City Beat

News Briefs

June 2019

Calendar

Lovett Street. The reconstruction of 3 blocks of W. Lovett St. in downtown will continue through the summer.

Pocket Park. Work will begin in early June with completion slated for the end of the July.

Budget Adoption. City Council is expected to adopt the budget for the 2019-20 fiscal year and set 2019 millage rates during its June 10 meeting.

Did You Know... that it is a violation of City code to mow your yard such that grass clippings are deposited in the street? These clippings are unsightly and can lead to clogged storm drains. When mowing, direct the discharge chute away from the street or consider using a mulching mower to reduce yard waste.

June 4. Planning Commission meeting, 6:00 p.m., City Hall Council Chambers.

June 10. City Council meeting, 7:00 p.m., City Hall Council Chambers.

June 11. Camp Frances Board meeting, 6:00 p.m., Camp Frances (Bennett Park).

June 12. Tim Talks, Facebook Live, 4:00 p.m. Mayor Tim Lewis and a guest discuss local issues and events.

June 16. Fathers Day Fly-In and Pancake Breakfast, Fitch H. Beach Airport, 7:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m..

June 18. Downtown Development Authority, 8:00 a.m., City Hall Council Chambers.

June 20-22. Charlotte Bluegrass Festival, Fairgrounds.

June 24. City Council meeting, 7:00 p.m., City Hall Council Chambers.

City Council Election. City Clerk Ginger Terpstra has announced the availability of petitions to run for election to the City Council. In November, voters will elect a Mayor to a two-year term, three Council members to four-year terms, and one Council member to a two-year term. To be eligible for election, the individual must have been an elector of the City for not less than six months immediately prior to the election. Ward Council members must be residents of the ward from which they are elected. Petitions are available from the City Clerk's office during regular business hours and must be filed by 4:00 p.m. on July 23, 2019. For additional information about the election and the petition process, contact the City Clerk's office at 517-543-8843.

Science Adventure Camp. Each year, the City, Eaton Conservation District, Eaton County Resource Recovery, teachers and science lovers join together to offer Science Adventure Camp for 4th to 6th grade students from throughout Eaton County. Hands-on activities and lessons focus on rocks and minerals, fossils, tree and plant life, stream life, tree identification, bugs and more. Most activities occur out-of-doors. The 2019 Camp will take place from June 25 to June 28. Morning and afternoon sessions are offered. The cost for the entire week is \$15.00 per student. To register online, visit scencecamp2019.eventbrite.com. Additional information about the Science Adventure Camp is available from Mikayla at 517-543-8858 or by email to mdensmore@charlottemi.org.

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