



GRINNELL PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE REGULAR SESSION
MEETING
MONDAY, AUGUST 3, 2026, AT 5:30 PM
IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS ON THE 2ND FLOOR OF CITY HALL
AND VIA ZOOM
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TENTATIVE AGENDA

A. Roll Call:

B. Perfecting and Approval of Agenda:

C. Committee Business:

1. Consider approval of a street closure request for the 800 Block of Park Street on August 4, 2026, for National Night Out.
2. Consider approval of a street closure request from Grinnell Christian Church to close 9th Avenue between Summer Street and Hobart Street on the North side of the church on August 30, 2026 from 11:30 A.M to 3:00 P.M. for a church block party.

D. Inquiries: Public Comment

Visitors may address the Council/Board at this time; however, comments will be limited to 2 minutes. As per Iowa's Open Meetings Law, Council/Board can only listen during public comments and cannot take any action on items that are not posted on the agenda. Council may take issues under advisement and if needed refer them to a department head, Mayor's committee, or add them to a future agenda.

E. Adjourn:

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**THE HONORABLE SAM COX
MAYOR OF GRINNELL, IA
GRINNELL CITY COUNCIL
520 4TH AVE
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Mayor Cox,

We would like to cordially invite you, City Manager Russ Behrens, and the council members to attend this year's National Night Out. The event will take place on Tuesday, August 4th, 2026, and is being held in Grinnell's Central Park from 6p.m. – 8 p.m. National Night Out encourages people to visit the local park and meet their neighbors, city officials, and first responders while enjoying ice cream provided by the Grinnell Optimist Club.

In order for the Grinnell Police Department and the Grinnell Optimist Club to host this event, we are requesting the use of all facilities at Central Park and kindly request that any fees associated with its use be waived for that day. We are also asking for the city's permission to close down the 800 block of Park Street on this day, so that we can ensure the safety of all attendees while they view the first responder vehicles and food vendors. We will additionally be asking for assistance from the Parks and Recreation Department and the Public Services Department to organize and secure extra trash receptacles and roadblock barriers.

We look forward to your presence at this year's National Night Out to socialize with the community and greet your local public safety personnel!

Thank you for your continued support and assistance,

Officer Sean Carlock

Road Closure

From Grant Curtis <grant@grinnell.cc>

Date Mon 7/20/2026 11:15 AM

To Alyssa Devig <adevig@grinnelliowa.gov>

Hello,

My name is Grant Curtis, and I work for Grinnell Christian Church. We are requesting placement on the agenda for the City Council meeting on August 3rd.

We are requesting a temporary road closure for an upcoming church block party. The details of the request are as follows:

- Date: August 30th
- Time of Closure: 11:30 am to 3:00 pm
- Road to be closed: 9th Avenue, between Summer Street and Hobart Street (north side of the church)
- Reason: Church block party

My contact information is: 641-485-1493 or via email at grant@grinnell.cc.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

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Grant Curtis

Grinnell Christian Church

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