

June 2022

- 2 Arts & Ag Market**
5-8 p.m. Swanny City Park
- 3-5 Canyonlands PRCA Rodeo**
Old Spanish Trail Arena
- 3 Free Movie Moab Film Series**
*8:30 p.m. Swanny City Park
Screening of "Luca"*
- 6 MRAC Summer Hours Begin**
Summer Swim Lesson Signup
- 6-9 Community Visioning Workshops**
*Register to Participate at
bit.ly/MoabTomorrowTogether*
- 9 Planning Commission Meeting**
6 p.m. City Hall
- 11 ArtWalk**
5 - 8 p.m. Downtown Moab
- 14 City Council Meeting**
6 p.m. City Hall
- 16 Dispersed Parking Open House**
*Downtown Dispersed Parking
5-7 p.m. Grand Center*
- 16 Arts & Ag Market**
5-8 p.m. Swanny City Park
- 17 Free Movie Moab Film Series**
*"The Karate Kid" 9 p.m.
Swanny City Park*
- 19 Juneteenth**
- 20 City Offices Closed**
Observance of Juneteenth
- 23 Planning Commission Meeting**
6 p.m. City Hall
- 28 City Council Meeting**
6 p.m. City Hall

2022 City Council Meetings are held the second and fourth Tuesdays of the month at 6 p.m. Click [here](#) for the current meeting's agenda.

Watch the meetings live on our YouTube Channel at youtube.com/MoabCityGovernment.



Register for City Community Vision Workshops

As the City of Moab moves into the third phase of its vital community-wide project to create a vision and strategic action plan for Moab's future, all Moab residents are encouraged to participate in one of the upcoming 1-hour Community Vision Workshops, scheduled for June 6-9. Registration is available bit.ly/MoabTomorrowTogether.

In March, almost 800 residents completed the Moab – Tomorrow Together community vision survey, sharing their perspectives, hopes and concerns. In April, over 60 residents volunteered two evenings in the Community Think Tank process, helping develop preferred and expected scenarios for Moab's future.

These new Community Vision workshops are geared toward specific groups such as the arts, recreation, seniors, young professionals and business owners. Two community-wide workshops will also be held. The hour-long workshops will look at results from the project to date, and explore the preferred and expected futures for Moab in 2030 as developed at the Think-Tank. The workshops aim to build a deeper understanding of the potential future of Moab and will culminate with the Vision Survey at the end of each session.

Register for the workshops at the Moab – Tomorrow Together website. Vision survey results and the Think Tank report are also available on the website.



Business License Renewals To Be Mailed June 1

Renewal forms and any payments due must be submitted by June 30

The Moab City Treasurer's Office will be sending out business license renewals for the upcoming fiscal year 2022-2023 by June 1.

"Please be on the lookout for the renewals in your mail," said City Treasurer Marcy Mason. "If you do not receive your renewal by June 15, 2022, please email businesslicenses@moabcity.org, or call the Treasurer's office at 435-259-5123."

Completed and signed business license renewal forms must be returned to the Treasurer's Office no later than June 30, along with renewal payments (if applicable) to prevent any penalties or closure of the business license.

Downtown Dispersed Parking Community Open House

PUBLIC OPEN HOUSE

Thursday, June 16

5-7p.m. at the Grand Center, 182 North 500 West

Learn more about the proposed Downtown Dispersed Parking Project. The event will include a project overview presentation followed by time for questions, comments and discussion with the project team.

For more info: Visit the [project web page](#), call 888-556-0232, or email "subscribe" to downtowndispersedparking@gmail.com

Sustainable Moab – Agroforestry in Moab

Agroforestry is the intentional integration of trees and shrubs into crop and animal farming systems to create environmental, economic, and social benefits. This USDA definition succinctly shows that agroforestry is a holistic tool in creating sustainable systems, but what does it look like on the ground? It is cooperation between roots that aerate and stabilize soil, animals that pollinate and disperse seeds, and fungi and bacteria that cycle nutrients. Cooperative, verdant beauty.

SWAAN, or the Southwest Agroforestry Action Network, came through Moab recently and many professionals in this field shared their knowledge, their case studies, and brainstormed ideas on how to make the southwest more resilient. A field trip to various spots around Castle Valley and Moab revealed that this area is quite the role model for agroforestry in the southwest.

In Castle Valley, a marvelous orchard helps create healthy soils for grass and alfalfa. Underneath the shade of the trees, excitable baby goats feast on the undergrowth, hopping around, providing entertainment and manure. Similarly, in Moab, the Youth Garden Project orchard is guarded by chickens strutting and bawking in the shade, eating droppings from the trees, and leaving droppings of their own.



At the “old” USU campus, curb-cuts, a green infrastructure concept, allow for stormwater to flow into park strips. Non-point source pollution gets absorbed into the soil and cleaned instead of flowing into the Colorado River. This extra water reduces the culinary water demand for the trees and shrubs that are flowering and providing habitat for pollinators.

Under the shady comfort of trees, a complex web of interactions occurs between an incredible assortment of lifeforms, microscopic and macro. The spread of agroforestry in all communities is about taking advantage of these interactions and providing a resilient source of clean water, delicious fruit, happy animals, and beautiful scenery.

– Richard Lory
Moab City Sustainability VISTA

Art Events

Visit moabarts.org for info about Moab City arts events & programs.

Arts & Rec Camp

Arts & Rec Summer Camp weeks are themed to highlight cultural diversity, re-use/sustainability, nature, and science. For ages 5 to 10. **2022 Dates: June 6 through July 1.** Drop off at the MARC. Pick up at the MRAC.



Summer Camp Schedule:
Monday-Thursday 9 a.m.-4 p.m.
Friday 9 a.m. -1 p.m.

Past themes include: Inspector Gadget, Scales & Tails, Trash to Treasure, Around the World, Mad Scientist, Secret Garden, Imagination, Junior Naturalist, Let's Build!, and Time Travelers.

[Learn more and register.](#)

ArtWalk

The next Moab ArtWalk takes place June 11 from 5 to 8 p.m. Six venues will participate in the event, including the Moab Museum, Moab Bag Co., Gallery Moab, Tom Till Gallery, Moonflower Co-op, and Moab Arts at the MARC.

Arts & Ag, a Moab Market

The arts and farmers' market — Arts & Ag — continues on the first and third Thursdays of the month from 5 to 8 p.m. These events are organized by the staff of the MARC. This month's Arts & Ag Markets will be held on June 2 and June 16.

The market runs through October at Swanny City Park.



Independence Day Community Celebration 2022

Saturday, July 2
beginning at 11a.m.

Swanny City Park, 100 West & 400 East



Activities in the Park 11 a.m.-4 p.m.

Games
Volleyball
Music

Firetruck Water Spray Hourly
Watermelon Eating Contests

Donut-on-a-String Eating Contests

Food
Beer Garden
Photo Booth
DJ Music
Vendor Booths



Movie screening –

“Guardians of the Galaxy” (9 p.m.)



Activities at the Moab Recreation &
Aquatic Center

Bingo – 2-4 p.m. – Prizes!
Free swim at the pool – 11 a.m. - 7 p.m.

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