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MILWAUKIE'S LOCAL LEADERS

Empathy vs. apathy



Sometimes small things are really big things. Take Linwood Neighborhood resident Joel Bergman's perspective on why he is involved with the Milwaukie Rotary Club and community service.

"I find service rewarding because it enhances the community I'm a part of," Joel said. "I think the effectiveness

of service to promote change or strengthen objectives is surprisingly powerful."

Asked where those ideas come from, his answer is disarmingly simple.

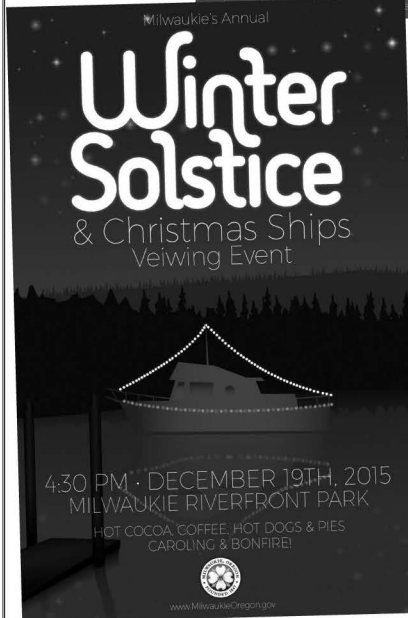
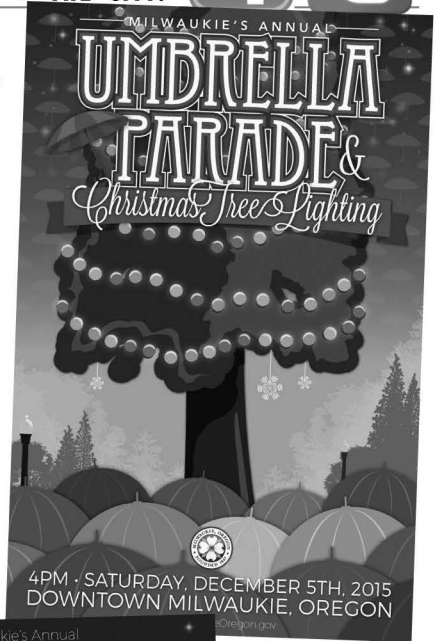
"I think it's pretty basic 'golden-rule' thinking; empathy versus apathy," Joel said.

Joel and his wife purchased their home in Milwaukie seven years ago and are raising their two girls here. He said they chose Milwaukie because they wanted to raise their kids in an affordable, family-friendly community that was close to the amenities of the surrounding Portland-metro area.

He became involved with the Rotary Club and started pitching in at City-sponsored activities about a year and a half ago and he foresees continuing his involvement.

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Meet near the Main Street Light Rail Station at 3:30 p.m. on Sat. Dec. 5th to take part in the parade! City Hall Tree Lighting at 4:30 p.m.! Santa, Hot Cocoa, Cookies!



Warm by bonfire, purchase warm eats and treats from the Lewelling Neighborhood, and view the Christmas Fleet from Milwaukie Riverfront Park at 4:30 p.m., Sat., Dec. 19th.

Library toy drive

For the 14th straight year the Ledding Library is collecting toys for Milwaukie's less fortunate children.

Those interested in donating to this cause are asked to drop off a new, unwrapped toy at the front desk of Ledding Library before Dec. 24th. Toys collected will be distributed to local elementary schools and the Annie Ross House, the emergency family shelter located in Milwaukie.

The most popular presents are games, arts and crafts, cars, dolls, Legos, stuffed animals, puzzles

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Parks wins election

Councilor Wilda Parks (left) had been serving on Council for almost a year in an appointed capacity, but earned a full term on Council when she was elected in the November election.

Parks was running unopposed and will serve a term that runs through Dec. 31, 2016. Parks will be eligible to run for another term.



## City increasing access

This month's Councilor Column is written by Councilor Scott Churchill. To contact Scott, call 503-786-7511 or email him at [churchills@milwaukieoregon.gov](mailto:churchills@milwaukieoregon.gov).



Recently the City of Milwaukie has made an increased effort to outline the elements of a more robust access plan for the disabled in our community. I want to thank Alma Flores, our new Community Development Director, and Chuck Eaton, our new Director of Engineering, for their efforts to help bring the city into

compliance with the ADA.

The federal law known as the Americans with Disability Act (ADA) which passed in 1990 is a constant reminder that we need to ensure "equal opportunity for persons with disabilities in employment, state and local government services, public accommodations, commercial facilities, and transportation."

The ADA defines a person with a disability as a person who has a physical or mental impairment that substantially limits one or more major life activity. The ADA also makes it unlawful to discriminate against a person based on that person's association with a person with a disability. All our city projects and private commercial projects must comply with these federal standards.

So as we "move forward" with Milwaukie ... building new bikeways, new skate parks, new parks, new nature trails and commercial patio parklets, and continue our growth as a city with new routes and modes of transportation, let us not forget the members of our community who have a disability, be it visual and/or hearing impairment, mobility and/or mental impairment and make sure that we take care of their needs first ... before we consider our own desires.

After all, most of us have been fortunate enough to bike and walk free of such limitations and we owe it to our citizens to prioritize our efforts to help accommodate those with continued ADA disabilities.

## Thoughts on web, Pilot?

City Council wants to hear from its residents about how effective they find two of the City's primary communication tools - this newsletter, *The Pilot*, and the City's website, [www.milwaukieoregon.gov](http://www.milwaukieoregon.gov).

Do you read or use these tools? What elements do you value? What could be changed or added? Let us know at 503-786-7573 or by emailing [niemanm@milwaukieoregon.gov](mailto:niemanm@milwaukieoregon.gov).

### FREE LEAF DROPS! VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

**7 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday,  
December 5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup>**

New City Hall Drop Site!

Parking Lot Across from  
City Hall, 10722 SE Main St.

Leaves **MUST** be bagged in paper  
or plastic bags to be accepted at this  
location. Loose leaves will **NOT** be  
accepted at City Hall lot.

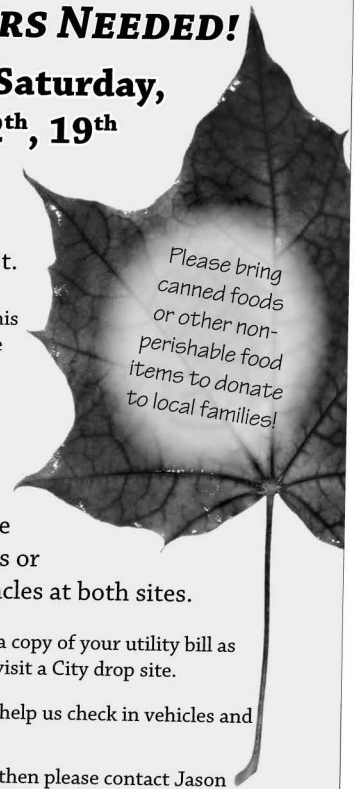
Public Works, 6101 SE  
Johnson Creek Boulevard  
Loose leaves, or bagged leaves

Participants are responsible  
for emptying their own bags or  
loose loads into city receptacles at both sites.

To participate, you **MUST** provide a copy of your utility bill as  
proof of residency every time you visit a City drop site.

Volunteers needed at both sites to help us check in vehicles and  
collect data for the program.

If you're interested in helping out, then please contact Jason  
Wachs at 503-786-7568 or visit [www.milwaukieoregon.gov](http://www.milwaukieoregon.gov).



## Pilot to take winter break

With an eye on the bottom line, the City's budget provides for 10 issues of *The Pilot* every year. *The Pilot* will take January off, and return in February.

To keep track of City events and news, please follow "City of Milwaukie" on Facebook and Twitter, and regularly check [www.milwaukieoregon.gov](http://www.milwaukieoregon.gov).

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and winter clothes. Any and all gifts, however will be greatly appreciated. The age group is K-12.

For more information, please call 503-786-7582.

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"I'd like my experience in Milwaukie to continue to be contributing to the community where I can," Joel said. "My participation in Rotary has been very rewarding and I've enjoyed some involvement in other city and county opportunities as well. I like the variety and meeting the diverse demographic of folks who are getting involved in similar activities."

## The Chief's Corner

Written by Steve Bartol, Chief of Police

Happy Holidays everyone. Hope this season finds you and yours well. November and December are the months that everyone starts to do their holiday shopping.

If your family is like mine, more and more of that is being done on-line. Avoiding the mall traffic and having items delivered right to your door is hard to argue with.

Unfortunately, it's also the time of year that thieves start patrolling neighborhoods looking for opportunity.

Packages left on the front porch are an easy score. Every year we take reports of stolen merchandise.

If you are going to have a package delivered, try and make sure there will be someone there to accept it. Maybe you can make arrangements to have it delivered to a trusted neighbor or to your office if your employer allows it. Use the tracking numbers to keep track of when the package should arrive. Most of all, if you see someone driving around your neighborhood or snooping around a neighbor's house that you don't recognize, give us a call. We'll come check it out and make sure everything is OK.

Lastly, don't forget to shop smart on-line to protect yourself from ID Theft. Here is a web site that gives some tips and tricks for staying safe [www.fbi.gov/scams-safety/fraud/internet\\_fraud](http://www.fbi.gov/scams-safety/fraud/internet_fraud).

## Moving Forward nearing the finish line

The Moving Forward Milwaukie Project – an initiative that began in 2013 to stimulate development in the downtown area, key commercial areas in central Milwaukie, and a pair of “Neighborhood Main Streets” that serve surrounding neighborhoods – is nearing completion.

The changes revising the use, development, design standards, and design review procedures for development in Central Milwaukie went before Council on Nov. 3<sup>rd</sup>, and is scheduled for adoption at the Dec. 15<sup>th</sup> Council meeting.

Changes that revised standards for the “Neighborhood Main Streets” of 32<sup>nd</sup> and 42<sup>nd</sup> Avenues went before Council on Nov. 17<sup>th</sup> and are anticipated to be adopted by Council at either the Dec. 15<sup>th</sup> meeting, or at one of the meetings in January. These revisions are intended to encourage attractive, functional commercial areas in central Milwaukie and pedestrian-oriented, neighborhood-serving business districts around segments of 32<sup>nd</sup> and 42<sup>nd</sup> Ave.

“It's been a long process that's incorporated a lot of public input,” said Senior Planner Li Alligood.

## Letter from the Editor

Written by Grady Wheeler, Public Affairs Coordinator

After 18 years and more than 175 issues of *The Pilot* I'm leaving the City of Milwaukie to take another communications position in the region.

I covered Milwaukie and the recall of the Mayor and three City Councilors as a reporter with the *Clackamas Review* and then was hired by the City in 1998 to assume a newly created position that's aim was to bridge the communication gap between residents and their local government.

I thought then, and still believe, it's a worthy and very important goal, and I've been honored to pursue it these past years.

Milwaukie is at such an interesting and exciting point in its history. So much change has taken place in a very short time, and more seems to be on the way. The hope and the challenge is to keep Milwaukie, Milwaukie in the face of such regional and economic growth.

I will always love and appreciate this community, and trust the citizens and staff will continue their hard work in keeping this a wonderful place to visit, make a home, or build a career.



Grady Wheeler (from left), Jason Wachs, Della Shanley, Mitch Nieman

## The City Code Corner

Written by Tim Salyers, Code Compliance Coordinator

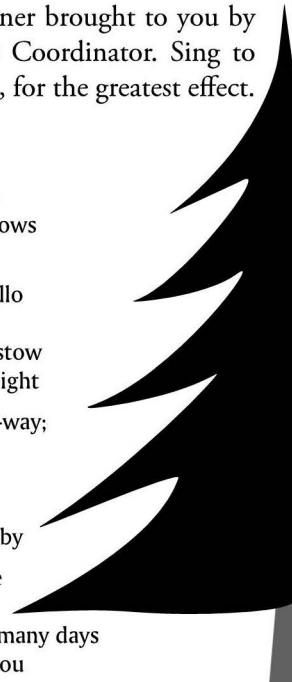
A very, very special Code Corner brought to you by Tim Salyers, Code Compliance Coordinator. Sing to the tune of *The Christmas Song*, for the greatest effect.

No brush burning in an open fire  
 Sidewalk clearing when it snows  
 No vehicles on grass we will aspire  
 And trees trimmed high when it grows

You really should know,  
 We knock on your door and say hello  
 Our goal's to work with your site.  
 Work with us, compliance we'll bestow  
 When your property is free from blight

We want to keep clear the right-of-way;  
 So we can all be safe,  
 during the night and the day  
 Get rid of graffiti just after it's dry  
 Doing these, the code you'll abide by

And so if you have an issue to raise  
 Call us, we'll see what we can do  
 Our office hours vary many times, many days  
 We look forward to hearing from you



## 'Operation Santa' a go!



BY FRED CHARLTON, FIRE CHIEF

The Operation Santa program organized by Clackamas Fire District No. 1 (CFD1) staff and volunteers and funded by the Clackamas Emergency Services Foundation, kicks off the season by participating in 15 community parades beginning late November. Santa will ride atop an antique fire engine, escorted by other fire apparatus, through area neighborhoods, while volunteers collect food and toy donations from community members along the route.

Steve Hoffeditz, public information officer for CFD1 said last year's Op Santa collected 23,000 pounds of food and 6,024 toys to serve nearly 2,000 citizens.

Santa will be in your Milwaukie neighborhoods on:

- Dec. 6<sup>th</sup>, Sun., 6 - 9 p.m., Milwaukie Station 2
- Dec. 7<sup>th</sup>, Mon., 6 - 9 p.m., Milwaukie Station 2
- Dec. 9<sup>th</sup>, Weds., 6 - 9 p.m., Westwood Station 4

If you can't make one of the parades, please visit our website for more details and information on other ways you can help: [www.clackamasfire.com](http://www.clackamasfire.com).



## Preserving traditions

Written by Greg Hemer, Milwaukie Historical Society

Dec. 5<sup>th</sup> the Umbrella Parade and Tree Lighting Event kicks off the Holiday spirit in Milwaukie. But why do we have this event every year? It is simply a matter of a business group and a high school student wanting to give back to their community?

The first record of a tree lighting event comes from a 1982 City Council Session: "John Burrell, Giving Tree Committee, said the group is now organizing. They plan to improve the tree lighting this year."

Then in 1992 Milwaukie Downtown Development Association (MDDA) sponsored the *Share the Lights Festival*. It included a tree lighting ceremony, Santa photos, kids crafts, and yes an umbrella parade. MDDA disbanded in 1998, thus ending the festival.

Until 2006 when Chelsea Bantz says she was talking with her mom about how sad it was some of Milwaukie's traditions have died off when it occurred to her that she would resurrect the Umbrella Parade for her Milwaukie High School Senior Class Project. She visited the city's Neighborhood Associations and local businesses for funding and awareness. After a lot of hard work and determination, the Umbrella Parade was back. And thankfully to city staff, it's here to stay.

Giving and keeping traditions alive are values Milwaukians truly believe in. Help keep Milwaukie Museum tradition alive by joining, donating, volunteering, or visiting the Museum. All donations and memberships are tax-deductible. Please visit our website at [www.milwaukiehistoricalsociety.com](http://www.milwaukiehistoricalsociety.com) or visit the Museum 1 to 5 p.m. on Saturdays for more details.

## Your watershed needs you

The North Clackamas Urban Watershed Council (NCUWC) envisions people and nature flourishing in a healthy ecosystem by providing a forum for the diverse interests in our watersheds.

The Council has seats open for representatives that live in the Upper Kellogg, Lower Kellogg, Dean, Middle Mt. Scott/Cedar, Phillips, Upper Mt. Scott, and Minthorn Spring watershed sub-basins. There are also Representative seats open for the Milwaukie Neighborhood districts of Hector-Campbell, Historic, Island Station, and Linwood.

Interested in learning more about how you can make a difference to the health of your watershed?

- Go to [www.ncurbanwatershed.wordpress.com](http://www.ncurbanwatershed.wordpress.com),
- Plan on coming to the next regular Council meeting on the third Wednesday of the month, and
- Call NCUWC at 503-550-9282 to confirm the time and place of the next meeting.

## Council looking for citizen of year nominees

Since 2012 City Council has honored a Milwaukie resident for their significant contributions to the community by naming that individual "Volunteer of the Year."

Council is seeking nominations for 2015 in January, and will name the recipient in April 2016.

In previous years Council began the nomination process in September and named the volunteer in December. Council changed the format to coincide with National Volunteer Month and to recognize the volunteer's full year of service.

Keep an eye out for more information about the nomination process, including an online form, in January 2016.

## Programs fulfill mission

Milwaukie Center's mission is to be a link to resources for older adults and their families and a place for the community to gather, grow and contribute. These December programs fulfill that mission.

Fill a Stocking, Fill a Heart is a local non-profit organization assisting agencies in Clackamas County by providing their neediest clients with a filled stocking during the holidays. For many, this is the only gift they receive. Pick up your stocking to fill at the Milwaukie Center.

Gift Shop: We have hundreds of home-made gift items that are perfect for the holidays. We're open from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Mon. - Fri. for some wonderful gifts and great prices.

Transportation: Options are available to help you get to the Center and the grocery store. We can also connect you with other transportation resources. For more information, call Nolan Borntrager 503-794-8014

## Council considers parking permit increase

At its Nov. 3<sup>rd</sup> Council Session City Council discussed increasing the cost of monthly downtown parking permits from \$25 to \$40 per month, \$70 to \$115 quarterly, and eliminating semi-annual permits and limiting advanced sales to one month.

Council was set to discuss this proposal at the Nov. 17th Council Meeting. The Pilot went to print before the meeting date. For the latest details please visit the City's website [www.milwaukieoregon.gov](http://www.milwaukieoregon.gov). Any changes would be effective Jan. 1, 2016.

## MILWAUKIE BUSINESS SPOTLIGHT

Bill Horton, co-owner of Rohst Coffee Co., said they chose to open their business in Milwaukie, "because downtown Milwaukie is a growing and thriving economy and the citizens seem to appreciate and support small businesses. Our location at the south end of Milwaukie provided with great opportunity due to the development of the Max line and also with foot traffic generated by other local businesses and Milwaukie High School.

Rohst is located at 11254 SE 21<sup>st</sup> Ave., offers locally roasted coffee and seasonal drink recipes and an assortment of food items.

P) 503-659-3648

W) [www.rohstcoffee.com](http://www.rohstcoffee.com)

## International game day, soups, poetry and film

All programs are FREE. To view all programs, visit [www.milwaukieoregon.gov/library](http://www.milwaukieoregon.gov/library).

### Adult Program Highlights:

Sat. Dec. 5<sup>th</sup>, 2 p.m., Ledding Library: First Saturday Music Series: Eric John Kaiser Duo (*right*). Parisian Americana for your listening enjoyment.

Wed., Dec. 9<sup>th</sup>, 7 p.m., Pond House: Milwaukie Poetry Series: John Witte (*right, below*).

Thurs., Dec. 10<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 p.m., Pond House: Soup Night with Maggie Stuckey. Learn how sitting down to enjoy a meal together brings people closer and creates community (*right, below*).

Tues., Dec. 17<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 p.m., Pond House: Foreign Film Night: showing the Australian film *Little Sparrows*. Three sisters each confronts personal change and growth.

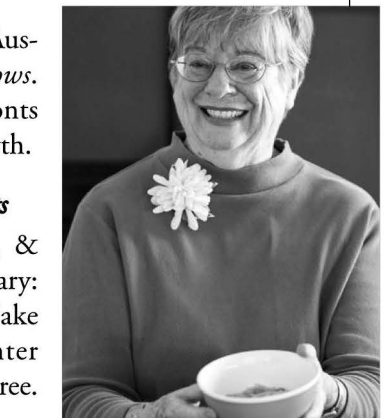
### Children's Program Highlights

Saturdays, Dec. 5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, & 19<sup>th</sup>, 2 p.m., Ledding Library: Winter Arts & Crafts. Make sparkly snowflakes, winter ornaments, and a pop-up tree. Ages 5 and up.

Sat. Dec. 19<sup>th</sup>, noon to 5 p.m., Ledding Library: Celebrate the Winter Solstice with a drop-in bookmaking craft all afternoon. All ages are invited to stop by.

Mon. Dec. 28<sup>th</sup>, 1 p.m., Ledding Library: Baby Play Date. A chance for babies and their caregivers to play with books, baby toys, and scarves. Ages 0-18 months.

Tues., Dec. 29<sup>th</sup>, 10:30 a.m., Ledding Library: Toddler Play Date. A chance for toddlers and their caregivers to play with Duplos, puppets, and instruments. Ages 1-3.



**E**ach Neighborhood Association has a Land Use Chair monitoring applications the City receives. To help track the process, these are upcoming Land Use/Development Review hearings, and Planning

Commission (PC) Agenda items. Dates are subject to change. Check the City's website for details.

- Nov. 10 - No Hearings, Ethics Training, Work Program Development
- Nov. 24 - Meeting Canceled

## LINWOOD

### NEXT MEETING INFORMATION:

THURS., DEC. 10<sup>TH</sup>, 7 P.M. \* LINWOOD ELEM.  
BY ZAG PERRY, CHAIR

Fall is officially hanging over our neighborhood like that morning fog.

Please slow down while driving through the streets of your neighborhood, especially during the morning and after-work commute times.

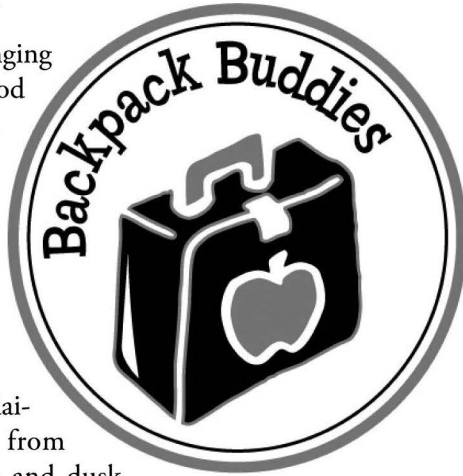
Kids making their daily migration to and from school at these dawn and dusk hours often are forced to walk in the streets and bike lanes near Linwood Elementary because there is not a connecting path of sidewalks. Consider this reminder that there is no bus service for those who live within one mile of the school.

Also keep in mind the many non-profits in your area needing help to provide basic services to our community this season. It is estimated that over 70% of our children that attend Linwood Elementary require reduced or free lunches because they come from financially strapped environments that struggle to put food on their own tables on a daily basis. If a school exceeds 50% need, they are considered a Title-1 school, so as you can see there is a lot of need within our own community.

Teachers at our local school have observed students who come to school hungry and, consequently, have a harder time learning and paying attention.

Consider getting involved with the Backpack Buddies program, which provide basic food needs to students over the weekends so kids don't go without meals outside of the school environment.

Questions, Comments, Want to Participate? Contact Joe Krumm at North Clackamas School District at 503-353-6017.



## LEWELLING

### NEXT MEETING INFORMATION:

WED., DEC. 9<sup>TH</sup>, 7 P.M. \* LEWELLING ELEM.

## HECTOR CAMPBELL

### NEXT MEETING INFORMATION:

MON., DEC. 14<sup>TH</sup>, 6:30 P.M. \* PUBLIC SAFETY BLDG.  
BY LARS CAMPBELL

As December comes into view, it's a great time to think about our neighbors who might be in need of some assistance. If you've noticed someone who can't rake their own leaves, who has trouble keeping up with clogged gutters, or is in need of some other service, pitch in. Volunteering time for others is part of what makes December a special time.

In the Hector Campbell neighborhood, we will collect canned goods, new and unwrapped toys, as well as new hats, gloves and mittens at our neighborhood meeting on Dec. 14<sup>th</sup> for Operation Santa. If you have items to contribute to our neighborhood's donation, please bring them to the Public Safety Building that night between 6:30 and 8 p.m. Then, stay for the meeting and some snacks!

This year, The Hector Campbell NDA would like to present a house and yard holiday decoration contest. If your house is in the Hector Campbell boundaries, snap a photo of your decorated home and submit it via email to [info@hectorcccampbellnda.org](mailto:info@hectorcccampbellnda.org) before Dec. 14<sup>th</sup> to be entered to win (be sure to include your address). We'll vote at the December neighborhood meeting, and four winners will receive \$25 to help offset the cost of the winner's utility bill!

One city issue that directly affects people in our neighborhood is the Monroe Street Greenway Project plan. This has been in a planning phase for a few months, and the city is considering studying traffic diversion to move vehicles away from Monroe St. This might mean finding new routes around our neighborhood. Please try to share Monroe Street with the pedestrians who use the road; we've all seen how flooded the street gets in winter rain. Travel slowly and share the road!

## → ARDENWALD/JOHNSON CREEK ←

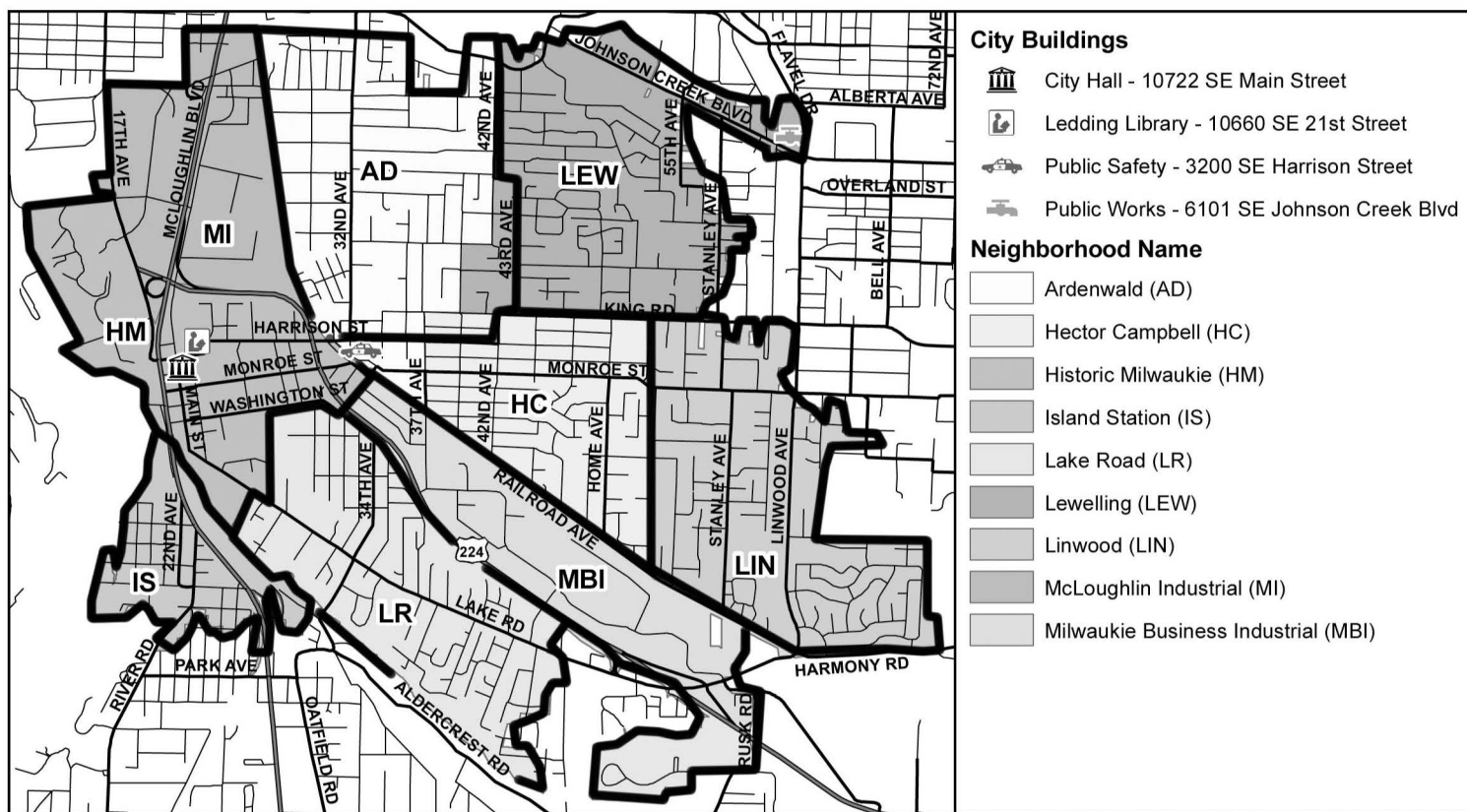
### NEXT MEETING INFORMATION:

MON., DEC. 28<sup>TH</sup>, 6:30 P.M. \* LIZ'S CREATIVE CAFE

## ISLAND STATION

### NEXT MEETING INFORMATION:

WED., DEC. 16<sup>TH</sup>, 6:30 P.M. \* MILWAUKIE GRANGE



## LAKE ROAD

**NEXT MEETING INFORMATION:**  
**WED., DEC. 9<sup>TH</sup>, 6:30 P.M. \* ROWE MIDDLE SCHOOL**  
 BY DEBBY PATTEN, CHAIR

December is a wonderful time here in our special little City. Checking the City Calendar, I see we are having the Umbrella Parade and City Hall Tree Lighting Ceremony on Sat. Dec. 5th, and the Winter Solstice and Christmas Ships Viewing event on Sat., December 19<sup>th</sup>.

There are great community events, and if you haven't checked them out before, I strongly encourage you to do so!

We will also have a pot luck at our Lake Road Meeting earlier in the month on Wed., Dec. 9<sup>th</sup>. These are some of the great opportunities to gather with our neighbors to celebrate the holidays. I hope that you will make some time to attend one or all of the special events this December.

I want to thank all those who helped clean up the park, roundabout, and our sign area on SE Washington Avenue recently. It really was a great time to meet up and do something good for our neighborhood. You know who you are.

There won't be a Pilot issue in January, but we will still be having a meeting on the second Wednesday of the month.

Feel free to contact me or Vince Alvarez if you have anything you would like to put on the agenda. (Contact info. on pg. 8)

Have a wonderful holiday season!

## HISTORIC MILWAUKIE

**NEXT MEETING INFORMATION**  
**MON., DEC. 14<sup>TH</sup>, 6:30 P.M. POND HOUSE**  
 BY RAY BRYAN, CHAIR

We had a good turn out at our November meeting. Northwest Housing Alternatives presented the very latest architectural drawings of their redevelopment plans. We discussed the first draft of our neighborhood livability plan.

Thank you Milwaukie's new Engineering Director Chuck Eaton for your valuable advice on how to successfully move forward on the issues identified. We also discussed and voted on priorities for projects to improve our neighborhood that will be supported by grant dollars as they are finalized. They include adding "poop" stations, trash receptacles, supporting maintenance of down town landscaping and small business's efforts to make the downtown more attractive, and improving Kronberg Park.

We also said a very sad farewell to long time chair, volunteer of the year, and friend to all, Dion Shepard. She may have small feet but has left big shoes to fill. We wish her and Mike the best in their new home in Astoria.

December's meeting promises, updates to our chosen projects, Chief Bartol on emergency communication, Lisa Batey on parkways; the very latest on NHA's zoning variance applications, and door prize! Hope to see you there.



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**ARDENWALD-JOHNSON CREEK**  
 Meetings held on fourth Mondays  
 6:30 p.m., Liz's Creative Cafe, 9401 SE 32<sup>nd</sup> Ave.  
 Chair, Jeff Davis  
 Neighborhood Website: [www.ardenwald.org](http://www.ardenwald.org)

**HECTOR CAMPBELL**  
 Meetings held on second Mondays  
 6:30 p.m., Public Safety Building, 3200 SE Harrison St.  
 Chair, David Aschenbrenner  
 Neighborhood Website: [www.hectorcampbellnda.org](http://www.hectorcampbellnda.org)

**HISTORIC MILWAUKIE**  
 Meetings held on second Mondays  
 6:30 p.m., Pond House, 2215 SE Harrison St.  
 Chair, Ray Bryan  
 email: [ray1bryan2@gmail.com](mailto:ray1bryan2@gmail.com)

**ISLAND STATION**  
 Meetings held on third Wednesdays  
 6:30 p.m., Milwaukie Grange, 12015 SE 22<sup>nd</sup> Ave.  
 Chair, Cindy Miguel  
 email: [IslandStationNDA@gmail.com](mailto:IslandStationNDA@gmail.com)

**LAKE ROAD**  
 Meetings held on second Wednesdays  
 6:30 p.m., Rowe Middle School, 3606 SE Lake Rd.  
 CoChairs Debby Patten & Vince Alvarez  
 email: [debby.patten@gmail.com](mailto:debby.patten@gmail.com)

**LEWELLING**  
 Meetings held on second Wednesdays  
 7 p.m., Lewelling Elementary, 5325 SE Logus St.  
 Chair Bryan Trotter  
 email: [lewellingtrotter@outlook.com](mailto:lewellingtrotter@outlook.com)

**LINWOOD**  
 Meetings held on second Thursdays  
 7 p.m., Linwood Elementary, 11909 SE Linwood Ave.  
 Chair Zac Perry  
 email: [Linwoodzp@gmail.com](mailto:Linwoodzp@gmail.com)

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DECEMBER 2015

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>MCH - MILWAUKIE CITY HALL, 10722 SE MAIN ST.</b> <b>PSB - PUBLIC SAFETY BUILDING, 3200 SE HARRISON ST.</b> <b>JCB - PUBLIC WORKS BUILDING, 6101 SE JOHNSON CREEK BLVD.</b> <b>MC - MILWAUKIE CENTER, 5440 SE KELLOGG CREEK DR.</b> <b>LED - LEDDING LIBRARY, 10660 SE 21ST AVE.</b> <b>PND - LIBRARY POND HOUSE, 2215 SE HARRISON ST.</b>		<b>4PM CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION, (MCH)</b> <b>6PM CITY COUNCIL REGULAR SESSION, (MCH)</b> 1	<b>6PM CITIZENS UTILITY ADVISORY BOARD, (MCH)</b> 2		<b>Pond House Book Store 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.</b> 4	<b>Pond House Book Store 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.</b> <b>First Saturday Music Series</b> <b>Leaf Drop</b> See Page 2 <b>Umbrella Parade</b> See Page 1 5
	<b>5:30PM LIBRARY BOARD, EXPANSION TASK FORCE (PND)</b> 7	<b>12 PM STATE OF THE CITY (ROTARY)</b> <b>5:30PM KELLOGG GOOD NEIGHBOR, (KELLOGG PLANT)</b> <b>6:30PM PLANNING COMMISSION, (MCH)</b> 8	<b>7:30AM SMALL BUSINESS ORIENTATION, (PND)</b> <b>6:30PM LAKE ROAD NDA, (ROWE)</b> <b>7PM LEWELLING NDA, (LEWELLING ELEMENTARY)</b> Poetry Series Bill Siverly 7 p.m., Pond House 9	<b>7PM LINWOOD NDA, (LINWOOD ELEMENTARY)</b> 10	<b>Pond House Book Store 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.</b> <b>9:30AM MILWAUKIE CENTER ADVISORY BOARD (MC)</b> 11	<b>Pond House Book Store 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.</b> <b>Leaf Drop</b> See Page 2 <b>12</b>
13	14	15	<b>4PM CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION, (MCH)</b> <b>6PM CITY COUNCIL REGULAR SESSION, (MCH)</b> 16	<b>6PM STUDY SESSION, (MCH)</b> <b>Foreign Film Night (See Page 5)</b> 17	<b>Pond House Book Store 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.</b> 18	<b>Pond House Book Store 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.</b> <b>Leaf Drop</b> See Page 2 <b>Winter Solstice and Fleet Viewing Event</b> See Page 1 19
20	<b>6:30PM RIVERFRONT PARK TASK FORCE, (MCH)</b> 21	<b>7:30AM PARKS &amp; RECREATION BOARD, (MCH)</b> 22	<b>5:30PM ARTS COMMITTEE, (MCH)</b> <b>6:30PM ISLAND STATION NDA, (MILWAUKIE GRANGE)</b> 16	<b>Holiday City Facilities Closed at noon</b> <b>Library Closing at 1pm</b> 24	<b>Holiday City Facilities and Library Closed</b> 25	26
27	<b>6:30PM ARDENWALD/JC NDA, (LIZ'S CREATIVE CAFE)</b> 28	<b>6:15PM PUBLIC SAFETY ADVISORY COMMITTEE, (PSB)</b> 29		<b>Happy Holidays!</b> <b>Library Closing at 6pm</b> 31		