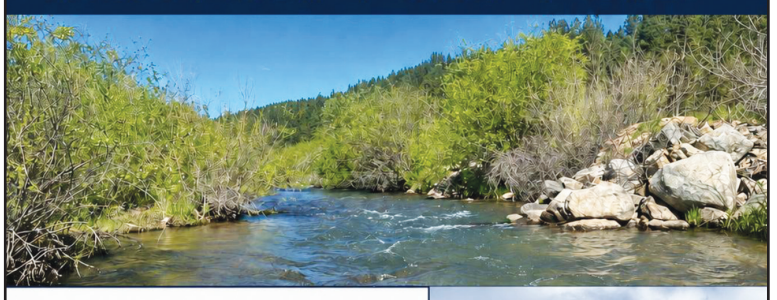

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- Planning & Zoning Administrator

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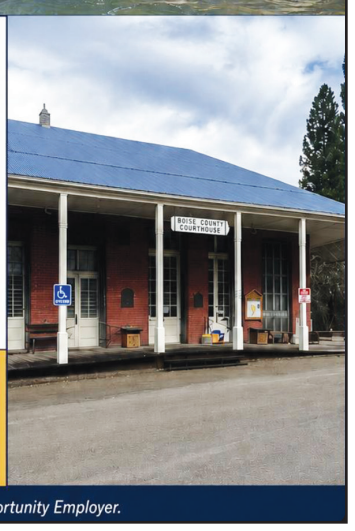

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BOISE COUNTY

NOVEMBER 2026
Horseshoe Bend Senior Center Menu
208-793-2344

TUESDAY 11/3
- Chicken Tortilla soup
- Salad w/ asst veggies
- Fruit
- Roll
- Milk, Cheese
- Dessert

FRIDAY 11/6
- Beef Stroganoff over noodles
- Salad w/ asst veggies
- Fruit
- Roll
- Milk, Cheese
- Dessert

TUESDAY 11/10
- Teriyaki Chicken & Rice
- Salad w/asst veggies
- Fruit
- Roll
- Milk
- Dessert

FRIDAY 11/13
- Biscuits & Gravy, Hash Browns, Scrambled Eggs, Bacon
- Fruit
- Milk
- Dessert

TUESDAY 11/17
- Creamy White Lasagna Soup (Italian sausage)
- Caesar Salad
- Fruit
- Garlic Bread
- Milk
- Dessert

FRIDAY – 11/20 – THANKSGIVING DINNER
- Roast Turkey, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, Green Bean Casserole
- Salad w/asst veggies
- Fruit
- Roll
- Milk
- Dessert

TUESDAY 11/24
CLOSED

FRIDAY 11/27
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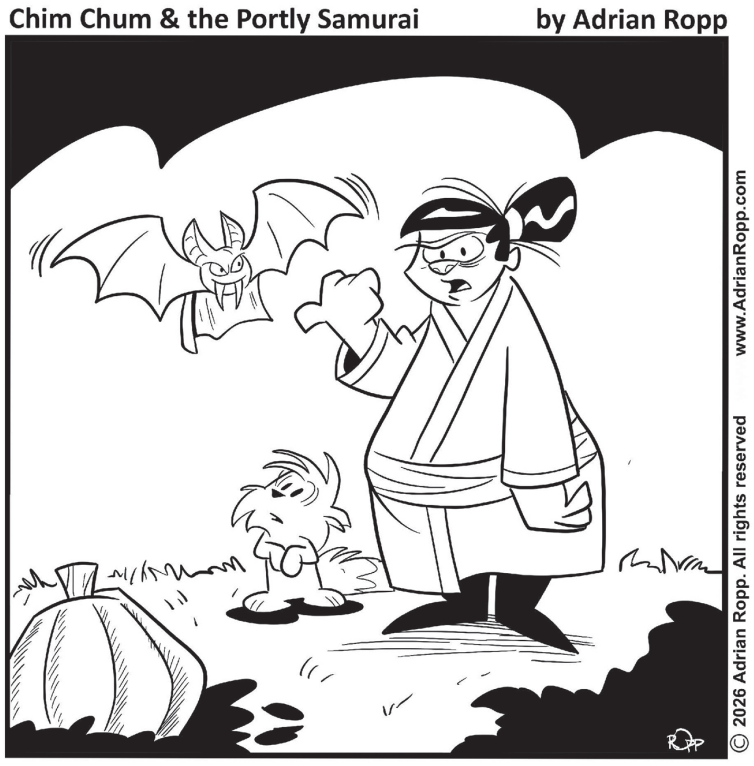

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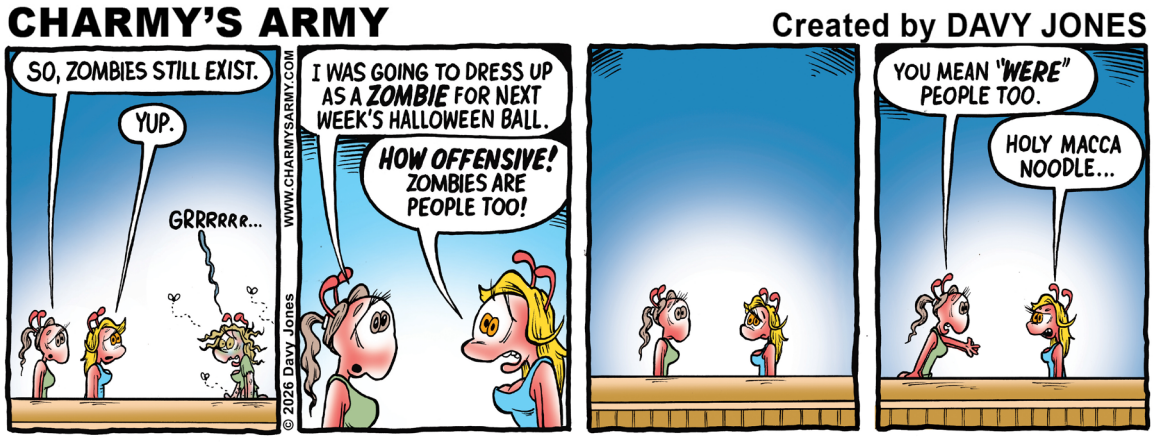

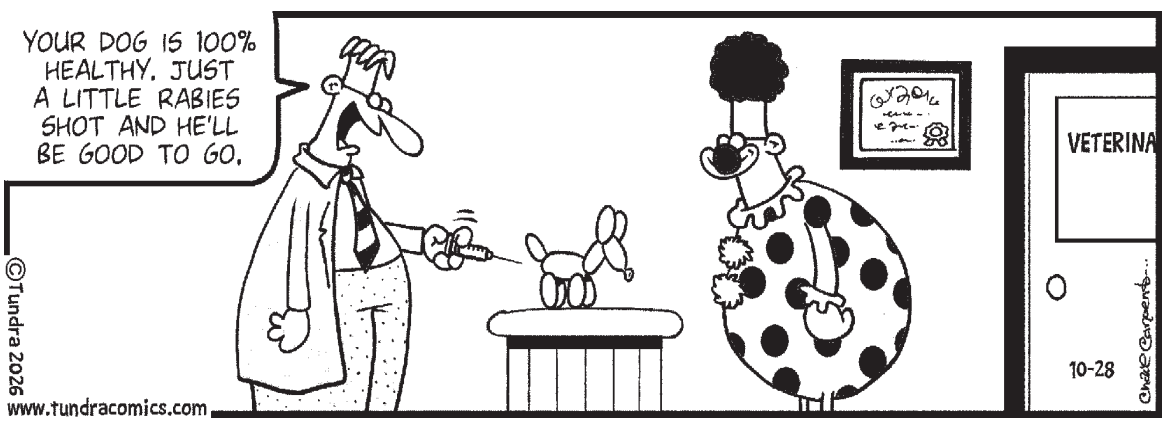

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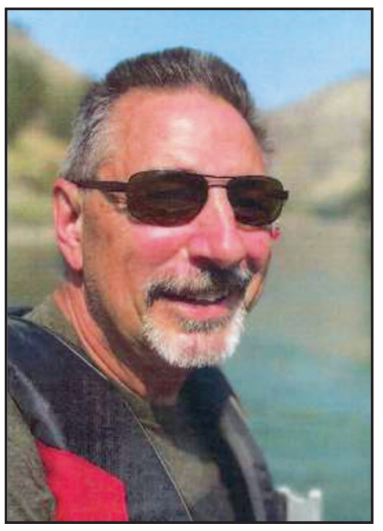

Kenneth Lee "MELTY" Melton
1960 – 2026

Kenneth L. Melton, 66, of Horseshoe Bend passed away on Tuesday, October 13, 2026, at his home. Born in New Castle, Indiana, to Stanley and Belva (Dishman) Melton. Ken married his wife Jodi (Qualman) Thorne in 1981, and they had a daughter Jobie Marie (Melton) Crosby together. They divorced later in the 80s.

Ken was survived by his brother Danny (Connie) Melton; Junior (Joyce) Melton; sisters Carolyn (Marvin) Martin and Patty (Jim) Gappens. Many nieces and nephews.

Ken was proceeded in death by his parents Stanley and Belva, his brother Donald "Blackie" Melton, his nephew Donald Jr., and wife Evelyn Melton. Also, nephew Bryan Melton.

Ken joined the Marine Corps on October 14, 1977, and was honorably discharged December 13, 1981. He then transferred into the 124th Main Squadron in the Air National Guard on April 1st, 1986, and took early retirement at 15 years on September 30th, 1994, as a TSGT (E6). He then went on to work for the State of Idaho as their Roadway Data Research Analyst Sr. Tech. in the Idaho Transportation Department then retired in 2025.

He loved his family in Indiana and his daughter so much. He loved nature and the outdoors. Loved exploring, good music, NASCAR races… He was a great cook and loved doing it. He loved to camp and be adventurous… This shows by the place where he lived down by the river.

Online condolences and pictures may be viewed at https://my.gather.app/remember/kenneth-melton-2026

Obituaries are a free service to Boise County residents, as part of the *Idaho World's* commitment to the community.

2026 Holiday Craft Bazaar

Sponsored by Idaho City Community Club

Location: Ray Robison Community Hall
106 Commercial Street
Idaho City, ID 83631

When: November 6, Friday 4:00 p.m. to 7 p.m.
November 7, Saturday 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.
November 8, Sunday 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Vendor booths, raffles, & lots of treasures to buy!

Homemade Cinnamon Rolls (Saturday only), Sweet Breads, Homemade Fudge, Homemade Chili & Cornbread served in the Kitchen

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BOISE BASIN SENIOR CENTER
November Menu

Boise Basin Senior Center
102 Bear Run Road, Idaho City, ID 83631
208-392-4918

November 2026

Meals Menus

Tuesday, November 3, 2026
BBQ Chicken, baked beans, coleslaw, pineapple and rolls

Thursday, November 5, 2026
Philly Cheesesteak sandwiches, French fries, mixed veggies and pears

Tuesday, November 10, 2026
Polish sausage, pepper and rice bake, green beans, peaches and garlic bread

Thursday, November 12, 2026
Chicken enchiladas, beans and rice, mixed veggies and mixed veggies

Tuesday, November 17, 2026
Meatloaf, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans and dinner rolls

Thursday, November 19, 2026
Chicken fajitas, fried corn, beans, rice and pineapple

Tuesday, November 24, 2026
Oven roasted chicken and potatoes, mixed veggies, peaches and rolls

Thursday, November 26, 2026
Turkey, mashed potatoes and gravy, stuffing, green beans, sweet potatoes.

Food Bank

Wednesday, November 11, 2026 11:30:00 AM to 1:00 PM
Wednesday, November 25, 2026 11:30:00 AM to 1:00 PM

Fit and Fall Activity

Tuesdays & Thursdays 10:00 AM to 10:45 AM

Bus to Boise

Wednesday, November 4, 2026 9:00 AM



Senior Center Board Meeting

Wednesday, November 11, 2026 10:00 AM

The Senior Center is open for in-house dining
Soup is on at 10:45 AM
Salad Bar opens at 11:30 AM
Entrée is from Noon to 12:30 PM

Check-in with us on Facebook for updated information

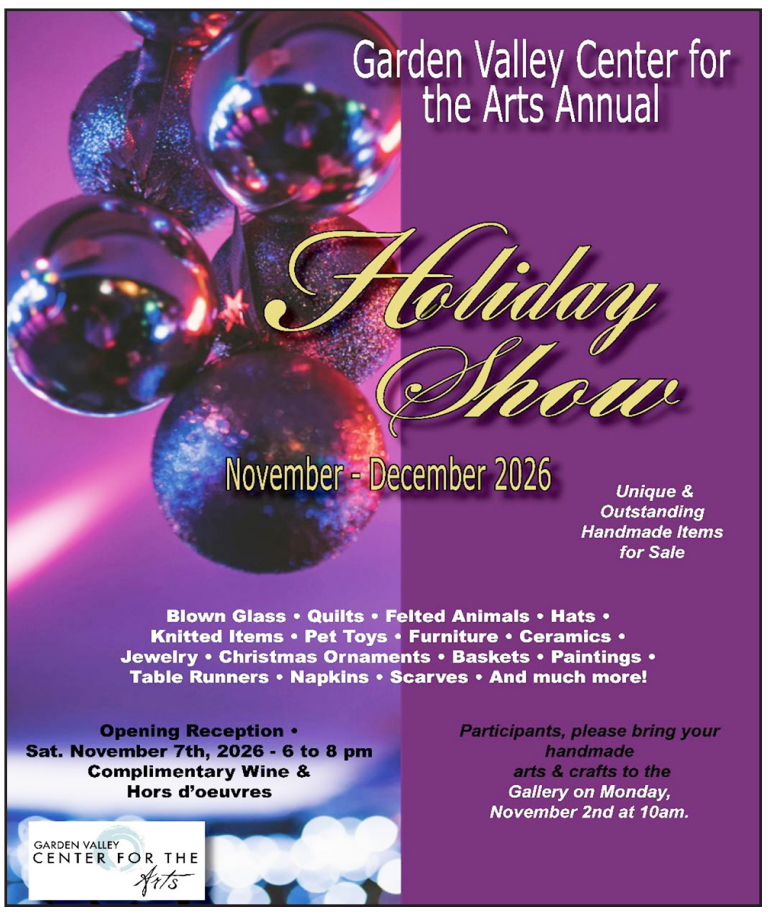
Boise Basin Senior Center is a Non-Profit Organization

Your Donations are Greatly Appreciated

Suggested Meal Donation is:

$5.00 for Seniors $6.00 for those under 60





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HELP WANTED:

Full Time Position:

Boise County is hiring for Solid Waste Operations Assistant This full-time position assists the Solid Waste Superintendent in overseeing and implementing the Boise County Solid Waste Program in compliance with Idaho statutes and federal and state regulations. Responsibilities include evaluating personnel and equipment needs, coordinating site and fleet maintenance, overseeing daily operations, site security, and collections, and ensuring the efficient operation of county solid waste facilities. The successful candidate will maintain positive working relationships with the Superintendent, employees, other county departments, and the public while demonstrating professionalism, strong work ethics, and a commitment to exceptional public service that reflects positively on Boise County. Please submit a cover letter, resume, and list of references in PDF format to HR@co.boise.id.us

Benefits: Health, Retirement, PTO, Vision, Dental PERSI

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

Permanent Part-Time Public Works Maintenance Worker

The City is seeking a dependable and hardworking individual to serve as a Permanent Part-Time Public Works Maintenance Worker. This hands-on position helps maintain, repair, and improve public infrastructure, facilities, streets, parks, and city-owned property to keep the community safe, clean, and functional.

COMPENSATION:

DOE; $16 - $18 hourly

HOW TO APPLY

Interested parties are encouraged to apply. Applications are available at City Hall 511 Main St., Idaho City, Id. Mon.-Thu. 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. and our website at Home | City of Idaho City , Applications will be accepted until position is filled.

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.

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Will & Jackie Riggs

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Now Hiring: Emergency Dispatchers

Boise County Sheriff's Office

The Boise County Sheriff's Office is seeking highly motivated individuals to join our team as Emergency Dispatchers. This vital position is at the heart of our operations—ensuring that every emergency call is answered and every Law Enforcement Officer, Emergency Personnel, and Fire Department is dispatched with precision and care.

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.

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. (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 cjuszczak@co.boise.id.us the following: (1) a filled-out Boise County application form; (2) a cover letter; and (3) a resume.

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 holds their's on different dates.)

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

Alcoholics Anonymous meets weekly at Mountain Meadow Christian Center in Robie Creek, ID. Our meeting is Wednesday at 7pm.

Alcoholics Anonymous - Idaho City Christian Center hosts AA meetings on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 6:30pm at their youth house. Please park in the back and look for meeting signs.

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.

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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Scan here to make an appointment online.

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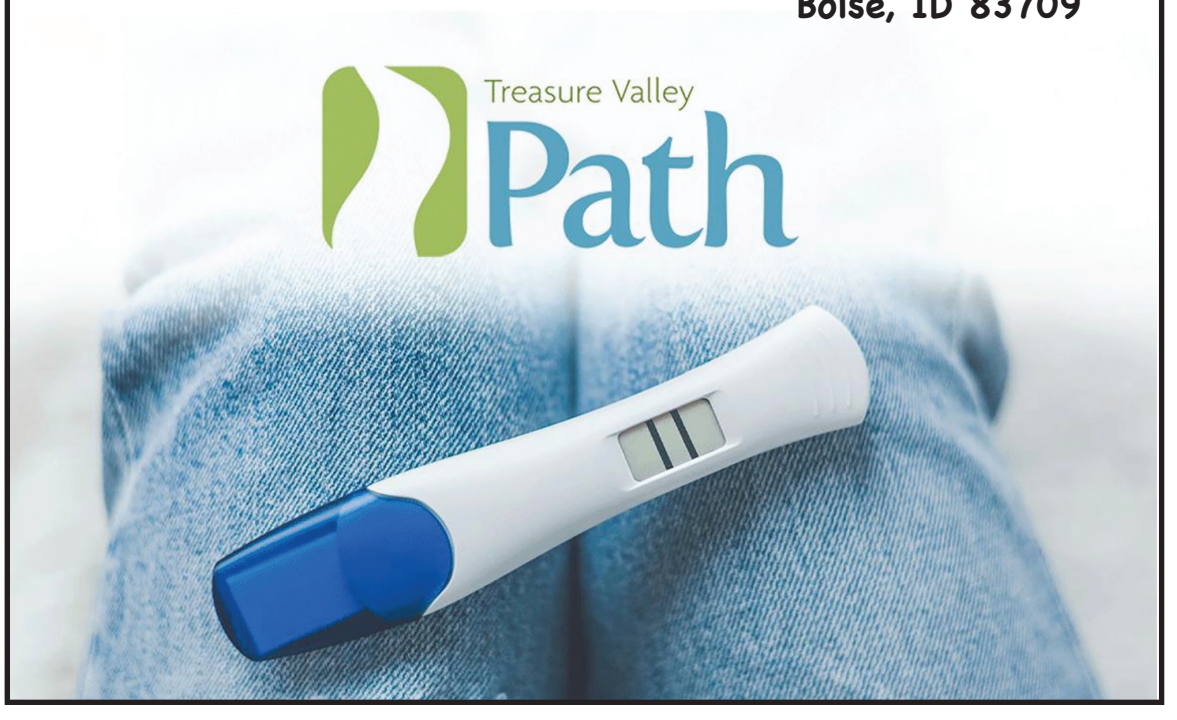

Idaho City AA meeting
Prospectors in Recovery
Tues. & Thurs. 6:30pm
Behind the Idaho City Christian Center.
Take Miners Lane next to the fire house & located in the second building behind the church.
Look for the signs.

When we all see Jesus
No more sickness, no more pain

"Face to Face" -Zach Williams

See ya Sunday at the Merc

Mountain Life Ministries Idaho City 10:00

BOISE COUNTY

LEGAL NOTICES

Second Notice of General Election

Boise County will have a **General Election for all Precincts** between the hours of 8:00 am and 8:00 pm on Tuesday, November 3, 2026. Electronic Sample ballots and information are on the following website: **voteidaho.gov/on-the-ballots/**, paper sample ballots are also available at the Clerk's Office at 420 Main St., in Idaho City.

Said election will be held at the following polling places:

Garden Valley #30 LDS Church 950 Banks Lowman Road Garden Valley, ID 83622	Mores Creek # 70 Wilderness Ranch Fire Station 46 Wilderness Ranch Road Boise, Idaho 83716
Horseshoe Bend #40 Mutual Improvement/Ladies' Auxiliary Club Building 121 W. Boise St. Horseshoe Bend, ID 83629	Placerville # 80 Centerville Fire Station & Community Hall 115 Grimes Pass Road Centerville, Idaho 83631
Idaho City #50 Boise County Courthouse 419 Main Street Idaho City, Idaho 83631	Lowman #60 Emergency Services Station #80 8000 Highway 21 Lowman, ID 83637
Absentee Voting - Boise County Elections Department 420 Main Street Idaho City, Idaho 83631 Telephone (208) 392-4431 ext. 208 http://www.boisecounty.us/Elections.aspx	

Only qualified and registered electors eighteen (18) years of age or older, who are United States citizens, that have resided in the State of Idaho and in the District for at least thirty (30) days preceding the election, and no others, will be permitted to vote at said election. All qualified electors must present picture identification at the polling place on Election Day, even if they are already registered. Any qualified elector of the District may vote by absentee ballot in the manner provided by law. In-person absentee voting is available at the County Clerk's office, 420 Main St., Idaho City, starting Monday, October 19, 2026, at 9:00 a.m. until Friday, October 30, 2026 at 5:00 p.m. The last day to request an absentee ballot by mail is 5:00 pm, October 23, 2026 per I.C. 34-1002. Voted absentee ballots must be received by the County Clerk no later than 8:00 pm on the day of the election in order to be counted per I.C. 34-1005.

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What's Happening

Garden Valley Senior/Social Center

www.gvseniorcenter.org 208-462-3943

NOVEMBER 2026

TUESDAY LUNCHES **11:30am-12:30pm** **by donation** Happy Thanksgiving	**NOV 3** – Baked Idaho Russet Potato w/ topping choices of chili, steamed broccoli, cheddar cheese, sour cream, butter, bacon bits & chopped green onions, salad bar, fruit, birthday cake dessert **NOV 10** – meatloaf w/ pan gravy, herb mashed potatoes, vegetable medley, salad bar, fruit, dessert **NOV 17** – New England Clam Chowder, Ham & cheese toast, salad bar, fruit, dessert	**NOV 24** – Roasted Turkey Breast in Sage gravy, cranberry sauce, stuffing, mashed sweet potatoes, salad bar, fruit, pumpkin pie dessert ***Anyone, any age can come and enjoy a meal and good conversation!!***

HOLIDAY BAZAAR NOVEMBER 14th from 10am-4 pm!!

SENIOR/SOCIAL CENTER OFFICE HOURS are Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays from 10am-12pm. The phone number is 208-462-3943.

LOW IMPACT AEROBICS CLASS!! What a fun way to get some exercise! The 30-minute session is every Tuesday and Thursday from 10:30am-11:00am.

PINOCHLE every Thursday 11:30am-2:00pm. ***COME JOIN THE CARD GAME! ALWAYS LOOKING TO START OTHER CARD GAME GROUPS TOO!***

FOOD BANK BOXES - Boxes will be distributed on **November 5th** from 9:30am-11:30am at the Senior/Social Center. Thanksgiving boxes distributed by Crouch Community Church will be Saturday, 11/21 at 8am. SENIOR CSFP boxes will still be available for participants on November 19th. ***EMERGENCY FOOD BOXES AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST!***

NEW COMMODITY SUPPLEMENTAL FOOD PROGRAM (CSFP) AVAILABLE FOR **FINANCIALLY ELIGIBLE SENIORS 60 AND OVER**. STOP BY FOR AN APPLICATION TODAY! These SENIOR boxes arrive the 3rd Thursday of the month.

BINGO! BINGO! BINGO! Friday, NOVEMBER 6TH!! Packet sales begin at 6:30pm!! Games start at 7pm!! ***GV SENIOR/SOCIAL CENTER MEMBERS GET 2 RAFFLE TICKETS!***

MONTHLY GVSSC BOARD MEETING – ***MONDAY, NOVEMBER 9TH at 5:30pm.*** COME GIVE US IDEAS AND COMMENTS ON CURRENT AND FUTURE ACTIVITIES!



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LEGAL NOTICES

H.J.R. 4
Authority to Legalize Drugs

Ballot Question

Shall Section 26, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Idaho be amended to provide that only the Idaho Legislature shall have the power and authority to legalize the growing, producing, manufacturing, transporting, selling, delivering, dispensing, administering, prescribing, distributing, possessing, or using of marijuana, narcotics, or other psychoactive substances?

H.J.R. 4 Text

Section 26. POWER AND AUTHORITY OVER INTOXICATING LIQUORS AND PSYCHOACTIVE SUBSTANCES. (1) From and after the thirty-first day of December in the year 1934, the legislature of the state of Idaho shall have full power and authority to permit, control and regulate or prohibit the manufacture, sale, keeping for sale, and transportation for sale, of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes.
(2) Effective immediately upon adoption by the voters of Idaho, only the legislature of the state of Idaho shall have power and authority to legalize the growing, producing, manufacturing, transporting, selling, delivering, dispensing, administering, prescribing, distributing, possessing, or using of marijuana, narcotics, or other psychoactive substances.

Statement of Meaning, Purpose, and Result to Be Accomplished

This proposed constitutional amendment would give the Legislature exclusive authority to legalize marijuana, narcotics, or other psychoactive substances in the State of Idaho.

Statement FOR the Proposed Amendment

Drugs destroy lives, tear apart families, and threaten the safety of our communities. Decisions about legalizing marijuana, narcotics, and other psychoactive substances are too important to be made lightly. The proposed amendment would ensure that any proposal to legalize these dangerous substances would go through the legislative process. Public hearings would be held on the proposal, where law enforcement and people whose lives have been damaged by drugs would be able to testify. Legislators would carefully consider each proposal and would be publicly accountable for their votes.

Statement AGAINST the Proposed Amendment

The Idaho Constitution says that all political power belongs to the people. But the proposed amendment would take power away from the people by getting rid of their ability to pass drug legalization laws on their own through ballot initiatives. The people are as capable of making good, careful decisions about drug policy as legislators are. The amendment is also unnecessary because if the people did ever pass a poorly considered law legalizing drugs, the Legislature would have the power to amend or repeal it.

H.J.R. 6
English as Official State Language

Ballot Question

Shall Article X of the Constitution of the State of Idaho be amended by the addition of a new Section 8, to provide that the English language shall be the official language for the state of Idaho, and to further provide that, except as required by federal law, English shall be used in all public proceedings, public documents, public instruction, and any other public acts of any public institution in the state of Idaho?

H.J.R. 6 Text

Section 8. ENGLISH THE OFFICIAL STATE LANGUAGE. The English language shall be the official language for the state of Idaho. Except as required by federal law, English shall be used in all public proceedings, public documents, public instruction, and any other public acts of any public institution in the state of Idaho.

Statement of Meaning, Purpose, and Result to Be Accomplished

This proposed constitutional amendment would designate English as the official state language. All official speeches, meetings, and other proceedings of state and local governments, such as city council meetings and jury trials, would be conducted in English, and instruction in public schools would be provided in English. All documents of state and local government entities would be published in English. However, the amendment would allow languages other than English to be used when required by federal law.

Statements FOR the Proposed Amendment

The amendment could encourage non-English speakers to learn English to be able to better participate in public life. This could promote unity and create a stronger sense of community and shared identity. Non-English speakers would still have language assistance for critical government services, because that is required by federal law. The amendment could promote social cohesion without endangering anyone.

The amendment could promote cost-efficient government by limiting the resources spent on communications in languages other than English.

Statements AGAINST the Proposed Amendment

The amendment is unnecessary because state law already makes English the official state language. The existing law is better than the amendment because the existing law is much more detailed. For example, the law allows public schools to teach foreign languages to interested students. The amendment, by requiring that all public instruction be conducted in English, might not allow this.

The amendment could create social division by signaling to non-English speakers that they are unwelcome in the state and their communities.

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STATE TIMBER SALE
CR600218, ELK WOLF TON

A public oral auction will be conducted at the Idaho Department of Lands office, 8355 W. State Street, Boise, ID 83714, at 10:00 a.m. local time, on Thursday, November 19, 2026, for an estimated 32,022 tons of timber, marked or otherwise designated for cutting. In addition, there is an unestimated volume of forest products that may be removed at the option of the purchaser. Prior to bidding, eligible bidders shall present a certified check or bank draft payable to Idaho Department of Lands, or a bid bond acceptable to the State, in the amount of $46,311.30 which is 10% of the appraised net sale value of $463,112.96. The average minimum bid price is $15.18 per TON. The successful bidder's deposit will be forfeited to the State should the bidder fail to complete the contract. The State will not accept bids from parties who are delinquent on payments on existing state contracts.

The sale is located within Sections 1 & 2, Township 06N, Range 05E; and Section 36, Township 07N, Range 05E, B.M., Boise County, State of Idaho. Sale duration is 4 years. The sale may include blowdown and/or insect and disease infected timber which may result in additional volume and recovery reductions. Interested purchasers should carefully examine the sale and make their own estimates as to volume recovery, surface conditions, and proposed construction prior to bidding on the sale. Additional information concerning the timber and conditions of sale is available to the public and interested bidders on the department's timber sale website at IDL - Timber Management - Home or from the Idaho Department of Lands office, Boise, Idaho. Please note purchaser insurance requirements posted on the timber sale website.

The Department of Lands, as authorized by the State Board of Land Commissioners reserves the right to reject any and all bids provided that good and sufficient grounds for rejecting the bid shall be stated in the rejection notice and shall not be in violation of applicable law.

If you are disabled and need some form of accommodation, please call (208) 334-3488 five days prior to the date of sale. For text telephone services, please call 1-800-377-3529.

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N O T I C E O F L E T T I N G

Idaho Federal Aid Project No. A024(741), in Boise County, Key No. 24741; for the work of installing an 8' tall, big game exclusion fence, jump outs, and gates on both sides of SH-21 from MP 19.6 to MP 20.3.

Sealed proposals will only be received by one of these three options:
at the office of the IDAHO TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT, 11331 WEST CHINDEN BLVD. BLDG #8, BOISE, IDAHO 83714 bid box slot **#4** located in lobby ATTN: ADVERTISEMENT AND AWARD, with the Key No. and Contractor name on outside of envelope marked "Bid Enclosed".

USPS - IDAHO TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT, PO Box 40, BOISE, IDAHO 83707-0040 ATTN: ADVERTISEMENT AND AWARD. on the Sealed envelope inside please include the Key No., Contractor name and "Bid Enclosed".

FedX/UPS - IDAHO TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT, 3311 W. STATE STREET, BOISE, ID 83703 ATTN: ADVERTISEMENT AND AWARD, on the Sealed envelope inside please include the Key No., Contractor name and "Bid Enclosed".

Bids may also be submitted electronically through Bid Express (www.bidx.com). All bids must be received by two o'clock p.m., on November 17, 2026.

For any design related questions, please submit through QuestCDN. Instructions on how to use this process and general bidding information are located on the Notice to Contractors page.

Digital copies of the Plans, Proposals, and Specifications must be downloaded for a fee of $22.00. **Bidders must appear on the plan holders list for their proposal to be accepted by the Department.** Please contact QuestCDN.com at 952-233-1632 or info@questcdninfo.com for assistance in downloading and working with this digital project information.

In an effort to achieve ITD's DBE Annual Participation Goal (APG) of 10.11% utilization, ITD requires responder to utilize certified subcontractors and suppliers listed on its DBE Directory located at: https://itd.dbesystem.com/. For this project, it has been determined that there is a DBE availability of 0.0% or more. For more information regarding ITD's DBE Program please go to https://itd.idaho.gov/civilrights/

This contract requires full compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, which protects persons from being denied the benefits of or excluded from participation in programs or activities; or subjected to discrimination based on race, color, national origin, sex, age, disability, Limited English Proficiency or economic status. The Contractor is encouraged to utilize the goods and services of disadvantaged firms in accomplishing the tasks or providing the services of this agreement, and to provide equal opportunity to all sub-bidders and suppliers.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
LEGAL NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN
That the Boise County Planning and Zoning Commission will hold their regular meeting and Public Hearing on November 19, 2026 at 6:30 PM in the Horseshoe Bend High School Library, 398 School Road, Horseshoe Bend, ID regarding CUP 2026-008, Boulder Crest Trail Rides. Application and related materials can be found on the Planning and Zoning website or are available in the Boise County Planning and Zoning office. All interested persons are invited to attend this meeting. Special accommodations for persons with disabilities will be provided upon advance request to Boise County P&Z Office 208-392-2293.

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N O T I C E O F L E T T I N G

Idaho Project No. A025(120), in Boise County, Key No. 25120; for the work of constructing seepage beds, curb, gutter, sidewalks and installing a Pedestrian Hybrid Beacon.

Sealed proposals will only be received by one of these three options:

- at the office of the IDAHO TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT, 11331 WEST CHINDEN BLVD. BLDG #8, BOISE, IDAHO 83714 bid box slot #4 located in lobby ATTN: ADVERTISEMENT AND AWARD, with the Key No. and Contractor name on outside of envelope marked "Bid Enclosed".

- USPS - IDAHO TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT, PO Box 40, BOISE, IDAHO 83707-0040 ATTN: ADVERTISEMENT AND AWARD. on the Sealed envelope inside please include the Key No., Contractor name and "Bid Enclosed".

- FedX/UPS - IDAHO TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT, 3311 W. STATE STREET, BOISE, ID 83703 ATTN: ADVERTISEMENT AND AWARD, on the Sealed envelope inside please include the Key No., Contractor name and "Bid Enclosed".

Bids may also be submitted electronically through Bid Express (www.bidx.com). All bids must be received by two o'clock p.m., on November 17, 2026.

For any design related questions, please submit through QuestCDN. Instructions on how to use this process and general bidding information are located on the Notice to Contractors page.

Digital copies of the Plans, Proposals, and Specifications must be downloaded for a fee of $22.00. Bidders must appear on the plan holders list for their proposal to be accepted by the Department. Please contact QuestCDN.com at 952-233-1632 or info@questcdninfo.com for assistance in downloading and working with this digital project information.

This contract requires full compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, which protects persons from being denied the benefits of or excluded from participation in programs or activities; or subjected to discrimination based on race, color, national origin, sex, age, disability, Limited English Proficiency or economic status. The Contractor is encouraged to utilize the goods and services of disadvantaged firms in accomplishing the tasks or providing the services of this agreement, and to provide equal opportunity to all sub-bidders and suppliers.

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BOISE COUNTY

REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES SUMMARY STATEMENT - ALL FUNDS
2025-2026

SCHOOL NAME / NUMBER: **Basin School District / 72**

	BUDGET	ACTUAL
REVENUES		
Local Revenue	$ 711,912.00	$ 965,892.00
State Revenue	3,516,872.00	3,849,338.00
Federal Revenue	401,353.00	753,744.00
Other Revenue	-	-
TOTAL REVENUES	$ 4,630,137.00	$ 5,568,974.00
Transfers IN	119,663.00	160,221.00
TOTAL REVENUE & TRANSFERS	$ 4,749,800.00	$ 5,729,195.00
EXPENDITURES		
Salaries	$ 2,836,313.00	$ 2,900,893.00
Benefits	1,250,365.00	1,249,134.00
Purchased Services	700,366.00	893,287.00
Supplies & Materials	428,215.00	658,817.00
Capital Objects	51,226.00	350.00
Debt Retirement	400.00	244.00
Insurance & Judgments	47,158.00	55,952.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	$ 5,314,043.00	$ 5,758,677.00
Transfers OUT	119,663.00	160,221.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES & TRANSFERS	$ 5,433,706.00	$ 5,918,898.00
BEGINNING FUND BALANCE at July 1, 2025	$ 933,532.00	$ 2,109,254.00
Adjustments	-	-
ADJUSTED BEGINNING FUND BALANCE at July 1, 2025	$ 933,532.00	$ 2,109,254.00
ENDING FUND BALANCE at June 30, 2026	$ 249,626.00	$ 1,919,551.00

The undersigned certify that this is a true and correct report of the financial condition of the Basin School District 72.

Brandee Kline
Chairperson of the Board

Amanda Callahan
Clerk of the Board

Patrick Minto
Treasurer of the Board

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Summary of Revenues and Expenditures Explanation (FY 2025-2026)

The District summary of Revenues and Expenditures reflects **ALL funds for the 2025-2026 fiscal year** including the General Fund, all grants, state and federal funds, student activity funds, local donations, bus depreciation (savings) fund and our 10 year modernization facility funds. These numbers do not reflect the General Fund balance. Several variances between budgeted and actual revenue funding amounts can be attributed to factors outside the district's control and to additional opportunities pursued throughout the year.

In 2024-2025, the district was awarded $1,380,455 in **School Modernization Facilities funding** to support capital improvements to our campus over a 10-year period. These funds are restricted to facility modernization projects and cannot be used to support day-to-day operating expenses. This funding accounts for a significant portion of beginning and ending fund balances variances reported for the district in 2025-2026.

Federal Revenue

Basin School District received two disbursements through Secure Rural Schools (**Forest Funds**): $98,465 in retroactive funding for the 2024—2025 school year and $101,876 for the 2025—2026 school year, totaling **$200,341** in revenue.

We also received the **KEEP Energy Enhancement Grant** from the US Department of Energy for upgrading lighting and thermostats across the campus. This project continued into FY27 but impacted our FY26 revenues by **$89,275.**

State Revenue

During FY2026, the district was awarded the **Beyond the Bell Grant** in the amount of **$83,075** which increased our state revenue but was not in the budget.

Local Revenue

The district received a generous $172,000 donation from a local donor to support several improvements, including the purchase of a new van, sports uniforms and equipment, a new school sign, computers, and custom rugs and tables.

Expenditures

The district completed several major improvement projects including our Fire Sprinkler system installation in the MS/HS, New HVAC mini splits throughout the campus, roof repair and replacement at the High School and new windows for the elementary modular buildings. These expenses from our **School Modernization Facility Funds** increased our purchased services and supplies actual expenses by **$235,095.**

Another major project that increased our expenditures was the replacement of the Elementary School roof. That **$80,350** project came out of the **General Fund.**

Our **Student Activity funds** are funds that are fundraised and kept completely separate from the district funds in its own bank account. **$168,792 in expenditures** from these student funds are reflected in supplies.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS
CASE NO. CV08-26-00219
(I.C. 15-3-801)

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
CRYSTAL DUPONT
106 WATSON DR
HORSESHOE BEND, ID 83629
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 said 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 26th day of October, 2026.
JOHN C FRY
2 SAND HOLLOW LN
HORSESHOE BEND, ID 83629
(208)365-8205

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VETERANS DAY

Honoring All Who Served

11 NOVEMBER 2026

Idaho City High School Invites you
Time: 9:00 AM Where? HS: Gymnasium
Refreshments will be served

Boise County Solid Waste Holiday Closures 2026:

Boise County Solid Waste Transfer Stations will be closed on the following Holidays:

Veterans Day Wednesday, **11 November**, Idaho City CLOSED

Thanksgiving Day Thursday, **26 November**, Lowman CLOSED

If you have any questions please contact the Solid Waste Office at 208-793-2447.

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— Franklin D. Roosevelt

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