November 6, 2020

Beloit Report



Veterans Day, observed annually on November 11, is a tribute to military veterans who have served in the U.S. Armed Forces. Veterans Day is a day to honor all military veterans, including those still with us.

To all of our Veterans: We salute you and thank you for your service!



Council President Thanks Election Workers, Voters and Staff

Countless hours are invested in each election process. Council President Regina Dunkin thanks everyone involved in the recent election - especially the voters, election workers and city employees.

Learn more



Broad Street Bridge Repair

Work is scheduled to begin on the Broad Street Bridge on Monday, November 9 through November 20. This will be a partial depth concrete repair across the deck area to address the spalling loose concrete. Passersby may have noticed the marking paint on the bridge since July; the total work will cover approximately 715 sq. ft.

The "bridge" is actually 2 adjacent, independent structures, of which the northeast (northbound) one will be closed during construction. The southwest bridge (southbound) will be divided, leaving one lane in each direction. Pedestrian traffic will be directed to the west sidewalk. Traffic control will begin today (11/6) and chipping concrete will start Monday (11/9). The project is expected to finish within 2 weeks (11/20).

Detour Alert!

From November 11 - 13, Henry Avenue will be closed between Morse & Glen Avenues for water main



connections. A truck detour will be posted using Park Avenue, White Avenue, and Riverside Drive.



Beloit Winter Farmers' Market

The Beloit Winter Farmers' Market will take place on Saturday's from November - April, starting this Saturday, November 7, 2020.

Location: Downtown Beloit Association 557 E. Grand Ave. Time: 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

There will be 17 vendors and a limited number of shoppers allowed. Masks are required.

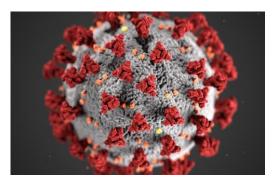
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Grand Lighted Holiday Parade (In Reverse)

Enjoy the 28th Annual Downtown Lighted Holiday Parade in reverse! On Friday, November 27th from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. the public is invited to drive through the Third Street parking lot to view the floats.

Float applications are now available, with cash prizes. Contact <u>crystal@downtownbeloit.com</u> for an application.



Free COVID-19 Testing

The Rock County Public Health Department and Rock County Emergency Management have partnered with Blackhawk Technical College and the Wisconsin National Guard to offer free COVID-19 testing for the community.

Free COVID-19 testing will be available weekly on Wednesdays and Thursdays from 11 a.m. - 7 p.m. each day at Blackhawk Technical College - Central Campus, 6004 South County Highway G, Janesville, WI. Supplies are limited to 900 tests per week; testing is as supplies are available.

The first day of testing was October 21st and the last day of testing will be December 10th.

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.

- November 9: Appointment Review Committee, 4:30 p.m.
- November 10: Alcohol Beverage License Control Committee, Cancelled
- November 10: Board of Appeals, 7:00 p.m.
- November 11: Park, Recreation & Conservation Advisory Commission -Cancelled

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.



