

# The Beloit Report

"To Become a Place Anyone Could Proudly Call Home for a Lifetime"

# SEPTEMBER 21, 2018

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### **CURRENT EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES**

#### **CITY MANAGER'S ACTIVITIES**

- Participated in the United Way "Day of Caring."
- Took part in the ribbon cutting for Elm Grove Estates at 2641 Kadlec Street.
- Participated in the Police Department's promotion ceremony for David Elrod, promoted to Lieutenant of Patrol and Jon Ammeson, promoted to Sergeant of Patrol.
- Met one on one with direct reports.
- Continued finalizing the recommended operating and capital budgets for 2019.
- Held annual business retention and expansion visits.

#### CITY OF BELOIT ACCEPTING FALL TREE PLANTING REQUESTS

The City of Beloit Parks and Recreation Division is currently accepting requests from residents for terrace trees to be planted this fall.

The terrace tree species selection will be determined by the city forestry supervisor while taking into account the size of the terrace, presence of utilities and exotic invasive insects. Trees will be planted on a first-come, first-served basis, as a limited supply is available. The request deadline is September 21, 2018. To be placed on the list, please call City of Beloit Parks & Recreation at 608-364-2929.

#### **RIBBON CUTTING - BIG HILL BIKE PATH EXTENSION**

The City of Beloit Parks and Recreation Division is hosting a ribbon cutting on the newest phase of the bike path in Big Hill Park. The bike path is the second phase of a path that was installed in 2016. The trail extension adds a better connection to roads within Big Hill Park and allows cyclists to avoid biking on a portion of Afton Road when going between Janesville and Beloit. The public is welcome to attend the ribbon cutting on **Thursday, September 27, 2018 at 2:30 p.m.** in the lower level of Big Hill Park, 1201 Big Hill Court. Cyclists are encouraged to bring their bikes while participating in the ribbon cutting. A quorum of the Beloit City Council may be in attendance.

### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

The City of Beloit will submit its 2019 Annual Action Plan and list of projects funded with 2019 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds to the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) on or before November 15, 2018, or at such a date thereafter prescribed by HUD. Attached is the complete public notice including a list of actions and activities that will take place on the proposed allocation of \$550,000 in new 2019 CDBG funds and approximately \$168,000 in CDBG program income.

### 2018-2019 INDOOR ADULT VOLLEYBALL SEASON

The City of Beloit Parks and Recreation Division is accepting registration for the 2018 - 2019 Indoor Adult Volleyball Season. Team registration fee is \$190. All leagues will play a 14 game/ week regular season followed by a seeded, single elimination tournament. Coed and Women's leagues will be played at Aldrich School and Men's will be played at Fruzen School. The season will begin the week of October 22, 2018. For more information, including a registration form, please see attached.

### CITY MEETING CALENDAR - SEPTEMBER 24 - 28, 2018

Monday, September 24 Cancelled Traffic Review Committee (S. Blakeley) Cancelled Police and Fire Commission Monday, September 24 Wed., September 26 8:00 a.m. Visit Beloit Board of Directors (M. Preuschl) Wed., September 26 Community Development Authority, Forum (K. Leavy and N. Forbeck) 4:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 27 <u>Downtown Beloit Association Board Meeting</u>, 25 Eclipse Center (B. Jacobsen) 8:30 a.m. Thursday, Sept. 27 2:30 p.m. Ribbon Cutting at Big Hill Bike Path (All Councilors Invited) Thursday, Sept. 27 4:00 p.m. Ribbon Cutting at Culver's for Literacy (R. Dunkin)

### **UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS**

This is just a sample of events coming up in Beloit. A more complete listing is available on the Visit Beloit website: <a href="https://www.visitbeloit.com">www.visitbeloit.com</a>

Saturdays May - October	Dow	nto	wn	Bel	oit F	arme	's'	Market, 8:00 -	1:00 p.	<b>m.</b> ever	y Sat	urday	from	Ma	y 5	
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through October 27, 2018. Rain or shine, more than 100 vendors. Meet us at State and

Grand, and in the Mill Street Parking Lot.

Fridays, through Sept. 21 Fridays in the Park, Downtown Beloit. From 11:30 - 1:30 p.m., enjoy lunch and live

music at First National Bank Plaza. Lunch is available to purchase for \$7.

Friday, Sept. 21 Downtown Beloit's Fifth Annual Oktoberfest, 300 block of State Street.

Oktoberfest-themed costume contest for best couple, cutest kid, and individuals. Face painting, balloon animals, Hammerschlagen all night long. Adults, \$5; Kids (4-12) \$1;

Kids under 4, Free. Poster attached.

8:00 a.m. Sidewalk Sales

11:30 - 1:30 p.m. Fridays in the Park - Lunch and music

5:30 - 7:30 p.m. Zweifel Brothers

8:00 - 11:00 p.m. Cold Sweat & the Brew City Horns

Saturday, Sept. 22 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. Cookout with the Cops, hosted by Beloit Police Department. The Police

Department will be cooking hotdogs and invite the public to hang out with them. Park location to be named on Saturday, Sept. 22, watch their Facebook page! https://

www.facebook.com/BeloitPolice1/

Thursday, Sept. 27 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. Fries with Firefighters, hosted by the City of Beloit Fire Department and Beloit's

Literacy for Life Initiative, Culver's, 2676 Cranston Road. Read with a firefighter!

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This notice is to inform the public that the following actions and activities will take place on the proposed allocation of \$550,000 in new 2019 CDBG funds and approximately \$168,000 in CDBG program income:

- 9-26-2018 at 4:30pm in the Forum at Beloit City Hall: CDA Recommendation.
   The Community Development Authority (CDA) will review the 2019 Annual Action
   Plan and proposed 2019 CDBG budget allocations and approve a recommendation to
   City Council.
- 10-1-2018 through 10-31-2018: 30-day Public Review Period.

During the 30-day public review period, the 2019 Annual Action Plan and 2019 CDBG Budget will be available for public review and comment in the Community Development Department, Third Floor, City Hall, 100 State Street, between 8:00 AM and 5:00 PM, Monday through Friday, and at the Beloit Public Library during normal business hours. The Annual Plan and CDBG Budget will also be available on the City's website at <a href="https://www.beloitwi.gov">www.beloitwi.gov</a> under City Departments - Community Development.

- 10-15-2018 at 7:00pm in the Forum at Beloit City Hall: Public Hearing.

  A public hearing on the proposal will be held during the City Council meeting.
- 11-5-2018 at 7:00pm in the Forum at Beloit City Hall: Final Approval.

  The City Council will take final action on the proposal during the City Council meeting.

For further information or to submit comments, contact Teri Downing in the Community Development Department at (608)364-6705 or by email at downingt@beloitwi.gov.

### Published:

September 21, 2018 City Website
September 21, 2018 Beloit Daily News
September 23, 2018 Stateline News



### City of Beloit, Wisconsin

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# Adult Volleyball League Info!

September, 2018

Dear Volleyball Managers,

It is finally time to think "indoor volleyball"! The City of Beloit, Parks & Recreation is now accepting registration for the 2018-2019 Indoor Adult Volleyball Season. Team Registration Fee ONLY **\$190**! All leagues will play a 14 game/week regular season followed by a seeded, single elimination tournament. Coed and Women's leagues will be played at Aldrich School and Men's will be played at Fruzen School. The season will begin the week of October 22, 2018.

Registration will be open to new and returning teams on a first come-first served basis through October 12<sup>th</sup>, 2018. Team Schedules will be available on <a href="www.teamsideline.com/beloit">www.teamsideline.com/beloit</a> on Wednesday, October 17<sup>th</sup>. The following leagues will be offered:

Monday Coed (Divisions A, B, C and D)
Tuesday Coed (Divisions A, B, C and D)
Wednesday Women's (Divisions A, B, C and D)
Wednesday Men's (Divisions A, B, C and D)
Thursday Coed (Divisions A, B, C and D)

Team Registration Form and Roster is attached. Complete rules, regulations, and organizational information available at the Recreation Office. If you have further questions or comments, please feel free to call (608) 364-2890 Ext 2, or email <a href="waites@beloitwi.gov">waites@beloitwi.gov</a> Office hours are Monday through Friday from 8:00 AM-4:00 PM, 2351 Springbrook Ct., Beloit, WI, 53511.

We look forward to your participation in our 2018-2019 Adult Indoor Volleyball Season!

Sincerely,

Spencer Waite, Recreation Supervisor



## City of Beloit Parks & Recreation Indoor Adult Volleyball League Team Registration Form/Roster

Please mark one of the following leagues offered:

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	WED @ FRUZEN	THURSDAY			
Coed A	Coed A	Women's A	Men's A	Coed A			
Coed B	Coed B	Women's B	Men's B	Coed B			
Coed C	Coed C	Women's C	Men's C	Coed C			
Coed D	Coed D	Women's D	Men's D	Coed D			
guidelines: A Leagu B Leagu C Leagu	ue Teams- Highly ue Teams- Compo ue Teams- Fun, s	competitive, play sevetitive, 3 hits, have plative for 3 hits, differen	reral nights a week all ayed together in organ ent levels of ability cipated any organized p	year long ized play			
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I fully understand that all league fees are non-refundable or transferable, regardless of the circumstances. I further understand that all fees will be forfeited to the league should my team drop out for any reason.							
Team Manage	• • •			 Date			

### BELOIT PARKS & RECREATION ADULT SPORT LEAGUE ROSTER FORM

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#### PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

### NOTICE OF MEETING CANCELLATION

To:

All Traffic Review Committee Members and other Interested Parties

From:

Jason Dupuis, Transportation Engineer

Date:

September 17, 2018

RE:

Meeting Cancellation

The upcoming Traffic Review Committee meeting which was scheduled for Monday, September 24, 2018 has been cancelled. At this time, there are not enough agenda items for a meeting. Our next meeting is scheduled to be held on October 22, 2018.

Please feel free to contact me at 364-6735 if you should have any questions.

Jason Dupuis, P.E.

Transportation Engineer

City of Beloit



# PUBLIC NOTICE & AGENDA POLICE & FIRE COMMISSION City Hall Forum - 100 State Street, Beloit, WI 53511 5:30 PM Monday, September 24, 2018

### MEETING CANCELLATION

The regular meeting of the Police and Fire Commission scheduled for September 24, 2018 at 5:30 p.m. has been canceled due to lack of business items.

\*\* Please note that, upon reasonable notice, at least 24 hours in advance, efforts will be made to accommodate the needs of disabled individuals through appropriate aids and services. For additional information to request this service, please contact the City Clerk's Office at 364-6680, 100 State Street, Beloit, WI 53511.

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# PUBLIC NOTICE & AGENDA COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY City Hall Forum - 100 State Street, Beloit, WI 53511 4:30 PM

Wednesday, September 26, 2018

- CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL
- PUBLIC COMMENT
- MINUTES
  - 3.a. Consider approval of the Minutes of the regular meeting held on August 29, 2018

    Attachment
- BELOIT HOUSING AUTHORITY
  - 4.a. Presentation of the August Activity Report (Cole)
    Attachment
  - 4.b. Presentation of the July Financial Report (Cole)
    Attachment
  - 4.c. Consideration of Resolution 2018-14 Approving the 2019 Beloit Housing Authority Operating Budget (Cole)
     Attachment
- COMMUNITY AND HOUSING SERVICES.
  - Consideration of Resolution 2018-15 Recommending Approval of the 2019 Community Development Block Grant Budget and 2019 Annual Plan (Downing)
     Attachment
  - 5.b. Consideration of Resolution 2018-16 Recommending Approval of the 2019 Home Investment Partnerships Program (HOME) Budget (Christensen)

    Attachment
- ADJOURNMENT
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## DOWNTOWN BELOIT ASSOCIATION BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

### **AGENDA**

A meeting of the Downtown Beloit Association's Board of Directors will be held

### Thursday, September 27, 2018 at 8:30 am

at DBA Office, 25 Eclipse Center Beloit, WI 53511.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2018

- 1. Call to Order and Roll Call
- 2. Review and Approval of August 23, 2018 Meeting Minutes
- 3. Review and Approval of August Financials
- 4. Review and Approval of 2019 Budget
- 5. Discussion Regarding DBA Office Location
- 6. Updates
  - a. Promotions
    - i. Farmers' Market
    - ii. Fridays in the Park
    - iii. Ornament Contest
    - iv. Oktoberfest Recap
    - v. Fall Wine Walk
  - b. Economic Vitality
    - i. Business/Property Owner Meeting
    - ii. Business Updates
  - c. Design
    - i. Grants
- 7. Executive Director's Report
- 8. Adjourn

**Attachments:** 

Minutes

**Financials** 

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# LIVE MUSIC | BEER TENT FOOD & MORE!







ADULTS: \$5 KIDS (4-12): \$1 KIDS UNDER 4: FREE

SIDEWALK SALES START AT 8 AM
ZWEIFEL BROTHERS 5:30-7:30 PM
COLD SWEAT & THE BREW CITY HORNS 8:00-11:00 PM

Oktoberfest-Themed Costume Contest for Best Couple, Cutest Kid, and Individuals Face Painter & Balloon Animalist • Playing Hammerschlagen All Night Long

Lunch will be provided by Zen Sushi and Grill with Music by Zweifel Brothers from 11:30 am-1:30 pm at First National Bank & Trust Co. Plaza















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