

The City of

Irondale

Build Community. Build the Future.
Mayor James D. Stewart, Jr.



COMMUNITY CHRONICLE

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“When the righteous
are in authority, the
people rejoice...”
Proverbs 29:2

COSTCO IS COMING TO IRONDALE

Mayor Stewart is proud to announce that Costco Wholesale Corporation is coming to Irondale with plans to develop a new 152,000 square-foot warehouse and self-service gas station at the southwest corner of Grants Mill Road and I-459. Costco is projected to invest over \$105 million. This project represents the most significant single economic development in Irondale since the creation of the Irondale Luxury Automall.



City Hall Happenings

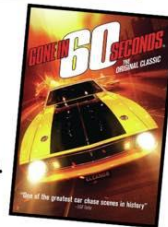
City Council Meetings
Sept. 2 and 16 | 6:00 p.m.

Message from the Mayor
September 7 | 3:00 p.m.
Tune in on Facebook!



CRUISE-IN CINEMA

September 5, 2025
Car Show Begins 6:00 p.m.
Movie Starts at Dusk



The Hill at Grants Mill Station
4514 Beacon Drive, Irondale, AL 35210
Food Trucks On-Site, FREE Popcorn & More!

FREE ADMISSION FOR CAR SHOW
PARTICIPANTS & SPECTATORS

Compete for Best in Show Awards
Bring your lawn chairs & enjoy the show!

2025 MUSIC FEST

FREE ADMISSION

IRONDALE'S 138TH BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

PRESENTED BY MAYOR JAMES D. STEWART, JR.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 2025

GATES OPEN 3:00 P.M. - SHOW STARTS 4:00 P.M.

BEACON PARK
5309 BEACON DRIVE, IRONDALE, AL 35210

PLUS
The Emily Joseph Band
The Official Clutch Band

KIM SCOTT

KEN FORD



Happy Back to School in Irondale!

We kicked off the new school year by supporting Irondale students with a Back to School Pep Rally providing families with free school supplies, community resources, and opportunities for athletes to win their spirit pack for this season.

CITIZEN ENGAGEMENT INSTITUTE

Fall Class Dates: October 2, 9, 16, 23, & 30
Graduation: November 6 | 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Apply by September 26:
www.tinyurl.com/FallCEI25

OPERATION CLEAN SWEEP

September 6 | 7:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Meet at Irondale City Hall
We will work to pick up litter along our roadways and beautify our City.



PAW-SCARS AWARDS RED CARPET AT TAILS BY THE RAILS AT ELLARD PARK

Bring your dapper dogs to walk the red carpet and win a "Paw-scar Award."

September 9 | 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
2420 Ruffner Court, Irondale, AL 35210



YO AMO IRONDALE DAY FESTIVAL

October 4 | 3:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Irondale City Hall

Enjoy Food Trucks - FREE to First 50 at Each Truck
Entertainment - Bands & Dance Groups
Children's Activities - Free Paletas
Mechanical Bull, Truck Show & More!



ARTS & CRAFTS BAZAAR

November 22 and 23

Shades Valley High School Gymnasium

Calling all Crafters, Makers, Bakers, and Small
Business Owners... Vendor Registration Open Now
Details: www.tinyurl.com/IrondaleBazaar25