Beloit Report

City Council Meeting August 2, 2021



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The Beloit City Council will meet on Monday, August 2, 2021 at 7:00 p.m. in the Beloit City Hall Forum.

The meeting is open to the public. Face coverings and social distancing rules apply to all in attendance and space will be limited.

Public Comment will be accepted for any public hearing item by submitting an email to PublicComment@beloitwi.gov by 12:00 noon on Monday, August 2, 2021.

Learn more



Free COVID-19 Vaccinations at Rock County 4-H Fair

Free COVID-19 vaccinations are being offered at the Rock County 4-H Fair in Janesville from now through Sunday, August 1, from 10:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Anyone 12 and older is welcome; minors must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

Vaccines provided by AMI Expeditionary Healthcare.



Well #9 Returning to Service

The City of Beloit has completed a radium mitigation project on a city-owned well that was taken out of service in October 2019. The well will return to service on Monday, August 2nd.

The City of Beloit did not experience any challenges to providing safe drinking water while this well was off line. The Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources has given the City permission to return Well #9 to service.

Learn more

Park responsibly at your nearest bike rack or out of the riaht-of-wav





Electric Scooters Coming to the City of Beloit

Beginning Friday, July 30th, Bird Company will bring e-scooters to Beloit. The company mission is to make cities more livable by reducing car usage, traffic, and congestion. Please do not ride the scooters on the sidewalk.

How does this work?

The user will install the Bird app, on which are displayed all available scooters nearby. Before starting a trip, the user must supply payment information, scan the QR code on the scooter, and begin the trip. At the end of the trip, the user must take a photo of the parked scooter to end the ride. The price of the trip is immediately withdrawn from the user's credit card.

Learn more



ABC Supply Stadium Celebrates Grand Opening

ABC Supply Stadium, the new world-class stadium and entertainment destination along the Rock River in downtown Beloit has officially opened its gates. The community ballpark is now home of Minor League Baseball's Beloit Snappers.

On Thursday, July 29, Riverbend Stadium Authority board members were joined by major donors, sponsors, partners, and numerous business and community leaders for a ribbon cutting-ceremony and celebration to usher in the new era of sports and entertainment in Beloit.



A1 - FIRST NATIONAL BANK AND TRUST EMPLOYEE LOT

A2 - THE LANDING PUBLIC PARKING

A3 - WEST GRAND AVENUE PUBLIC PARKING A4 - FOURTH STREET PUBLIC PARKING A5 - CHESTER SQUARE PUBLIC PARKING B1 - CITY HALL TRANSIT CENTER

B2 - MILL STREET PUBLIC PARKING

B3 - BROAD STREET PUBLIC PARKING (PHOENIX PUBLIC PARKING)

C1 - IRON WORKS NORTH AND SOUTH PUBLIC PARKING

ABC Supply Stadium Opening Day -August 3

The Beloit Snappers announced that their first game in the new stadium will be August 3rd. The stadium is located at 217 Shirland Avenue. Contact the Beloit Snappers for ticket information.

If you're looking for parking on game day, please see the map of available parking lots.

Learn more



In honor of Regina Dunkin Day on August 9th, Ms. Dunkin requests that people help support Community Action, 20 Eclipse Center, with a monetary donation. This agency has been vital to the community by providing an array of programs that offer children and families pathways to success.

Monetary gifts can be mailed to Community Action, c/o Marc Perry, Executive Director, by Monday, August 9th.

On Monday, August 9th, Beloit Culver's and the Rock Bar and Grill in Beloit will donate 10% of their proceeds to Community Action.



Major Interstate Traffic Impacts

From the Wisconsin Department of Transportation:

Two-week turn restriction from I-39/90 northbound to WIS 81/Downtown Beloit:

- I-43 southbound CLOSED between Hart Road and I-39/90 from 8 p.m. to 10 p.m. TONIGHT (July 30)
 - Detour via Hart Road to Shopiere Road to access I-39/90 northbound or southbound
- Starting at 8 p.m. tonight (July 30), no left turns from I-39/90 northbound exit ramp to WIS 81/Downtown Beloit (Exit 185) until mid-August.
 - Motorists can still use Exit 185 and follow I-43 northbound to Hart Road to turn around and use I-43 southbound into Beloit.
- In addition, southbound I-43 traffic will shift onto the new structure over I-39/90. The new I-43 southbound ramp to I-39/90 northbound will also open.
 - Northbound WIS 81 traffic from Beloit wishing to access I-39/90 northbound must use the Hart Road detour until mid-next week. At that time, access will be restored for WIS 81 traffic to merge onto I-39/90 northbound.

Learn more

National Night Out

National Night Out (NNO) returns on August 3, 2021. Residents in neighborhoods throughout Beloit are asked to turn on and display outside lights, lock their doors, and spend a positive evening outside with neighbors.

The City of Beloit Police Department will host



a citywide NNO kickoff event at the Harry C. Moore Pavilion in Riverside Park starting at 5 p.m. on Tuesday, August 3, 2021. Organizations wishing to participate in the NNO event should contact Lt. John Kaltenbrun at kaltenbrunj@beloitwi.gov, or Sgt. Jamie Linder at linderj@beloitwi.gov, or call 608-364-6803.



Downtown Beloit Street Dance

The Downtown Beloit Street Dance and Sidewalk Sales will be held on Friday, August 6, 2021.

- 8 a.m. 1 p.m.: Sidewalk sales throughout downtown Beloit
- 11:30 a.m. 1:30 p.m.: Fridays in the Park
- 5:30 p.m. 11:00 p.m.: Street Dance
- \$5 admission to the Street Dance
- Food vendors will be on site

Learn more



COVID-19 Vaccination Clinics

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

• Thursdays at Rotary Center in Riverside Park

Wednesday afternoon clinics have been discontinued.

For information on more community clinics please click <u>here</u> and select "Where are the Community Clinics?"

The FREE COVID-19 Community-Based Vaccination Clinic on the Blackhawk Technical College Central Campus will continue operating with limited hours. The BTC clinic is now operating out of a freestanding structure. Visitors should follow the signs in the parking lot to the tan tent.

New hours of operation:

- Tuesdays 11:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m.
- Thursdays 11:00 a.m. 3:00 p.m.

Learn more

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

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 Lathropp@beloitwi.gov or call 608-364-6614.

City Meetings

All public meeting agendas and minutes are posted online at www.beloitwi.gov.

- Monday, August 2, 6:30 p.m. City Council Workshop
- Monday, August 2, 7:00 p.m. City Council Meeting
- Wednesday, August 4, 3:30 p.m. -Police and Fire Commission
- Wednesday, August 4, 7:00 p.m. -Plan Commission

We're Hiring

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

Apply Now

