

Town of Scott, Brown County, Wisconsin

NEWSLETTER

Summer 2022



Town of Scott – ‘Connections’

Preserving the past, investing in the future

In cooperation with BayCare Clinic the Town of Scott is on its way to some exciting improvements. The Town is excited to announce that the plans for moving the Old Town Hall are coming together!

The Town and BayCare will be kicking off a fund-raising campaign to not only move the Old Town Hall, but improve the new park on Van Lanen Road, (across from Wequiock Park), and expand the bike trail that was

recently completed on Bay Settlement Road.

With BayCare’s fund raising expertise the Town of Scott ‘Connections’ Campaign will be seeking to raise \$625,000 for moving and preserving the Old Town Hall, for making park improvements and for constructing a new paved bike trail that will connect the north end of Bay Settlement Road with Fischer Road (CTH K).

The Old Town Hall Park will become a new place to gather and to learn about the Town’s historic past. The improvements to the park will provide a place;
~ for the school children to learn about the Town when they come to see Wequiock Falls,
~ where visitors can enjoy the natural and historic beauty of the Town, and
~ bicyclists will have a place to start their rides, or enjoy a rest while biking along a trail that has breathtaking views of the Bay.

A Town-wide mailing will be sent out to all residents and property owners in the Town. The brochure will detail the fund-raising initiative and explain how donors can contribute.

In addition to moving and restoring the Old Town Hall the campaign will be seeking funds for other improvements, such as; a park pavilion, an open-air classroom, lighting, a flag pole, restrooms, and commemorative pavers.

In addition to the park improvements the expansion of the bike trail will be an incredible asset to the Town. The paved bike trail will connect the cul-de-sac at the end of Bay Settlement Road with Fischer Road, just west of the intersection with STH 57.

It will be an independent traffic separated trail that will make it safe to bike on the lanes on Bay Settlement from the south end



of Town (from UWGB) to Fischer Road and onto Wequiock Road or down the hill to Nicolet Drive.

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New Town Supervisor
Cari Langenberg

Please welcome Ms. Langenberg our newly elected Supervisor.

Prior to our Spring Election Cari briefly served as an appointed Supervisor; filling the position previously held by Colleen Harris.



Cari has been actively involved with the Town for a number of years; she is a member of the Friends of New Franken Fire Department, and is currently the Chair of the Town's Planning Commission.

We all look forward to working with Cari in her new position.

Home Addressing Requirements

The Town of Scott is working on adopting an ordinance requiring proper addressing of homes in the Town. Due to concerns from the First Responders and the New Franken Fire Department the Town is striving to create an addressing requirement that will help to improve life and safety concerns. There are multiple homes in the Town that are not easily found. The Ordinance will focus on new construction but will also give guidance to existing residents on how to properly address their homes.

DOT Highway 57 Roadwork

The Wisconsin Department of Transportation (DOT) has determined that the intersection of STH 57 and CTH K (Champion Road) is no longer a safe intersection.

The DOT has begun the re-construct of the intersection;

turning it into a 'J' turn, as opposed to its current direct crossing. Once construction is finished traffic will not be able to travel directly across the intersection. The new line of travel will be similar to a long "U" turn or "J" turn; similar to intersections on STH 141 in Abrams or STH 29/32 in Howard.

Construction is scheduled to be completed by the end of summer.

SLOW DOWN!

The Town is working with the Sheriff's Department for increased speed enforcement along Bay Settlement and Van Lanen Roads. The new pavement has made some think that the road should be used as a speedway.

*If you speed –
Plan on getting ticketed!*

Scott Municipal Utility

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SMU has contracted with HydroCorp to perform residential inspections in 2022.

Every 10 years the DNR requires all residential homes on municipal water to be inspected for cross-connections that could cause backflow issues for the water system. To accomplish this inspection requirement SMU has contracted with HydroCorp who will perform the in-home inspections between July and December 2022.

Every residence on the municipal water system will receive letters explaining the process including how visits will be scheduled. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Keep ditches clear!

This is another reminder to not dump grass clippings in waterways, or road ditches, and not to blow grass onto the road when mowing.



New Franken customers,

-Thank you-

A big Thank You to the sewer customers on New Franken Lift Station 4 for your response to our request to stop putting “un-flushables” down the toilet. The pumps have not had to be pulled yet in 2022 and are running less. This saves money and extends the life of the pumps.

SMU Employee Updates.

SMU’s Lead Operator Larry Skaletski retired earlier this year. We thank him for his dedication to Town of Scott citizens, SMU customers, and our community. Lee Vanden Langenberg has been promoted to Lead Operator. Troy Tauschek has become a Certified Operator.

The Friends of New Franken Fire Department is a non-profit organization with the mission to provide support, service and promote community involvement for the New Franken Fire Department and a vision to help and support the fire fighters.

To support the growth and needs of the NFFD we get help from local businesses, community donations, and fund-raising events. These generous donations help pay for unbudgeted and unexpected expenses throughout the year.

Most recently, during routine maintenance of the department’s rescue boat it was noticed that the tubes were not maintaining air supply due to sunlight deterioration. The boat has been used for numerous trainings and calls for service, including a rescue of seven people last summer. With summer fast approaching, the boat will be greatly needed to protect the visitors and members of this community.

We are seeking donations to offset the cost of the repair versus purchase of a new boat. You can be a part of this fulfilling opportunity by supporting the NFFD with a donation. Can’t make a donation? Volunteering opportunities are available. Check our Facebook page for details!

When you donate to the Friends of NFFD, you will be donating to a 501.c.3 nonprofit that is tax deductible and will directly benefit NFFD. Any donation over \$250.00 will receive a tax deduction letter.

For more information call Carolyn Tielens at (920) 660-1807

Members of Friends of New Franken Fire Department Inc. & Friends of New Franken Fire Department

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A Special Thank You: The New Franken Fire Department Smelt Fry was a huge success. Thank you to everyone who attended and a special thanks to all who volunteered and gave the many donations. **The Fire Department Run Walk will be held on September 24, 2022.** Proceeds will be used to complete work on the training facility.

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