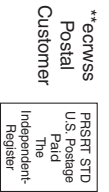


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CROP Walk team leader helps 'Bee the Change'

When Chris Devine learned that the theme for the Janesville Area CROP Hunger Walk was "Bee the Change," she knew exactly how to motivate her team at Cargill United Methodist Church.

"I'm a retired teacher, so as soon as I heard the theme is 'Bee the Change,' I thought I have to wear a bee costume," the team leader said.

Devine bought a bee costume and then created a bulletin board with images of bees, sunflowers and a beehive. She believed it was important to have a strong visual to encourage members of the congregation to donate to the CROP Walk. People can take envelopes from the board, insert their donation, and "bee" part of the change to fight hunger in the Janesville area and throughout the world.

Church World Services, which sponsors CROP Walks throughout the country, chose "Bee the Change" as the theme in recognition of the group's efforts to help families in Kenya establish bee colonies so they can earn money by harvesting and selling honey. CWS provides families with a set of beehives, supplies to hang the beehives, harvesting equipment, training and honey-processing units.

Cargill raised more than \$12,000 for the 2023 walk, and Devine hopes to surpass that amount this year.

The 47th annual Janesville Area CROP Hunger Walk will take place on Sunday, April 28. ECHO again will receive 25 percent of the total amount donated. The remaining funds will help the efforts of CWS, a faith-based group that fights hunger in communities around the globe.



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Chris Devine dresses as a bee to promote the Janesville Area CROP Hunger Walk at Cargill United Methodist Church.

Walkers can choose a 5K route that starts at Cargill United Methodist Church, 2000 Wesley Ave., Janesville, makes a loop along Milwaukee Street, Randall Avenue,

Racine Street, through Palmer Park and back to the church via Lexington Drive. A shorter 2.5K route also is available.

Registration for the walk will take place from 1 to 1:30 p.m. There is no fee to participate, but walkers are encouraged to collect donations to support the cause.

Blackhawk diversity week features events open to the public

Blackhawk's Student Government Association is hosting its annual Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Week, featuring a series of events aimed at fostering dialogue, understanding and empowerment from April 15 to 19.

For more information, contact Joel Schleusner at jschleusner@blackhawk.edu.

Sponsored by Blackhawk's Multi-Cultural Alliance, the training will provide a safe space for conversations about sexuality, gender and LGBTQ+ education. A lunch and networking opportunity will be held following the training from noon to 1:30 p.m. For more information, contact Rubina Jan at rjan@blackhawk.edu.

Monday, April 15: Women in Leadership

Panelists Aimee Thurner, executive director of the Greater Beloit Chamber of Commerce, Mary Kaufman, a small business specialist for US Bank in Freeport, Ill., and Paquita Purnell, owner of Blessed Divine Creations in Janesville, will answer questions about leadership, celebrating the contributions of women in the community and offering an opportunity to learn from their experiences.

Tuesday, April 16: CARE Conference

Guest speaker Julie Menden, author of "Peak Performance: Mindset Tools for Leaders," will host a conversation about how to activate your mindset to work for you and how to achieve success in your life and career.

Friday, April 19: Dream Chasers

The event will be held from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Blackhawk Room at Central Campus. Lunch is provided, and advanced registration is required online at <https://forms.office.com/r/rS95aEDBcD>. For more information, please email care-center@blackhawk.edu.

Thursday, April 18: Safe Zone Training

Family Services of Beloit will host Safe Zone training from 10 a.m. to noon in the Multi-Purpose Room at Central Campus. Lunch will be provided. For more information, contact Linda Fair at lfair1@blackhawk.edu or 608-757-6967.

Women in Conservation to host ag workshop

Wisconsin Women in Conservation (WiWiC) is hosting an Urban Agriculture workshop on Tuesday, April 16, from 1 to 3:30 p.m. at the Milwaukee Youth Arts Center, 325 W. Walnut Street.

The event is for all urban growers, regardless of experience or the amount of land being cultivated.

Participants will learn about soil health and water conservation practices they can use to improve their outcomes, and learn about new opportunities to design and fund those practices. The event is free and snacks will be provided.

Pre-registration is preferred, for planning purposes, at the website at gofarmconnect.org.

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Participants will also hear from Kaitlin Schott, who is the state's Urban Agriculture and Specialty Crops Conservationist with NRCS. She is herself an avid backyard gardener, and grows fruits, vegetables, perennials and native plants.

The goal of the workshop

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Participants will meet representatives from the United States Department of Agriculture's Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS), who will explain new federal farm programs that can benefit small scale, innovative and urban growers. Attendees do not need to own land to par-

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Crime victim advocates celebrate anniversary of vote for Marsy's Law

This month marks a significant milestone in the advancement of victims' rights in the Badger State – the fourth anniversary of the enactment of the crime victims' rights constitutional amendment known as Marsy's Law. The amendment was overwhelmingly approved during the April 7, 2020 spring election with 75 percent of voters, amounting to 1.1 million Wisconsin residents, in support.

Marsy's Law provides crime victims with 16 unique rights that vest at the time of victimization. Some of the rights in Marsy's Law include to be present in the courtroom, to be notified, to be heard, to confer with the prosecutor, and to privacy. Marsy's Law also provides a pathway for victims to assert their rights in court if they feel they are being violated.

"Four years ago, Wisconsin took a decisive step forward to transform our criminal justice

system, making it more responsive and just for victims of crime," said Nela Kalpic, state director for Marsy's Law for Wisconsin and a domestic abuse survivor. "Marsy's Law has not only changed the culture in the courtroom for victims, but it has allowed survivors to be more engaged and involved throughout the process."

"It's critical to take a victim-centric approach as offenders are held accountable, and Marsy's Law has reinforced the importance and bolstered the protection of victims' rights in Wisconsin," said Wisconsin Attorney General Josh Kaul. "To continue making progress – and not have it reversed – we must sufficiently fund victim services programs and prevent the major funding cuts those programs currently face."

"I am so proud of the positive impact Marsy's Law is having for victims in Wis-

consin," said State Sen. Van Wanggaard, the Senate author of the amendment. "Marsy's Law is making sure victims' voices are heard, and involved in the criminal justice system. Marsy's Law has been a true blessing for victims. Its immediate impact has exceeded my expectations."

This year's anniversary has special meaning because it is the first anniversary since the nearly-unanimous Wisconsin Supreme Court decision last May upholding the constitutionality of the question used for the ratification vote.

The Marsy's Law for Wisconsin organization has focused its efforts in recent years on educating the public about the rights provided by Marsy's Law, especially through regular silhouette displays around the state. The group also partners with the Wisconsin Department of Justice on mapping exercises where stakeholders gather for

a full day to literally map the path of a crime victim through the criminal justice process.

Marsy's Law for Wisconsin is a grassroots coalition that championed a unique proposal to give victims of crime equal rights in this state, building on Wisconsin's laws and history of leading on this issue. Marsy's Law is named after Marsalee "Marsy" Nicholas of California who was stalked and killed by her ex-boyfriend in 1983. Only one week after her death, Marsy's mother and brother, Henry T. Nicholas, walked into a grocery store where they were confronted by the accused murderer. The family, who had just come from a visit to Marsy's grave, was unaware that the accused had been released on bail. In an effort to honor his sister, Dr. Nicholas has made it his life's mission to give victims and their families constitutional protections and equal rights.

News briefs

Rock County: 24 percent of voters turned out for April election

Twenty-four percent of the voters (30,341) of the approximate 127,000 eligible voters cast ballots in Rock County in the April Spring Election and Presidential Preference.

Unofficial results can be found at the website at: <https://www.co.rock.wi.us/results04022024>

The Rock County Board of Canvassers will meet next week to canvass and certify the Election results for the Presidential, Judicial and County offices.

The school districts, cities, towns and villages will canvass their own contests.

Non-profit seeking host families for high school exchange students

ASSE International Student Exchange Programs (ASSE), in cooperation with local community high schools, is looking for local families to host high school exchange students aged 15 to 18 from diverse countries such as Australia, Denmark, Spain, Italy, Japan, and more.

ASSE exchange students are carefully selected based on their academic achievements and personalities. Host families have the opportunity to choose a student from diverse backgrounds, countries, and interests. These students arrive with their own spending money and comprehensive insurance coverage.

Whether for a young family, retired, a single parent, or empty nesters, hosting a foreign exchange student presents an extraordinary chance to expand a family's cultural horizons without ever leaving the comfort of their home.

Pancake breakfast for Footville Fire and EMS

There will be a pancake breakfast for Footville Fire and EMS on Saturday, April 27, from 6:30 to 11 a.m.

Come out and enjoy some hot pancakes, scrambled eggs, sausage links, milk and coffee served up by the members of the Footville Fire Department and EMS at 252 N. Gilbert St., Footville.

There will be a 50/50 raffle and basket raffles too. Winners do not need to be present to win.

Cost for adults is \$8 and cost for kids is \$5.

Beloit area looking for retired teachers

Calling all retired educators – the Beloit Area Retired Educators Association is inviting area retired teachers to join their group, BAREA.

BAREA usually meets on the third Thursday of the month at 9:30 a.m. at Our Saviors Lutheran Church, located at 749 Bluff St. in Beloit. The meeting starts with social time, then a program followed by a business meeting.

Their next meeting will be on Thursday, April 18, and will have a special Spring Luncheon at 11:30 a.m. at the church, with Beloit policemen as their guest speakers.

Please call Kathy McNamee at 608-365-5934 for more information.

Also check out their group on Facebook at www.facebook.com/groups/498636174068506.

Rock County has open plots for garden season

The Rock County Land Conservation Department has open plots for the 2024 garden season.

Plots are \$35 each; or 2 for \$60. Rental fee includes initial tillage, as well as water for the season. Gardens are open May 1, weather dependent, to Oct. 31. Plots are approx. 20 feet by 25 feet.

Please visit the garden website for more information and a list of garden rules: <https://www.co.rock.wi.us/departments/community-gardens>. Feel free to email Ashley Roscoe at Ashley.roscoe@co.rock.wi.us for renting a plot, or call 608-931-5135.

Stepping On program reduces risk for falls

One in four people aged 65 and older has a fall each year. The ADRC of Rock County/Aging Unit, in partnership with Mercy Health System of Janesville, is pleased to offer Stepping On, a falls prevention workshop for adults ages 60+, from April 18 to May 30.

Stepping On graduates have a 31% reduced rate of falls.

Stepping On is a seven-week series. In Stepping On workshops, attendees will learn how to build and maintain the physical strength and balance they need to walk confidently. From footwear to prescriptions, they'll learn what increases their risk of a fall, how to avoid it, and make an individualized action plan to stay on their feet and live life the way they want.

A Stepping On workshop will be held on seven Thursday afternoons from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. at Mercy Health Mall from April 18 to May 30. Mercy Mall is located at 1010 N. Washington Street, Janesville.

A suggested donation of \$15 is asked to cover the cost of class materials. Space is limited to 12 participants. Advanced registration is required to reserve a seat.

For questions, or to register by April 4, call the Health Promotion Coordinator for ADRC of Rock County/Aging Unit at 608-757-5309 or email at Lisa.messer@co.rock.wi.us.

The program was developed by Dr. Lindy Clemson of Sydney, Australia, to help older adults learn ways to prevent falls. It was brought to the United States by Dr. Jane Mahoney, Executive Director of the Wisconsin Institute for Healthy Aging.



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Gov. Evers celebrates 14 years of the Affordable Care Act

Gov. Tony Evers recently celebrated the 14th anniversary of the Affordable Care Act (ACA) and its positive impacts making healthcare more accessible in Wisconsin and ensuring healthcare coverage for the millions of Wisconsinites who have pre-existing conditions. The ACA was signed into law by President Barack Obama on March 23, 2010.

"Thanks to the Affordable Care Act, more Wisconsinites have been able to access quality, affordable healthcare coverage for the last 14 years, including a record more than 260,000 during the last Open Enrollment Period alone," said Gov. Evers. "This legislation continues to be transformational for folks and families across the state. I will continue to do everything I can to defend the ACA – including its protections for people with pre-existing conditions – as we continue our work building upon our efforts to expand access to affordable healthcare in Wisconsin."

"Since its enactment on March 23, 2010, the ACA has made it easier for everyone to get the high quality, affordable health insurance they need," said Wisconsin Office of the Commissioner of Insurance (OCI) Commissioner Nathan Houdek. "Thanks to the ACA, millions of Wisconsin families have been able to access

health insurance without lifetime limits and regardless of pre-existing conditions. Wisconsin has one of the most competitive health insurance marketplaces in the country, ranking second nationwide in number of participating insurers. Provisions of the ACA have both strengthened the private health insurance market and ensured consumers are protected."

"Costs shouldn't be a barrier to health care, and for 14 years, the ACA has ensured Wisconsin families don't have to sacrifice to get the care they need and deserve," said Wisconsin Department of Health Services (DHS) Secretary Kirsten Johnson. "The ACA bridges the gap between BadgerCare Plus and Medicaid and private insurance so no one falls through the cracks, and everyone has access to quality, affordable health care."

Gov. Evers has long been committed to ensuring every Wisconsinite has access to quality, affordable healthcare. In 2019, the governor delivered on his promise to withdraw the state of Wisconsin from a Republican-led lawsuit that would have gutted the ACA, kicked thousands of Wisconsinites off their healthcare, and put 2.4 million Wisconsinites who have a pre-existing condition at risk. Gov. Evers also launched the DHS

OCI Health Care Coverage Partnership in 2019 to improve coordination around outreach and education, increase enrollment and health insurance literacy, and improve enrollment retention. In 2020, this partnership launched WisCovered.com as an accessible resource for consumers to get connected with enrollment information. During the 2024 Open Enrollment Period, nearly 20,000 Wisconsinites visited the WisCovered.com website.

According to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS), during the 2024 Open Enrollment Period, 266,327 Wisconsinites signed up for health insurance on HealthCare.gov. This is a record-high number

of Wisconsinites enrolled, marking a 20 percent increase in enrollment from the previous period. Since 2020, enrollment in the individual market in Wisconsin has increased each year thanks to President Joe Biden and Gov. Evers restoring funding for public outreach efforts to reach communities across the state. Currently, Wisconsin ranks second in the nation in the number of issuers participating in the individual health insurance marketplace.

The ACA has also given Wisconsin the flexibility to operate the successful Wisconsin Healthcare Stability Plan (WIHSP). WIHSP was created by 2017 Wisconsin Act 138, a bipartisan bill signed into law in 2018 and

implemented under Gov. Evers. WIHSP has helped keep health insurance rates low while increasing choice for consumers every year it has been in operation. Due to support from Gov. Evers and the Wisconsin State Legislature, WIHSP has been fully funded in each of the last three state biennial budgets. This program was recently extended through Dec. 31, 2028.

ACA-compliant health insurance plans are required to cover ten essential health benefits, from mental health services to prescription drugs. The ACA also requires that at least 80 percent of health insurance premiums be spent directly on medical care. When an insurer's proportion of premi-

um revenues spent on clinical services doesn't meet that standard, they must provide a rebate. Wisconsin residents received over \$7 million in rebates in 2022.

Though the 2024 Open Enrollment Period has ended, Wisconsinites may still be able to get enrolled in a plan available on the individual marketplace if they have a qualifying life event like losing their job, getting married, or having a baby. Additionally, Tribal members and their families may enroll in coverage on the marketplace at any time. Wisconsinites can learn more about their coverage options by visiting WisCovered.com, calling 877-947-2211, or talking to a licensed health insurance agent.

DNR seeks input on 2024 deer season

The Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (DNR) and County Deer Advisory Councils are seeking public input to prepare for the 2024 deer season.

Each county in Wisconsin has a County Deer Advisory Council that meets annually to provide input and recommendations to the DNR on deer management in its county.

The online public comment period will be open from now until April 14. Complete the public input questionnaire to help provide feedback for the local County Deer Advisory Council.

County Deer Advisory Council recommendations are based on deer metrics, county deer population objectives and public feedback. Information on each county's harvest and population metrics can be



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Help shape the upcoming deer season by providing feedback and attending a local County Deer Advisory Council meeting.

found on the Wisconsin Deer Metrics System database.

The online public comment period is an opportunity for anyone interested in helping shape local deer herd management. Local County Deer Advisory Councils

will consider public comments when creating recommendations for the DNR.

Interested members of the public are encouraged to participate in the discussion at their local County Deer Advisory Council meeting. At these

meetings, councils review county data on fawn-to-doe ratios, harvest trends, herd health, deer impacts on agriculture, forest health, vehicle collisions and hunter experience. This information is reviewed annually to respond to deer harvest, winter severity and other factors that impact the upcoming deer season.

The 2024 County Deer Advisory Council meetings will occur between April 22 and May 2.

Anyone interested can search for and view the County Deer Advisory Council meeting info on the DNR's Meetings and Hearings calendar.

Following the County Deer Advisory Council process, the DNR will bring recommendations for the 2024 season to the Natural Resources Board for consideration in June.

From egg hunt to rubber duck hunt



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Easter Egg hunts are fun but Pat's Brew and Que in Sharon, Wis., is always trying to do something different. Today was their first Duck Hunt. Over 30 children attended this event to pick up rubber ducks instead of eggs. All received treat bags with candy and toys and many received prizes if they turned in the right color eggs. Ten winners received ice cream certificates from Myrt's Ice Cream Shoppe and four \$10 certificates were provided by Mr. Kuhike for certificates to Pat's. A great time was had by all.

• Workshop (Continued from front page)

is to make women growers aware of practices and infrastructure innovations to improve soil quality, crop resilience, water conservation and success in gardens and crops, regardless of size. The NRCS can offer a variety of supports, including technical design assistance and cost share funding for high tunnels, raised beds, irrigation, cover crops, pollinator plantings and other practices.

Wisconsin Women in Conservation (WiWiC) is a statewide collaborative effort led by the Michael Fields Agricultural Institute in partnership with Wisconsin Farmers Union, Renewing the Countryside, E Resources Group and Marbleseed (formerly MOSES) with support from the Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS). The goal of the project is to connect women landowners and farmers with each other and with local conservation professionals and organizations. In addition to holding events, WiWiC offers Conser-

vation Coach mentorship and free Conservation Plans written by local professionals, in conjunction with a site visit.

WiWiC is engaging women landowners, farmers, farmworkers, and conservation professionals across the state through workshops, field days, farm tours, potlucks, mentorships, a newsletter, podcast, and other learning opportunities. A team of Regional Coordinators leads cohorts of women landowners in nine regions to network and share resources as well as to connect them to regional NRCS agency staff and programs. Women also have the opportunity to work with Conservation Coaches, who are experienced women landowners with particular expertise in different aspects of conservation. WiWiC hosts a state-wide Wisconsin Women in Conservation Educators Network that convenes twice a year virtually to share best practices and support each other's work.



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Rock County continues herbicide pilot program

The Rock County Highway Department has acknowledged a need to initiate a higher level of maintenance regarding rural roadside vegetation management, primarily the eradication of noxious invasive plant species. Invasive species within the road right-of-way and adjacent properties can pose significant health risks to highway workers, utility workers, emergency responders, and anyone else utilizing the right-of-way. In the coming month, locals may notice the crews spraying these areas to help control and eradicate Wild Parsnip and other harmful

invasive weed species. Highway department staff have been trained and certified in applying EPA (Environmental Protection Agency) certified herbicides. These herbicides are plant specific and will not hurt native plants. This means grasses, milkweed, and other native plants will flourish, helping the wildlife and pollinators. The intention is to spray all county roads this year. They will also be spraying selected areas on State Highways and Rock County Park Trails. The window of opportunity will be dictated by weather; however, they anticipate three weeks of spraying

starting in April or early May. The following herbicide formulas will be used:

- TerraVue, 62719-738, Aminopyralid-Potassium, 2.5 Oz/Acre
- Plateau, 241-365, Imazapic, 4 Oz/Acre
- MSO, Exempt, Surfactant, 1 Pt/Acre
- Compadre, 228-386 Drift Control, 3.5 Oz/Acre

Organic growers are encouraged to contact the Rock County Highway Department with concerns and questions regarding this program. If anyone has any questions, please contact the office at 608-757-5450.

Rock County K9 teams brush up on skills



ROCK COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE FACEBOOK PHOTO Rock Valley Publishing

On March 22, the Rock County Sheriff's Office K9 Team and the Green County WI Sheriff's Office K9 Team recertified through the North American Police Work Dog Association (NAPWDA). The K9 Team trains together at least 16 hours a month to maintain the reliability of the K9s. RCSO K9s are patrol utility dogs, so they can assist the community in many different ways. They are certified in obedience, tracking, articles, building searches, area searches, narcotic detection, and aggression control. Congratulations to Sergeant Albeck and K9 Jax, Deputy Peterson and K9 Finn, and GCSO Sergeant Degner and K9 Ali.

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Police news

Slow-no-wake declared on Rock River

According to U.S. Geological Survey Gauges, the water level for the Rock River at Lake Koshkonong is 8.22 feet. County Ordinance requires a slow-no-wake speed restriction be placed on the Rock River when the water level exceeds 8 feet. Also, the gauges on the Rock River in Beloit are at 8.5 feet. County Ordinance requires a slow-no-wake speed restriction be placed on the Rock River when the water level reaches 8.5 feet.

The Sheriff's Office is providing public notice of the Rock River's current slow-no-wake status.

Deputies placed slow-no-wake signs along the river at all public access points between Lake Koshkonong and the Indianford Dam and the W B R Townline Road Bridge and the Stateline.

Currently, the entire Rock River in Rock County is under a slow-no-wake speed restriction.

Sex offender relocation to Janesville

According to the Wisconsin Department of Corrections, Donald G. Drost relocated to Rock Valley Community Programs, 203 W. Sunny Lane, Janesville, WI, on April 9.

Drost was convicted on Nov. 20, 2007 of 2nd Degree Sexual Assault of a Child and Repeated Sexual Assault of Same Child, 07CF2967, in Rock County.

While residing at 203 W. Sunny Lane, Janesville, conditions of Drost's supervision include, but are not limited to: No unsupervised contact with minors; No contact with victim; Not to consume drugs; Comply with Standard Sex Offender Rules; Cooperate



Donald G. Drost

with Electronic Monitoring; Comply with all requirements and be a lifetime registrant of the Wisconsin Sex Offender Registration Program.

The Rock County Sheriff's Office is not responsible for the placement of this sex offender in any manner; however, by law, they are required to provide public notice. For further information regarding the placement of this offender, please contact the Department of Community Corrections at 608-758-6075 or refer to the Wisconsin Department of Corrections Sex Offender Registry website at, www.WISTAYSAFE.gov.

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Municipal Clerks handle more than just elections

By Deilee Calvert
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While running elections is an important role for municipal and county clerks, that's not the only thing they do. Ann Hempel, elected to serve as the part-time Municipal Clerk for the Town of Unity in 2023, estimates that running elections for the 513 people who live in her township is only 5% of her clerk responsibilities. Her other time is spent documenting and reporting municipal activities, maintaining vital records, ensuring transparency, paying bills, and more.

When Hempel's town board encouraged her to run for Town Clerk, she thought she understood what the clerk's role entailed. Through her full-time job with the Land Records Department of Trempealeau County, she has regular contact with municipal clerks and townships. Soon after she was elected, she realized there was a lot more to the job. "Even though I worked with clerks, I didn't understand the full set of responsibilities. It's hard work and a lot of people are doing it in their spare time because they're only paid a certain amount of money and for a Township it's very part-time.

Getting it all done

Melissa Kono, an Extension Associate Professor of Community Development in Trempealeau and Clark Counties, specializes in local government education. She is also the Municipal Clerk for the Town of Burnside, a position she has had for more than 10 years. "I was fortunate that I took over for a clerk who was very detail-oriented and



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Municipal Clerk Melissa Kono works in her Burnside office.

methodical, and he helped me as questions arose. But there were still things that I had to just figure out on my own," Kono said. She recalled nights when she would sit for hours trying to figure something out, "I just wanted to pull my hair out. I had people I could go to and it was still frustrating."

That real-world experience and inside knowledge of what clerks go through informs her work in Extension. Kono has developed several trainings focused on helping municipal clerks be more effective and efficient. Most recently, she launched the "Year in the Life of a Clerk" training, giving clerks a month-by-month overview of their responsibilities. "I wanted to organize the information so it was easier to know what needs to be done and when." Clerk duties are constantly changing throughout the year, and this training allows new clerks to better

understand and anticipate issues that may arise.

Hempel participated in Extension's "Year in the Life of a Clerk" Training. She said that walking through her monthly responsibilities helped her get more organized and have a better handle on what she needs to do. "It gives me an idea of the timeline and then I'm not trying to do a 50-page report on April 14th when it's due on the 15th." Before Kono developed the training, Hempel said there wasn't one place to go where she could get information on what, when, and to whom things are due.

"It's served as a central place where I can find what I need," said Hempel. And that means she can fill things out more completely and do a better job for her residents.

Sarah Godlewski, Secretary of State of Wisconsin, works closely with county and mu-

nicipal clerks. She attended the "Year in the Life" training to get a better understanding of their responsibilities and to find ways her office could support their work. "One of the things that stood out, that I've talked to clerks about since, is that the "Year in the Life" training gave an overview of the year," Godlewski said, "If we think about the year, here's how we can best tackle the things that you're responsible for and again, be as efficient and effective as possible."

Godlewski advocates for providing clerks with resources and training to help them feel prepared and confident in their roles. "Since clerks are literally the Swiss Army knives of their communities, they have to be able to do so much. Training is really helpful in clarifying and answering those questions and providing certainty that helps clerks do their jobs to the best of their ability."

What about Election Training?

When it comes to election administration, Wisconsin has comprehensive and monitored requirements to ensure that clerks are trained and prepared to follow the law when running elections. Each new clerk is required to complete the Municipal Clerk Core Course before their first election. After that, clerks are required to complete six hours of election training every two years, so they are current on election procedures and documentation. Municipal Clerk Core Course trainers, like Kono, are certified by the Wisconsin Election Commission, who oversees and ensures that the course content

follows the topics included in state law.

There's a workshop for that

The "Year in the Life" training is great for new clerks, but it's just a start. For many of the reports and responsibilities, clerks need specific training that goes deeper. They need to know what data to report, where to get the information, and where to submit documents in order to keep their community in compliance with state requirements.

Karl Green, Extension's Local Government Education Program Manager, works with his team to develop workshops that address specific needs when they arise. Based on information from clerks, county-based educators, government officials, and administrators, local government workshops allow clerks to get much more detailed information about a specific form or skill they need, covering topics such as parliamentary procedure, board of review, open meetings law, and public records requests.

This April, Green's team is offering a new workshop called "Completing Form C/CT". Each clerk submits Form C/CT, to document what their municipality spends annually on services like EMS and transportation. "As you're getting new clerks coming in, they just seem like deer in the headlights," Kono said, "It's not even new clerks. I've been a clerk for 11 years, and Form C/CT is my least favorite part of the job." Kono has received more questions about the form this year than in any year past, which encouraged Green and his team to develop the workshop.

Clerks have a larger impact on their communities than most people realize. For example, Hempel says that she needs to complete reports and documentation for her township to operate correctly. "If you have someone who's not on the ball or hasn't done the research to fully fill something out, then your Township, your municipality, is going to lose money."

While Form C/CT allows the Department of Revenue to track how tax dollars were spent in each community, there are other ways that data is used. The Local Government Program developed a data analysis software called G.R.E.A.T. - Graphing Revenues, Expenditures, and Taxes. Using financial data from clerks, the software allows anyone the ability to look at what local governments spend on public safety or libraries and compare that to other municipalities. Green said that when you consider the power of data that comes from a report like that, it highlights one of the important roles clerks play in local government. If every clerk across the state understands how to complete the form, the information is a powerful planning and decision-making tool.

The Local Government Education Program provides resources, workshops, and virtual trainings to help elected officials gain the skills and knowledge they need to be efficient and effective. For training materials available to Municipal Clerks, contact Melissa Kono at melissa.kono@wisc.edu. To learn more about resources and upcoming workshops, visit localgovernment.extension.wisc.edu.

State farmer leads sustainability panel in Austin, Texas

To initiate change, it's important to be a part of the conversation.

That's why Tony Mellenthin, who represents Wisconsin on the United Soybean Board, made his way to Austin, Texas, for the South by Southwest (SXSW) conference March 8 to 16. While there, Mellenthin moderated the "Script to screen: Advancing sustainable entertainment products" panel, which featured an up-close conversation with innovative pioneers who are working to increase sustainability in entertainment.

"A lot of the discussion centered around using alternative products to build production sets," said Mellenthin, who farms near Eau Galle. "But we also talked about how right here, right now, the first step is a drop-in replacement for diesel, like renewable diesel."

The panelists included Todd Holland of Directors Guild of America, Danica Vallone with Red Hen Industries and Ty Walker of Hartbeat. During the discussion, attendees learned about innovative approaches to balancing the imperatives to create engaging programming that is delivered on budget and on schedule while being environmentally friendly. The panelists showcased tangible steps that can be taken to incorporate sustainability into production, like using soy-based products.

"Because we build worlds and tear them apart over and over in rapid succession, we are able to troubleshoot, problem-solve, iterate and ideate on new technologies and new methodologies faster than just

about any industry," Vallone said during the panel discussion, "so I think we are very uniquely poised to be able to steer the ship, lead the charge in this regard and I think we're also morally obligated."

Founded in 1987, SXSW is an annual event for global professionals that features sessions, music and comedy showcases, film and television screenings, world-class exhibitions, professional development and networking opportunities, tech competitions and much more. SXSW "dedicates itself to helping creative people achieve their goals."

"SXSW wasn't a vacation for anyone," Mellenthin said. "You were there for the betterment of yourself and your organization and how you can collaborate with others. There is a ton of innovation happening there. I view it as a space that we have the opportunity to collaborate with the innovators who will help bring our innovations mainstream."

It may not have been a conference that Mellenthin was used to attending on behalf of soybean growers, but he was right where he needed to be to continue the sustainability conversation and push the needle for check-off-supported, soy-based products.

"First and foremost, it is important to be there because the individuals and organizations that are at South by Southwest - beyond who was on the panel - are seeking alternatives to make them more sustainable," Mellenthin said. "Soy is not going to be a part of the conversation if we are not there physically talking about it."



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Tony Mellenthin, who represents Wisconsin on the United Soybean Board, was in Austin, Texas, for the South by Southwest conference March 8 to 16.

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TOWN OF SPRING VALLEY

Annual Meeting of the Electors
Tuesday, April 16, 2024 at 6 PM
Orfordville Fire District Meeting Room
173 N. Wright St., Orfordville, WI

AGENDA

1. Call to order
2. 2023 Annual Meeting Minutes
3. 2023 Financial Report
4. Old business
5. Historical Society
6. New business
 - A. Set date for 2024 Annual Meeting (4-15-25)
 - B. Elected officials salaries
 - C. Other items interest to electors
6. Adjournment

*Electors of the town vote on Annual Meeting items as authorized in s.60.10 and s.60.11 WI Statutes

Dela Ends, Clerk

Recycling drop-off
2nd Saturday of the month
Rock Co. Public Works Bldg.
Hwy 213
Orfordville 9am-noon.
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STATE OF WISCONSIN Town of Center, Rock County

Pursuant to s. 70.45, Wis. Stats. the assessment roll for the Year 2024 examination will be open for examination on the 19th day of April, 2024 at the Center Town Hall, 9119 W. County Road A, Evansville at Noon to 2:00 PM. Instructional material will be provided at the open book to persons who wish to object to valuations under s. 70.47, Wis. Stats.

Notice is hereby given this 3rd day of April 2024.

Devona Udulutch, Clerk
Town of Center

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AGENDA

BRODHEAD SCHOOL DISTRICT TEACHER NEGOTIATIONS COMMITTEE MEETING

Wednesday, April 17, 2024
DISTRICT OFFICE
BOARD ROOM
2501 West 5th Avenue,
Brodhead, WI

5:00 P.M.

AGENDA

- I. GROUND RULES
- II. INITIAL PROPOSALS
- III. DISCUSSION/NEGOTIATIONS
- IV. ADJOURN

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TOWN OF DECATUR

Regular Town Board
Tuesday April 16, 2024,
Annual Meeting
Decatur Town Hall
1408 14th Street,
Brodhead WI 53520

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Town Meeting will be on Tuesday, April 16, 2024 at 6pm.

Emma Brugger Clerk/Treasurer

Posted April 5, 2024 at Town Hall, Newspaper, Website, Trackside Mobil, Brodhead Library

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LEGAL NOTICE

The following applications for Alcohol Beverage Licenses will be considered at the May 1, 2024, Public Safety meeting at 6:00 p.m. and at the May 14, 2024, Common Council at 6:00 p.m. Both meetings are open to the public and will be held at City Hall, 31 S Madison Street, Evansville, WI 53536 on the third floor in the Council Chambers.

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City of Evansville

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TOWN OF DECATUR

Regular Town Board
Tuesday April 16, 2024,
following Annual Meeting
Decatur Town Hall
1408 14th Street,
Brodhead WI 53520

MEETING AGENDA:

1. Call to Order
2. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag
3. Additions/Corrections to the Agenda
4. Approval of Minutes
 - a. March 21, 2024
5. Treasurer's Report
6. Payment of the Bills
7. Citizen Concerns
8. Roadwork
9. Review ATV ordinance
10. Encroachment-Todd Staffon
11. Updating accounting program
12. Closed session-Wis Stat Sec 19.85 (1) (c)
 - (c) Considering employment, promotion, compensation or performance evaluation data of any public employee over which the governmental body has jurisdiction or exercises responsibility.
13. Reconvene to open session
14. Discussion and possible action on topic discussed in closed session
15. Additional information and correspondences
16. Future agenda items
17. Set Dates for Future Meetings
18. Adjournment

Emma Brugger Clerk/Treasurer

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Gov. Evers signs bill barring the sale of unsafe lighters

Gov. Tony Evers recently by Pittsville Elementary School signed Assembly Bill 917, now 2023 Wisconsin Act 271, which prohibits the sale of counterfeit and unsafe lighters to help combat the dangerous rise in knock-off lighters that fail American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM) Standards. Gov. Evers signed the bill in Pittsville, Wisconsin, after receiving a letter from Pittsville Fire Department Chief Jerry Minor. Act 271 is the result of the steadfast advocacy of Chief Minor, students, and leaders in the Pittsville community, who have worked for over a decade to pass legislation in response to the tragic local death of an eight-year-old in 2008, who died in a home fire that may have been sparked by a lighter.

"Unsafe lighters endanger our kids, families, and communities, often creating dangerous and largely preventable situations for our fire departments, EMS providers, and other first responders. This bipartisan legislation will help keep unsafe lighters off the shelves to help keep

our kids safe across Wisconsin while improving and promoting fire safety, reducing fire play, and helping prevent fires from starting in the first place," said Gov. Evers. "This bill has been a long time coming, and I'm grateful for the hard work of students and educators from Pittsville Elementary, Fire Chief Minor, and countless other first responders and community leaders who've spent more than a decade working to reach consensus and bipartisan support on this important issue."

In the wake of the 2008 tragedy, Fire Chief Minor, students from Pittsville Elementary School, and several first responder organizations have advocated for state lawmakers to ban the sale of certain lighters to minors in Wisconsin. Legislation aiming to prohibit the display and sale of certain lighters to minors has been introduced during almost every legislative session since 2009 but has failed to pass both the Assembly and the Senate until now.

"I have spent nearly two decades of my career as a

first responder advocating on behalf of this important issue to keep our kids and communities safe, and today, I am thrilled to join the governor, students, and community members in seeing this bill finally become law," said Fire Chief Minor. "Unfortunately, Pittsville knows firsthand the tragic consequences that can occur from fire play with a lighter, and this bill will make a real difference in helping turn the tide of the rising issue of unsafe, unregulated lighters and the threat they pose for kids across Wisconsin."

Assembly Bill 917 passed with bipartisan support and support from the Professional Fire Fighters of Wisconsin, Wisconsin Sheriffs and Deputy Sheriffs Association, Wisconsin State Fire Chiefs Association, and the Wisconsin State Firefighters Association.

Assembly Bill 917, now 2023 Wisconsin Act 271:

- Provides that no person may offer for sale or sell, or offer a free sample of, a counterfeit lighter or unsafe lighter;
- Provides that the prohibi-

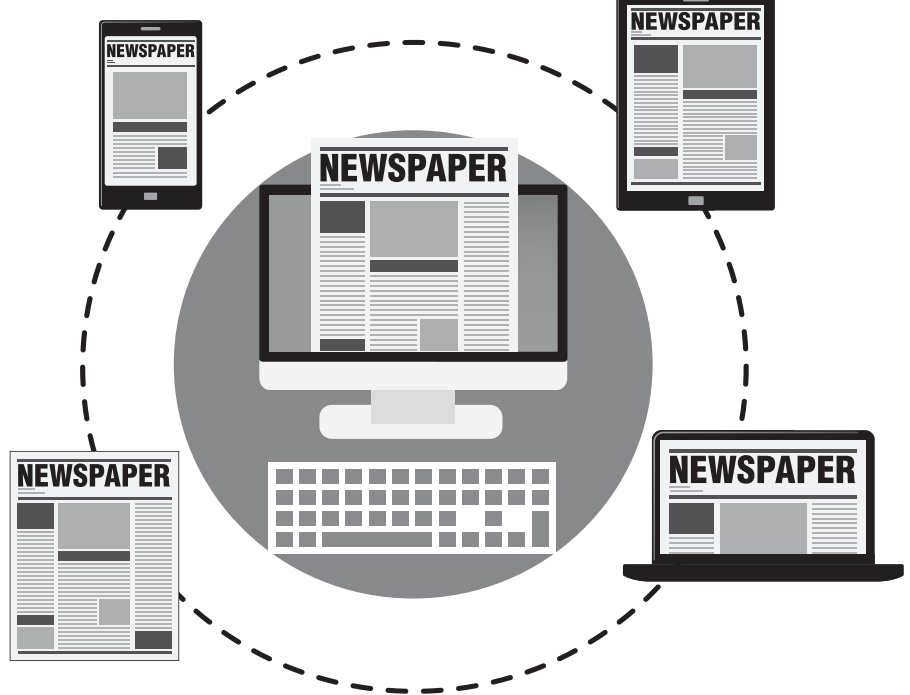
tion would not apply to any of the following: 1) The interstate transportation of counterfeit or unsafe lighters that pass through Wisconsin; or; 2) The storage of counterfeit or unsafe lighters in a warehouse or distribution center if the warehouse or distribution center is not open to the public for the purposes of retail sale or distribution.

• Defines lighter as any electrical or mechanical device that operates using any type of fuel and that is intended for use in igniting cigarettes, cigars, pipes, charcoal or gas grills, or fireplaces;

• Defines counterfeit lighter as a lighter that infringes on an intellectual property right of a citizen of the United States or a person that is protected by federal or state intellectual property law; and

• Defines unsafe lighter as: 1) A disposable or refillable cigarette, cigar, or pipe lighter that does not comply with ASTM International standard F400-20; 2) A utility, grill, or fireplace lighter, a lighting rod, or a gas match that does not comply with ASTM International standard F2201-20.

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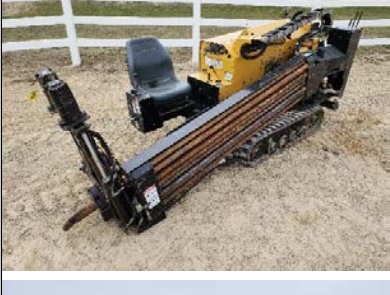
FARM EQUIPMENT: John Deere 1590 10' No Till Grain Drill, Dolly Wheel, Grass Seed, John Deere 7200 Max-Emerge 2 16R Planter-Nice Planter, John Deere 8300 Grain Drill, John Deere Max-Emerger 2 12R Planter, Marker Arms, John Deere 618C 16R Corn Head, 20" Spacing, EZ Trail 880 Head Cart, John Deere 612C 12R Corn Head, EZ Trail 880 Head Cart, John Deere 6500 Self Propelled Sprayer, Jon Deere 936 Moco Discbine, John Deere 500 Grain Cart, John Deere 980 40' Cultivator, 5 Bar Spike Harrow, John Deere 980 28' Field Cultivator, 5 Bar Spike Harrow, (2) – J&M Gravity Wagons w/ Augers, Vermeer R9120 Discbine, 10' Case IH 3412 12R Corn Head, New Holland FP230 Chopper, Hay Head, 3PN Corn Head, Case IH 5400 Grain Drill, Yetter No Till Caddy, Marker Arms, Early Riser Monitor, Case IH SMX91 Haybine, Very Nice, Case IH 5500 Soybean Special Drill, Penta 4020SD TMR Mixer, Scale, Case IH 496 28' Disk, Ag Bagger 6000 Series Bagger, 21' H&S 2112 Hay Rake, Never Used, Wilrich XL2 45' Field Cultivator, Kubota DM1022 8' 3pt Disc Mower, 05' Kuhn Knight 8118 Slinger Spreader, NICE!, Krause Landsman 6100 12' Field Finisher, Kuhn GA7501 Dual Basket Rotary Rake, Claas Volto 1100T 10 Basket Hay Tedder, 23' New Holland 165 Manure Spreader, Poly Floor, Never Used, Kinzie 2000 8R Planter, Interplant, Meridian 375RT Seed Express Seed Tender, Honda Gas, Scale

VEHICLES & TRAILERS: 17' Triton Enclosed Snowmobile Trailer, Tandem Axle, Very Nice, 98' Peterbilt 379 Semi Tractor, 6TS Cat, 455 Hp, 13 Spd, Lots Of Work Done, 94' Peterbilt 377 Semi Tractor, CAT SEK Motor, 13 Spd, 915,789 Miles 96' Double D 24' Gooseneck Trailer, 02' Dierzon 20' Dump Trailer, Tandem Axle, 01' Freightliner FL106 Toy Hauler Semi Tractor, D, Automatic, Single Axle, 552,300 Miles, 00' Load King 28' Gooseneck Trailer, 18' Neville Built 39' Step Deck Trailer, 08 Merrit 42' Hopper Bottom Trailer, 14' Kenworth T660 Semi Tractor, Pacar 455 Hp, 885,498 Miles, Mack CV713 Quad Axle Dump Truck, 91' GMC 7500 Tanker Truck, 99' Wilson Hopper Bottom Trailer, 12' Freightliner Cascadia Day Cab Semi Tractor, 626,991 Miles, 18' PJ 35' Deck Over Trailer, Pintle Hitch

LAWN & GARDEN – GOLF/RECREATION: 21' Ferris IS6200 Zero Turn Mower, 90 Hrs, Toro 4700D Rough Rotary Mower, 4x4, 5 Deck, 4,000 Hrs, (5) – John Deere TS 4x2 Gators, Manual Dump, (2) – John Deere TS 4x2 Gator, Manual Dump, Cab, (2) – 23' & 22' John Deere Z994R Zero Turn Mowers, D, 72" Deck, Sub 100 Hrs, Ty-Crop MH400 Top Dresser, Conveyor, Dakota 440 Turf Tender Top Dresser, Ty Crop Pro Pass 180 Top Dresser, Buffalo Mega Towable Blower, (2) – Towable 27 Hp Blowers, (2) – Altoz TRX561 Track Zero Turn Mowers, Gas, 61" Deck, Municipal Machines, 21' John Deere X758 Lawn Mower, D 60" Deck, 4x4, 123 Hrs, HUGE SELECTION OF LAWN MOWERS & GATORS/UTVS, TO MANY TO LIST! Large Selection Of Livestock Equipment From Closed Feed Lot! NEW ATTACHMENTS

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