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# Beloit Report

## City Council Meeting & Workshop - May 20, 2024



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The Beloit City Council will hold their regular Council meeting at **7:00 p.m. on Monday, May 20, 2024** in the first floor Forum at Beloit City Hall, 100 State Street. The meeting will be live-streamed on Charter Channel 992 and on Beloit Access Television (BATV) YouTube channel.

Public comments via email are welcome. If you would like to provide public comment for the Public Comment section of the Agenda, please submit those to [PublicComment@beloitwi.gov](mailto:PublicComment@beloitwi.gov) by 12:00 noon on Monday, May 20, 2024.

The Beloit City Council will hold a Workshop at **5:30 p.m. on May 20th** for the purpose of hearing presentations by applicants for City of Beloit Tax Increment Financing (TIF) Housing Funds for Affordable Rental Unit Creation/Preservation projects. The public is invited to attend.

[Learn more](#)



### National Public Works Week - May 19-25, 2024

The community is invited to join the City of Beloit Department of Public Works as we kickoff National Public Works Week and celebrate in beautiful downtown Beloit.

Join Public Works at the Beloit Farmers' Market (State and Grand) from 8am to 1pm **Saturday, May 18**, for our Public Works Week event. This year's theme is "Advancing Quality of Life for All."

We will be bringing all of the big equipment for kids to explore. Each child will be provided a passport at the check-in table, which can be stamped at each Public Works booth. Once the

passport is filled, the child can exchange it to spin the wheel for a prize.

Small trees will be available to take home for planting while supplies last.

[Learn more](#)

**Beloit Health System**  
**Community Safety Day**  
FREE TO THE PUBLIC

**Saturday May 18**  
1:00 - 4:00 pm

EMERGENCY VEHICLE TOURS  
FOOD TRUCKS  
FIRE SAFETY  
HELICOPTER LANDING AT 1PM

BELoit MEMORIAL HOSPITAL FRONT LAWN  
1969 W. HART ROAD, BELoit, WI 53511

PICK UP: MERRILL AND HACKETT  
DROP OFF: BELoit MEMORIAL HOSPITAL LAWN  
FIRST SHUTTLE AT 12:05PM  
LAST SHUTTLE AT 4:30PM  
SHUTTLE EVERY 30 MINS

Community Partners: ABC, DEFENSE, Outdoors, Finley, First Mid, TRICOR, etc.

## Community Safety Day: Saturday, May 18

On **Saturday, May 18**, the public is invited to attend and participate in "Community Safety Day" on the front lawn at Beloit Memorial Hospital, 1969 W. Hart Road. The event is scheduled from 1:00 - 4:00pm with a helicopter landing at 1:00.

Beloit Transit will provide free shuttle service, with pick up at Merrill and Hackett, and drop off at Beloit Memorial Hospital lawn. First shuttle at 12:05pm, last shuttle at 4:30pm, with a shuttle every 30 minutes.

Also participating in the event will be the Beloit Police and Fire Departments.

**13th Annual VetsRoll Victory Parade**  
Wednesday, May 22, 2024  
Tentative Arrival 9:15 - 9:30 pm

Join us at the Victory Parade Celebration Inside the Beautiful Eclipse Center, Beloit, WI

LET THE KIDS STAY UP LATE FOR THIS ONE!!  
Help us welcome home our Veterans!  
Spectators are encouraged to bring signs for their loved ones, consider dressing to the '40s period and arrive early for parking and viewing.

Welcome Home Celebration for our Heroes after the Fireworks. Join us inside the Eclipse Center for the celebration.

Join us at the Welcome Home Celebration at the Eclipse Center!

Parade Route Details  
Tentative arrival time in South Beloit: 9:15-9:30 pm. The caravan of 11 coaches plus motorcycles, first responders and support vehicles will exit 9:00 at Exit #1 (IL Hwy 75W).

The procession will head east on IL Hwy 75W (Grandway St) to IL Hwy 251N. \*\*\*\*  
They will then turn north and follow IL Hwy 251N to the Staircase (becoming US Hwy 51N for the duration of the route).

Next they will veer left and head west on Broad St. \*\*\*\*  
The caravan will turn north on Pleasant St. \*\*\*\*  
Then proceed north past the Ironworks Hotel and the beautiful Ironworks Restoration, through the Patriot Mile on the picturesque banks of the Rock River to Henry Ave. \*\*\*\*  
They will turn right and head east on Henry Ave, up the hill to the Eclipse Center. \*\*\*\*

Follow Our Complete Trip on Facebook  
[www.facebook.com/vetsroll.org](http://www.facebook.com/vetsroll.org)  
[www.vetsroll.org](http://www.vetsroll.org)

## VetsRoll Victory Parade

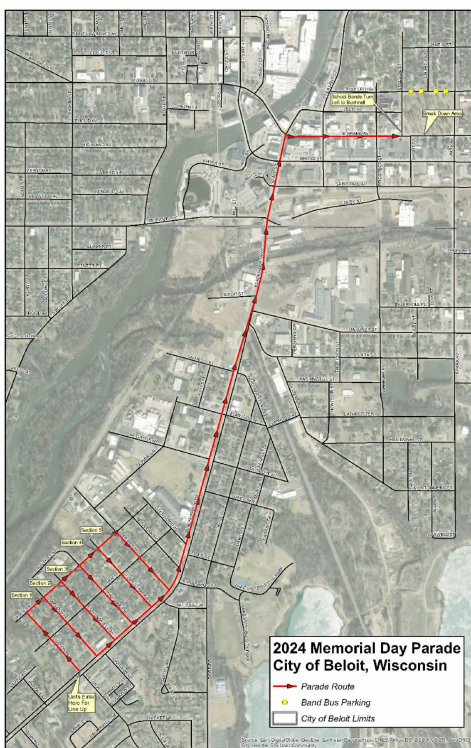
VetsRoll will be "rolling to Washington, DC" on May 19-22, 2024. The 11 buses leaving on May 19th will begin their travel on the newly named "VetsRoll Dr." an honorary designation on Riverside Drive.

The community is invited to welcome our veterans home on Wednesday, **May 22nd** with a Victory Parade celebration at the Eclipse Center. Tentative arrival time in South Beloit will be 9:15-9:30pm. Coaches will exit I-90 at Exit #1 (IL Hwy. 75W). The procession will head west on Hwy. 75 to Hwy. 251, where they will turn North and head into Wisconsin on Hwy. 51, traveling along Riverside Drive to Henry Ave., where they will drive up the hill to the Eclipse Center.

Follow their complete trip on [www.facebook.com/vetsroll.org](http://www.facebook.com/vetsroll.org).

## Memorial Day Parade

The United Veterans Memorial Day Parade Committee members have been hard at work planning this years parade. It will be held on Memorial Day, **May 27th** and step off at 9:00 a.m.



The route will start on Blackhawk Blvd., proceeding north into Beloit on State Street, turning east on E. Grand and ending at Horace White Park. Bushnell Street will be closed to traffic near Horace White Park for bus parking. The City of Beloit is partnering with South Beloit for enhanced safety and security along the parade route.

While the parade is fun for the whole family, please remember the reason for the parade is to honor the men and women who died while serving in the U.S. military.

[Learn more](#)



## Shelter Rental

Still looking for a place to host a graduation party, family reunion or other event? The City of Beloit has shelters available to rent.

Rental information is available at [www.beloitrecreation.com/reservations/](http://www.beloitrecreation.com/reservations/). Give us a call at 608-364-2890 or stop in at 2351 Springbrook Court between 7am and 4pm Monday - Friday.

[Learn more](#)



## Destination Downtown

Beloit's downtown area has come a long way! Check out this wonderful video and article that was recently aired on WREX.

["Destination Downtown with Derek Bayne: Beloit."](#)

## Portable Water Meter

Spring is the time to think about watering your garden or filling a swimming pool.

City of Beloit residents can rent a portable meter to reduce sewer costs when a meter is needed for a short period of time. Contact the Water Resources Division at 608-364-2888





between 7:30am and 3:30pm.

**Rock County  
Clean Sweep**  
9-11AM Saturday, June 22, 2024  
2351 Springbrook Court, Beloit

**REGISTRATION REQUIRED;  
FEES APPLY**

### Rock County Clean Sweep - 2024

Registration for Rock County's Clean Sweep, an annual drop-off for hazardous chemicals from residents and eligible businesses, is now open. Due to high demand and limited event days, advance registration is required. Some rates may apply.

A local event will be held in Beloit on Saturday, **June 22, 9:00 - 11:00am** at the City of Beloit Department of Public Works, 2351 Springbrook Ct., Beloit.

To register, call 608-754-6617 Ext. 3 or Ext. 4757.

The City of Beloit is proud to partner with Rock County on Clean Sweep.

[Learn more](#)

**CITY OF Beloit WISCONSIN**

**Activities and Program Guide**  
*YOUR FUN AWAITS!*

 Dirty Dash - Big Hill Park Beloitrecreation.com/dirtydash	 Holiday Festivities 4th of July Bike Parade
 Krueger-Haskell Golf Course Tournaments • Private Rentals • Golf Outings	 Shelter / Facility Private Rentals • Community Events

**Summer / Fall 2024**

CONNECT WITH US FOR MORE ACTIVITIES AND PROGRAMS

www.beloitrecreation.com

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### Recreation Program Guide

The Summer/Fall 2024 recreation guide is now available! Start lining up some fun activities for the kiddos, as well as family events. Don't miss out this summer - plan ahead to attend "Touch-a-Truck", playground camp programs, story time in the park, movie on the Big Lawn, and more!

Click [here](#) for the recreation guide.

### Grinnell Hall June Newsletter

What's going on at Grinnell Hall Senior Center in the month of June? Get the news here!

Movies, day trips, a luau, crafts, cards,

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informational programs, and more! If you're over 50 and looking to meet new friends and participate in some interesting activities, please check out the newsletter and consider joining Grinnell Hall. (Some events open to non-members.)

[Learn more](#)



## Groundbreaking - Family Resilience Center

Congratulations to Family Services on the groundbreaking of the Next Steps Family Resilience Center, a transitional living facility and childcare center.

The Beloit City Council is investing \$2 million of the city's American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funding to help move this project forward.

[Learn more](#)



## Public Information Meeting - Shopiere Road Corridor Study

On **Wednesday, May 29, 2024** from 5:30 - 6:30pm at the Beloit Public Library, 605 Eclipse Blvd., there will be a Public Information Meeting for the Shopiere Road Corridor Study.

The study will evaluate traffic operations, traffic safety, roadway and intersection geometrics, access and multimodal accommodations along the roadway, and recommend solutions to address current and anticipated corridor deficiencies. There is no construction project associated with this study or its recommendations at this time.

The meeting is open to the public. If you are unable to attend this meeting, electronic files of the exhibits will be provided on the City's website. If you have questions or comments, please contact the SLATS office at 100 State Street, Beloit, WI 53511, e-mail: [neet@beloitwi.gov](mailto:neet@beloitwi.gov), phone (608) 364-6702.

## Have an impact on your community!

We are looking for a few volunteers to serve on our City Boards, Committees, and Commissions. If you would like to volunteer, [download the application on the city's website.](#)

### Current Vacancies:

- Alcohol Beverage License Control Committee

- Appointment Review Committee
- Board of Appeals
- Board of Review
- Community Development Authority
- Municipal Golf Committee

Have questions? Contact [communications@beloitwi.gov](mailto:communications@beloitwi.gov) or call Rebecca Wallendal at 608-364-6682.

## City Meetings

All public meeting agendas and minutes are posted online at [www.beloitwi.gov](http://www.beloitwi.gov).

- Monday, May 20, 4:00 p.m. - Police and Fire Commission, Forum
- Wednesday, May 22, 4:30 p.m. - Community Development Authority, Forum
- Wednesday, May 22, 7:00 p.m. - Plan Commission, Forum

## We're Hiring

The City of Beloit is hiring for various positions. Job openings and applications can be found online at [www.beloitwi.gov](http://www.beloitwi.gov). Equal Opportunity Employer.

- Equipment Operator - Streets
- Facilities Manager
- Library Service Specialist II - Programming
- Planner I or II
- Promotions Coordinator
- Seasonal Cashier
- Seasonal Equipment Operator-Water
- Seasonal Grounds Maintenance I or II
- Seasonal Lifeguard/Swim Instructor
- Seasonal Pool Maintenance
- Seasonal Pool Manager
- Swim Team Assistant Coach (Casual)
- Water Utility Supervisor

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