June 4, 2021

Beloit Report

Beloit City Council Meeting June 7, 2021



City Council Meeting Monday, June 7 -7:00 p.m. - City Hall Forum

City Council has returned to in-person meetings. Social distancing and face coverings are required of all in attendance and space will be limited. Public Comment will be accepted for any public hearing item by submitting an email to <u>PublicComment@beloitwi.gov</u> by 12:00 noon on Monday, June 7, 2021.

Learn more



Heat Wave

Temperatures are expected to climb in the coming week.

People needing to cool off are welcome to stop at the Beloit Public Library, 605 Eclipse Blvd, 9:30 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. Monday - Thursday and 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday.

While there, cooling refreshments can be purchased at the Blender Cafe, Mon - Fri., 7:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Face coverings are still required at the Beloit Public Library.



Splash Pads in Vernon, Summit Parks

FREE splash pads are now available in the following parks from 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. daily:

- Vernon Park 934 Vernon Ave.
- Summit Park 1218 Henry Ave.

The City of Beloit encourages individuals to social distance while using the splash pads. Splash pads are unsupervised; play at your own risk.

Learn more

FREE Fun Weekend

This weekend, June 5 & 6, Wisconsin State



Park admission fees, fishing licenses and trail passes are waived.

All Wisconsin state parks are open from 6 a.m. to 11 p.m.

Learn more



Krueger Pool Opens June 12, 2021

Krueger Pool is set to open for the season on Saturday, June 12. Reservations will be required this year due to COVID-19.

Pool capacity will be limited to 75 people per session.

Learn more



Household Hazardous Clean Sweep Rock County Residents Only

A Clean Sweep event will be held on:

Saturday, June 26, 2021 9 - 11 a.m. City of Beloit Department of Public Works 2351 Springbrook Ct.

Clean Sweep is an annual drop-off for hazardous chemicals from homes, farms, and eligible businesses. Due to high demand, advance registration is required.

Call 608-754-6617 Ext. 3 or email mary.kubiak@co.rock.wi.us

Learn more



Beloit Police, Community Action Holding Neighborhood Gatherings

The City of Beloit Police Department is partnering with Community Action to hold gatherings to help build a safer community, unify neighborhoods, and work together to stop violence from occurring in our city.

Hot dogs, chips and water will be provided

The events will be held:

- Vernon Park, 6-7:30 p.m., Tuesday, June 15
- Summit Park, 6-7:30 p.m., Wednesday, June 16

To help encourage neighborhood participation, splash pad hours will extend to 7:30 p.m. in each park on the day of the event.

Learn more



Garbage Truck Naming Contest

Take a survey to choose the name you feel would best fit one of our City of Beloit garbage trucks.

There are 4 names to choose from, submitted by Beloit children.

Learn more



Nine & Dine

Looking for a Friday Night Date Night idea? Join us on Friday, June 18th at Krueger Haskell Golf Course for "Nine and Dine."

Cost: \$61/couple Shotgun start at 5 p.m. Cost includes: 9 holes of golf with cart, dinner for 2 at the clubhouse (Putterz Pub), 2 drink tickets.

Sign up deadline: Thursday, June 17th

Sign up at the Krueger-Haskell Clubhouse counter or call 608-362-6503.

Learn more



4th of July Bike Parade

On July 4th, bring your bike, scooter or hot wheels to the Bike Parade at Riverside Park, Harry Moore Pavilion! Registered participants will receive a bike decorating kit. At 9:30 a.m. on July 4th, all participants will parade around the lagoon to show off their decorated "wheels."

FREE event open to City of Beloit residents ages 4 - 12. You MUST reserve a spot by calling City of Beloit Parks and Recreation Office at 608-364-2890.

Learn more

Click It or Ticket Seat Belt Initiative -May 24 - June 6

The City of Beloit Police Department has joined thousands of law enforcement agencies for this year's "Click It or Ticket" seat belt campaign.



Make sure everyone in your vehicle wears a seat belt! Drivers can be cited for every unbuckled passenger in their vehicle.

Learn more



Beloit Farmers' Market - 9 am - Noon

Start your Saturday at the Beloit Farmers' Market on State and Grand! Over 70 vendors with produce, flowers, cheese and more! Visit the Downtown Beloit Association website for a full list of vendors.

Learn more



BELOIT DIRTY DASH FAMILY MUD RUN I AUGUST 21 2021 I BIG HILL PARK Beloit Dirty Dash - Volunteers Needed!

This beloved event will return to Big Hill Park on August 21, 2021. Registration opened on May 18, 2021. Registration will be taken over the phone at 608-364-2890.

Splash in the mud, run in nature, and build family memories of fun and laughter. Beloit residents can gather their whole family/household to participate in this year's Beloit Dirty Dash. This favorite event is adding a few new twists to have fun while staying safe from COVID-19.

Volunteers are needed! They will be provided a T-shirt and snacks. For more information contact Debbie Kraus at 608-364-2875 or email at krausd@beloitwi.gov.

Learn more

Rock County Impaired Driving Task Force

Law enforcement officers from several Rock County agencies will be looking to prevent impaired driving. Rock County Impaired Driving Enforcement Task Force is deploying on the following dates:



- Friday, June 4, 2021
- Friday, June 25, 2021

Learn more



COVID-19 Vaccination Clinics

Looking to get your COVID-19 vaccine? Here are some upcoming clinics:

• <u>Wednesdays and Thursdays at Rotary</u> <u>Center in Riverside Park</u>

The DHS Community-Based Vaccine Clinic that is located at Blackhawk Technical College will be CLOSED in observance of the Memorial Day holiday on Saturday, May 29th. They will resume normal operational hours on Tuesday, June 1st.

- Tuesday Saturday 11:00 am 7:00 pm
- Sunday Monday Closed

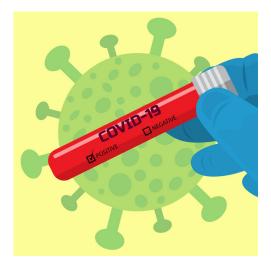


Job Opportunities

Applications are being taken for jobs (including seasonal) with the City of Beloit.

Check the City's website for a current list of opportunities. The City of Beloit is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Learn more



COVID-19 Community Testing -Extended Through July 29!

Blackhawk Technical College (BTC) COVID-19 testing site is open from 12:00 p.m. until 5:00 p.m. every Wednesday and Thursday *until July* **29th.** Please use the US Highway 51 entrance. Testing continues to take place in Parking Lot H and participants must remain in their vehicles until it is their turn for testing.

Pre-registration is strongly recommended, although patients can register at the test site. To register for testing, please visit register.covidconnect.wi.gov.

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>

- Monday, June 7, 7:00 p.m. Beloit City Council
- Tuesday, June 8, Cancelled Board of Appeals
- Wednesday, June 9, 6:30 p.m. -Park, Recreation & Conservation Advisory Commission
- Wednesday, June 9, 7:00 p.m. -Plan Commission

See agenda's for information on providing public comments.

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.



