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FMCH wraps \$2M IT upgrade

Upgrade will create simpler patient record access

BY CHUCK VANDENBERG
PCC EDITOR



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From left to right, Paul McAtee of Navin, Haffty & Associates of Massachusetts, Joyce Kirchner of FMCH, and Madonna Spurgin, a consultant with Navin, Haffty meet in the IT office at FMCH to talk about the new integrated information system going online Monday.

“
We have two portals, one for the patients at the hospital and one for the doctor’ offices and with this upgrade we’re creating one portal where patients can have access to all their medical information at the facility.”

-Shane Tapper
FMCH Chief Information Officer

years of time and resources ultimately culminating in a \$2 million price tag.

The hospital used the consulting services of Navin, Haffty and Associates of Massachusetts,

to help bring the tech upgrade online.

Tapper said FMCH leadership started thinking about streamlining the information process several years ago and then started

researching software and the other resources the hospital would need. Then in 2017 the decision was made to integrate the two systems using Meditech software.

“We felt it was the right time to make this investment into our future. By integrating our electronic health record systems into one, we will be able to provide better continuity of care leading to improved safety. It facilitates communication between the clinic and the hospital care teams,” Tapper said.

Another feature that will be included in the transition will be a link to renew

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Rodeo looking for royal area youth

FORT MADISON - With the Tri-State Rodeo just over two months away, contestants are being sought for the annual Little Miss Rodeo & All-Around Cowboy Contest.

This year’s event is to be held on Monday, September 3 at 6:30 p.m. at the Tri-State Rodeo Arena.

The contest is open to children ages 5-7. Contestants must be age five by August 1st, and no older than age seven at the time of the contest.

An entry form is available on the Tri-State Rodeo website at www.tristaterodeo.org under the “Ready to Rodeo Week Events” tab.

Entry forms and contestant photos must be post-marked by Aug. 1st and can be mailed to Trish Eaves-Fedler, 1930 303rd Avenue Fort Madison, IA 52627. For more information, contact Trish at (319) 470-8030 or Lisa Frederick at (815) 343-0911.

Canisters, with each child’s photo and name, will once again be placed in area businesses for family and friends to cast a vote by dropping their “spare change” into the canister.

The night of the event, contestants will be interviewed and have a chance to showcase their talent. Judges will score the children on personality, attire, interview and talent. Judges have no knowledge of how much money each contestant has collected in their canister. In the event of a tie, the amount in the canister will help determine the winner.

A portion of the money collected in the canisters goes to Miss Rodeo Iowa to help defray traveling expenses as she competes for the coveted title of Miss Rodeo America in Las Vegas this coming December.

Loebsack to host area veterans’ tour

BY PCC STAFF

WASHINGTON D.C. – Congressman Dave Loebsack announced that he will be hosting a series of workshops for veterans and their families across Iowa’s Second District on his “Serving Those Who Served” tour. The workshops, scheduled locally for July 9 and will be held around the district, will give veterans and their families an opportunity to seek assistance if they are having issues with the Veterans Admin-



LOEBSACK

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Obituaries/Area News

Weather delays Hwy 218 closure until July 9

MOUNT PLEASANT - Due to recent rains and anticipated rainfall, the planned closure of the roadway and bridge over the Skunk River on northbound U.S. 218 between Henry County Road J-20 (mile marker 33.68) and River Road (mile marker 38.08) near Salem will now occur from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday, July 9, weather permitting, according to the Iowa Department of Transportation's Mount Pleasant construction office.

The bridge closure and signed detour are expected to be in place for 12 hours. Motorists will be directed around the work zone using the signed detour route, which includes Henry County Road J-20.

Local traffic along U.S. 218 will have access to U.S. 218 except for the northbound lanes crossing the bridge over Skunk River.

The Iowa DOT reminds motorists to drive with caution, obey the posted speed limit and other signs in the work area, and be aware that traffic fines for moving violations are at least double in work zones. As in all work zones, drivers should stay alert, allow ample space between vehicles, and wear seat belts.

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THOMAS LEON WILSON

Thomas Leon Wilson, 33, of Fort Madison, IA, passed away on Wednesday, June 27, 2018 at his home. He was born on August 13, 1984 in Fort Madison, IA to Thomas Bell & Denise Wilson. He enjoyed fishing, visiting his dad & his dog Boss.



WILSON

Tommy is survived by: his mother: Denise (Mike Arnold) Wilson of Moab, UT; his father: Thomas (Gayla) Bell of Fort Madison, IA; his maternal grandparents: Leon & Frances Wilson of Fort Madison, IA; 2-aunts: Dee (Brad) Allen of Niota, IL & Debra (Dennis) Eastman of Montrose, IA & 1-uncle: Leon (Wanda) Wilson, Jr. of Fort Madison, IA.

Cremation has been entrusted to King-Lynk Funeral Home & Crematory and no services are planned at this time. Online condolences to Tommy's family may be left at the King-Lynk Funeral Home & Crematory website: www.kinglynk.com.

ERMA "RED" SHELINBARGER

Erma "Red" Shelinbarger, 71 years, of Augusta, Iowa died at 7:20 am Friday, June 29, 2018 at the University of Iowa Hospital, Iowa City, Iowa. She was born July 28, 1946 in Melvern, Kansas, a daughter of Harold and Sarah (Smith) Shelinbarger.

After moving to Iowa, she drove a school bus for the Fort Madison School District. She worked approximately 38 years for the IAAAP. She loved hunting, trapping, fishing, playing cards, and was quite the storyteller.

She is survived by her adopted family: Carolyn Anderson, Jolisa & Clem Krogmeier and family; and Bill & Gina Anderson; traveling friends: Carolyn Anderson, Pauline Osborne, and Marlene Douthart. Other survivors include one brother, one sister, and four cats. She was preceded in death by her parents and one brother.

Graveside service and burial will be held at 11:00 am Tuesday, July 3, 2018 at Augusta Cemetery, Augusta, with Pastor Chad Savage, officiating. A memorial has been established and contributions may be left during the service or at the Barr Memorial Chapel. Online condolences may be made at www.barrmemorialchapel.com.



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Celebrations/For the Record

For the Record

Fort Madison Police Report

6/28/18 - 11:20 p.m - Fort Madison Police cited Malik Hausan Trotter, 23, unknown address, on charges of driving under suspension and excessive speed in the 1700 block of Ave. H. He was released upon citation.
6/29/18 - 3:59 a.m - Fort Madison Police arrested Cara Dawn Shaffer, 28, of Fort Madison on a charge of serious domestic abuse assault in the 300 block of 34th Place. She was taken to Lee County Jail and held.

Lee County Sheriff's Report

6/28/18 - 1:40 p.m - Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Leann Rosalyn Briscoe, 38, of Keokuk, on a warrant of violation of probation at the Sheriff's office. She was taken to Lee County Jail and released on bond.
6/28/18 - 5:34 p.m - Lee

County Sheriff's deputies arrested David Lee Davis, 40, of Jefferson City, Mo., on warrants of 3rd degree burglary and theft in the 2nd degree at the Algoa Correctional Center in Jefferson City. He was held in custody.
6/28/18 - 7:00 p.m - Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Caprice Marie Schmidt, 28, of Keokuk, on warrants of possession of controlled substance and possession of drug paraphernalia at the Lee County Sheriff's office. She was taken to Lee County Jail and released on a promise to appear.
6/28/18 - 7:57 p.m - Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Stephanie Rose Beliel, 30, of Burlington, on a warrant of contempt- fail to pay fine/ cost at the Sheriff's office. She was taken to Lee County Jail and held.
06/28/18 - 8:43 p.m. - Lee County Sheriff's deputies

responded to a one-vehicle accident in the 1800 block of X23 where a vehicle driven by Roger Lee Keller, 64, of Fort Madison collided with a deer in the southbound lane. No injuries or citations were reported at the scene.
6/29/18 - 7:02 a.m - Lee County Sheriff's deputies arrested William David Edward, 33, of Wyaconda, Mo., on a charge of being a fugitive from justice at the intersection of Hwys. 218 and 2. He was taken to Lee County Jail and held. Those listed above are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

Fort Madison Fire & Rescue Report

6/28/18 - Fort Madison firefighters responded to a report of five medical calls, one lift assist, two false alarms, and two power lines down.



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Shottenkirk, Inc. shows their support for the 2018 Light Up The Sky fireworks campaign with their contribution. Levi Billman, General Manager Fort Madison store, presents a check to Tim Gobble, Partners Director.

Celebrations

SLATER JAMES SLIFER

DONNELSON - Erin and Shane Slifer of Donnellson are proud to announced the birth of their son Slater James Slifer on June 25, 2018 at the Fort Madison Community Hospital.

He is welcomed home by sibling Sterling Slifer.

Grandparents are Sue and Bill Dencker of Oviedo, Fla.; Vicki and Bill Gelhaus of North Liberty; and Cindy and Spencer Slifer of Wellsburg. Great-grandparents are Eileen and Larry Smith of Wellsburg; and Millie and Jim Zeller of Dubuque.

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VETERANS - Continued from Page 1

istration (VA), or any Federal agency, and share their thoughts on issues affecting veterans.

At each stop, Loeb and his staff will be joined by representatives from local Veteran Service Organizations, County Veterans Affairs Officers and other groups.

“As Iowans come together to celebrate the founding of our nation, we must also take time to remember the men and women who have fought for the freedoms we cherish. As a military parent, I’ve taken great pride in serving those who served. I strongly believe there is no greater responsibility we have as a nation than to ensure our servicemembers have the support, equipment, and training they need to safely carry out their mission and that we care for our veterans with the same dignity and honor with which they served. I look forward to providing any assistance my office can offer and meeting with veterans and their families to discuss issues important to them.”

Workshops will also be held throughout Iowa’s Second District. This is the seventh year Loeb has hosted workshops specifically for veterans around the July 4th holiday. Veterans, their families and the media are invited to attend.

“Serving Those Who Served” Tour – Monday, July 9th

Muscatine - noon at VFW at 1415 Grandview Avenue

Burlington - 2:15 p.m. at Burlington Public Library, 210 Court Street

Keokuk - 4 p.m. at Keokuk American Legion, 727 Main Street



Photo by Chuck Vandenberg/PCC

Starting replacement

Construction crews begin work on the bridge over Avenue I near the intersection of 27th Street. It’s one of five of the city’s 12 bridges that are on a state list of bridges that are to be closed or are beyond repair. The city decided to replace the bridge last fall as part of an ongoing process to improve city streets and bridges.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Readers says officials should pony up in Steele case

Dear Editor:

Now that we know that Officer Jesse Hill lied and Police Chief Beard and Attorney Amy Beavers covered it up, shouldn't they be the ones to pay this lawsuit to the deserving Steele family? Why should we, the taxpayers of Burlington, pay for their mess up? They all should have their wages and retirement pay garnished until it is paid off and all their assets seized. I personally don't want to pay for their dishonesty. This is exactly why officers should pay for any lawsuit that involves negligence, assault/abuse or wrongful death on their part. I sincerely hope that these dishonest public officials are also held criminally liable for their lies and dishonesty.

Thanks,

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Burlington, Iowa

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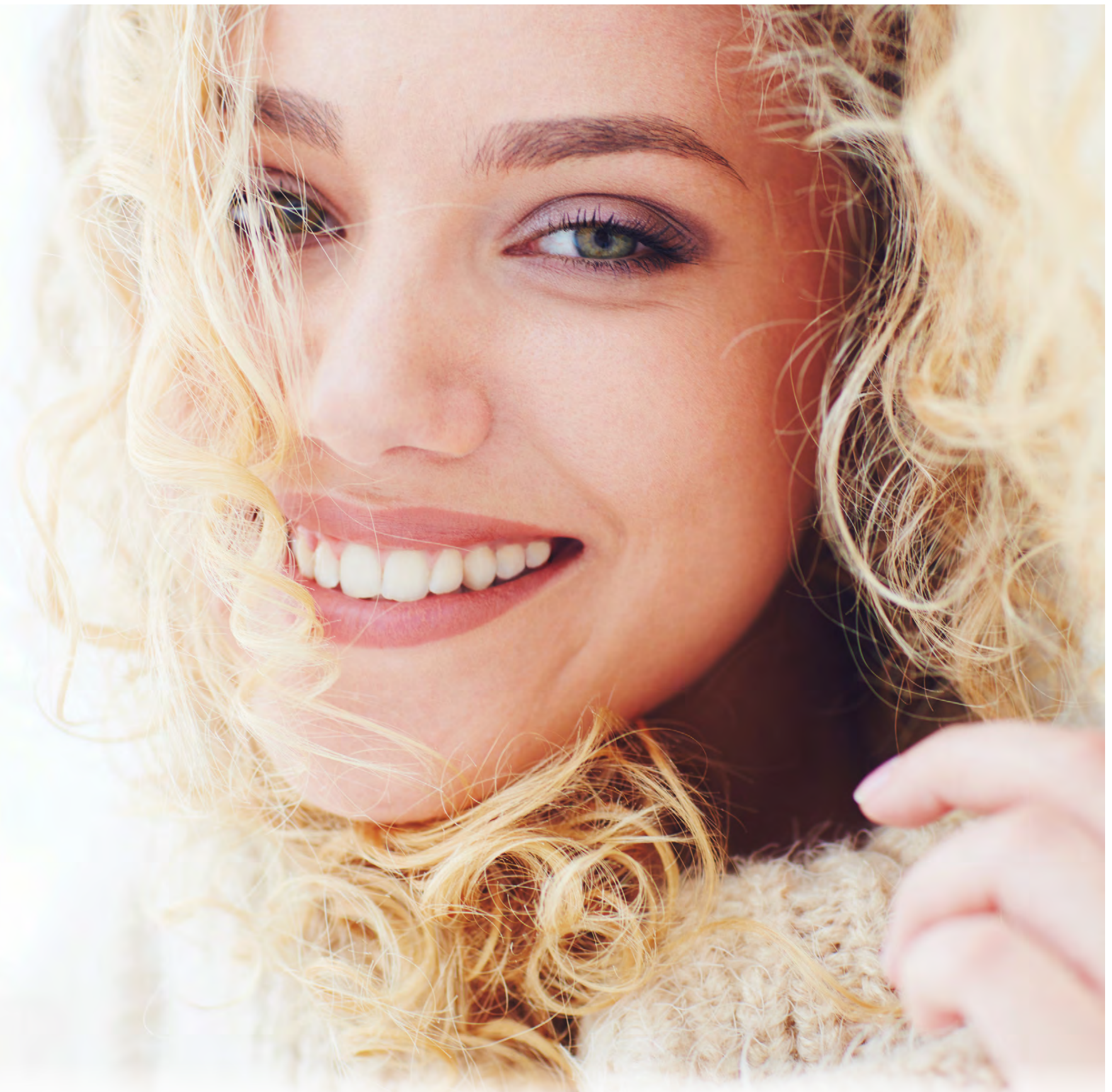
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Note: The United States Postal Service (USPS) does not deliver mail or packages directly to the address provided above but rather to the Capitol Complex Mail Room. Extra time should

be allotted for proposals sent by the USPS. The Iowa Department of Natural Resources shall not consider bids if they are not received by the Department of Natural Resources, either at its mail room or at its Fourth Floor Reception Desk, by the time and date described in this Notice to Bidders, regardless of whether the bid was mailed prior to that time and date or whether the bid was received at the Capitol Complex Mail Room or other state government location prior to that time and date.

Project documents, including drawings, specifications, proposal forms and addenda items for the project are available at Beeline and Blue, at 2507 Ingersoll Ave., Des Moines, Iowa 50312. Please visit www.beelineandblue.com or contact (515) 244-1611 for more information. Alternatively, Bid Documents can be viewed or printed online

at <https://programs.iowadnr.gov/engreal/projectlist.asp>

The Department shall comply with all public improvement procurement laws, as outlined in the plans and specifications and including but not limited to: Iowa Code chapter 26 related to public construction bidding; Iowa Code chapter 73 related to preferences; Iowa Code chapter 573 related to labor and materials on public improvements; rules promulgated by the Department of Administrative Services – General Services Enterprise as they may apply; rules promulgated by the Department of Natural Resources and the Natural Resources Commission, as they may apply; and any federal statutes, rules and/or executive orders that may be associated depending on funding sources. Bidders shall comply with these laws to be considered and are encouraged to be familiar with public improvement procurement requirements and the bidding documents before submitting a bid.

Each bidder shall accompany the bid with a bid security as defined in Iowa code section 26.8. The bid security must be in an amount set

forth in the bidding documents and made payable to the Iowa Department of Natural Resources. Failure to execute a contract for the proposed work and file an acceptable Performance Bond in an amount equal to 100% of the contract price and a certificate of liability insurance within thirty (30) days of the date of the award of the contract will be just and sufficient cause for the rescinding of the award and the forfeiture of the bid security.

01. WEBSTER COUNTY -- PROJECT NO. 15-02-94-08

BOONE FORKS WILDLIFE AREA
BOONE FORKS CANOE RAMP PROJECT
PROPOSAL GUARANTEE: \$5,000.00
COMPLETION DATE: 5/30/2019
BID LETTING DATE: 07/19/2018

Project Description: This project consists of installing a Portland Cement Concrete canoe ramp on the Boone River located in Webster County, Iowa. This project includes grading, placing riprap along river banks, and installing reinforced Portland Cement Concrete canoe access ramp onto the Boone River.

02. BUENA VISTA COUNTY PROJECT NO.18-01-11-01
STORM LAKE CHAUTAUQUA JETTY REPAIR
PROPOSAL GUARANTEE: \$7,000

COMPLETION DATE: 11/30/2018
BID LETTING DATE: 7/19/2018
Project Description: This project is designed to repair erosion and stabilize the existing 300' jetty located in Storm Lake (Buena Vista County, IA) at Chautauqua Park. Work includes adding a small amount of macadam stone to get the jetty back to a level grade for the entire length, addition of 1,350 of class

"C" fieldstone revetment along the sides for wave and ice protection, and 110 tons of class "A" surfacing for pedestrian fishing access on the top.

03. APPANOOSE COUNTY PROJECT NO.18-05-04-07

HONEY CREEK STATE PARK
RESTROOM BUILDING REPLACEMENTS
PROPOSAL GUARANTEE: \$16,000.00
COMPLETION DATE: 11/30/2018
BID LETTING DATE: 07/19/2018

Project Description: This project consists of the demo of the existing North campground shower building and replacing it with a new pre-cast concrete building, four (4) hole shower. As an alternate, there will be a new double pit latrine at the boat ramp, as shown in the This includes installing ADA sidewalks and parking for access to the new buildings, all earthwork, supplying and installing the new structures and incidental work as required by the project documents and the DNR Inspector.

04. LINN COUNTY PROJECT NO.19-06-57-01
PALISADES-KEPLER STATE PARK
NEW WELL & WATERMAIN

PROPOSAL GUARANTEE: \$14,000
COMPLETION DATE: 5/30/2019
BID LETTING DATE: 6/21/2018
Project Description: The project consists of drilling a new well to produce 70 gpm along with installing a new precast building to house pressure tanks and disinfection system. Boring a new 3500 ft. long 2 inch watermain to connect the system to the lodge. Project also include demolishing old structures and plugging 2 existing wells.

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CURRENT-LEE

The following is a list of events currently going on in north Lee County as submitted to Pen City Current.

Fort Madison City Band

The Fort Madison City Band will not perform this Sunday evening, but will be holding a Patriotic July 4th Concert in the Park beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Fort Madison Depot Farmer's Market

Every Monday more 10 local vendors have farmer's market options available at the Old Santa Fe Depot on the Riverfront in Fort Madison. The farmer's market runs from until Oct. 8 from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. every Monday.

FMAAA Garden Tour

The annual Fort Madison Area Artists Association Garden Tour is set from Sunday, July 1, from noon to 4 p.m. A complete list of addresses and ticket information can be found at www.pencitycurrent.com

KidTEK University at SCC

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New system will also ease Rx services

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prescriptions.

Madonna Spurgin of Navin, Haffty said this will simplify the process for end users in getting prescriptions filled

"This will help take the frustration and time out of getting patients prescriptions refilled. They can enter information about the medicine and then the doctors will be able to review that and forward it to area pharmacies. It will help reduce having to call doctors or nurses and then have them call you back, or leave messages that take time to return," she said.

Paul McAtee, a specialist with Navin, Haffty said the process took more than a year but he said the staff at FMCH were very help-

ful in getting the system installed.

Tapper said at one point or another almost all staff was involved in the upgrade.

"We even had facilities people come in who were there to help move equipment around. They just came in and said we're here to help, what do you need us to do. So I think just about everyone was involved in this."

FMCH CEO Jeremy Alexander wrote in a press release on the new system that it was a team effort getting the upgrade ready to go.

"We had a team of employees throughout the organization dedicated to working on this project.

The amount of effort and commitment they've put forward has been amazing to witness. As we prepare to go live on July 1st, we ask our patients to please allow for extra time when registering and recognize that our employees are getting used to the new system. We want to make sure we capture your information accurately and provide you with the very best service and care possible. We thank you for understanding," explained Jeremy Alexander, CEO, FMCH.

He said the biggest takeaway for patients is that now they can access all their records in one place on the MyHealth Patient Portal beginning Monday. He said additional upgrades may including simplified billing processes, but didn't know when those upgrades would be made.

"Patients will now have one record that includes both their clinic visits with our FMCH providers and any services provided on the hospital side which includes emergency room visits, radiology tests, laboratory tests and inpatient stays."

Patients who have a hospital patient portal account will continue to use their current sign in information. The new MyHealth Patient Portal will allow users to view and monitor their health information, view test results, contact their care team, manage their appointments and request prescription refills. Patients who had a patient portal account through the FMCH Clinics only, will need to set up a new MyHealth Patient Portal account on the FMCH website, www.fmchosp.com.

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