



AUGUST BCCA MEETING AGENDA

DATE: Monday, August 10, 2026

TIME: 7 pm

PLACE: Join Zoom Meeting <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86508034065>

Meeting ID: 865 0803 4065 Phone: +1 253 215 8782

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Bonanza Flat Shuttle.** Utah Open Lands' Bonanza Shuttle runs Saturdays and Sundays through September 27 from the Big Cottonwood Park & Ride to Bloods Lake Trailhead and Bonanza Flat Trailhead. The Free Shuttles leave hourly on the half-hour beginning at 7:30 a.m., with the final ride down at 3:30 p.m. Scroll down for more info.
- **Chipper Days Success.** 146 Families signed up, spent 2,357 volunteer hours and \$11,354. All of this will go toward our matching grant for next year. Congrats to Brighton & Jane Martain!
- **September 12 – Revel Marathon** ▪ Rolling Road Closures ▪ 7 am-11 am
- **September 18 – Brighton Community Picnic** ▪ Milly Chalet ▪ 4:00 - 7:30 PM
Join your neighbors for an evening of food, games, music, and community connection. Bring your own entrée and a side dish or dessert to share.

MINUTES June 8, 2026

FINANCIALS Checking \$5,320.11 Savings \$21,848.44

REPORTS

- UPD Report - Detective Anna Walker
- WUI Update – Josh Melara-Utah Forestry, Fire, and State Lands
- Resort Reports - Kim Doyle (Brighton) and Nick Sieckowski (Solitude)
 - Town Report - Lise Brunhart
 - Brighton Institute Report - Barbara Cameron (website: [BRIGHTON INSTITUTE](https://www.brightoninstitute.com))
- Other



BCCA MEETING MINUTES

Monday, June 8, 2026

ATTENDANCE Don Despain, Donna Conway, Lise Brunhart, Tom Loken, Steve Pantuso, Lisa Sommer, Dena Hull, Kelly Lether, Laura Bossard, Helen Hooper, Kathy Anderson, Jane Martain, Carolyn Keigley, Barbara Cameron

MINUTES - The June 8, 2026 Minutes were approved as submitted. Notes from the May Firewise Meeting were also included.

FINANCIALS - Checking \$649.47 Savings \$29,8436.30

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Airport Tour The ACCT/BCCA Airport Tour on My 14 was inspiring. It's a great opportunity for families, scouts, or community groups. To schedule, contact Jasen Asay (Jasen.Asay@slc.gov). Airport tours must be scheduled for Wednesdays at 9 a.m. or 2 p.m. They last for about 2 hours. The minimum number of participants is five; the maximum number is 20. The minimum age requirement is 10 years old. All participants must wear closed-toe shoes (very important). No hats, backpacks, large purses, or headphones are allowed.
- BDA Restoration - The Willow Heights Beaver Dam Analogs (BDA) have been restored, thanks to the 19 volunteers from Cottonwood Canyons Foundation and locals: Nick Sieckowski, Katherine Ladig, Marcus Hall and Lise and Ulrich Brunhart. In total, 108 hours of manual labor were devoted to restoring the BDA's in one day!
- June 18 – Teahouse Trekking in the High Himalaya – Join photographer Kathy McKellar and Andy Agardy to see their story of trekking the trails in the Khumbu region of Nepal. Fire Station - 6 pm.
- July 4 – Brighton Breakfast & Parade – Breakfast at Milly Chalet served from 8-10 am. Parade begins at 10 am. Parade Order: 10 am-Vehicles and Floats (once around Loop/no candy throwing) followed by Candy Razors (candy throwing encouraged). 10:30 am-Bicycles and Walkers (candy throwing optional). Brighton Loop will be closed to all traffic from 9:45 – 11 am
- July 11 & 12 – Brighton Days & Wasatch Wildflower Festival – July 11 at Brighton Resort; July 12 at Solitude Resort, both 9 am-2 pm.
- July 20 – Chipper Days begin. Sign up here for Chipper Days
- September 12 – Revel Marathon

REPORTS

■ **UPD Update.** Detective Anna Walker was out of town, so Barbara read her report: During the month of May 2026, the Unified Police Department responded to 187 calls for service in the Town of Brighton. Most notably, there were 13 reports of suspicious circumstances, three incidents of trespassing, and one report of theft. Officers located two missing persons, and they were involved in two Search & Rescue operations. They also performed 23 motorist/citizen assists. Officers performed 73 traffic stops and issued 59 citations for speeding, improper passing, and reckless driving. Additionally, Officers investigated 17 parking complaints and issued 30 parking tickets.

■ **Town Update.** Lise Brunhart reported that the budget for fiscal year 2026-2027 will be approved at the next Town Council meeting on June 9 after a public hearing. Fire restrictions include No Campfires in Short-term rentals; they are allowed at homes with running water available unless Stage 2 restrictions are implemented. The Cardiff to Brighton Community Trail is in conceptual stages with council members each assigned to different segments. They will be contacting residents in each segment. Road paving is happening on Mountain Sun Lane, Moose Track Lane, and in Forest Glen. A Watershed Restoration EIS was issued today by the US Forest Service. Adam Shaw, District Ranger, will conduct a public open house meeting on June 16 at 6 pm at the Fire Station to get public input. Everyone is invited to comment in-person or online. Lise was recently appointed to be the WFWRD liaison. A new town website was launched...suggestions welcome.

■ Resort Updates

Solitude. Nick Seickowski reported that the Big Cottonwood Brewfest at Solitude will take place from 1 pm –7 pm, featuring beer, kombucha, cider and cold brew coffee. Solitude has been open on weekends since May22 for biking, scenic lift rides and disc golf. Honeycomb Grill is open and expanding to 7 days/week by July 4th weekend. St. Bernards breakfast is open with a 50% discount for locals. Brighton. Kim Doyle reported that Crest Lift will open June 19 for the weekends only, until more snow melts. They are participating in the Human Outreach Project (HOP) Program by providing free lift tickets, as is Solitude Resort. Brighton will host the 4th of July Breakfast and the Brighton Days & Wasatch Wildflower Festival on July 11. Solitude will host the Festival on July 12.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:35 pm. There will be no July meeting. The next meeting will be August 10, 2026

Free Shuttle to Bonanza Flat

Wasatch Front residents now have a free way to reach Bonanza Flat Conservation Area without driving all the way to the trailhead. Utah Open Lands' Bonanza Shuttle runs Saturdays and Sundays through September 27 from the Big Cottonwood Park & Ride at [3865 Cottonwood Canyon Road](#) to Bloods Lake Trailhead and Bonanza Flat Trailhead. **Shuttles leave hourly on the half-hour beginning at 7:30 a.m., with the final ride down at 3:30 p.m.** Each shuttle carries up to 11 passengers and seven bikes, first come, first served. The pilot is designed to reduce individual car trips, ease parking pressure, lower emissions, and support better stewardship of this beloved protected landscape. The shuttle is made possible with support from Salt Lake City, the Town of Brighton, and the Central Wasatch Commission, with service provided by Utah Mountain Shuttle. [View the full schedule and rider information.](#)

FREE SHUTTLE TO BONANZA FLAT CONSERVATION AREA

Utah Open Lands' Bonanza Shuttle



July 18 - September 27



Saturdays + Sundays



7:30 AM - 3:30 PM



Pickup: Big Cottonwood Park & Ride



11 seats + 7 bike slots per shuttle



First come, first served



Scan for full schedule

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