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## Paint-A-thon to spruce up 3 homes

**Light up the Sky?:** Fireworks fundraiser still \$17,000 short of goal

BY CHUCK VANDENBERG PCC EDITOR

FORT MADISON - Fort Madison Partners is in the middle of two annual summer projects. One is going according to schedule, while the other is lagging behind.

The annual Paint-A-Thon is slated for June 21-26 with three possible homes getting facelifts by community volunteers organized by the Partners.

Executive Director Tim Gobble said this year's Paint-A-Thon could tackle three different houses in the community.

He said the schedule will include about 75 hour-long time slots including power washing, surface prep work, yard work



**GOBBLE** 

and painting.

"Right now Community Action of Southeast Iowa is in the process of contacting the home owner to let them know they are part of the program," Gobble said.

"As soon as that is done we will be working with them on paint colors and hopefully all that will happen this week."

Gobble is hoping to get at least 75 volunteers to take on each of the time slots. He said several companies in the area have allocated some employees to help with the work, but he

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Photo by Chuck Vandenberg

Area residents weathered some warmer temperatures to take in the second week of the Fort Madison Farmer's Market Monday afternoon in Central Park.

#### **BNSF BRIDGE**

### Overnight crash leaves one injured, arrested

BY CHUCK VANDENBERG

FORT MADISON – An early morning accident on the Burlington Northern Santa Fe swingspan bridge in Fort Madison has resulted in the arrest of an Illinois woman.

Fort Madison Police arrested Ashley Mariah Olson, 33, of Wilmington, Ill., on a warrant after investigating the crash

According to Fort Madison Police Chief Mark Rohloff, Olson allegedly bypassed warning alarms and struck the barricade on the bridge. The bridge was opened to allow the passage of a boat at the time.

Olson was taken by ambulance to Fort Madison Community Hospital with injury complaints. She was driving a 2002 Volkswagen GTI, which Rohloff said was heavily damaged and towed from the scene.

"The impact also caused substantial damage to the barricade effectively closing the bridge to motor vehicle traffic until repairs could be made," Rohloff said.

He said police reports also indicate alcohol was present and additional charges may be filed pending the results of a chemical analysis. Olson was also arrested on a warrant for failure to appear out of Des Moines County.

The bridge was reopened Monday afternoon at about 2:30 p.m. when repairs had been completed.

#### **HISTORIC CEMETERY**

## Registry application to wait

Chairman wants effort to clean up cemetery before applying for historic register

> BY CHUCK VANDENBERG PCC FDITOR

FORT MADISON - The chairman of the city's Historic Preservation Commission wants a city cemetery cleaned up before he'll recommend an application to place on the National Register of Historic

Chris Sorrentino, the chairman of the city's Historic Preservation Commission told the group at meeting Monday night that he wanted an organized effort to spruce up the cemetery located in the 1400 block of Avenue H before he would support applying for the designation.

"I'd like to think we could clean that up a little bit before we try to register it on the national registry," Sorrentino said

"I don't know if we can something together this summer and make it a city wide kind of a fun event, but that cemetery has the builders of this city in it and it's important that it be preserved."

Sorrentino said the cemetery has stones that have been knocked over or fallen down and damaged and the fence is need of repair.

Commission member Andy Andrews challenged Sorrentino to get the designation so the city could go after some funding to help clean it up.

"That's why you apply to be on the registry so you can get grants to help pay for that," Andrews said.

City Manager David Varley said the city has plans to repair the fencing with has more than 100 iron panels on the sides and front along Avenue H.

"We have plans to refurbish the dam-

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#### **Obituaries**

#### **OBITUARIES**

#### BETTY JO DIAL

On Saturday, May 30, 2020, Betty Jo Dial of Carthage, Illinois, passed away peacefully at the age of 97.

Betty Jo was born November 21, 1922 in Des Moines, Iowa to Owen and Ruth (Reed) Wheeler. When Betty Jo was a young girl, her family moved to Ottumwa, Iowa. Betty Jo grew up in Ottumwa and graduated from Ottumwa High School in



On November 1, 1943, Betty Jo was united in marriage to Ralph Dial Sr. in Fresno, California. After WWII, they returned to Ottumwa. While raising their only child, Ralph Jr., Betty Jo worked for Farm Bureau and eventually retired from the John Morrell Company after 20 years of service. Betty Jo moved to Keokuk, Iowa in 1991 to be closer to her son and grandkids. Betty Jo enjoyed watching her grandkids' sporting events and spending time with friends. She loved traveling,

especially yearly trips to Minnesota. She and Ralph had a cabin on the Des Moines River for many years. This was a favorite getaway to share with her grandkids.

Betty Jo is survived by her son, Ralph Dial of Keokuk, four grandchildren; Mike (Deena) Dial, Curt (Kendra Abfalter) Dial, Stacy (Paul) Klesner and Jeffery Dial. Ten Great-grandchildren; Jarrett (Kathy), Courtney and Jacob Dial, Cassidy, Cooper, Joseph and Magness Abfalter-Dial, Ben, Kelsey and Kira Klesner, one nephew, Jerry (Alice) Dial and one great-nephew, Eric (Mandi) Dial. Betty Jo was preceded in death by her parents and husband.

As Betty Jo's health began deteriorating, she moved to Heritage House in Carthage, Illinois. Her family members are grateful for the loving care she received from Debbie and the staff at Heritage House.

Family will meet with friends at the Vigen Memorial Home Friday, June 12 from 5:00-8:00pm. Social distancing requirements will be in place and attendees will be limited according to those requirements. Masks are encouraged.

A graveside service will be held Saturday, June 13 at 11:30 am at the Pleasantville Cemetery in Pleasantville, Iowa.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Heritage House, 601 Locust Street, Carthage, Illinois.

#### Pen City Current obituary policy

The Current runs obituaries one time at no charge to funeral homes and they run the day they are submitted in most cases. They are also run as submitted by the funeral homes.

#### **OBITUARIES**

#### ROBERT L. KAUFMAN

Robert Lewis Kaufman, 78, of West Point, formerly of Lockridge, Iowa, passed away at 3:15 p.m. Friday, June 5, 2020, in West Point.

He was born on March 4, 1942, on the family farm in Wayland, Iowa, the son of Andy and Hazel (Conrad) Kaufman.

He enjoyed mushroom hunting, farming, raising and trading various animals on the farm. Robert worked at Bluebird in Mt. Pleasant before he went into farming full time.

He is survived by his children: Craig (Janice) Kaufman of Lockridge, Iowa and Julie (Howard Harvey) Hill of Bonaparte, Iowa; one grandson: C.J. Kaufman of Lockridge, Iowa and two sisters: Louise Pieper of West Point, Iowa and Lois Fields of Riverside, Iowa.

He was preceded in death by: his parents and two brothers: Leroy Kaufman and Raymond Kaufman.

Robert will be cremated and there will be no services per Robert's request. Condolences may be sent to the family at: Craig Kaufman, 3215 171st Street, Lockridge, Iowa 52635.

Schmitz Funeral Home of West Point is assisting the family with the arrangements. Online condolences may be sent to the family at www.schmitzfuneralhomes.com.

#### KROGMEIER KAREN T.

Karen T. Krogmeier, 77, of Fort Madison, IA, passed away at 5:40 a.m. on Monday, June 8, 2020 at the Donnellson Health Center. She was born on December 15, 1942 in Beaver Dam, WI to Garrett & Gertrude Mulder Van Galen. She married Francis

KROGMEIER

Youngbeck and he preceded her in death. She married Ernest Krogmeier on June 17, 1995 in Chino Hills, CA. She was a homemaker most of her life.

Karen is survived by: her husband: Ernie Krogmeier of Fort Madison, IA; 1-daughter: Michelle Lorence of Phoenix, AZ; 2-sons: Todd Youngbeck & Chad Youngbeck both of Fort Madison, IA; 1-step daughter: Pamala Katz of Fort Madison, IA; 4-grandchildren: Brooke, Devon, Emma & Josh; 3-great grandchildren & 1-brother: Wayne

Van Galen of Apache Junction, AZ. She was preceded in death by her parents, first husband & 1-brother.

Cremation has been entrusted to the care of King-Lynk Funeral Home & Crema-

tory and no services are planned. Online condolences to Karen's family may be left at the King-Lynk Funeral Home & Crematory website: www.kinglynk.com.

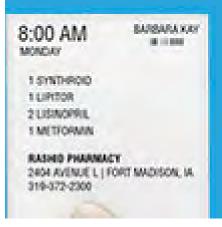
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#### For the Record

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#### Fort Madison Police Report

06/05/20 - 12:20 p.m. - Fort Madison Police responded to a report of a larceny/theft in the 1100 block of Avenue E. 06/05/20 – 3:17 p.m. – Fort Madison Police responded to a report of a hit and run in the 1500 block of Avenue H. 06/05/20 – 3:42 p.m. – Fort Madison Police responded to a report of a property damage accident in the 400 block of 4th Street. 06/06/20 – 12:27 p.m. – Fort Madison Police responded to a report of a hit and run at Crescent Lane and Richards Drive. 06/06/20 – 3:57 p.m. – Fort Madison Police responded to a report of a larceny/theft in the 1100 block of Old Denmark Hill. 06/06/20 – 7:01 p.m. – Fort Madison Police responded to a report of a larceny/theft in the 1000 block of Avenue G. 06/06/20 – 10:05 p.m. – Fort Madison Police responded to a report of a larceny/theft in the 1500 block of Avenue F. 06/07/20 – 1:18 p.m. – Fort Madison Police responded to a report of a larceny/theft in the 1200 block of Avenue E. 06/07/20 – 7:27 p.m. – Fort Madison Police arrested Misty Ann Richers, 39, of Fort Madison in the 2600 block of Avenue I, on a charge of simple domestic abuse assault. She was taken to the Lee County Jail and held. 06/08/20 - 2:13 a.m. - Fort Madison Police responded to a report of a property damage accident in the 900 block of 2nd Street. 06/08/20 - 2:18 a.m. - Fort Madison Police arrested Ashlee Mariah Olson, 34, of Wilmington, III., on the BNSF bridge, on a warrant. She was released on a promise to appear.

#### Lee County Sheriff's Report

06/05/20 - 2:45 p.m. - Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Sarah Danielle Rose, 24, of Keokuk, in the 500 block of High Street in Keokuk, on a warrant for 2nd-degree burglary. She was taken to the Lee County Jail and given a pre-trial release. 06/05/20 - 3:30 p.m. - Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Chance Jacob Sonnenburg, 22, of Kahoka, Mo., at 5th and Blondeau in Keokuk on a warrant for 2nd-degree burglary. He was

ROUTE

taken to the Lee County Jail and given a pre-trial release.

#### Hancock County Sheriff's Report

06/02/20 - Daniel J Mellen, age 49, of Carthage, IL was arrested and charged with Driving While License Suspended and Possession of Cannabis in Motor Vehicle. Mellen was reeaed after given a Notice to Appear at a future court date. 06/03/20 - Benito Lopez-Estrada, age 56, of Carthage, IL was arrested and charged with Driving Under the Influence. Lopez-Estrada was released after posting the required bond and given a future court date. 06/03/20 - Tab A Bottger, age 47, of Keokuk, IA was arrested on a Hancock County Warrant charging him with Petition to Revoke or Modify Sentence for Probation Violation on original charges of Bringing Contraband Into a Penal Institution. Bottger remains lodged in the Hancock County Jail in lieu of bail awaiting his next court appearance. 06/03/20 - Adam R Hobb, age 32, of Hamilton, IL was arrested and charged with Domestic Battery. Hobb remains lodged in the Hancock County Jail in lieu of bail awaiting his next court appearance. 06/03/20 - Jeffrey J Schofield, age 50, of Carthage, IL was arrested and charged with Driving While License Suspended. Schofield was released after posting the required bond and given a future court date. 06/04/20 - Crystal A Laktas, age 40, of Keokuk, IA was arrested on a Hancock County Warrant charging her with Failure to Appear on original charges of Driving While License Suspended and No Insurance. Laktas was also arrested on a McDonough County Warrants charging her with Failure to Appear on original charges of Retail Theft, Unlawful Possession of Controlled Substance. Laktas was released after posting the required bond and given a future court date. 06/04/20 - Joel T Bell, age 35, of West Point, IA was arrested and charged with Driving While License Suspended. Bell was released after given a Notice to Appear at a future court date. 06/04/20 - Brandon A Barnett, age 27, of Burlington, IA was arrested on a Des Moines County IA warrant charging him with Violation of Probation on

original charges of Domestic Abuse Assault and Escape. Barnett was released to Des Moines County IA Authorities. 06/05/20 – Ray Williams, age 54, of Quincy, IL was arrested and charged with Possession of Methamphetamine with Intent to Deliver and Armed Violence. Williams remains lodged in the Hancock County Jail in lieu of bail awaiting his next court appearance. 06/05/20 – Alexis T Sperber, age 27, of Fort Madison, IA was arrested and charged with Criminal Damage to Property. Sperber was released after posting the required bond and

given a future court date. 06/06/20 - Julia R Shelton, age 34, of Keokuk, IA was arrested and charged with Possession of Methamphetamine. Shelton was also arrested on an Adams County Warrant charging her with Failure to Appear on original charges of Operating an Uninsured Motor Vehicle. Shelton was released on her own recognizance and given a future court date. 06/06/20 - David C Dean, age 28, of Palmyra, MO was arrested and charged with Driving While License Suspended. Dean was also arrested on a Lee County IA Warrant

charging him with Violation of Probation on original charges of Controlled Substance Violation. Dena remains lodged in the Hancock County Jail in lieu of bail awaiting his initial court appearance. 06/07/20 - Joseph E Stewart, age 27, of Keokuk, IA was arrested and charged with Driving Under the Influence. Stewart was released after posting the required bond and given a future court date. 06/07/20 – Ned R Palmer, age 45, of Blandinsville, IL was arrested and charged with Domestic Batter, Resisting Peace Officer and Criminal

Trespass. Palmer was released after posting the required bond and given a future court date. Those listed above are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

#### Fort Madison Fire & Rescue Report

06/06/20 – Fort Madison firefighters responded to two medical calls 06/06/20 – Fort Madison firefighters responded to two medical calls 06/07/20 – Fort Madison firefighters responded to three medical calls, wreck on the bridge.



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#### **PUBLIC NOTICES**

#### **PUBLIC NOTICE PROCEEDINGS FORT MADISON CITY COUNCIL** 6/2/2020

The Fort Madison City Council met in regular session at 5:30 P.M. on Tuesday, June 2, 2020, at City Hall, 811 Avenue E. Mayor Mohrfeld presided with Council Members Bowker, Rink, Lair, Andrews, Miller, Cangas and Morawitz present.

This meeting was held electronically (pursuant to Iowa Code Section 21.8) because a meeting in person was impossible or impractical for the health and safety of City Council, staff and the public presented by COVID-19.

On motion, Council approved the agenda. On motion, Council approved the Consent Agenda: Minutes of 5/19/2020; Payroll of 5/22/2020; Claims dated 5/28/2020, Library Claims dated 5/20/2020 and the City Manager's Financial Update: Liquor License Renewal: The Victoria Gallery Tea Room, effective 6/12/2020; and Outdoor Service Privilege River Rocks Bar and Grill, expiration date 1/27/2021.

On motion, Council approved the second reading of an ordinance amending Title 9, Traffic, Chapter 3, Speed, and replacing Title 9, Chapter 4, Traffic Regulations, Chapter 5, Turning Regulations and Other Violations, and Chapter 6, Equipment. On motion, Council approved the third and final reading of Ordinance D-61, amending Title 10, Zoning, Chapter 25, Floodplain Management.

On motion, Council adopted Resolution No. 2020-29, authorizing fund transfers for Fiscal Year 2019-20. On motion, Council adopted Resolution No. 2020-30, supporting Green Oak Development's applica-

REVENUES

	single-family homes. On
	motion, Council adopted
	Resolution No. 2020-31,
	accepting the submitted
į	plat of survey and waiving
	subdivision requirements
	(Title 11 – Subdivision
	Regulations) for Fletcher
	R. and Pamela S. Fett, for
l	property located at 2776
	- 220th Street, within two
	miles of City Limits.
	On motion, Council
	approved the Mayor's
	reappointment of Rebec-
	ca Bowker to the Fort
	Madison Housing Author-
	ity, term expiring June 3,
	2022. On motion, Council
	approved the Mayor's
	signature on a 28E Joint
	Intergovernmental Action
	Agreement providing
	for the creation of the
	Southeast Iowa Safety
	Group to provide for joint
	and cooperative action
	among entities in the
	Group for the purpose of
	procuring safety services
	at an affordable price and
	to reduce future safe-
	ty-related liabilities. On
_	motion, Council approved
•	the Mayor's signature
,	on an Iowa Department
	of Transportation – Co-

next few years. At 7:49 P.M., the meeting adjourned until June 16, 2020, at 5:30 P.M. /s/ Matt J. Mohrfeld,

ATTEST: /s/ Melinda L. Blind, City Clerk

General	\$29,494.81	General	\$168,538.23
Special Revenue	225,943.79	Special Rev.	2,727.40
Road Use	104,382.77	Road Use	27,384.40
Debt	1,609.74	Tourism	1,361.75
Capital	17,192.26	Water	28,823.18
Water	198,918.40	Sewer	38,415.64
Sewer	218,795.57	Solid Waste	11,901.26
Solid Waste & IWC	60,355.46	Airport	486.54
SW Utility	16,385.99	Storm Water	3,902.26
	\$873,078.79	Vol Emp Bnfts	6,599.15
			\$290,139.81
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tion to the Iowa Economic **CLAIMS - 6/2/2020 Development Authority ACCESS SYSTEMS** for Workforce Housing LEASING, PRINTER Tax Credits to support LEASE......865.56 the construction of a new ACCO, REPLACED DRAIN COVER..2,615.45 ALLIANT ENERGY, ELECTRIC......23,162.82 AMAZON CAPITAL SER-VICES, OFFICE SUP-PLIES ......81.97 ARAMARK UNIFORM SERVICES, UNIFORM .....1,177.38 AT-SCENE LLC, SUB-SCRIPTION......960.00 BAIER FORD, REPAIR .....1,743.42 BRADLEY BRYANT, **CLOTHING ALLOW-**ANCE......90.91 **BURLINGTON MUNI** WATER, BACTERIA SAMPLE.....170.00 CAHOY PUMP SERIVCE, INC, WELL REPAIR .....39,969.00 CARL'S LOCKS & KEYS, REPAIR LOCK.....127.50 **CULLEN CONSTR. & EXCAVATING, INSTALL** MANHOLE @ 6TH ST .....2,315.00 **CULLEN PEST CON-**TROL, MONTHLY PEST .....76.00 **CURE BUSINESS** SOLUTIONS, MONTHLY AGREEMENT....6,282.50 DAILY DEMOCRAT, POSTINGS......567.78 DOUDS STONE, LLC, operative Agreement for ROADSTONE....3,516.19 modifications to the inter-**ENTENMANN-ROVIN** section at 260th Street CO., BADGE......132.25 and Highway 61. On ERIC FREITAG, FLOWmotion, Council approved **ER GARDEN SUPPLIES** to allow Rathbun Region-.....134.82 FASTENAL COMPANY, al Water Association to provide water to Jordan SUPPLIES......73.65 FORT MADISON WATER Hennigar's property on 24th Street, outside of DEPT, WATER......27.05 City Limits. On motion, FULLENKAMP, Council approved moving CHARLES, SAFETY forward with dredging, rip BOOTS......98.33 rap replacement, retain-GALL'S, AN ARAMARK COMPANY, SHIRT ing wall repair and A dock repair at the marina for a .....60.90 total of \$83,176 over the **GREENWOOD CLEAN-**ING SYSTEM, TOWELS .....122.94 HACH CHEMICAL CO., **TESTING SUPPLIES** ......638.29 HOENIG TREE SERVICE INC, TREE REMOV-AL-1906 G ......1,750.00 HOLT SUPPLY COMPA-5/22/2020 NY, SUPPLIES ......9.81 **HOWARD R GREEN** COMPANY, PROF FEE -WTP FILTER EXP .....182,018.45 **HUFFMAN WELDING &** MACHINE, BRACKET .....589.03

JUSTIN CAIN, SCHOOL-ING ......1,510.56 KEEFE, TONY, TRAIN-ING INSTRUCTOR .....100.00 **KEOKUK CONTRAC-**TORS, JETTING LINES @ RODEO......4,268.25 LAND & WATER VEG-ETATION CONTROL, **VEGETATION CONTROL** .....445.00 LEE COUNTY RECORD-ER, SALE/QUICK CLAIM DEED.....91.00 LIBERTY UTILITIES, ELECTRIC.....409.05 LYNCH DALLAS P.C, PROF FEE - GENERAL .....3,227.00 MADISON TURF & TIM-BER, REPAIR/SUPPLIES .....64.49 MCMASTER CARR SUP-PLY CO, AIR FILTERS .....335.72 MENARD - WEST BUR-LINGTON, ACRYLIC SHEETS ......363.56 MENKE PROFESSIONAL AUTO PARTS, BEAM BLADES .....164.80 MES-MUNICIPAL EMER-GENCY SERVICE, FOAM CONCENTRATE .....210.00 MICHAEL TODD & COM-PANY, TUBIN/POST .....1,050.67 MID-IOWA SOLID WASTE EQUIPMENT, NOZZLES .....562.25 MIDAMERICAN ENERGY ,HEAT ......1,474.54 MIDWEST SAFETY COUNSELORS, AMMO-

NUISANCE......1,860.00 MUNICIPAL SUPPLY COMPANY, REDUCER .....30,601.50 NATIONAL BUS TRADER INC, ADVERTISING .....720.00 PANEK, DIANNE, COVID-19 RETURN DE-POSIT......50.00 PARKVIEW VETERI-NARY CLINIC, MONTH-LY RENTAL......1,350.00 PDC TECHNICAL SER-VICES, INC, PROF FEE - CLOSED LANDFILL .....772.83 PEGGY STEFFENSMEI-ER, THERMOMETER .....132.12 POEPPING STONE & BACH, PROF FEE -**CODE REVIEW** .....1,680.17 QUILL CORPORATION, FILE/CLIPS......62.18 RAINBO OIL COMPANY, DEF FUEL .....183.65 RATHBUN REG'L WA-TER ASSOC, WATER .....56.18 ROBERT N. JOHNSON III, MONTHLY SUBSIDY .....1,383.60 SAFELITE AUTO GLASS, GLASS REPAIR .....99.97 SENSUS METERING SYSTEMS, ANNUAL MAINTENANCE ......1,949.94 SHIELD TECHNOLOGY CORP, MOBILE CLIENT/ TRAINING ......3,450.00

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Pledge of Allegiance Approve Agenda Public Input

Consider Approval of Tuesday, June 2, 2020 **Board Minutes** 

Consider Approval of Claims

Consider Approval of Agreement with The Master's Touch for Mailing of Tax Statements

Consider Approval to Hire Part-time Clerk in Treasurer's Office

Consider Approval of Fiscal Agent Agreement with Children First

Consider Approval of Contract with Southeast Iowa Regional Planning for Assistance With Floodplain Administration

Consider Approval of Contract with Hometown Plumbing and Heating for Boiler Replacement At Courthouse in Keokuk

Consider Approval of County Privacy and Confidentiality Policy

Consider Approval of County Segregation of **Duties Policy** 

Consider Approval of Cigarette Permits for Dollar General, Montrose; Garner One Stop, Montrose Wever Junction, Wever and Denmark Jet

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Discuss and Consider Approval of Soft Opening of County Buildings

Discuss and Consider Possible Action on Moving Forward with County Run Ambulance Servic Canvass the June 2,

2020 Primary Election Personnel Actions:

A. Change from Parttime to Full-time-Maintenance Department

Reports:

A. Auditor's Report of Fees Collected

B. Treasurer's Report of Fees Collected Commission or Committee Reports Adjourn

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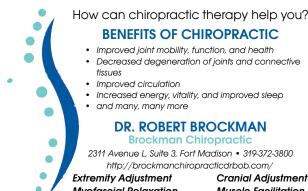
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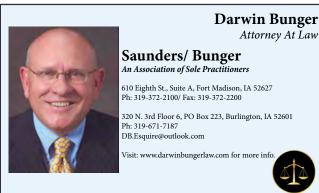
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#### From the Front



### Options on city fireworks display includes canceling

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is still looking for volunteers to fill in the gaps.

He said this year two of the homes are smaller in size and have aluminum siding so they won't be as labor intensive as a wood home. This year's homes are located at 101 22nd Street, 1923 Ave L and 3207 Ave I.

"I think they'll go pretty quick. We'll see how the other home is going and we could move some people over to that project if all goes well," Gobble said.

Work hours are from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Friday. Some prep-power washing will be done on 19th or 20th so it has time to dry before Monday.

"This is a great community event and want to thank the sponsors that have already agreed to be a part of it: Kempker's True Value & Rental, Community Action of SE Iowa,IFC, Climax, Scotts, FMCH, Connection Bank & Insurance, Midwest One Bank, KLM Realty, Lee County Bank, Farmers Savings Bank and ConAgra.," Gobble

"If you're interested in being a part of this program, we would love to have you as it is a costly event to put on with the needed supplies. Unfortunately, we won't be able to pull off t-shirts just due to the timing and coronavirus impact, but we'll do everything in our power to make sure the public knows you're part of the volunteer solution to help beautify our community one home at a time."

In addition to the volunteers, Gobble said the program can still use some monetary donations to help move the program along. Any funds left over from the Paint-A-Thon go into the Fort Madison Beautification Foundation, which is a 501c3 charity, so all donations are tax deductible.

Anyone wanting more information or to volunteer for the program is encouraged to call the Partners office at 319-372-5471.

The other program is the Light Up the Sky on the 4th of July campaign. Gobble said funding is behind on that project with only about \$3,000 of the needed \$20,000

He said he has until the end of this week to confirm with the fireworks company what the show will look like.

Without the \$20,000, Gobble said other options would have to be considered including scaling back the show, moving it again into the fall, or possibly canceling the event for 2020.

He said moving the event to the fall was not received well in 2018 when flooding forced the postponement.

#### Commission may look at new historic boundaries

**CEMETERY** - Continued from Page 1

aged panels and put those back together," Varley said.

"The mayor has given us til Dec. 31 to get those repaired."

Sorrentino said he'd didn't know if it would take until the end of the summer or longer, but he didn't want to put the property up to the application in it's

current condition.

In an unrelated issue, the commission is also talking about revisiting the city's historic district listings and possibly looking at using the city council ward designations as historic district areas and then assigning a commission member to each district.

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