



Sugar City

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HAVE A SAFE AND HAPPY 4TH!

JULY 2024 CALENDAR

- July 4 – Independence Day**
CITY HALL CLOSED – NO P&Z
- July 5 -- CITY HALL CLOSED**
- July 11 – City Council 6:30 pm**
- July 18 – Planning and Zoning 7:00 pm**
- July 25 – City Council 6:30 pm**
- July 27 – Pioneer Day Parade in St. Anthony @ 10:00 a.m.**

<https://www.fremontpioneerdays.com/>

Dates to Remember:

- Aug 1 – Planning and Zoning 7:00 pm**
- *All city meetings are subject to change. Citizens are invited to attend Planning & Zoning and City Council Meetings. **

SUGAR DAYS COMMUNITY BREAKFAST & CELEBRATION:



A BIG THANK YOU to Stone’s Toyota for our amazing community breakfast!

Thanks to the following donors who helped make Sugar Days a success:

- **Stones Toyota**
- **Rocky Mountain power**
- **Idaho Central Credit Union**
- **Sugar Family Dental**

Also thank you to the musicians and the vendors who participated and to all of you who came and supported them and the city in this annual event. We would love to hear your feedback and suggestions for next year. Please email sjones@sugarcityidaho.gov with comments and suggestions.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO REDUCE YOUR WATER BILL, HERE IS A SUGGESTED WATERING TIP:

According to research from Utah State University in Logan, Utah, lawns don’t require as much water as many of

us give them. Lawns should receive ½ inch of water every 3 to 4 days. Place water cans or buckets around the yard when you water. As soon as you get ½ inch of water in can, stop watering and remember how much time it took the sprinkler to put that much water out. Set your timer to only give that much water every 3-4 days. You will have to water more frequently as it gets hotter in July or August (every 2-3 days). Increasing the amount of water only washes through the soil. There are also many water savings tips out online.

Water Usage Facts from <https://www.networx.com/article/water-conservation-tips>:

1. The average North American uses 50-70 gallons of water daily. That amount can double in summer, with lawn and garden care, swimming pools, etc.
2. Three-quarters of all indoor water usage is in the bathroom.
3. In a typical North American home, the toilet accounts for about one-quarter of total water use.
4. Running a sprinkler for two hours can consume as much as 500 gallons of water.
5. Washing your driveway or sidewalk with a hose uses about 10 gallons per minute.

BACKFLOW TESTS ARE NOW DUE: The deadline to have these completed was July 1st to avoid termination of water services. If your test is not scheduled by **July 15th**, the city will hire a contractor to do it and charge the homeowner. If you have an appointment to have your test done and it is after the 1st of July, please notify the city at ajacobson@sugarcityidaho.gov with the date it is scheduled and with whom. Thank you!

NON-WORKING VEHICLES & ALLEY CLUTTER:

We have noticed that some alleys are being used to place personal items, firewood and other debris. Please remember that city easements are for utility services, city equipment and emergency equipment only. **Please park and place all personal items on your own property, not in alleys or on streets.** See City Code 3-1-13:A, 6-1-2:A. Please remove non-working vehicles and machinery from front yards. See City Code 3-2-3. Violation is \$150.00 citation.