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CURRENT EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

CITY MANAGER'S ACTIVITIES

- Participated in an interview for Northwest Quarterly Magazine
- Met with Department Heads and various direct reports for updates
- Participated in the United Way “Live United” Celebration
- Attended the Home2 Suites Ribbon Cutting
- Met with City Councilor Nancy Forbeck
- Met with U.S. Representative for Wisconsin’s 2nd congressional district, Mark Pocan and his staff
- Met with School District of Beloit leadership to discuss sports and recreation programming

NEIGHBORHOOD REVITALIZATION STRATEGY AREA MEETING

A Neighborhood Revitalization Strategy Area (NRSA) neighborhood meeting has been scheduled for the following date:

Hackett Neighborhood

March 27, 2019 from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Lincoln Center (Beloit Historical Society), 845 Hackett Street

The purpose of the neighborhood meeting is to solicit public input on the needs of the neighborhood, from which goals and strategies will be developed and incorporated in the City’s 2020-2024 Consolidated Plan and Neighborhood Revitalization Area (NRSA) Plan for the use of Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funding. The public is encouraged to attend. A quorum of City Councilors or other City Committees, Boards, and Commissions may be present. No official business will take place. See [attached](#) Public Notice.

SLOW-NO-WAKE DECLARED ON ROCK RIVER

As of March 20, 2019, the Rock County Sheriff’s Office declared the entire Rock River under a slow-no-wake restriction. Deputies will place slow-no-wake signs along the river at all public access points between the northern Rock County line to the Indianford Dam.

I-39/90 EXPANSION PROJECT

All I-39/90 traffic near Beloit has shifted onto the southbound side from Cranston Road to the Illinois state line. Two lanes remain open in each direction separated by a median barrier wall.

All I-43 traffic is located on southbound side (County X/Hart Road to I-39/90) until mid-August 2019. One lane is open in each direction on I-43, separated by a median barrier wall.

Colley Road under I-39/90, near Beloit, remains CLOSED until summer 2019.

Be alert in construction areas, don’t tailgate, and observe set speed limits. Stay informed: Sign up for project email notifications at <https://www.i39-90.wi.gov> and click on the “Sign Up for Updates” tab.

APRIL 2, 2019 SPRING ELECTION

Absentee ballots are available from the City Clerk-Treasurer's office. You may request an absentee ballot in one of two ways:

1. Request by mail/email/fax.
2. Request in person at the City Clerk-Treasurer's office.

Deadline for returning absentee ballots: Your completed absentee ballot must be delivered to the City Clerk's office at 100 State Street, Beloit, WI no later than 8 p.m. on Election Day. The U.S. Postal Service recommends absentee ballots be mailed one week before Election Day to arrive in time.

The last day to vote an absentee ballot in the Clerk's office is March 29, 2019 (Photo ID is required). You may not vote by absentee and in person at your polling place on Election Day. Any attempt to do so is considered voter fraud, which is a Class I felony.

For more information, click here: <https://tinyurl.com/ybevcnug>

CITY MEETING CALENDAR — MARCH 25 - 29, 2019

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| Monday, March 25 | Cancelled | Traffic Review Committee (S. Blakeley) |
| Monday, March 25 | 5:30 p.m. | Police and Fire Commission , Forum |
| Wednesday, March 27 | 8:00 a.m. | Visit Beloit Board Meeting and Strategic Plan Workshop (M. Preuschl) |
| Wednesday, March 27 | 4:30 p.m. | Community Development Authority , Forum (K. Leavy and N. Forbeck) |
| Wednesday, March 27 | 6:00 p.m. | NRSA Hackett Neighborhood Meeting , Beloit Historical Society, 845 Hackett St. (All Councilors Invited) |
| Thursday, March 28 | 8:30 a.m. | Downtown Beloit Association Board Meeting (B. Jacobsen) |

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:

www.visitbeloit.com

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| March 27 | 6:00 p.m. | Neighborhood Revitalization Strategy Area Meeting , Hackett Neighborhood, Lincoln Center (Beloit Historical Society), 845 Hackett Street. A quorum of City Councilors or members of other City Committees, Boards and Commissions may be present. No official business will take place. |
| March 28 | 6:00 p.m. | Fries with Firefighters , Culver's, 2676 Cranston Rd., Beloit |
| March 30 | | Mushing for Meals , 10K/5K Run/Walk to benefit Beloit Meals on Wheels. Registration limited to the first 250 participants. For more information: https://mushingformeals.itsyourrace.com/event.aspx?id=6750 |
| April 13 | 2:00 - 5:00 p.m. | Spring Wine Walk , Downtown Beloit. Sip, walk and shop your way through historic downtown Beloit. Taste a variety of wines at 17 venues! This event has traditionally been a sell-out, so make sure to get your tickets early. |



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PUBLIC NOTICE

Members of the City Council and other City Committees, Boards, and Commissions were invited to attend the following neighborhood meetings in Beloit, WI. A quorum of members of City Council, or other City Committees, Boards, and Commissions may be present. No official business will take place.

The purpose of the neighborhood meetings is to solicit public input on the needs of the two neighborhoods; from which, goals and strategies will be developed and incorporated into City's 2020-2024 Consolidated Plan and Neighborhood Revitalization Areas (NRSA) Plan for the use of Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funding.

Date: Wednesday, March 13, 2019
Time: 6:00PM – 8:00PM
Location: Merrill Community Center, 1428 Wisconsin Ave.

Date: Wednesday, March 27, 2019
Time: 6:00PM – 8:00PM
Location: Lincoln Center (Beloit Historical Society), 845 Hackett St.

Approved:
Teri Downing, Director of Community and Housing Services

Dated: March 7, 2019

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CANCELLED
PUBLIC NOTICE & AGENDA
TRAFFIC REVIEW COMMITTEE
Utilities and Engineering - 2400 Springbrook Ct, Beloit, WI
1:30 PM
Monday, March 25, 2019

MEETING CANCELLATION

The upcoming Traffic Review Committee meeting which was scheduled for Monday, March 25, 2019 has been cancelled. At this time, there are not enough agenda items for a meeting. The next meeting is scheduled to take place on April 22, 2019.

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**PUBLIC NOTICE & AGENDA
POLICE & FIRE COMMISSION
City Hall Forum - 100 State Street, Beloit, WI 53511
5:30 PM
Monday, March 25, 2019**

1. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL
2. MINUTES
 - 2.a. Approval of the February 25, 2019 meeting minutes
[Attachment](#)
3. PUBLIC COMMENTS
4. REPORTS
 - 4.a. Fire Department Report
 - 4.b. Police Department Report
 - 4.c. PFC Staff Report
5. COMMISSIONER COMMENTS
6. CLOSED SESSION

The Commission may adjourn into Closed Session pursuant to §19.85(1)(c), Wis. Stats. for the purpose of considering employment, promotion, compensation, or performance evaluation of any public employee over whom the governmental body has jurisdiction or exercises responsibility, more specifically, to discuss the following matters. The Commission will reconvene into Open Session for possible action regarding the matters discussed in closed session.

 - 6.a. Fire Department - Update on Probationary Employees (No formal commission action to be taken)
 - i. Deputy Fire Chief Probationary Update
 - ii. Assistant Fire Chief Probationary Update
 - 6.b. Fire Department - Promotions
 - i. Promotion of a Relief Motor Pump Operator to Motor Pump Operator
 - ii. Promotion of a Firefighter/Paramedic to Relief Motor Pump Operator

7. ADJOURNMENT

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**PUBLIC NOTICE & AGENDA
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY
City Hall Forum - 100 State Street, Beloit, WI 53511
4:30 PM
Wednesday, March 27, 2019**

1. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL
2. PUBLIC COMMENT
3. MINUTES
 - 3.a. Consideration of the minutes of the regular meeting held on February 27, 2019
[Attachment](#)
4. BELOIT HOUSING AUTHORITY
 - 4.a. Presentation of the February Activity Report (Cole)
[Attachment](#)
 - 4.b. Consideration of Resolution 2019-05 Approving the Over-Income Policy (Cole)
[Attachment](#)
5. COMMUNITY AND HOUSING SERVICES
 - 5.a. Public Hearing and Presentation of the 2018 Consolidated Annual Performance Report (CAPER) (Downing)
[Attachment](#)
 - 5.b. Update on the Analysis of Impediments to Fair Housing (Christensen)
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