

- 9. City Manager's Report
- B. Status/Update Reports
- 1. Nomination Papers for City Council Candidates for the April 2023 election are available. Three year term. Must be filed on or before Tuesday, January 3, 2023 at 5:00 PM in the City Clerk's Office; Notification of Non-Candidacy by current Council Members must be filed by Friday, December 23, 2022 at 5:00 PM





As of Monday, December 19, seven sets of nomination papers are out and two individuals,

Dean LaRose and Adam Wachowski, have returned theirs completed



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Upcoming Retirements:

Dan Glaser, Certified Meter Technician – December 2022 Brian Kohlmeier, Chief of Police – December 2022

Ongoing Recruitments:

Public Works Superintendent – Open until Filled

Upcoming Recruitments:

Fire Chief--Ads to be placed shortly

--Police and Fire Commission

on December 15 selected

Assistant Chief David Murack

to serve as Interim Chief



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- 3. Central Park West Update
- Fund-Raising stands at \$769,500, or 96.2 percent of the original goal of \$800,000
- City is striving to extend fund-raising to \$850,000, taking into account a slight increase in total estimated project cost, from \$1,600,000 to \$1,650,000
- Update on paver sales: 164 pavers of various sizes have been sold, raising a total of \$75,100; by area, pavers sold account for over 95 percent of the 100 SF area (four 5 by 5 foot squares) allotted for pavers in front of the stage. A fifth square will be added, and other areas are being evaluated for pavers.
- City crews have recently cleared the site for the stage and poured footings





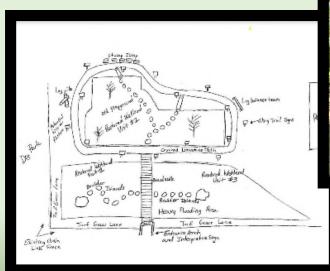




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- 4. \$50,000 WEST FOUNDATION COMPETITIVE GRANT AWARDED TO LESTER PUBLIC LIBRARY AND TWO RIVERS PARKS AND RECREATION



John Jagemann of the West Foundation Board announced the two winners of its first-ever Director's Choice Grants on December 14





Project involves installing Storywalks on the Lester Library Grounds and at Zander Park



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5. DNR awards \$25,000 Urban Forestry Grant to the City for Inventory of Public Trees, Staff Training, Possible Tree Planting—Application by Parks and Recreation Director

--City has increased its commitment to Urban Forestry and Tree Planting in 2023, due to the impacts of Emerald Ash Borer



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Pudgy Pies and Animal Disguise, Thursday, December 29, 2022,

1:00-3:00 PM, Woodland Dunes Nature Center

Can you find the animals in disguise? Bring the whole family on this self-guided walk along Willow Trail to look for camouflaged animals. Warm up by the fire and even make your own pudgy pie (a toasted sandwich made over the coals of a fire)! Registration required by Tuesday, December 27.





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- b. Two Rivers Environmental Advisory Board Presents: **Green Infrastructure** Thursday, January 12, 2023, 6:00 PM, Lester Public Library





Presented by Julia Noordyk, water quality and coastal communities special at UW Sea Grant Institute.



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Santa at Senior Center









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ENFORCEMENT OF WINTER PARKING BAN

- Enforcement is currently suspended, but that could change depending on the weather forecast
- Whatever the weather, exceptions for Christmas Eve (early AM on December 25) and New Year's Eve (early AM on January 1) remain in effect
- Watch the City's Website, Two Rivers Police Department and TR City Hall Facebook pages for updates.





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Most Recent Spotlight on Business: GJ's Salon-n-Spa, Linda Loves Cheesecake LLC, Rebel Massage and Energy Work, Permanent Cosmetics by Heidi, Cinder & Ash—all businesses at 1604 Washington Street









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Recent Spotlight on Business: Renee's Chocolates & Popcorn, and Ice Cream and Italian Ice





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Recent Spotlight on Business: The Quilt Shop of Two Rivers





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Recent Spotlight on Business: Crafty Cravings Cafe



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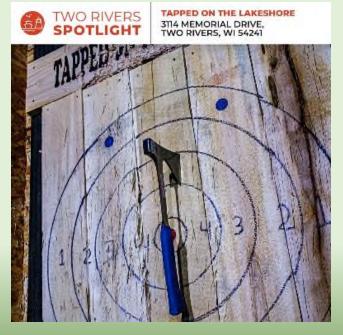
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Recent Spotlight on Business: Tapped on the Lakeshore



TAPPED ON THE LAKESHORE







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- Watch for More Spotlights on Business
- All Spotlights on Business can be found on the City's website, <u>www.two-rivers.org</u>, by clicking on "Community" then "Spotlight on Business"



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City Hall Closed: December 23, 26 and January 2

UPCOMING MEETINGS:

- Public Utilities: Tuesday, January 3, 5:00 PM
- City Council: Tuesday, January 3, 6:00 PM
- Public Works: Wednesday, January 4, 5:15 PM





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2022 Holiday Garbage & Recycling PickUp Schedule

--Friday, Dec. 23, Christmas Eve - No Change

--Friday, Dec. 30, New Year's Eve - No Change







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REMINDER: Keep your sidewalks clean of snow and ice—required within 24 hours following a snow or ice event





Photos taken today on 22nd Street







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Remember: Washington Street will be lit solely with Christmas lights on Christmas Eve from 6:00 PM to 10:00 PM Merry Christmas, Two Rivers!