August 21, 2020

Beloit Report



Election Workers Needed

Do you want to give back to your community? We are in need of extra help this election as we try to protect those poll workers who are vulnerable to the impacts of COVID-19.

Learn more about becoming an election worker.



Rock County Impaired Driving Task Force

The Rock County Impaired Driving Enforcement Task Force will deploy on the following dates:

- Friday, August 21
- Saturday, August 22
- Friday, August 28
- Friday, September 4
- Saturday, September 5
- Monday, September 7
- Friday, September 18
- Saturday, September 19

The goal of this enforcement is to encourage drivers to make an alternative plan so they don't drive while drunk or high. "Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over."

Learn more



Temporary Sign Permit Enforcement Resumes

The City of Beloit's Planning & Building Services Division resumed enforcement of the temporary sign permit requirement after waiving the requirement from March to August due to COVID-19.

A temporary sign permit is required to display a banner or other temporary sign to advertise a special event or sale. The permit fee is \$30 and is valid for 30 days.

Learn more

Beloit Baseball Stadium

Progress is being made on the new downtown baseball stadium, and we are looking forward to the 2021 Beloit Snappers season!



Sidewalk supervisors can watch the stadium construction in real time via a camera installed on the City of Beloit water tower. Access the camera from the Snappers website or <u>here</u>.

Learn more



Beloit Transit System Proposed Route Changes

The City of Beloit Transit System completed development of a Transit Development Plan (TDP) that proposes to implement major route changes to Beloit's public transit bus route system.

The 30 day public review and comment period goes through 9/1/2020. The full TDP with new proposed routes is available for public review and comment on the City's website.

Learn more





Beloit Counts. You Count. Shape Your Future! Please respond to the Census

The U.S. Census informed us they will be doing their enumerating campaign here in Beloit on August 22 - 23.

Census takers will wear masks and follow local public health guidelines when they visit your home.

Census takers are hired from our area, and their goal is to help you and everyone in your home be counted in the 2020 Census. If the census taker who visits your home does not speak your language, you may request a return visit from a census taker who does speak your language.

Census takers work between 9am and 9pm, including weekends. If no one is home when the census taker visits, the census taker will leave a notice of their visit with information about how to respond online, by phone or by mail.

If you respond online or by phone today, a census taker is less likely to have to visit your home to collect your response.

If someone visits your home, make sure they have a valid ID badge with their photo, a US Dept. of Commerce watermark, and an expiration date. Census workers may also carry Census Bureau bags and other equipment with the Census Bureau logo.

The Beloit Public Library is now open for the use of computers. The Census questionnaire takes about 10 minutes to complete.

Learn more

Calling for Volunteers!

We are looking for a few volunteers to serve on our City Boards, Committees and Commissions. Learn about our current vacancies and <u>download the application on the city's website</u>. Have questions? Contact Pam Lathrop at lathropp@beloitwi.gov or call 608-364-6614.

City Meetings

All public meeting agendas and minutes are posted online at <u>www.beloitwi.gov.</u> Call in information is included on each agenda.

- Monday, August 24, Cancelled -Traffic Review Committee
- Monday, August 24, 4:30 p.m. -Police and Fire Commission
- Wednesday, August 26, 4:30 p.m. -Community Development Authority
- Thursday, August 27, 8:30 a.m. -Downtown Beloit Association

See agenda's for information on providing public comments and how to participate in open sessions via phone.

We're Hiring

The City of Beloit is hiring for various positions. Job openings and applications can be found online at <u>www.beloitwi.gov</u>. Equal Opportunity Employer.

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