



**TO:** Honorable Mayor and Members of the Common Council  
**FROM:** Josh Finch, City Administrator  
**DATE:** July 5<sup>th</sup>, 2024  
**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.

**Administrator Update:** It's that time of the year again with the sights and sounds of fireworks filling the air. Please be courteous to your neighbors and remember that dogs typically do not like fireworks! The Musicale will be taking place on July 11, 2024, at Field Veterans Memorial Park. Another exciting event, the Hillsboro Chamber (Visit Hillsboro) is starting a music in the park series and will be having its first free live music event on Tuesday July 16<sup>th</sup>.

**Road Construction Update:** Road repairs on Washington Ave. (the full road starting at the corner of Mechanic St.), Prairie Ave. (Mill St. to Mechanic St.) and Pine Ave. (Mill St. to Mechanic St.) has been completed. We appreciate your patience during the construction period.

**Police Spotlight:** For the month of June, the Hillsboro Police Department handled 209 calls for service. During the month of June, both Chief Clark and Sergeant Kucinsky spent time Field Training our new officer, Brandon Kiel. Officer Kiel will continue in his field training through the month of July and is off to an exceptional start! The month of July is now upon us, which means summer is in full swing. The Hillsboro Police Department would like to remind residents that when the thermometer rises, be a neighborly neighbor and check in on those around you that may not have air conditioning, live alone, and the elderly. We would also like to bring attention to the following Wisconsin Department of Transportation publication.



'Starting June 1, 2024, Wisconsin residents will have the option to add one emergency contact to their record. This contact information could be available to law enforcement agencies in the event that you are in a collision or are experiencing a medical emergency. This information may save crucial time if ever it becomes necessary to contact your family members or other loved ones.'

Please see the link below to add an emergency contact to your information:

<https://wisconsin.gov/Pages/dmv/license-drvs/how-to-apply/Emergency-contact.aspx>

**Library Spotlight:** The Hillsboro Public Library will be hosting various events.

**Adult/Family-** Thurs. July 11, 5PM MUSICALE- FREE music at Field Veterans Memorial Park in the gazebo by the lake (rain date Thurs. July 18).

Book Walk at Field Veterans Memorial Park, lake walk sponsored by Richland County Campus Foundation through Wed. July 31.

**Summer Reading Programs-**

**Toddler** (1-4YO) Read 20 books & get a pizza package- sponsored by C.A.R.E.S., Ocooch Farm & HHS FFA.

**Kid** (4-14YO) Read books, play bingo, & win prizes. Read six books in program attend end of program carnival Sat. July 13 1-3pm at Albert Field Memorial Park.

**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/2024\\_agendas\\_minutes](https://www.hillsborowi.com/2024_agendas_minutes)

Respectfully,

Josh Finch

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