



### Planning Commission Members Needed

The City of Onamia is looking for one or two city residents to sit on the Planning Commission. The Commission reviews complex zoning issues and makes recommendations to the City Council. No experience needed. The Commission meets as needed, not more than once per month. Commissioner Responsibilities and Applications are available at City Hall.

### Snow Plowing Season is Coming!

Snowflakes will be flying shortly I suspect, so here is a reminder of the Snow Removal/Plowing Rules. Whenever we get 2" of snow or more, the city automatically calls a "Snow Emergency" and NO motor vehicle should be parked on the streets or in the alleys of Onamia until the snow is plowed. Your vehicle will be ticketed and towed at your expense. Start planning now to avoid this unwanted expense. Please remind any house guests or tenants of these rules.

Also, you are responsible to clear snow and de-ice the sidewalks adjoining your property within 24 hrs of a snow event. **When taking care of the snow in your yard, it is NEVER appropriate to shovel or blow your snow in the street or alley! Thanks!**

Finally, if the forecast is for 2 or more inches of snow, please wait to put your Garbage (Wednesdays) or recycling (Tuesday) out until after the street is plowed.

### City Christmas Tree Lighting

Please join us for our annual lighting of the Onamia City Christmas Tree on Friday, November 24<sup>th</sup>. Meet us at 6:30 pm in front of City Hall for the tree lighting, carols and cookies. Got family in town for the Holidays? Bring them too. Everyone is Welcome.

### Santa and Mrs. Claus at the Library

Mark your calendar! Santa will be at the Onamia Depot Library on Saturday, December 2 from 11 am to 2 pm. Children of all ages are invited to join Mrs. Claus for Storytime as they wait to get their picture taken with Santa. The library will also be hosting a Book, Bake & Stuff Sale starting at 10 am. This event is sponsored by the Onamia Depot Library and the Onamia Area Civic Association.

### Ice Skate Rink

The Ice Skating Rink on Main Street in the Skate Park will be flooded as soon as the weather allows. Warming house hours will be posted around town when the rink is ready. There are some ice skates available rent free

when the Warming House is open. As you are doing your Fall Cleaning, please consider donating any gently used skates to our Parks Dept. Donations can be dropped off at City Hall. Thanks!

Remember, you can skate anytime during park hours.

### "Light Up Onamia"

The Onamia Area Civic Association is sponsoring a Holiday Decorating Contest again this year. It is free and open to all businesses and residents of the Onamia area. Registration forms are attached. Decorate and Light Up the exterior of your business or home by December 8<sup>th</sup>. Sign up or nominate a neighbor TODAY!!

### Up-Coming Events

- Nov. 5: Daylight Savings time ends
- Nov. 8: City Council 6 pm Everyone is Welcome
- Nov. 10: Veteran's Day observed (City Hall is Closed)
- Nov. 23: Thanksgiving (City Hall is Closed)
- Nov. 24: City Christmas Tree Lighting 6:30 pm
- Dec. 2: Santa Visits the Depot Library 11 am to 1 pm  
Library Bake & Book Sale 10 am to 2 pm
- Dec. 13: City Council 6 pm Everyone is Welcome
- Dec. 25: Christmas (City Hall Closed)
- Jan. 1: New Year's (City Hall Closed)
- Jan. 10: City Council 6 pm Everyone is Welcome
- Jan. 15: Martin Luther King Jr. Day (City Hall Closed)

### Yes, We Are Open!

City Hall – 8:00am – 4:00pm Phone 532-3311

Website: [onamiamn.com](http://onamiamn.com)

Police Dept. – 532-3131

Maintenance Dept. – 532-5322

Library Link – Tues 11:00am – 3:00 pm

-Thurs 2:00pm – 6:00pm

Phone – 532-5210

Website: [onamiaarealibrary.com](http://onamiaarealibrary.com)

City Parks – Daily until 30 minutes after sunset.

### Your City Council:

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