

To: Village Board, All Committee Members, and Others  
From: Deanna Boldrey, Clerk-Treasurer  
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Subject: Weekly Update



### **Police Department**

At about 1:20 AM this morning (January 15), a Milwaukee man, 23, took out three highway signs while trying to maneuver through the roundabout onto Highway 45. The man failed field tests and had a PBT reading of .22. Because the man's English skills were limited, a Hmong officer of the Sheboygan Falls PD translated over the phone. The suspect was aggressive and threatened Officer Lake with harm, but was transferred to the County Jail without incident.

On Monday, Officer Gerke issued \$218 citations to two men for peddling Kirby Vacuums without a permit. Both had been warned by Chief Dolnick last October but apparently thought he was joking.

Corrections agents requested assistance as they confronted a local man for violating probation. The agents recovered 17 empty syringes, plus other items used to inject heroin. Det. Foeger inventoried the evidence and Officer Laabs transported the 24 year old to County Jail on a probation hold.

On Tuesday night, Officers Brinks and Lake were called to Ivy Manor after a 79-year-old man became unresponsive while being picked up from the floor and put back into his bed. The Medical Examiner believes that the death wasn't related to the fall. However, the manner in which Ivy Manor staff responded to the emergency is being reported to the State of Wisconsin by Chief Dolnick.

Squad #4's intermittent turn signal problem was finally fixed with a new "lighting control module", an incredibly expensive wonder of modern auto manufacturing that replaced simple (and cheap) wires and switches. The good news is that this one failed while the squad was still under warranty.

### **Fire Department**

On Monday night, Battalion Chief Lamm & Kruepke started the first of two National Incident Management courses being run through the National Fire Academy at the Slinger Fire Station. This class is being provided free of charge to area fire departments.

On Tuesday morning, a first aid class was presented to the DPW/Water/WWTP employees. The class ended a little sooner than expected due to an ambulance call.

Seventeen kindergarten students along with several teachers and parents from Morning Star School were treated to a fire station tour and fire prevention presentation Friday morning.

### **Joint Parks and Recreation**

**MONTE CARLO NIGHT – TABLE SPONSORS/DONATIONS AND VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: February 6, 2016!!** Sponsor packets can be found on the website at [jacksonparkrec.recdesk.com](http://jacksonparkrec.recdesk.com). Keep us in mind for those Holiday Gifts you may not have use for, we love "RE-GIFTED ITEMS" to help make our raffle baskets! We are also looking for LARGE ticket items for Monte Carlo Night (sports ticket packages etc...). Volunteers are essential for this event, we need a post-event cleanup crew of at least 12 people, a pre-event decorating crew of at least 6 people and 10 event volunteers. Please call if you can help 677-9665 – thanks in advance! Help us make the 2016 event the BEST YET!

Pickleball Tournament – Our 2<sup>nd</sup> Pickleball Tourney will be held this Saturday (Jan. 16) from 8am to 1pm. Everyone is welcome to come and watch to check out Pickleball. Concessions will be served.

Jackson Elementary 4<sup>th</sup> Graders enjoyed a "Kindness Retreat" through "YOUTH FRONTIERS" at the JACC on Friday. It was awesome to see all the happy kiddos having a blast as well as learning to be kind, caring and accepting of others!

Reminder: West Bend School District 4K enrollment for the 2016 school year begins February 4<sup>th</sup>. Families interested in the Jackson Area Community Center site can contact Kelly at the Community Center or the West Bend School District for information or to enroll. Space is limited so please register early to ensure the site you are interested in your child attending. Children MUST BE four by September 1<sup>st</sup>.

We will begin the process of hiring a 4k teacher for the program beginning in September. Applicants must have a valid WI. DPI License. This is a permanent part-time position with the Jackson Jt. Parks & Recreation Department. If you would like more information please contact Kelly at the JACC 677-9665.

### **Building Inspection**

Insulation was approved at the Coffeerville Company and drywall will start early next week.

### **Public Works**

The Jackson Water Utility has completed all PSC and DNR annual reports. The meter change outs program has started and will continue until completed. There are only 160 meters to be changed out this year, so the plan is to have all radios/meters on the AMI meter reading system by the end of the year. Well #3 the well house meter had a bad bearing which has been repaired, and back online. Well #1 meter is being tested, and the well is offline during the process.

The Street & Parks Department conducted routine maintenance, replaced broken trash containers, snow removal, chipping Christmas trees, and salting operation. The snow was removed from Main Street (STH 60) Thursday morning, and when completed the Christmas decorations were taken down.

At the WWTP, all Wisconsin Surplus items sold have been picked up by the buyer. Snow and ice removal continues on the wall of the Schreiber tanks. The digester project completion is waiting for the delivery of the pressure gauges that were wrong when the project started. The finger pointing has stopped, and now the gauges are being repaired.

The Water Executives of Southeastern Wisconsin quarterly meeting this week had Jeff Stone and Kristy Rogers from Wisconsin Public Service Commission. Topics were meter reading technology, and Water Utility rate structure pertaining to main replacement.

### **Clerk/Treasurer**

Tax collections continue to be steady. First installments or payments in full are due by January 31, 2016.

Utility bills have been mailed with the Jackson Quarterly and calendars. Thank you very much to Billie Vaughan and Arlene Rahlf for volunteering their time to come and help stuff the utility bills for mailing. The utility bills are due by February 5<sup>th</sup>. Carla will be busy posting the water bill payments in the weeks ahead.

The Clerk's Office is planning for a statewide Primary Election to be held on February 16. Supreme Court Justice will be on the ballot. In person absentee voting will begin in the Clerk's Office on February 1st and end on February 12<sup>th</sup>.

### **Administrator**

Steady and Routine.