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1923 - 2023



# City Manager's Report

February 20, 2023



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Fish Tug Peter Paul Coming into Port (Photo by Jeff Dawson, Lester Public Library)



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## B. Status/Update Reports

### 1. Staffing Updates

#### Ongoing Recruitments:

- Fire Chief—Applications due until filled
- Recreation Supervisor – Interviews being scheduled
- Director of Tourism – Application deadline 2/24/2023
- Media & Marketing Coordinator – Application deadline 2/24/2023
- Public Works Utility Person – Application deadline 2/24/2023

**WE'RE HIRING!**

**PUBLIC WORKS UTILITY PERSON**

**STARTING PAY \$28.18-\$29.91 PER HOUR**

**Full-Time Benefits Include:**

- Comprehensive Health, Dental, Vision, and Life Insurance
- Health Insurance opt-out Incentive up to \$5,000 annually
- Free family fitness membership at J.E. Hamilton Community House
- 6.8% matching contribution to Wisconsin Retirement System
- Paid vacation, holidays, and personal holidays
- 8 hours of sick leave accrued per month with ability to be accumulated up to 960 hours.

**NOW HIRING! FIRE CHIEF**

**STARTING SALARY UP TO \$121,389 DEPENDENT ON QUALIFICATIONS**

**Full-Time Benefits Include:**

- Health, Dental, Vision, and Life Insurance
- Health Insurance opt-out Incentive up to \$5,000 annually
- Free family fitness membership at J.E. Hamilton Community House
- 10-9.6% contribution to WI Retirement System for Nonactive Employees of Local Social Security
- Paid vacation, holidays, sick leave, and personal holidays

Join the Tourism Team at Explore Two Rivers Inc.

**Director of Tourism**

**FULL-TIME, SALARIED POSITION \$66,156 TO \$74,443 ANNUALLY**

**Full-Time Benefits Include:**

- Health Insurance/Opt-Out Incentive
- Dental Insurance
- Vision Insurance
- Life Insurance
- Fitness Center Membership
- Paid Vacation & Personal Days
- Paid Holidays
- 6.5% Contribution towards Retirement
- Paid Sick Days with Ability to Accrue up to 960 hours

Join the Tourism Team at Explore Two Rivers Inc.

**Media & Marketing Coordinator**

**PART-TIME 20-25 HOURS PER WEEK \$20.67 TO \$24.70 PER HOUR**

**ELIGIBLE FOR PAID VACATION & HOLIDAYS**

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2. Harbor Improvements Update



**City Manager followed up again on February 17 with U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Chicago Office, regarding "Determination of Federal Interest" in harbor improvements to address storm surge and shoaling problems; still awaiting a response.**



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3. Tour of Point Beach Nuclear Plant by City Representatives Today



**Council member Bonnie Shimulunas, City Manager Greg Buckley and Community Development Director Elizabeth Runge toured the Point Beach Nuclear Plant today with plant representatives and Miss America Grace Stanke, a senior Nuclear Engineering student at UW-Madison. Council member Jason Ring also attended the post-tour reception at the Energy Information Center.**

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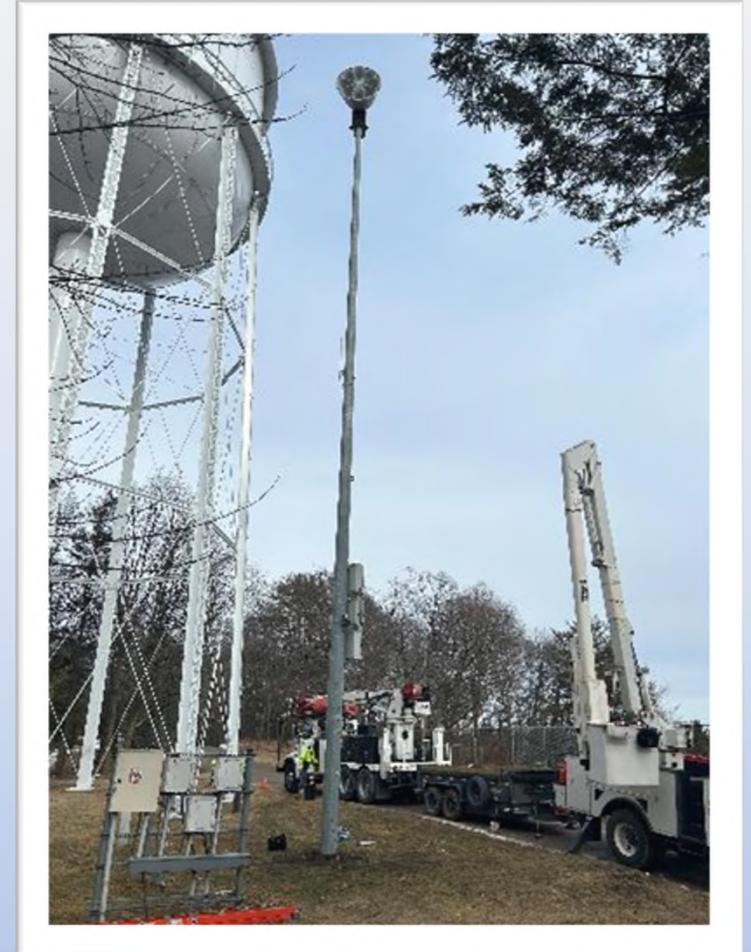
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#### 4. New Emergency Siren Being Installed on Picnic Hill

In 2022, the City agreed to accept a donation of the emergency sirens that had been installed and maintained by Point Beach Nuclear Plant, which switched to a cell-phone based public emergency notification system.

In addition to the three sirens that have historically been located in the city limits, the City is installing a fourth siren, donated from the nuclear plant, at a location atop Picnic Hill. This will widen coverage for audible warnings of weather events and other emergencies—particularly when crowds gather in the Summer at the beach.

The installation is being completed by Emergency Communications Systems of Little Chute (2023 Capital Budget item).

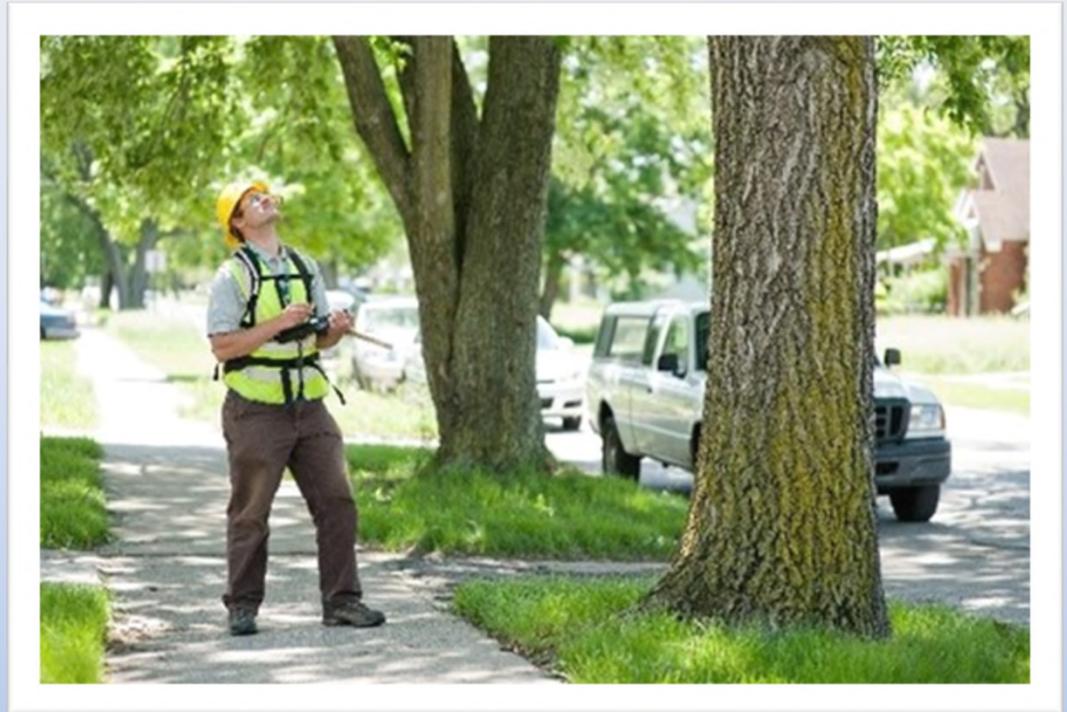


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5. City Tree Planting Grant Update



**With funding assistance from a WDNR Urban Forestry Grant, the City in April will be undertaking a community-wide inventory of all “public trees” located on City parks and other properties, as well as along city streets.**

**Blue Stream forestry has been contracted to do this work for the City, The inventory will be used to help manage Two Rivers urban forest assets.**



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- a. Fund-Raising: Funds raised stand at just under \$800,000 toward \$800,000 goal (increased to \$850,000 to reflect final budget)
- b. Construction: Vinton Construction will mobilize the week of February 27 for demolition of the old stage structure; subcontractor Koenig Construction expects to start work on the new park pavilion building shortly thereafter.

Central Park Construction Timeline						
Task	February	March	April	May	June	July
Removal and installation of new digital signs.	Yellow					
Bandstand lighting and sound systems installation.		Blue				
Completion of bandstand roof.		Orange				
Old bandstand removal.		Grey				
Vinton and Koenig start work.		Yellow				
City concrete work.			Blue			
Bandstand stonework and panel installation.				Cyan		
Landscaping				Purple		
Vinton and Koenig end work.				Light Green		
Installation of donor signage, furniture, and other finishings.				Dark Green		
Potential return of concerts in the park.					Yellow	
July 15th and 16th grand opening.						Light Blue

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**1. League of Women Voters**

Thursday, March 9, 2023, 7:00 PM

Council Chambers City Hall

**2. Two Rivers Business Association**

Tuesday, March 14, 2023, 7:00 PM

Council Chambers City Hall

Each session will be both  
livestreamed and available for  
later viewing on City Hall Facebook  
Page and City website.



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## Candidates for City Council April 4, 2023 Spring Election

The following candidates will be on the April 4, 2023 ballot for City Council in the following order:

- Dean LaRose
- Ron Abney
- Darla LeClair
- Bonnie Shimulunas
- Shannon Derby
- Adam Wachowski



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## **Price is Right**

**Saturday, February 25, 2023**

**6:00 PM**

**Rocheleau Gym**

**J.E. Hamilton Community House**

**1710 West Park Street**

**Benefit: Two Rivers Youth Sports, Inc.**



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Tropical Blast Fundraiser  
Saturday, February 25, 2023  
5:00 PM

**Sepia Chapel Two Rivers  
1820 Jefferson St**

**Benefit: Woodland Dunes Nature Center**



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## St. Patrick's Day Leprechaun Hunt

March 15 to March 22

Various Locations in Two Rivers & Manitowoc

Search for the leprechauns hidden in Two Rivers and Manitowoc parks! If you find them ALL in either city (or both), submit a photo to earn a chance in prize drawings. Pick up rules and clues at the Parks & Rec Department starting at 8 a.m. March 15.



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**City of Two Rivers Environmental  
Advisory Board Presents:**

**“Storm Water Runoff and Ponds”**

**Thursday, March 9**

**6:00 PM**

**Lester Public Library**

Featuring Nick Vande Hey, senior municipal & water resources engineer and VP of McMahon Associates' Environment & Infrastructure Division.



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### Recent Spotlight on Business: Klein Hardware



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**Spring Primary Election, Tuesday, Feb. 21, 2023**

Polls open 7:00 AM to 8:00 PM

—bring along your photo ID

--On the ballot will be a primary for State Supreme Court Justice. The two top vote-getters will proceed to the April ballot.

THANK YOU TO OUR ELECTION WORKERS!



Sample Ballot for My Next Election

Justice Of The Supreme Court

Vote For One

- Janet C. Protasiewicz
- Daniel Kelly
- Everett D. Mitchell
- Jennifer R. Dorow
- Write In



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Ice Rings in the Harbor, February 2023 (Photo by Jeff Dawson, Lester Public Library)