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from the Office of
the City Manager*

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CURRENT EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

CITY MANAGER'S ACTIVITIES

- Met with various direct reports for updates and annual goal setting
- Participated in the Leadership Team meeting with a speaker on “Generational Differences”
- Met with Celestino Ruffini, Visit Beloit
- Attended the Visit Beloit Board Meeting

STATE OF THE CITY

Beloit City Council President Kevin D. Leavy presented the annual State of the City Address during the City Council meeting on March 18, 2019. You can catch up with some of the city's accomplishments in a few ways:

- Watch the State of the City during the City Council meeting. Click to agenda item 3b: http://beloit.granicus.com/MediaPlayer.php?view_id=2&clip_id=246
- Read the State of the City speech: [State of the City \(2019\)](#)
- View the City of Beloit Accomplishment's brochure: [2016-2018 Beloit City Council Accomplishments \(Updated 3-2019\)](#)

I-39/90 EXPANSION PROJECT

A speed limit reduction to 60 mph will be implemented on sections of Interstate 39/90 from just south of the US 12/18 (Beltline) interchange near Madison to the Wisconsin-Illinois border. One portion of I-39/90 between the Rock River bridges and the US 51 interchange (Stoughton Exit 156) will remain at 70 mph since construction is completed in that area. Two lanes of Interstate traffic are maintained in each direction during daytime hours and weekends.

Motorists are advised to obey the posted speed limit. The Wisconsin State Patrol will increase surveillance efforts along this corridor. This will include additional troopers patrolling the corridor and conducting aerial enforcement to enforce speed limits and other traffic laws.

Work zone safety is one of the Wisconsin DOT's top priorities and the penalties for careless driving are steep.

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.

I-39/90 South Segment Informational Open House

When: Tuesday, April 16, 2019 from 5 p.m. - 7 p.m. (No scheduled presentation, stop by at your convenience)

Where: Home2 Suites by Hilton, 2750 Cranston Road, Beloit

Project Contact: Steve Marshall, P.E. (608) 884-7134 or steve.marshall@dot.wi.gov

SPRING YARD WASTE COLLECTION STARTING ON MONDAY, APRIL 1

Curbside collection of yard waste will take place Monday, April 1 - Thursday, April 11 on your regularly scheduled solid waste collection day. For more information on the program, please see the [attached](#) media release.

APRIL 2, 2019 SPRING ELECTION

Don't forget to vote on April 2nd! Offices on the April 2, 2019 ballot include:

- Justice of the Supreme Court
- Court of Appeals District 4
- Circuit Court Judge, Branch 1
- Circuit Court Judge, Branch 2
- Circuit Court Judge, Branch 4
- School Board
- City Council

Election results can be viewed on election night at the Rock County Clerk's Election page:

<http://www.co.rock.wi.us/countyclerk-election-information>

Polls will be open on April 2, 2019 from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. To find out your polling place, click [here](#) and enter your address.

KRUEGER HASKELL GOLF COURSE

Krueger-Haskell Golf Course, 1611 Hackett Street, is open and has all new rates. To set up tee times, check for play dates and tournaments, click here: <https://krueger-haskell-golf-course.play.teeitup.com/>

ANIMAL LICENSE RENEWALS AND REGULATIONS

Just a reminder that a city license is required for all dogs residing within the City limits. 2019 licenses are available for purchase from the City of Beloit Clerk-Treasurer's office. Call 608-364-6663 to have a dog license application emailed or mailed to you.

Annual Dog Park Permits (2425 Springbrook Court) are also available from the City Clerk-Treasurer's office.

BELOIT POLICE OFFICERS PARTICIPATE IN ROCK COUNTY IMPAIRED DRIVING ENFORCEMENT TASK FORCE

Officers from the Beloit Police Department will participate in the Rock County Impaired Driving Enforcement Task Force on the following dates:

- Friday and Saturday, March 29 and March 30

During this additional enforcement, the Beloit Police Department will have more officers on patrol to discourage people from driving while impaired. The BPD will have zero tolerance for driving under the influence, open intoxicants, seatbelt violations and improper use of child safety restraints.

For more information, please see the [attached](#) media release.

CITY COUNCIL MEETING – MONDAY, APRIL 1, 2019

At approximately 6:00 p.m., the City Council will hold a Workshop in the City Manager's Conference Room to discuss 1st floor City Hall security improvements. Following that workshop, or at approximately 6:30 p.m., the City Council will hold a workshop to review the agenda of the regular 7:00 p.m. City Council meeting. Please click [here](#) to view the agendas and regular Council meeting packet.

3. SPECIAL ORDERS OF THE DAY/ANNOUNCEMENTS

- a. Proclamation recognizing April as Child Abuse Prevention Month
- b. Proclamation recognizing April as National Fair Housing Month
- c. Proclamation declaring April 25, 2019 as Stand Against Racism Day
- d. Proclamation declaring April 7 - 13, 2019 as National Library Week

4. PUBLIC HEARINGS

- a. Consideration of Ordinance No. 3642 amending the Zoning District map of the City of Beloit for the properties located at 836 and 842 Park Avenue. Plan Commission recommendation for approval 6-0. First reading, suspend the rules for second reading. Beloit College would like to sell these properties and they must be rezoned back to R-1B, Single-Family Residential because the properties are no longer used as student housing. The City was aware of the College's plan to sell these properties and updated the Future Land Use Map during the Comprehensive Plan update in Fall of 2018 to reflect the request. The College's request is consistent with the Future Land Use Map.
- b. Public hearing to solicit input on the community development, housing, and homeless needs in the City of Beloit for inclusion in the 2020-2024 Consolidated Plan. Any needs identified will be incorporated into the Consolidated and NRSA Plans, and will be considered when setting and prioritizing goals, along with other needs identified by the Steering Committee, stakeholder meetings, and neighborhood listening sessions.

6. CONSENT AGENDA

All items listed under the Consent Agenda are considered routine and will be enacted by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a Council member so requests, in which event the item will be removed from the General Order of Business and considered at this point on the agenda.

- a. Consider approval of regular minutes of March 4 and March 18, 2019.
- b. Referral to Plan Commission: Request to install signs in the public right-of-way identifying the Walter R. Knight bridge. On November 5, 2018, the Beloit City Council adopted Resolution 2018-187 designating the Portland Avenue bridge as the Walter R. Knight Honorary Bridge. This request relates to the installation of one sign and two markers identifying the bridge as such. The proposed sign is a ground-mounted sign with white lettering against a dark green background. The proposed sign location is a grassy area on the east side approach to the bridge, just north of the public sidewalk leading to the bridge. The proposed markers will be mounted upon boulders that will be placed at the western end of the bridge. The proposed sign and markers were selected by Public Works staff in consultation with the Knight family, and have been approved by the Park, Recreation and Conservation Advisory Commission. This request related specifically to the location and design of these identifying items.
- c. Referral to ABLCC: Application for a new Class "B" Beer and "Class B" Intoxicating Liquor License for Lexx Group LLC, d/b/a Gameland, located at 530 E. Grand Avenue, Alexander Valadez, Owner/Agent. The applicant and owner of the property have negotiated and agreement to operate the business at that location. The applicant runs House of Lexx Tattoo and Piercings at 524 E. Grand Avenue and has indicated a desire to have an adult video arcade at the property at 530 E. Grand and believes that the businesses will compliment each other. The ABLCC will review the application to

assure conformity with existing rules, regulations and zoning ordinances of the city and state and will make a recommendation to the Council based on their review. The existing license for that premise, DBA Royalty Lounge, has been surrendered to the City of Beloit with this application. The City Council will take action on the recommendation of the ABLCC at their April 15, 2019 regular meeting.

- d. Referral to ABLCC: Application for a new Class "B" Beer and "Class B" Intoxicating Liquor License for Elliott Public House Holdings, LLC, d/b/a Pig Iron Pub and Grub, located at 614 Broad Street, David A. Elliott, Owner/Agent. The location was formerly known as Mike's Roadhouse. Cupcake Investments LLC, d/b/a Mike's Roadhouse, Michael J. Fink has agreed to relinquish the alcohol license once approved by the City Council. The ABLCC will review the application to assure conformity with existing rules, regulations and zoning ordinances of the city and state and will make a recommendation to the Council based on their review. The City Council will take action on the recommendation of the ABLCC at their April 15, 2019 regular meeting.
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- f. Referral to ABLCC: Application for a new Class "B" Beer and Reserve "Class B" Intoxicating Liquor License for Diehl Enterprise, LLC, d/b/a Coach's Bar & Grill, located at 2745 Prairie Avenue, Derek Diehl, Owner/Agent. This is the site of the former Pitchers Mound property, which has been vacant since June 30, 2016. The ABLCC will review the application to assure conformity with existing rules, regulations and zoning ordinances of the city and state and will make a recommendation to the Council based on their review. The City Council will take action on the recommendation of the ABLCC at their April 15, 2019 regular meeting.
- g. Consideration of Resolution 2019-038 approving a cooperative agreement with Walworth County Housing Authority for Housing Quality Inspection Services. The Walworth County Housing Authority (WCHA) manages assisted housing projects in Walworth County which are required to be inspected annually. The Department of Housing and Urban Development does not allow public housing agencies participating in certain programs to inspect the units that they manage. Therefore, the WCHA must contract with another entity to provide the inspection services.
- h. Consideration of Resolution 2019-039 approving a lease agreement between the City of Beloit and Beloit Professional Baseball Association, Inc. The Beloit Professional Baseball Association has been leasing Pohlman Field in Telfer Park from the City of Beloit for as long as their Minor League Affiliate team has been in existence (1981). Staff recommends approval of the agreement.

8. ORDINANCES

- a. Consideration of Ordinance No. 3641 amending the Zoning District Map of the City of Beloit for property located at 1014 W. Froebel Drive from temporary R-1A, Single Family Residential District, to permanent R-1A, Single Family Residential District. Plan Commission recommendation for approval 6-0. Second reading. The subject property is privately owned and was annexed/attached in order to connect the existing single-family home with a failing septic system to the City's sanitary sewer.
- b. Consideration of an Ordinance No. 3644 amending the Zoning District Map for the properties located at 1003, 1017, and 1021 Fourth Street and 117 Merrill Street from C-3, Community Commercial District to PUD, Planned Unit Development District and the property located at 1016 Third Street from R-3, Low Density Multifamily Residential District to PUD. Plan Commission recommendation for approval 6-0. Second reading. The proposed PUD will allow development of an underutilized site served by existing public utilities.

9. APPOINTMENTS

The individuals named below have been nominated for a seat on a city board, committee or commission. Each nomination is subject to confirmation by the City Council, approval of appointment will be accomplished by one motion unless a council member requests to take up a nomination separately, in which event the nomination will be removed from the General Order of Business and considered at this point on the agenda.

- a. Appointments to the 2020 Complete Count Committee

12. REPORTS FROM BOARDS AND CITY OFFICERS

- a. The City Council may convene in closed session pursuant to Wis. Stats. 19.85 (1)(c) to consider the employment, promotion, compensation, or performance evaluation data of a public employee over which the governmental body has jurisdiction or exercises responsibility, namely to discuss annual appraisal for City Manager Luther. The Council will not reconvene into open session.

13. ADJOURNMENT

CITY MEETING CALENDAR – APRIL 1 - 5, 2019

Monday, April 1	6:00 p.m.	Beloit City Council Workshop , City Manager's Conf. Room (All City Councilors)
Monday, April 1	6:30 p.m.	Beloit City Council Workshop, City Manager's Conf. Room (All City Councilors)
Monday, April 1	7:00 p.m.	Beloit City Council Meeting , Forum (All City Councilors)
Wednesday, April 3	7:30 a.m.	Rock County Breakfast (K. Leavy and R. Dunkin)
Wednesday, April 3	7:00 p.m.	Plan Commission , Forum (M. Preuschl)

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

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.
April 20	1:00 - 3:00 p.m.	Easter Eggstravaganza , Downtown Beloit Gantry Park and participating businesses. For more information, see attached .

CITY COUNCIL

March 18, 2019

Good evening,

To the residents of this great city, my fellow councilors, City Manager Lori Curtis Luther, City Attorney Elizabeth Krueger, and certainly the entire staff of the City of Beloit, I want to take a little time out to say thanks to each and every one of you for what you do each and every day.

Each year we set aside time to share the city's successes. This year is no different. I graduated from Beloit Memorial High School in 1981. During that time at each and every sporting event, we had a cheer that simply stated "We're from Beloit, couldn't be prouder, you can't hear us now so we will yell a little louder." Now, back then it was simply a standard cheer. As I reflect on this simple cheer and our city, I have come to realize it is more than a cheer; it is the Beloit way. You see, when you talk to people from this great city, they will share all of the accomplishments, changes, visions, and successes that have taken place over the years.

Just like the cheerleaders boosted the fans' enthusiasm at games, we as leaders must boost the residents to become cheerleaders for Beloit. We must combat misstatements about Beloit with facts, such as our crime rate has declined in the last two years, and we have moved to 10-hour shifts for our officers to place the most of amount of officers on duty during the times the department is facing the most amount of calls. Our fire department continues to work diligently to provide fire and emergency care for our residents. Our firefighters continue to educate our parents, youth, and businesses on fire protection and prevention initiatives. If you ask them why they do this, I am certain they will say, "our residents deserve and expect a safe community."

Beloit could be known as the City of Bridges. Why? It's hard to miss all of our bridges. We have walking bridges that connect two sides of the river to make one blended city. We have driving bridges that allow cars to cross the river, once again, connecting us all as one community. And then we have the greatest bridges of all, the men and women who work tirelessly to create personal bridges to connect us all.

We're from Beloit, couldn't be prouder, you can't hear us now so we will yell a little louder.

This is evident by the partnerships made up of residents, city councilors, city staff and the business, religious, and educational community. Every single person

invested in Beloit's future helps create that bridge to make us one connected community.

A strong community and city partnership benefits everyone. Last week, city staff partnered with Community Action to host a meeting in the Merrill neighborhood to talk about the goals for the Neighborhood Revitalization Strategy Area. Thank you so much to the residents who shared their vision for the neighborhood. The city will be meeting with the Hackett neighborhood at 6 p.m. March 27 at the Beloit Historical Society. We hope that more people attend to make their voices heard.

In just over a year, the NRSA plan is off to a great start. The investments in these neighborhoods over the next few years will make our neighborhood safer for the future of all of Beloit. Hats off to Community Development Director Julie Christensen, Director of Community and Housing Services Teri Downing, and the entire Community Development team for keeping their eye on the goal.

We must continue to show the residents we are working to create a workforce that reflects our community. We have made strides in both the police and fire departments and continue work in achieving this goal in all departments. We have redefined our definition of diversity in the most inclusive fashion so city staff represents a wide variety of backgrounds and experiences to make our city stronger. We will continue to enhance our hiring practices to ensure that qualified candidates from all backgrounds are given the opportunity to work for the city of Beloit.

Our city staff, under City Manager Lori Luther's leadership and with the full support of the City Council, have expanded their external hire searches to create opportunities for men and women of all backgrounds to start a career with the City of Beloit.

Thank you to City Manager Lori Luther, City Attorney Elizabeth Krueger, Human Resources Manager Hannah Kuehne and all city staff who continue to strive toward this goal.

The city implemented its updated workman's compensation policies in spring 2017, which is helping to create a safer work environment and reduce expenses. The immediate impacts are being experienced with a nearly 60% reduction in the number of injuries from 2016 to 2018. As a result, we reduced our 2019 premium by \$180,000. Thanks to Finance and Administrative Services Director Eric Miller and Risk Manager David Niedfeldt and anyone else who assisted with this task.

Year after year, the question is asked, "Where is that casino?" This past year has brought us even closer to that possibility. We are closer now than we have ever been before, and I strongly believe we will see a casino in the very near future. But in the meantime, we're seeing strong economic growth. From 2016-2018, 943 jobs were created, 19 economic development projects were completed in the city with investments over \$185 million dollars in 2018. Economic Development

Director Andrew Janke did not wait on the casino, he continued to recruit businesses to come to the city.

It's exciting to see new construction, renovations and remodels happening throughout the city. We're looking forward to seeing the following businesses and organizations complete their projects in 2019:

- Beloit College's Powerhouse project (2019 completion)
- G5 Brewing Company (spring 2019)
- Holiday Inn Express
- NorthStar Radioisotopes expansion in the Gateway
- Seal-Rite Door
- Hilton Home 2 Suites
- Additional businesses, houses, condos and apartments

"We're from Beloit couldn't be prouder, you can't hear us now so we will yell a little louder." Look around, you will see neighborhoods improving through our code enforcement and neighborhood revitalization endeavors. Street Dance, Harry's Place, Holiday Parade, BIFF, and other downtown activities continue to bring visitors to the city. We must continue to tell the Beloit story of how we pulled together during a tough time and turned the city into the showcase city it is today.

Our library is seeing thousands of digital materials checked out. Our senior population has found many opportunities to learn and build relationships at Grinnell Senior Center. Our families are enjoying our parks and programs. We have introduced new programs, and we have built new playgrounds to enhance our neighborhoods.

While this has been a particularly harsh winter, our Public Works department has found ways to fully clear our main roads during major snow events a full hour faster in the last two years as compared to 2016. While we can't escape the snow, we have many hard working public works crews who have been working long hours to keep our streets clear of snow so we can all get to work and school each day.

Thank you to Downtown Beloit Association Executive Director Shauna El-Amin, all five Department of Public Works divisions (Engineering, Operations, Parks and Recreation, Transit, and Water Resources), Beloit Public Library staff, and all clubs, organizations and departments that help maintain and enhance the quality of life in Beloit.

An important project for city operations, the installation of an extended fiber optics network, was completed to provide a more reliable phone and data connection, eliminate downtime, increase security, and provide backup redundancy. Installation of utility poles help provide faster data connections and save the city significant dollars over time. Thanks to Information Technology

Director Ray Gorsline and team.

The City Council meetings are paperless thanks to the efforts of our City Clerk-Treasurer Lori Stottler, who worked with our IT team to install iPads in the forum so each councilor can quickly pull up any document for the meeting. Lori's team will soon undertake our spring election and we appreciate everyone's efforts in her office to serve all our residents.

We are seeing new ways to engage our residents through the use of social media, our website, surveys, and more. We want to hear from you, and we want you to know that your voices are heard.

From sharing snow emergency information to increased tips to the Beloit Police Department via Facebook and from providing info on events to sharing videos from the Dirty Dash, our city staff has found unique ways to have meaningful conversations about issues that matter to you.

We've also been able to share all of the great things Beloit has to offer with the stateline community, Wisconsin and Illinois, and the entire nation. Our Public Works Department went viral with their version of "Ice, Ice, Baby" (and yes, Janesville, your remakes were good but ours were better). MSNBC's Your Business featured Beloit in its Small Business Saturday episode.

Do we value diversity? Of course we do!

This year we renamed the Portland Avenue bridge after Mr. Walter Knight, a man who built bridges to connect the working class to businesses, and the U.S. Navy decided to name one of its future Littoral Combat Ships the *USS Beloit* as a nod to our city's historical connections to the U.S. Navy through Fairbanks Morse. We're also excited that retired Major General Marcia Anderson was chosen as the ship's sponsor. Anderson lived in Beloit as a child and still has family connections here today.

Thank you to everyone who has been a bridge from where we were to where we are going.

As we continue to move forward, I would like to issue a few challenges in a few areas where I am particularly passionate.

1. I want to look at ways to address the homeless population. I know we partner with agencies and there are even people who do not want assistance, still, we must push forward. I would like us to keep this in the forefront of our minds and conversations.
2. I want to look at ways to work with individuals who are returning to the area after being incarcerated. I want to see these individuals being connected to programs that help them become a contributing member of society instead of becoming a repeat offender.

3. I want to continue to look for ways to develop a workforce to be ready as we continue to recruit new businesses.

4. We must stay the course, as we are moving in the right direction. The City Manager and her team continue to look for ways to move the organization forward. We need to continue to support and challenge them to take the organization to the next level.

As councilors, we must continue to ask the tough questions and be prepared to make tough decisions. We must continue to partner with the School District of Beloit to promote a positive image for the city.

Let's continue to tell the world that Beloit is a great place to live, work, and play.

Thank you for allowing me to serve as president the past two years. When I accepted the position I knew it would be a challenging and time demanding position. I appreciate your partnership and ongoing dedication to this great city.

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Sincerely,
Kevin D. Leavy
Beloit City Council President

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

For more information contact:
Timothy Drager, Solid Waste & Safety Supervisor
(608) 364-2929

Spring Yard Waste Collection Starting on Monday, April 1

March 27, 2019 - Curbside collection of yard waste will take place Monday, April 1, through Thursday, April 11, 2019. Collection will take place on your regularly scheduled solid waste collection day.

Yard waste must be placed at least 3 feet away from trash/recycling carts. Yard waste must be properly contained in a clean container, paper yard waste bag, or Back-to-Nature biodegradable yard waste bag. Containers can be no larger than 39 gallons and weigh no more than 60 pounds. Yard waste cannot be contained in plastic bags. A \$1.50 sticker must be affixed to each bag, container and/or bundle.

Stickers may be purchased at City of Beloit Treasury Division (100 State St.), City of Beloit Department of Public Works Operations and Parks Facility (2351 Springbrook Court), Grinnell Hall (631 Bluff St.), both ACE Hardware stores, and all Beloit Walgreens locations.

Other yard waste collection dates are as follows:

- May 13-16
- June 10-13
- July 15-18
- August 12-15
- September 9-12
- October 14-17

If residents are looking for other yard waste disposal options, they can take the yard waste to Complete Compost LLC, 1105 E LT Townline Road, Janesville, WI 53546. Complete Compost is open from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Mondays through Saturdays. Fees do apply. Contact Complete Compost at (262) 725-2500 for more information.

For more information about yard waste collection, call the City of Beloit Public Works Operations Facility at (608) 364-2929 or visit <https://beloitsolidwaste.com/yard-waste/>.

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POLICE DEPARTMENT

MEDIA RELEASE 19-002

For additional information, contact:
Sarah Millard, Director of Strategic Communications
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Email: millards@beloitwi.gov

**Beloit Police Officers Participating in
Rock County Impaired Driving Enforcement Task Force**

Feb. 14, 2019 - Officers from the Beloit Police Department will be participating in the Rock County Impaired Driving Enforcement Task Force on the following dates during February and March:

- Friday, Feb. 15
- Saturday, Feb. 16
- Friday, Feb. 22
- Saturday, Feb. 23
- Friday, March 8
- Saturday, March 9
- Friday, March 29
- Saturday, March 30

During this additional enforcement, the Beloit Police Department will have more officers on patrol to discourage people from driving while impaired. The Beloit Police Department will have zero tolerance for driving under the influence, open intoxicants, seatbelt violations and improper use of child safety restraints.

“Our goal is send the message that driving under the influence puts the lives and safety of others at risk,” said Sgt. Christian Dalton. “We hope this enforcement will help reduce the number of people who choose to drive while impaired.”

Driving under the influence includes the use of alcohol, illegal drugs or prescription medication. The Beloit Police Department suggests all motorists take steps to protect themselves and others:

- Ensure everyone in your vehicle is buckled up - every day, every trip. Watch your speed, be patient and alert.
- If you plan to use any alcohol, drugs or prescription medication that will impair your driving, choose a sober designated driver.
- If you're feeling buzzed, you likely are over the 0.08 BAC limit and should not drive. Take public transit, a taxicab, or ask a sober friend to drive you home.
- The Wisconsin DOT offers a free [Drive Sober mobile app](#) that includes a blood alcohol estimator, designated driver selector, and find-a-ride feature that uses a smart phone's GPS to locate alternative transportation.
- Some taverns and restaurants have programs to provide patrons with a safe ride home. Visit www.tlw.org/ and click on Safe Ride.
- Report impaired drivers to law enforcement by calling 911. Provide as much detail as possible on the driver, vehicle, and location.

The Rock County Impaired Driving Enforcement Task Force includes the Rock County Sheriff's Department and the Janesville, Town of Beloit, Orfordville and City of Beloit police departments. Funding for the special enforcement periods is provided via a grant from the Wisconsin Department of Transportation.

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**PUBLIC NOTICE & AGENDA
COUNCIL WORKSHOP AND/OR SPECIAL MEETING
4th Floor City Manager's Conference Room
6:00 PM
Monday, April 01, 2019**

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The Beloit City Council will hold a Workshop on Monday, April 1, 2019 at 6:00 p.m., in the 4th floor City Manager's Conference Room, City Hall, 100 State Street, Beloit WI 53511. The purpose of the workshop is to discuss 1st floor City Hall security improvements.

Following the Workshop, or at approximately 6:30 p.m. the City Council will hold a workshop in the 4th floor City Manager's Conference Room to review the agenda of the regular 7:00 p.m. City Council meeting.

Lori S. Curtis Luther, City Manager

Dated: March 27, 2019
Lorena Rae Stottler
City Clerk-Treasurer
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** Please note that, upon reasonable notice, at least 24 hours in advance, efforts will be made to accommodate the needs of disabled individuals through appropriate aids and services. For additional information to request this service, please contact the City Clerk's Office at 364-6680, 100 State Street, Beloit, WI 53511.

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AGENDA
BELOIT CITY COUNCIL
City Hall Forum - 100 State Street, Beloit, WI 53511
7:00 PM
Monday, April 01, 2019

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- 6.f. Referral to ABLCC: Application for a new Class "B" Beer and Reserve "Class B" Intoxicating Liquor License for Diehl Enterprise, LLC, d/b/a Coach's Bar & Grill, located at 2745 Prairie Avenue, Derek Diehl, Owner/Agent (Stottler)
[Attachment](#)
- 6.g. Consideration of Resolution 2019-038 approving a cooperative agreement with Walworth County Housing Authority for Housing Quality Inspection Services (Christensen)
[Attachment](#)
- 6.h. Consideration of Resolution 2019-039 approving a lease agreement between the City of Beloit and Beloit Professional Baseball Association, Inc. (Luther)
[Attachment](#)

7. LICENSES

8. ORDINANCES

- 8.a. Consideration of Ordinance No. 3641 amending the Zoning District Map of the City of Beloit for property located at 1014 W Froebel Drive from temporary R-1A, Single Family Residential District, to permanent R-1A, Single Family Residential District (Christensen) Plan Commission recommendation for approval 6-0 Second reading
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- 8.b. Consideration of an Ordinance No. 3644 amending the Zoning District Map for the properties located at 1003, 1017, & 1021 Fourth Street and 117 Merrill Street from C-3, Community Commercial District to PUD, Planned Unit Development District and the property located at 1016 Third Street from R-3, Low-Density Multifamily Residential District to PUD (Christensen) Plan Commission recommendation for approval 6-0 Second reading
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9. APPOINTMENTS

The individuals named below have been nominated for a seat on a city board, committee or commission. Each nomination is subject to confirmation by the City Council, approval of appointment will be accomplished by one motion unless a council member requests to take up a nomination separately, in which event the nomination will be removed from the General Order of Business and considered at this point on the agenda.

- 9.a. Appointments to the 2020 Complete Count Committee (Stottler)

Attachment

10. COUNCILOR ACTIVITIES AND UPCOMING EVENTS

11. CITY MANAGER'S PRESENTATION

12. REPORTS FROM BOARDS AND CITY OFFICERS

12.a. The City Council may convene in closed session pursuant to Wis. Stats. 19.85 (1)(c) to consider the employment, promotion, compensation, or performance evaluation data of a public employee over which the governmental body has jurisdiction or exercises responsibility, namely to discuss annual appraisal for City Manager Luther. The Council will not reconvene into open session.

13. ADJOURNMENT

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**PUBLIC NOTICE & AGENDA
PLAN COMMISSION
City Hall Forum - 100 State Street, Beloit, WI 53511
7:00 PM
Wednesday, April 03, 2019**

1. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL
2. MINUTES
 - 2.a. Consideration of the Minutes of the Plan Commission Meeting Held on March 20, 2019
[Attachment](#)
3. REPORTS
 - 3.a. Consideration of a request to install a sign and markers identifying the Walter R Knight Honorary Bridge
[Attachment](#)
 - 3.b. Consideration of a Resolution approving a one-lot Extraterritorial Certified Survey Map for the property located at 213 W B R Townline Road in the Town of Beloit
[Attachment](#)
4. STATUS REPORT ON PRIOR PLAN COMMISSION ITEMS
5. ADJOURNMENT

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