



TO: Honorable Mayor and Members of the Common Council

FROM: Josh Finch, City Administrator

DATE: September 3rd, 2021

RE: Monthly Newsletter

These are some exciting times here in the City of Hillsboro! It is extremely encouraging to see the dedication and ongoing efforts of the City Council, Commissions, and City Staff come to see completion in many of the projects and activities highlighted in this newsletter if anyone has any questions please feel free to contact us at city hall (608)-489-2521.

City Hall Spotlight: The Common Council selected Schwartz Roofing to repair and seal the City Hall Roof. This is the beginning of some maintenance/renovations that will be done at City Hall over the next few years. On September 7th, our summer hours are over and we will be returning to our regular hours 8:00AM - 4:30PM, Monday – Friday.

Administrator Update: Early August I attended my first WCMA conference, and it was quite exciting being able to meet municipal managers from around the state. This month I also got to attend my first Charity Tractor Pull, and it was quite the sight! I enjoyed being able to watch the pulls and chat with some of the pullers from around the country. I'm looking forward to the Labor Day Celebration!

Library Spotlight: From the Desk of the Library Director-We are supporting the Labor Day Celebration in collaboration with Gunderson St. Joseph Hospital by hosting two movies at Firemen's Park 8pm, Saturday September 4th showing 'Despicable Me 3' and Sunday September 5th showing 'Trolls'. Reminder, August-October the Library will be hosting a Wisconsin Author read. Come to the library for event details or watch our website and Facebook for dates, times, and events.



Police Spotlight: The Hillsboro Police Department would like to report another successful charity tractor pull. Hillsboro PD will be participating in the ***Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over*** from Aug. 20 through Sept. 6 with other agencies throughout Wisconsin in participation with Wisconsin DOT. School is back in session soon and it's asked that all drivers use caution when driving before and after school hours because there will be a lot more younger people walking on the streets during these times. The speed limit is 15 mph when in a school zone when children are present.

Hillsboro School District Spotlight: School begins on September 1st. Staff are excited to welcome back students and begin the new school year. Additionally, the fall musical, "School of Rock" has been cast and show dates are November 12th and 13th. Lastly, Hillsboro Athletic Passes are now available to purchase from the district office.

Community Spotlight: In August we saw the opening of Mr. B's Smokehouse Meats! On Thursday Sept. 2 the City along with Mr. B's, Vernon County, and the state to host a ribbon cutting ceremony! Check out their website: <https://www.bsmokehousemeats.com>

Spring Street Construction: Council selected Gassers to do the construction work on Spring Street. The work scheduled to be done is to shave and overlay from Pine to Harrison. The anticipated timeline is mid-late September and should last under a week.

Your Spotlight!: Have something you would like to share in the Administrators Newsletter, feel free to email me at Admin@hillsborowi.com with the subject "Admins Newsletter" with the topic of your choice*.

MINUTES FOR BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS: All meeting minutes are uploaded to the website upon approval. Please follow the link below for the most updated information & meeting minutes: https://www.hillsborowi.com/agendas_minutes

Respectfully,

Josh Finch

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