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A world record attempt and fundraiser at the Yankee Air Museum is successful, saving part of the historic World War II Willow Run B-24 Liberator Bomber plant and preserving an important piece of history. See page 3.



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Canton Township's Emergency Management Planner earned the Outstanding Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Team Leader Award recently for her role in that community program.

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John Adams is named Inkster Fire Chief and will take over day-to-day operations of the Inkster Fire Department in July.

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The Northville Public School District hired one new

Former police chief enters guilty plea

In an unexpected move last week, former Romulus Police Chief Michael St. Andre entered a guilty plea to corruption charges in Wayne County Circuit Court during a pre-trial hearing.

St. Andre, 53, pleaded guilty to charges of conducting a continuing criminal enterprise, embezzlement by a public official and misconduct in office. In what was apparently a plea bargain, charges including criminal enterprise conspiracy, uttering and publishing, failure to file or filing a false tax return, obstruction of justice, witness bribery, intimidating or interfering in a case with over a 10-year penalty and receiving and concealing stolen property over \$20,000 were dropped. St. Andre will be sentenced before Circuit Court Judge Michael Hathaway Oct. 17 and will serve 5 years in

Also charged were former Det. Sgt. Richard Allan Balzer, Det. Richard Bruce Landry, Det. Donald Ralph Hopkins, Det. Jeremy James Channells and Det. Larry Droege.

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prison as part of the plea agreement.

He is not in police custody.

The charges against St. Andre, his wife, Sandra Vlaz St. Andre and five Romulus police detectives were filed by the office of the Wayne County prosecutor in September of 2011 following a 3year investigation by the Michigan State Police, the FBI and the prosecutor's office. The investigation was prompted by a request from a highly-placed police official who alleged misconduct, corruption and embezzlement of drug forfeiture funds by select members of the Romulus Police Department Special Investigation Unit and highly-placed police command personnel, according to the prosecutor's office.

Also charged, along with St. Andre and his wife, were former Det. Sgt. Richard Allan Balzer, Det. Richard Bruce Landry, Det. Donald Ralph Hopkins, Det. Jeremy James Channells and Det. Larry Droege.

Sandra St. Andre was convicted of receiving and concealing stolen property over \$20,000, failure to file or filing a false tax return, conspiracy in a criminal enterprise and maintaining a criminal enterprise by a jury Jan. 27. She was sentenced in February and is serving 7-20 years in prison. Prosecutors alleged that drug forfeiture money from the Romulus Police Department was used to pay for a tanning salon in her name in Westland, home improvements, gambling funds and trips.

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Channells was found guilty of two counts of misconduct in office and two counts of neglect of duty and was sentenced March 31 to 3 years probation. Droege was found guilty of misconduct in office and neglect of duty and was also sentenced March 31 to 18 months probation.

Balzer, Landry and Hopkins

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At Liberty 35th annual festival set for next weekend

When the huge tent goes up in Heritage Park in Canton Township next weekend, it will mark another new attraction at the annual Liberty Fest.

This year, the township will celebrate the 23rd annual Liberty Festival with performers from the Detroit Circus, a troupe of high-flying performers who specialize in aerial antics on fabric, trapeze and lyra, fire dancing and eating, contortion and feats of acrobalance and strength along with circus



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principal and removed the 'interim' title from another to prepare for next school year. See page 5.



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Summer concert series heats up with free noon concerts on Wednesday in Kellogg Park

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Summer reading programs for teens and younger children are getting under way at the Romulus Public Library. The library will host a variety of activities for young people all summer long.

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Wayne Lawn and Garden owner surprised to repair a tractor sold by the store five decades ago.

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Farmer's market opens today at the old site, will move to a new pavilion later this year when it becomes available.

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sideshow acts, or so claims the website dedicated to the group.

These cirque-style performers will join the traditional events at the Liberty Fest slated for June 12-14 this year.

While the circus performances will begin Friday, the festival will open Thursday when the carnival rides start up at 1 p.m. Thursday will also see the annual Zumba anniversary party which has plans to turn Heritage Park pink during a fundraiser on the amphitheater stage.

The Dan Rafferty Band will take to the state from 7:30-9:30 p.m. to provide enter-tainment for the crowds.



On Friday, the Motor City Street East will bring a variety of food trucks to the park to offer a wide selection of exotic foods including tacos, vegan foods and wood-fired pizza. The food trucks will not replace the usual concessionaires at the festival who will still have roasted almonds, elephant ears, gyros and sausages for sale, but will provide some unexpected choices for festival visitors.

On Friday, the PG rated Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs 2 will be shown on the movie screen in the park beginning at dusk. The nationally-known local Canton band TwentyForSeven will take to the amphitheater stage Friday evening, followed by The Candy Band.

On Saturday, the day will begin with the annual Liberty Run and end with the traditional fireworks display. During the day, the Canton Multicultural Committee will add to the festivities with presentations of various music, dance, arts and traditions of the many diverse cultures of Canton on the stage.

Church donation thief waives preliminary exam

Northville resident Anton Nrecaj will face felony charges in the theft of donations from Our Lady of Victory Church in Northville, after he waived his preliminary examination last week.

Nrecaj was arraigned on charges of larceny from a building in the 35th District Court in Plymouth. He has also been charged with similar thefts from churches in both Plymouth and Birmingham. He was interviewed by a Northville detective following his arrest by Birmingham police, according to police reports.

Staff members at Our Lady of Victory in Northville told police that on March 16, someone had

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boxes and removed the money,
used to buy candles.lance video and distributed it to
neighboring police departments.
Nrecaj was identified by witnesses

Surveillance cameras in the Northville church recorded a man entering through the northeast entrance of the building, prying open a votive box and removing the money. Police in Northville took a still photo from the surveillance video and distributed it to neighboring police departments. Nrecaj was identified by witnesses at Our Lady of Good Counsel in Plymouth when Plymouth City officers showed the still photo to them.

Nrecaj, 30, was remanded to the Wayne County Jail in lieu of a \$150,000/10 percent bond.

Westland officials kick off construction for fire station

Progress continues in the City of Westland.

As the new city hall takes shape on Warren Road, officials kicked off the construction of a new fire station that will be located nearby.

The new Ralph Savini Fire Station will be located at 35701 Central City Parkway, next to the former Service Merchandise building.

The city hosted a groundbreaking ceremony there Tuesday afternoon.

Mayor Bill Wild said the city continued to lead by example in investing in the center of Westland's 'Shop and Dine' District.

"Our Shop and Dine District is in the midst of a much-needed economic and community redevelopment," said Wild. "The city's reinvestment is a positive course for business owners, residents and visitors to follow to ensure the continued growth in this vital part of our city."

The new station will cost about \$3.1 million, and be funded through the Westland Tax Increment Finance Authority (TIFA), so no additional millages are needed for it. When the project is complete-which should be



Westland Council Members break ground for the new Ralph Savini Fire Station on Central City Parkway. Photo by Don Howard

in November-the city will move operations from the existing station on Ford Road into the new, 11,223-square-foot facility.

"The result will be a more mod-

ern, functional fire station with the most up-to-date technology," said Wild. "It will serve the residents and businesses of Westland for years to come." Romulus City Hall Council Chambers, 11111 Wayne Rd. Romulus, MI 48174 The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Mayor Pro Tem, John Barden. Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call

Present: Kathleen Abdo, John Barden, Linda Choate, Harry Crout, Sylvia Makowski, Celeste Roscoe, William Wadsworth.

Administrative Officials in Attendance:

LeRoy D. Burcroff, Mayor

Ellen L. Craig-Bragg, Clerk

1. Moved by Makowski, seconded by Crout to accept the agenda as amended. Roll Call Vote: Ayes - Abdo, Barden, Choate, Crout, Makowski, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously. 14-178 2A. Moved by Wadsworth, seconded by Abdo to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council held on May 5, 2014. Roll Call Vote: Ayes -Abdo, Barden, Choate, Crout, Makowski, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

14-179 2B. Moved by Wadsworth, seconded by Makowski to approve the minutes of the

special meetings of the Romulus City Council held on May 5, 2014 - 5:30 p.m. study session, city fee schedule; and 6:00 p.m. study session, medical marijuana. **Roll Call Vote: Ayes -** Abdo, Barden, Choate, Crout, Makowski, Wadsworth. **Nays -** None.

Motion Carried Unanimously.

14-180 2C. Moved by Abdo, seconded by Choate to approve the minutes of the public hearing of the Romulus City Council held on May 5, 2014 - 6:30 p.m., 2014-15 City Budget. **Roll Call Vote: Ayes** - Abdo, Barden, Choate, Crout, Makowski, Wadsworth. **Nays** - None. **Motion Carried Unanimously**.

4. Chairperson's Report: Mayor Pro-Tem Barden announced information regarding Wayne County Hazardous Waste Disposal, Phone Number: 734-326-3936. Miss Kyra Franklin, Romulus Middle School student, presented information regarding the second annual Talent and Fashion Showcase to be held on Friday, May 23, 2014 at Romulus High School.

4. Moved by Choate, seconded by Wadsworth to accept the Chairperson's Report. **Roll Call Vote: Ayes** - Abdo, Barden, Choate, Crout, Makowski, Wadsworth. **Nays** - None. **Motion Carried Unanimously**.

5. Mayor's Report: Mayor LeRoy Burcroff recognized the Roach family for their generous contribution to the Romulus Goodfellows, Historical Society, Arts Council and for the framed picture of Captain Douglas Charles Roach, U.S. Air Force, Thunderbird Aerial Drill Team; the picture will be displayed on Veteran's Day. Mayor Burcroff also recognized Lee Steel Company of Romulus for their sponsorship of the city fireworks.

14-181 5A1. Moved by Wadsworth, seconded by Crout to recognize our local law enforcement officers in celebration of "Peace Officers Memorial Day" on May 15th. Roll Call Vote: Ayes - Abdo, Barden, Choate, Crout, Makowski, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

14-182 5A2. Moved by Abdo, seconded by Wadsworth to authorize approval of the 2014 fireworks and concur with the recommendation of Fire Chief David Allison for Romulus Rotary application to the State of Michigan for the event. Roll Call Vote: Ayes - Abdo, Barden, Choate, Crout, Makowski, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

14-183 5A3. Moved by Abdo, seconded by Makowski to authorize a no-fee permit for the 2014 Romulus fireworks on the city property, south of Ecorse Road, no-fee permits for two food trailers on the school property, and approval of the temporary closure of Ozga Road from Wick to Tyler Roads when the fireworks are complete. Roll Call Vote: Ayes - Abdo, Barden, Choate, Crout, Makowski, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously

14-184 5B. Moved by Wadsworth, seconded by Choate to extend bid 04/05-26 for the Merriman Road 2014 maintenance season through WH Cannon in the amount of \$45,500. Roll Call Vote: Ayes - Abdo, Barden, Choate, Crout, Makowski, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

14-185 5C. Moved by Makowski, seconded by Wadsworth to authorize the disposal of Fire Engines 321 and 311 on the Michigan Inter-Governmental Trade Network Virtual Auction Site (MITN.INFO) at a cost of \$6.00 per vehicle. Roll Call Vote: Ayes - Abdo, Barden, Choate, Crout, Makowski, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

14-186 5D. Moved by Wadsworth, seconded by Makowski to authorize the disposal of the Romulus Fire Department 2006 Dodgen Command Center through a third-party vendor, Emergency Vehicles Plus. Sale of the vehicle will be at no cost to the City. Roll Call Vote: Ayes - Abdo, Barden, Choate, Crout, Makowski, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

14-187 5E. Moved by Abdo, seconded by Choate to authorize the disposal of Fire Engine 302 through either of the following historical preservation organizations, Engine House No. 5 Museum or Michigan Firehouse Museum and Education Center. Should the historical auction not be successful, the vehicle should be sold on the Michigan Inter-Governmental Trade Network Virtual Auction Site (MITN.INFO) at a cost of \$6.00 per vehicle. **Roll Call Vote: Ayes -** Abdo, Barden, Choate, Crout, Makowski, Wadsworth. **Nays -** None. **Motion Carried Unanimously**.

14-188 5F. Moved by Choate, seconded by Crout to authorize the disposal of outdated and obsolete radio equipment on the Michigan Inter-Governmental Trade Network Virtual Site (MITN.INFO) with a minimum per-unit bid of \$7.00 per handset, or sales through a third party vendor should they fail to sell on the MITN.INFO site. **Roll Call Vote: Ayes -** Abdo, Barden, Choate, Crout, Makowski, Wadsworth. **Nays -** None. **Motion Carried Unanimously**.

14-189 5G. Moved by Makowski, seconded by Choate to adopt the General Appropriations Act for FY 2014/2015 as prepared by the finance department and submitted by Mayor Burcroff.

CITY OF ROMULUS

GENERAL AND SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT

A resolution to provide for the adoption of a budget proposed by the Mayor containing estimates of proposed revenues and expenditures for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2014 and ending June 30, 2015 and millage rates to support this budget.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROMULUS:

SECTION 1. That for the expenditures of the City Government and its activities for the fiscal year,

REVENUES	
SECTION 10. That for the said fiscal year there is hereby appropriate	iated out of the Sanitation Fund
on an activity basis, the following:	
SANITATION	
REVENUES	
SECTION 11. That for the said fiscal year there is hereby appro Development Grants Fund on an activity basis, the following:	opriated out of the Community
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT GRANTS	183 /05
REVENUES	
SECTION 12. That for the said fiscal year there is hereby appropria	ated out of the 9.1.1 Fund on an
activity basis, the following:	
9 1 1 FUND	
REVENUES	
APPROPRIATED SURPLUS	
TOTAL REVENUES & APPROPRIATED SURPLUS	
SECTION 13. That for the said fiscal year there is hereby approp	priated out of the Federal Law
Enforcement Fund on an activity basis, the following:	
FEDERAL LAW ENFORCEMENT.	
REVENUES	
SECTION 14. That for the said fiscal year there is hereby appr Enforcement Fund on an activity basis, the following:	opriated out of the State Law
STATE FORFEITURE	183 300
REVENUES	
APPROPRIATED SURPLUS	
TOTAL REVENUES & APPROPRIATED SURPLUS	
SECTION 15. That for the said fiscal year there is hereby appropria	
Fund on an activity basis, the following:	1 5
MUNICIPAL LIBRARY	
REVENUES	
APPROPRIATED SURPLUS	
TOTAL REVENUES & APPROPRIATED SURPLUS	
SECTION 16. That for the said fiscal year there is hereby app	propriated out of the Special
Assessment - Beverly Road Fund on an activity basis, the following:	
SPECIAL ASSESSMENT - BEVERLY ROAD	
REVENUES	
APPROPRIATED SURPLUS	
TOTAL REVENUES & APPROPRIATED SURPLUS SECTION 17. That for the said fiscal year there is hereby approp	
Improvement Debt Service Fund on an activity basis, the following:	priated out of the 2014 Capital
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT DEBT SERVICE	479 268
REVENUES	-
SECTION 18. That for the said fiscal year there is hereby appro-	
Service Fund on an activity basis, the following:	
SEWER DEBT SERVICE	<u>750,000</u>
REVENUES	
APPROPRIATED SURPLUS	
TOTAL REVENUES & APPROPRIATED SURPLUS	
SECTION 19. That for the said fiscal year there is hereby appro	opriated out of the Water Debt
Service Fund on an activity basis, the following	121 207
WATER DEBT SERVICE	
REVENUES APPROPRIATED SURPLUS	
TOTAL REVENUES & APPROPRIATED SURPLUS	
SECTION 20. That for the said fiscal year there is hereby approp	
Construction Fund on an activity basis, the following:	shaled out of the Senior Center
SENIOR CENTER CONSTRUCTION	
REVENUES	
SECTION 21. That for the said fiscal year there is hereby appropria	ated out of the Sewer and Water
Fund on an activity basis, the following:	
SEWER AND WATER	
REVENUES	
APPROPRIATED SURPLUS	
TOTAL REVENUES & APPROPRIATED SURPLUS	
SECTION 22. That for the said fiscal year there is hereby approximately	opriated out of the Vehicle and
Equipment Fund on an activity basis, the following: VEHICLE AND EQUIPMENT	1 006 062
REVENUES	
SECTION 23. That for the said fiscal year there is hereby appro	
Services Fund on an activity basis, the following:	priated out of the reenhology
TECHNOLOGY SERVICES	
REVENUES	
APPROPRIATED SURPLUS	
TOTAL REVENUES & APPROPRIATED SURPLUS	
SECTION 24. That for the said fiscal year there is hereby appr	
Insurance Benefit Fund on an activity basis, the following:	
RETIREE INSURANCE BENEFITS	
REVENUES	
SECTION 25. That for the said fiscal year there is hereby approp	priated out of the Property and
Liability Self-Insurance Fund on an activity basis, the following: PROPERTY AND LIABILITY SELF INSURANCE	E 1 A O C A
REVENUES	

beginning July 1, 2014 and ending June 30, 2015, the amounts in the following sections are hereby appropriated.

SECTION 2. That for the said fiscal year there is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund on an activity basis, the following:

activity basis, the following:	
COUNCIL	
MAYOR	
CLERK	
TREASURER	
COMMUNITY SERVICES/OUTREACH	
FINANCIAL SERVICES	
COMMUNITY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	
PUBLIC SAFETY	
PUBLIC SERVICES	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	
REVENUES	
PROPERTY TAXES	
LICENSES & PERMITS	
FEDERAL SOURCES	
INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUES	
CHARGES FOR SERVICES	
FINES & FORFEITS	
MISCELLANEOUS	308 838
TOTAL REVENUES	19 725 929
APPROPRIATED SURPLUS	
TOTAL REVENUES & APPROPRIATED SURPLUS	
SECTION 3. That for the said fiscal year there is hereby approp	
on an activity basis, the following:	shated out of the Wajor Roads Fund
MAJOR ROADS FUND EXPENDITURES	2 712 370
TRANSFER TO BEVERLY ROAD	
TRANSFER TO DEVERLT ROAD TRANSFER TO LOCAL STREETS	
TRANSFER TO LOCAL STREETS TRANSFER TO DEBT FUND	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES & CONTINGENCIES	
REVENUES	
APPROPRIATED SURPLUS	
TOTAL REVENUES & APPROPRIATED SURPLUS	
SECTION 4. That for the said fiscal year there is hereby ap	propriated out of the Local Streets
Fund on an activity basis, the following:	504.050
LOCAL STREETS FUND	
REVENUES	
APPROPRIATED SURPLUS	
TOTAL REVENUES & APPROPRIATED SURPLUS	
SECTION 5. That for the said fiscal year there is hereby appro-	opriated out of the Romulus Athletic
Center Fund on an activity basis, the following:	
ROMULUS ATHLETIC CENTER	
REVENUES	
SECTION 6. That for the said fiscal year there is hereby	appropriated out of the Cemetery
Perpetuation Fund on an activity basis, the following:	
CEMETERY PERPETUATION FUND	<u>0</u>
REVENUES	
SECTION 7. That for the said fiscal year there is h	ereby appropriated out of the Cable
Television Fund on an activity basis, the following:	
CABLE TELEVISION	
REVENUES	
APPROPRIATED SURPLUS	
TOTAL REVENUES & APPROPRIATED SURPLUS	
SECTION 8. That for the said fiscal year there is hereby app	
Special Assessment Fund on an activity basis, the following:	· F
MERRIMAN RD SPECIAL ASSESSMENT	87 500
REVENUES	
APPROPRIATED SURPLUS	8 683
TOTAL REVENUES & APPROPRIATED SURPLUS	87 500
SECTION 9. That for the said fiscal year there is h	
Lighting Fund on an activity basis, the following:	areasy appropriated out of the Sheet
STREET LIGHTING	523 736

TOTAL REVENUES & APPROPRIATED SURPLUS......<u>544,064</u> SECTION 26. That for the said fiscal year there is hereby appropriated out of the Downtown Development Authority Special Revenue Fund on an activity basis, the following:

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DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY	<u>921,827</u>
REVENUES	
APPROPRIATED SURPLUS.	
TOTAL REVENUES & APPROPRIATED SURPLUS	

APPROPRIATED SURPLUS.....

SECTION 27. That for the said fiscal year there is hereby appropriated out of the Tax Increment Finance Authority Funds on an activity basis, the following:

TIFA DISTRICT II -	<u>2,830,666</u>
REVENUES	
APPROPRIATED SURPLUS	
TOTAL REVENUES & APPROPRIATED SURPLUS	<u>2,830,666</u>

SECTION 28. That for the said fiscal year there is hereby appropriated the following Capital Budget expenditures:

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CAPITAL BUDGET	1113	16/	
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SECTION 29. That amounts budgeted for specific items or purposes and not required to be utilized for such items or purposes may be spent by the Mayor for other items or purposes within the same activity for which such allocations are made.

SECTION 30. Be it further resolved that the following millage rates as provided by charter or statute be assessed:

OPERATING MILLAGE	
LIBRARY MILLAGE	
SANITATION MILLAGE	
EPA LEVY MILLAGE	

SECTION 31. Be it further resolved that the Property Tax Administration Fee and any type of late penalty charge as provided for by charter or statute be assessed. Approved: City Council meeting May 12, 2014.

CITY OF ROMULUS GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROMULUS:

That for the expenditures of the 34th District Court and its activities for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2014 and ending June 30, 2015, the following amount is hereby appropriated.

OPERATING EXPENDITURES \$3,882,172 APPROVED: City Council Meeting May 12, 2014 Roll Call Vote: Ayes - Abdo, Barden, Choate, Crout, Makowski, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

14-190 5H1. Moved by Choate, seconded by Makowski to approve the appointment of Tim Keyes to serve as the City's alternate on the VantagePort Corporation Board for a term of four years. Roll Call Vote: Ayes - Abdo, Barden, Choate, Crout, Makowski,Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

14-191 5H2. Moved by Choate, seconded by Wadsworth to approve the appointment of Tim Keyes to serve as the City's alternate on the Executive VantagePort Board for a term of three years. Roll Call Vote: Ayes - Abdo, Barden, Choate, Crout, Makowski, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

6A. Clerk's Report City Clerk, Ellen Craig-Bragg, announced that the Wayne County DPS Environmental Services Group will meet at the Wyandotte City Hall Council Chambers, 3200 Biddle Avenue, Wyandotte MI on June 11, 2014 at 7:00 p.m. to discuss the downriver sewage disposal system, meeting open to the public.

14-192 6A1. Moved by Wadsworth, seconded by Abdo to approve second reading and final adoption of Budget Amendment 13/14-16, general fund - introduced at the Council meeting of May 5, 2014. Roll Call Vote: Ayes - Abdo, Barden, Choate, Crout, Makowski, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

14-193 6A2. Moved by Makowski, seconded by Crout to approve second reading and final adoption of Budget Amendment 13/14-17, general fund - introduced at the Council meeting of May 5, 2014. **Roll Call Vote: Ayes -** Abdo, Barden, Choate, Crout, Makowski, Wadsworth. **Nays -** None. **Motion Carried Unanimously**.

14-194 6A3. Moved by Makowski, seconded by Abdo to approve second reading and final adoption of Amended Zoning Ordinance 1.216 - introduced at the Council meeting of May 5, 2014. Roll Call Vote: Ayes - Abdo, Barden, Choate, Crout, Makowski, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

14-195 6A4. Moved by Wadsworth, seconded by Abdo to schedule a study session on Tuesday, May 27, 2014 at 6:30 p.m.to discuss policies and procedures. The meeting will be held in the Council

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BELLEVILLE - KOMULUS

Record set, funding secured at Yankee Air Museum

Yankee Air Museum supporters, officials and board members have had a lot to celebrate this month. Not only did they make their \$8 million fundraising goal, they set a world record doing so.

Museum founder Dennis Norton said last week that the group had raised the \$8 million needed to save part of the historic World War II Willow Run B-24 Liberator Bomber plant which will now become the new home of the museum.

In addition, publishers of Guinness World Records have officially recognized the 778 "Rosies" who gathered at Willow Run Airport on March 29 as establishing a new world record.

The effort, organized by Yankee Air Museum members, was one of the many fundraisers organized to help preserve part of the bomber plant. In a letter to museum officials, publishers from the Guinness book said; "We are delighted to confirm that you have successfully achieved a new Guinness Worlds Records title for 'Largest gathering of people dressed as Rosie the Riveter'. We would like to congratulate you on your record-breaking achievement. You are officially amazing."

Leaders of the Save the Bomber Plant Campaign said they were equally delighted that the record was achieved but even more so that so many women. many with family members in tow, took time out of their busy lives on a cold Saturday in March to help set this record. Campaign leaders were especially moved by the participation of 18 original Rosies, actual World War II female war workers in the record setting event.

Among the younger women dressed as Rosie in honor of the originals was Vickie Croston who came up from Texas to participate in honor of her mother, Rose Will Monroe. Monroe was the very first Rosie, the Willow Run riveter featured in the War Department film in which the phrase "Rosie the Riveter" was first applied to female war workers

Norton, president of the Michigan Aerospace Foundation which conducted the Save the Bomber Plant Campaign, said, "All of us are incredibly grateful to every one of the Rosies, all 778 of them. Ranging in age from three months up well into their 90s,

these women came out on a cold former bomber plant, which is Saturday in March to set this record and help Save the Bomber Plant."

Ray Hunter, chair of the Yankee Air Museum board, said, "We were especially honored that so many of the original Rosies came out to set this record and help mobilize support around our effort to save a piece of the Bomber Plant for future generations. Watching these amazing women march out to take their places at the front of the group was incredibly moving."

"The enormous turnout for this event is an unmistakable expression of the passion of this community to never forget the important role of Willow Run and the women who played a crucial part in World War II to help preserve our freedom," said Airport Authority Public Affairs Director Michael Conway.

The Save the Bomber Plant Campaign was launched a little less than a year ago to preserve part of the historic World War II Bomber Plant at Willow Run. The Yankee Air Museum will move from its current location on the east side of Willow Run Airport to a 150,000 square-foot section of the

adjacent to the airport's western boundary.

The Willow Run Bomber Plant built nearly 9,000 B-24 Liberator Bombers during the war, at peak production finishing a plane every 54 minutes. At the time of its construction, the plant was the largest factory in the world and at peak employment had more than 40,000 men and women workers.

For additional information about the Willow Run bomber plant, visit www.savethebomberplant.org.

NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING ON TRUTH IN TAXATION

ROMULUS **COMMUNITY SCHOOLS** 36540 Grant Road **Romulus, MI 48174**

A Public Hearing on its proposed 2014-2015 tax levies will be held by the Board of Education of the Romulus Community School District on:

Monday, June 23, 2014

at 5:45 p.m. in the

Board of Education Office 36540 Grant Road **Romulus, MI 48174**

COPIES OF THE PROPOSED L-4029 WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR REVIEW IN THE ROMULUS ADMINISTRATION OFFICE BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 8:00 A.M. AND 4:00 P.M. ON JUNE 20, 2014

Romulus Board of Education

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Summer reading, programs rev up in Romulus

teens and younger children are getting under way at the Romulus Public Library.

This summer, events for teens will usually take place at 1 p.m. at the library.

On June 26, there will be a Henna tattoo artist available and on Thursday, July 3, an exhibition of "Don't Try This At Home" science projects is planned.

On July 10, a Romulus police officer will discuss real forensic evidence as compared to that seen on TV.

Video games will be on hand during Gamefest planned for July

Summer reading programs for 17 and the movie Divergent will storyteller Lois Keel will visit be shown on July 24.

> From noon until 4 p.m. July 31, the program will conclude with a swim party at the Romulus Athletic Center.

> Throughout the summer, the library will be having prize raffles for ages 12-17.

> For the younger set, ages 6-11, the library is planning a visit from the Nankin Mills Interpretative Center which will include live animals beginning at 1 p.m. June 25.

The movie, DisneyNature: Chimpanzee will be shown at 1 p.m. July 2 and on July 9 at 1 p.m. with youngsters.

At 1 p.m. July 16, representatives from Dynamic Schools Assemblies will teach participants about the science of music.

From 11 a.m. until noon and again from 12:30 until 1:30 p.m. July 23, teachers from the University of Michigan will display some science experiments that can be done at home.

The series will conclude with a swim party from noon until 4 p.m. at the Romulus Athletic Center.

For more information, call the library at (734) 942-7589 or access www.romulus.lib.mi.us.



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are scheduled for trial July 7.

Investigators concluded that the five detectives and St. Andre embezzled funds from an investigation of liquor license violations, prostitution and narcotics trafficking at the Landing Strip Bar in Romulus and Subi's Place in Southgate. Those illicit funds of St. Andre.

were used by the accused for solicitation of prostitutes and drug and alcohol purchases, according to the prosecutor's office. All the officers were accused of filing false police reports. St. Andre was accused of siphoning City of Romulus-owned assets earmarked for law enforcement purposes for his and his wife's personal gain. Investigators also claimed that another \$49,000 in cash seized by the Romulus Special Investigations Unit went missing while under the direct control

NOTICE

The Romulus Board of Education will conduct a Regular meeting on June 23, 2014 at 6 p.m. to approve the 2014-2015 Budget. The Meeting will be held in the Board of Education Office at 36540 Grant Rd., Romulus, MI 48174.

Copies of the Budget will be available for review in the Romulus Board of Education Office between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4 p.m. on June 20, 2014.

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Chambers, Romulus City Hall, 11111 Wayne Rd. Romulus, MI 48174. Roll Call Vote: Ayes - Abdo, Barden, Choate, Crout, Makowski, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously. 14-196 6A5. Moved by Makowski, seconded by Abdo to schedule a study session on Tuesday, May 27, 2104 at 6:00 p.m.to discuss medical marijuana. The meeting will be held in the Council Chambers, Romulus City Hall, 11111 Wayne Rd. Romulus, MI 48174. Roll Call Vote: Ayes -Abdo, Barden, Choate, Crout, Makowski, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

14-197 6A6. Moved by Abdo, seconded by Wadsworth to approve first reading of the city services fee schedule. Roll Call Vote: Ayes - Abdo, Barden, Choate, Crout, Makowski, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

6B. Treasurer's Report

- 7. Public Comment
- 8. Unfinished Business

9. New Business Councilman Wadsworth mentioned signage for the Charlie Lau Field at the high school has been down for quite some time. Mayor Burcroff offered the City of Romulus to make new signs if the school will install them. Councilwoman Abdo will follow up with the school.

10. Communication Councilwoman Choate, on behalf of the Cemetery Board of Trustees, thanked The Sacred Spaces and Restoration Group for their hard work restoring headstones in the Romulus Memorial Cemetery and also many city workers who helped and Jet's Pizza for their contribution to the effort

14-198 11. Moved by Choate, seconded by Makowski to approve Warrant 14-09 in the amount of \$708,304.93. Roll Call Vote: Ayes - Abdo, Barden, Choate, Crout, Makowski, Wadsworth. Nays -None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

12. Moved by Wadsworth, seconded by Makowski to adjourn the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council. Roll Call Vote: Ayes - Abdo, Barden, Choate, Crout, Makowski, Wadsworth. Nays -None.Motion Carried Unanimously.

I, Ellen L. Craig-Bragg, Clerk for the City of Romulus, Michigan do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of the minutes from the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council held on May12, 2014

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Michigan Department of Education Summer Food Service Program



The Romulus Community Schools announces the sponsorship of the Summer Food Service Program for Children. Free meals will be made available to children 18 years of age and under or persons up to age 26 who are enrolled in an educational program for the mentally or physically disabled that is recognized by a State or local public educational agency. The meals will be provided without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, or disability, and there will be no discrimination in the course of the meal service.

Meals will be provided at the site(s) listed below: SITE LOCATION DATES/DAYS* SERVING TIMES Romulus Middle School Breakfast: 8:30AM-9:00 AM 6/16/2014-7/17/2014 37300 Wick Rd. Lunch: 11:00 AM - 12 NOON Monday-Thursday Romulus, MI 48174 No Meals served June 30 to July 4, 2014. Wick Flementary School 7/01/0014 8/14/0014 Brookfoot, 0.00 AM 0.20AM

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9650 Wayne Rd.	Monday-Thursday	Snack: 1:00 PM to 1:30 PM		
Romulus, MI 48174				
No Meals served June 30 to July 4, 2014.				

Cory Elementary School	6/16/2014 - 8/15/2014	Breakfast: 8:30 AM - 9:00 AM
35200 Smith Rd.	Monday - Friday	Lunch: 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM
Romulus, MI 48174		
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No meals service July 4, 2014

For more information, contact Romulus Community Schools at 734-532-1144

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Emergency Management planner earns CERT leadership award

Canton Emergency Management Planner Kathleen Rich was honored by Wayne County with the Outstanding Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Team Leader Award recently.

Rich serves on the Wayne County, Regional and State Citizen Corps boards, and is instrumental in keeping the lines of communication open to all teams in the region regarding funding opportunities, training, meeting dates and other activities, according to a release from the office of Fire Chief Josh Meier.

Rich got involved in the Citizen Corps program in 2010. She started a Canton CERT team in the spring of 2012 and 33 residents graduated from the first township CERT class. The training involves 16-20 hours of education in basic disaster preparedness, search and rescue tactics, basic first aid/CPR, fire safety and utility controls, disaster psychology and CERT response to terrorism.

Volunteers are trained to be neighborhood first-responders should an area disaster assisting residents until occur. police/fire/EMS arrive. They are also trained to help out in various ways in the community for special needs and events. Recently, the Canton Public Safety Department called upon the CERT team to assist in searching a wooded area for a missing person and 75 volunteers showed up to assist in the search.

Every September, in conjunction with National Preparedness Month, Rich and other area Citizen Corps team leaders coordinate an annual fullscale disaster exercise with the Citizen Corps volunteers at the Wayne County Community College Downriver Campus in Taylor. They conduct and schedule training needed by the teams.

Management Planner for Canton, Rich's

Kathleen Rich main duties include

leading the Canton Emergency Management Office, educating the community about disaster preparedness, maintaining the outdoor warning siren system, grant writing and acquisition, development and the update of township emergency plans, procedures and policies, assuring township officials are educated about the emergency management process and assisting schools and businesses with emergency planning. she also networks with many volunteer agencies that assist in the disaster preparedness response and recovery process.

To learn more about the Citizen Corps Program, go to http://www.ready.gov/citizencorps and for CERT specifically to http://www.fema.gov/community-emergencyresponse-teams. To learn more about the Canton CERT program email krich@cantonmi.org

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> Gwyn Belcher, ADA Coordinator Charter Township of Canton, 1150 S. Canton Center Road Canton, MI 48188 (734) 394-5260

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Joan Pointer; one brother, Pastor John Thomas Pitts Jr.; six grandchildren; Noah, Bailey, Zachary, Sadie. Hannah and Elijah and a host of nephews, nieces, cousins

Southfield, MI; son, Walter Lewis, CA; sister-in-laws Emma McQueen of Wayne, MI and Katherine McQueen of Inkster, MI; four grandchildren, Walt Jr., Cory, Nicole and

Her family abided by her wishes. On May 19, 2014 Catherine was called home to be with the Lord. She was preceded in death by her grandmother, Lawrence Ross; father

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Charter Township of Canton Board Proceedings - May 27, 2014

A regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton was held Tuesday, May 27, 2014 at 1150 Canton Center S., Canton, Michigan. Supervisor LaJoy called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.7:00 P.M.: CLOSED SESSION - FOR DISCUSSION OF PENDING LEGAL LITIGATION Motion by Bennett, supported by Anthony to move from open session to closed session at 7:01 p.m., for the purpose of discussing pending legal litigation. Motion carried unanimously. Roll Call Members Present: Anthony, Bennett LaJoy, McLaughlin, Sneideman, Williams, Yack; Members Absent: None; Staff Present: Director Faas, Director Mutchler, Kristin Kolb Carol Rosati; Attorney - Johnson, Rosati, Schultz & Joppich PC Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to move from closed session to open session at 8:10 p.m. Motion carried unanimously. Supervisor LaJoy reconvened the open meeting at 8:10 p.m. and led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. Roll Call Members Present: Anthony, Bennett, LaJoy, McLaughlin, Sneideman, Williams, Yack; Members Absent: None; Staff Present: Director Faas, Director Mutchler, Kristin Kolb Adoption of Agenda Motion by Bennett, supported by Williams to approve the agenda as presented. Motion carried unanimously. Motion carried unanimously. Citizen's Non-Agenda Item Comments: Dana Reader, resident at 43813 Fredricksburg addressed the board to show his support of the proposed amendment to the Code of Ordinances - Chapter 36 - Equal Rights Amendment, proposed by Trustee Sneideman. Supervisor LaJoy explained the township is in the process of amending this ordinance. The next step is the second reading at the Public Hearing during the June 10 Board Meeting. George Miller, 1946 Briarfield, presented the Board with a petition signed by 70 residents, as well as approx imately 10 residents from Van Buren Township, requesting the suspension of target shooting at the Public Safety Gun Range on Sundays and Legal Holidays GENERAL CALENDAR: Item 1. Consideration of Adoption of a Moratorium on New Smoking Lounges and Facilities to Allow for Study and Development of Standards for Tobacco Retail Specialty Shops, Cigar Bars, 0% Nicotine Establishments, Hookah Lounges And Bars, and Other Smoking Facilities. (MSD) Motion by Bennett, supported by Anthony to adopt the proposed Resolution Adopting a Moratorium on Smoking Lounges and Facilities. Motion carried unanimously. STATE OF MICHIGAN COUNTY OF WAYNE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON Resolution Adopting A Moratorium On Smoking Lounges And Facilities R E C I T A T I O N S: The Board of Trustees for the Charter Township of Canton has determined that a need has emerged to study and develop regulations for public health, safety and welfare applicable to establishments that operate smoking lounges and facilities commonly described as Tobacco Retail Specialty Shops, Cigar Bars, 0% Nicotine Establishments, Hookah Lounges and Bars, and other Smoking Facilities by any other name. While the state of Michigan issues the Tobacco Retail Special Shop exemptions from the Dr. Ron Davis Smoke Free Air Law, there are little to no other laws regulating these businesses. Accordingly, the Board of Trustees for the Charter Township of Canton finds that it is necessary to research the possibility of developing consistent, cohesive, and objective land use, development, and regulatory standards applicable to facilities and establishments commonly described as Tobacco Retail Specialty Shops, Cigar Bars, 0% Nicotine Establishments, Hookah Lounges and Bars, and other Smoking Facilities by any other name, that may desire to operate within the Township. Further, the Board of Trustees for the Charter Township of Canton finds that it would be counterproductive to approve the operation of these establishments within the Township while the Township studies and develops and adopts applicable, consistent regulations. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS: 1. The Township Administration and Township Board shall study the need for regulation and develop consistent, cohesive and objective land use, development and regulatory standards for the operation of Tobacco Retail Specialty Shops, Cigar Bars, 0% Nicotine Establishments, Hookah Lounges and Bars, and other Smoking Facilities by any other name. 2. During the course of study and deliberations as to the appropriate zoning and regulatory ordinance regulations for Tobacco Retail Specialty Shops, Cigar Bars, 0% Nicotine Establishments, Hookah Lounges and Bars, and other Smoking Facilities by any other name, a moratorium is hereby declared effective immediately for a period of 180 days from the date hereof. Effective May 27, 2014, Township review and approval of all applications, related to Tobacco Retail Specialty Shops, Cigar Bars, 0% Nicotine Establishments, Hookah Lounges and Bars, and other Smoking Facilities by any other name shall be deferred. 3. During the period of this moratorium, there shall be no consideration or action taken by the Township, any elected or appointed official, or any employee on any request to operate a Tobacco Retail Specialty Shop, Cigar Bar, 0% Nicotine Establishment Hookah Lounge or Bar, or any other Smoking Facilities whether a new operation or a license location transfer, including an application for a certificate of occupancy. 4. During this period of a moratorium, an aggrieved property owner or business petitioner may request and be entitled to a hearing before the Township Board for the purpose of attempting to demonstrate that the moratorium will preclude all viable economic use of their property or otherwise violate applicable provisions of State or Federal law. A hearing shall be requested in a written submittal to the Township Clerk that describes the grounds for the request and will be scheduled for the next regular Township Board meeting. Upon concluding the hearing, the Township Board shall determine whether the petitioner has made the required demonstration, and if so, shall grant relief from the moratorium to the extent necessary to cure that effect or violation. 5. This moratorium shall expire automatically upon adoption of an ordinance regulating Tobacco Retail Specialty Shops, Cigar Bars, 0% Nicotine Establishments, Hookah Lounges or Bars, or other Smoking Facilities. CERTIFICATION I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of a Resolution adopted by the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton, County of Wayne State of Michigan, at a regular meeting held on the 27th day of May, 2014 and that said meeting was conducted and public notice of said meeting was given pursuant to and in full compliance with the open Meetings Act, being Act 267, Public Acts of Michigan, 1976, and that the minutes of said meeting were kept and will or have been made available as required by said Act. Terry G. Bennett, Clerk Dated: May 27, 2014 Supervisor LaJoy explained during the time it takes to complete the study and establish a set of regulations and ordinances the board would request a moratorium on allowing more of these establishments to operate in Canton Township. Director Mutchler commented since 2012 Public Safety has had 38 calls for service at the Hookah Lounge located near Cherry Hill and Canton Center. They have also received numerous complaints from surrounding businesses related to litter and illegible substance use, as well as residents complaints regarding noise during and after business hours. Trustee Yack asked would it be reasonable to apply a time limit on the moratorium. Kristin Kolb explained the resolution has a 6 month time limit and an appeal process in it. Trustee Williams asked would the existing Hookah Lounge be grandfathered Ms. Kolb explained if a new ordinance requires a license, the existing lounge would be required to obtain one. But, outside of licensing, the existing lounge would be exempt from the other regulations. Ms. Kolb stated as of 4:30 p.m. today, the proposed Goldengate site had not received their state exemption. Therefore, this site would be subject to this moratorium. Trustee Yack asked if a license could be revoked if there are complaints/Public Safety issues with a particular establishment. Ms. Kolb explained this could be covered by an ordinance. Trustee Sneideman asked if there are cigar bars in Canton. Ms. Kolb replied there is one on Ford Road. Trustee Sneideman asked if the rules would be varied based on the type of establishment. Ms. Kolb replied all establishments covered by the Dr. Ron Davis Smoke-Free Air Law would be treated equally. ADDITIONAL PUBLIC COMMENT: None OTHER: Trustee Anthony commented, "Great Job!" on the 32nd Canton Cup Soccer Tournament which took place over Memorial Day Weekend. The entire event came off without a single hitch. Director Mutchler agreed there were no issues and the weath er cooperated beautifully! Trustee Anthony congratulated Supervisor LaJoy on his upcoming birthday on Wednesday May 28 ADJOURN: Motion by Sneideman, supported by Anthony to adjourn at 8:23 p.m. Motion carried by all members present. - Philip LaJoy, Supervisor - Terry G. Bennett, Clerk -

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Vernor (Mick) Lewis Sunrise: April 20, 1939 Sunset: May 12, 2014

Vernor "Mick" Lewis was called home on Monday, May 12, 2013 He leaves to cherish his memory: two (2) children, Courtney "CeCe" Lewis, Sr. and April "Chatty" Rison; seven (7) grand children, Jasmine Rison-Logan (Robert), Lance Rison Jr., Ashley Rison, Courtney Lewis Jr., Chereeka Lewis, Cabral Lewis, and Carlos Lewis (preceded him in death); three (3) great-grand children; three (3) sisters, Jannelle Lewis, Beverly "Pam" Lewis, and Patricia "Pete" Lewis-Powell (preceded him in death); five (5) brothers, Calvin "John C" Lewis (preceded him in death), Broderick "Brod" Lewis, and Jeffery "Bud" Lewis; and an abundance of family and friends that will greatly miss "Mick."

Final arrangements entrusted to: Penn Funeral Home 3015 South Inkster Road, Inkster, MI. Mr. James H. Penn and Son, Directors. Internment: Knollwood Memorial Park, 1299 N Ridge Rd, Canton, MI 48187



Jelena McKay Sunrise: December 30, 1943 Sunset: May 18, 2014

She leaves to cherish fond memories, her loving husband Ivory III, four children: Ivory IV, Antoine, Tiffany and Tammy; daughter-in-law Rebecca: two sisters, JoAnn Dandrige, and

other relatives and friends. Penn Funeral Home, 30150 South Inkster Road, Inkster, MI 48141. Bishop Roosevelt Black Officiating. Internment, Westlawn Cemetery, 31472 Michigan Ave. Wayne, MI 48184.



Mother Willie Gene Reed Sunrise: November 19, 1929 Sunset: May 13, 2014

She leaves to mourn her passing and celebrate her life: four sons, Otis (Jyll), Bill (Canjor), Gary and Michael (Patsy), one daughter, Sheila Reed; nine grandchildren, six great grandchildren, and a host of relatives, nephews, nieces and friends.

Womack Temple, 28445 Cherry St. Inkster, Michigan 48111. Rev. Tyson Kelly, Pastor. Rev. Kenneth Tate, Officiating. Penn Funeral Home 3015 S. Inkster Rd, Inkster, MI 48141. James H. Penn & Son, Director. Metropolitan Internment: Memorial Park Cemetery, Belleville, Michigan 48111.

Marion Alice McQueen

Sunrise: May 13, 1932

Sunset: May 19, 2014

She leaves to cherish her

homegoing: her daughters.

Yvette McQueen of Jackson,

Jimmy, Jr. and many nieces, nephews, cousins and a host of other relatives and friends. Word of Fait Int'l Christian Center, 20000 W. Nine Mile Road, Southfield, Michigan 48075-5597. Rev. Matthew Hoyle Officiating. Penn Funeral Home 3015 S. Inkster Rd, Inkster, MI 48141. James H. Penn & Son, Director. Interment: United Memorial Gardens, 4800 Curtis Road, Plymouth, Michigan 48170.



William Young Sunrise: August 13, 1921 Sunset: May 22, 2014

He leaves an abundance of loved one to cherish his memory: his wife, Etta Doreen; his children, Clyde Hughes, Viola Broadus, Maryetta Peterson (John), 20 grandchildren and their spouses, 41 great-grandchildren, and 18 great-greatgrandchildren Penn Funeral Home, 3015 Inkster Rd., Inkster MI 48141. Rev. Roderick Peterson, officiating. Interment, Metropolitan Memorial Garden, 48300 Willow Road, Belleville, MI



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Catherine "Cat" Rucker Sunrise: January 23, 1947 Sunset: May 19, 2014

memory and rejoice in her During Catherine's terminal illness, she fought to maintain MI; Teresa (Jimmy) Ratliff of her lifestyle, dignity & privacy.

Garmely Holbrook, mother Ida Mae Washington and high school sweetheart Ulysses "Cee" Rucker. Catherine leaves to cherish her memories: her son Derrick of Detroit; Sister Barbara Ann Holbrook of Wayne MI; Sister Sharon (James) Metoyer of Detroit, MI; Niece Su A'lyn Holbrook of Lansing, MI and a host of relatives and friends.

Missionary Gethsemane Baptist Church, 29066 Eton, Westland, MI 48186. Rev. Dr. John E. Duckworth, Paster Officiating.

Final arrangements entrusted to Penn Funeral Home 3015 S. Inkster Rd, Inkster, MI 48141. James H. Penn & Son. Director. Internment: Mt. Hope Memorial Gardens, Livonia, MI.

6. Legal Notices

State of Wisconsin Circuit Court - Milwaukee County Publication Summons - Case No. 14-CV-002205 - The Honorable Jane V. Carroll -Case Code 30404 (Foreclosure of Mortgage) -The amount claimed exceeds \$10,000.00 - U.S. Bank National Assoc., 4801 Frederica St., Owensboro, KY 42301, Plaintiff vs. Kristy J. Downing & John Doe Downing, 4605 Radcliff Dr., Canton, MI 48188 and Legacy of Shorewood Condominiums Assoc., Inc., 1665 N. Water St. Milwaukee, WI 53202-2061, Defendants - The State of Wisconsin - To each person named above as a defendant: You are hereby notified that the plaintiff named above has filed a lawsuit or other legal action against you. Within 40 days after 5/5/14 you must respond with a written demand for a copy of the complaint. The demand must be sent or delivered to the court, whose address is 901 N. 9th St. Milwaukee, WI 53233 and to Gray & Assoc., L.L.P., plaintiff's attorney, whose address is 16345 W. Glendale Dr., New Berlin, WI 53151. You may have an attorney help or

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Digging in

Kathy Browne of Green USA, a charitable, religious, education and humane scientific non-profit organization dedicated to protecting natural resources since 1635, is digging deep in her efforts to help beautify downtown Plymouth. She has adopted three planters through the Downtown Development Authority since 2006 and just last week finished planting some annuals in a Forest Street planter in front of Opn Dohr. This planter is the twin of another Browne planted in front of the Afton Tea Room, on the other side of the driveway between the businesses. "We chose colorful perennials which often spread, allowing them to be divided later. We try to teach families how to 'green up' their homes with more perennials and a few annuals to add color without as much repeated cost," she said.



Wednesday concert series starts soon

Kellogg Park in Plymouth is about to get busier. The annual Wednesday noon concerts will start on June 18 when Guy Louis kicks off the season.

All shows last about an hour and are free, sponsored by the Plymouth Community Arts Council.

"For 30 years, the Plymouth Community Arts Council has proudly presented this popular concert series," said Executive Director Lisa Howard. "Each summer, 25,000 people enjoy these free-to-the-community musical events."

Scheduled this year are: June 18 Guy Louis June 25 Saline Fiddlers July 2 Matt Watroba & Robert Jones July 9 Beverly Meyer July 16 Jan Krist & Mustard's Retreat

July 23 Gemini

July 30 Barbara Bailey Hutchinson and Josh White, Jr. Aug. 6 Joel Tacey Aug. 13 Tom Seley

Aug. 20 Guy Louis & Liberty Brass Quintet

Music in the Park concerts are also sponsored by: The Wilcox Foundation Huron Valley Ambulance Monroe Bank & Trust Kona Ice Plymouth Canton Montessori School Genuine Toy Company DJL Builders, Inc.

In case of mild inclement weather, the concerts are moved to The Gathering, adjacent to Kellogg park, next to the Penn Theater.

Northville district hires 2 new principals

When students return to Northville High School and Ridge Wood Elementary School this fall, there wil be some new faces to greet them in the principals' offices.

Members of the Northville Community Schools Board of Education officially approved the hiring of Anthony L. Koski, currently principal at Thornapple Kellogg High School in Middleville, as principal of Northville High School and Heather Bauer, currently interim principal at Ridge Wood Elementary School, as the permanent principal there.

Koski succeeds Rob Watson who, at his request, will move to an assistant principal role at Hillside Middle School. Bauer succeeds Alicia Parsons, who left the district in early May to accept a position with Franklin Covey.

"Anthony Koski and Heather Bauer bring a depth of knowledge and demonstrated leadership to the district. We are fortunate to have them as part of our administrative leadership team," Northville Superintendent of Schools Mary Kay Gallagher said.

A high school educator and school administrator with 20 years of experience, Koski has been principal of Thornapple Kellogg High School in southwest Michigan for eight years. Previously, he served as assistant principal and athletic director for the high school. He also was a business education teacher and summer school principal at Hartford Union High School in Hartford, Wisconsin. "There are so many great things happening in Northville Public Schools," Koski said. "My role as part of the Northville team will first be to recognize all of the incredible success taking place across the district and specifically at Northville High School. At the same time, I will look for those areas where I can help provide our students with increased opportunities that ensure they achieve at even higher levels."

A long-time Northville Public Schools educator and teacher leader with more than 20 years experience, Bauer has served in a number of leadership roles at Ridge Wood over the past two years. Currently interim principal, she was previously appointed assistant principal for the current 2013-14 school year, and served as Interim assistant principal for the 2012-13 school year.

Bauer joined Northville Public Schools in 1993 as a third grade teacher at Moraine Elementary School. She also was a fourth grade teacher at Thornton Creek Elementary School before joining the staff at Ridge Wood in 2003 where she has served as an elementary learning consultant, in a supervisory support role, and as interim assistant principal and assistant principal.

"Ridge Wood Elementary School is already an outstanding school, with incredible educators, students, and families," Bauer said. "My goal as principal is to take our students as far as they can possibly go."







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Farmer's market opens Friday

The 5th Annual Westland Farmers' Market opens for the 2014 season today, according to Mayor William Wild. The market will be open from 3-7 p.m. every Thursday through October, he added.

This year also marks the grand opening of a new location for the market starting in July, at Central City Park, located at the intersection of Ford Road and Central City Parkway. Until the market building is available at the new location, it will continue to take place in the city hall parking lot off Ford Road as in past years.

"I look forward to the market's opening every year because it has become a celebration of our local community in Westland - from the local vendors and rich culture, to increasingly health-conscious residents with a commitment to buying local," said Wild.

Last year, a program was implemented to provide bus services to the market from six locations throughout the city. That will continue this year. Every other week on the second and fourth Thursdays, there will be entertainment and activities for the whole family at the market, too.

The Westland Chamber of Commerce will manage



the market for the 2014 season and vendor applications are still being accepted. Those interested in becoming a vendor should contact Mary Vellardita at the Westland Chamber of Commerce, (734) 326-7222, for further information.

In addition to a new location, the Farmers' Market website is in the process of integrating with the newly re-designed City of Westland website. Residents can also stay up-to-date on the Market on Facebook, at www.Facebook.com/WestlandFarmersMarket.

"Last year the market was really able to further its commitment to customer service, and I think the new location opening in July will build on the momentum from last year," said Wild. "I am excited to see the market's continued positive impact on the community."

Adams tapped for Inkster fire chief position

Inkster will have a new chief of fire operations beginning July 1.

While Wayne-Westland Fire Chief Michael Reddy will keep his title of fire chief for the city, day-today operations will be the responsibility of John Adams the current assistant fire chief/fire marshal for the City of Westland. Adams will retire from the Wayne-Westland department June 30.

Adams will be paid by the City of Inkster, but will report to Reddy through the end of the year. Inkster will no longer pay Reddy for his services as chief under the new contract arrangement already

approved by members of the Inkster and Westland city councils.

Finances are the primary reason for the new title for Adams, leaving Reddy as the fire chief of record.

Inkster was awarded a \$347,036 **Competitive Grant Assistance** Program while Reddy was chief of the department. That state grant will be used to pay for a feasibility study, training for Inkster firefighters, gear and equipment to ensure compatibility with other local departments and some technology improvements.

Long-term, Inkster is expected

to join a proposed fire authority which will cover several municipalities. Voter approval in any of the communities involved would be required. When Wayne and Westland merged their fire departments, more than \$940,000 was awarded to them from the same state funding program.

Officials all agreed that the impetus for the fire mergers and the proposed fire authority was an effort to reduce costs and improve fire services and public safety for residents.

No prospective date for the new authority has been announced.

Return to sender Wayne shop fixes tractor 5 decades after original sale

Dennis Hermatz of Wayne St. Norbert's. Lawn and Garden got quite a surprise last week when a tractor he help out with whatever they needsold 49 years ago was brought back ed when I could," he said. "The into the shop for -77-

some work.

Ken Groesbeck, the current owner of а 1965Wheelhorse Tractor sold to St. Norbert's Church in Inkster back in 1965, hauled the tractor back into the Wayne Road

business recently to have a rototiller attachment of the same era installed on the machine. Groesbeck said he was astounded when he called the Wayne store for help in purchasing the rototiller attachment for the aging tractor.

"It was so large they wouldn't ship it to me, so I called Dennis Hermatz at Wayne Lawn and Garden and he said 'Sure, have it shipped here and we'll take care of it for you.' I couldn't believe it." Groesbeck said.

Groesebeck, now retired from Ford Motor Co., was a member of St. Norbert's, and would help out at the church doing maintenance, yard work, and playing the organ. He and his family joined the church when they moved to Inkster in 1976, he said, and the church, which closed in 2004, was a big part of their lives. He said they had many family events there and his children were baptized at

"I was still working, but I would

church secretary would call me I think it will be a when the custodians needed help." surprise for Dennis, Groesebeck was to see a tractor he also the back up organist at the sold so long ago church for many years, and then served as the regular organist for eight years before

the church was closed.

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into the shop.

When the closure was announced and the church was getting rid of equipment and furnishings, officials told Groesbeck that the tractor he had been using for years to help cut grass and maintain the property was his. He's been using the machine since and, other than regular tune ups, hasn't had any problems.

He decided recently that he could use the rototiller attachment, but thought he might have some difficulty finding one for a tractor nearly half a century old. He found the part, and then ran into the shipping problem which Hermatz helped him solve.

"They have the part, delivered today," Groesbeck said," and I'm going to take the tractor over and have them put it on. I think it will be a surprise for Dennis, to see a tractor he sold so long ago come back into the shop," he said.

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