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Do not try this at home

Tuey the Comic Stunt Juggler executes his most dangerous trick during his performance at the Cambridge Library on Monday, Aug. 1. The event was part of the finale of East Central Regional Library's summer reading program. Tuey will also be performing at the North Branch Library at 10:30 a.m. on Monday, Aug. 8 and at the Mora Library on Tuesday, Aug. 9, also at 10:30 a.m. According to the ECRL Events Coordinator, the North Branch performance is full, however people can be placed on a waiting list. She said there is still plenty of space available for the Mora performance. It was also noted that Tuey can only juggle fire if the performance is held outside.

Terry's Disposal returns to CUP compliance

BY BILL STICKELS III
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At the same time as the city of North Branch is in the midst of trying to abate one nuisance property, it is celebrating the completion of the cleanup of another property.

Terry's Disposal, a locally owned garbage collection company, had fallen out of compliance with its conditional use permit by collecting and keeping on its property located at 41414 Harder Ave. a large quantity of refuse and recyclable materials. The amount of materials had gotten so out of control that first Terry's recycling license was revoked, meaning the business could still collect recycling material, but it had to dispose of the material at a different center. Additionally, the city entered into an agreement with the owner, Terry Flor, that he needed to satisfactorily clean up his property by June 30, 2020.

Because of the COVID pandemic and other factors, the city twice extended its deadline for cleanup, with the latest deadline being June 30, 2022. According to North Branch GIS/Parks Director Nathan Sondrol, a final compliance inspection was conducted by the city and the Chisago County Solid Waste Administrator on July 7, 2022. During that inspection, the property was deemed to be "substantially in compliance with the stipulation agreement conditions."

According to City Administrator Renae Fry, Sondrol and herself felt the best way to close the non-compliance issue and CUP revocation process was for the council to formally acknowledge the



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Photos taken during a recent inspection of Terry's Disposal show a significant improvement in the amount of materials on the property.

property coming into compliance.

"That doesn't mean that there will not be ongoing maintenance," Fry said. "In fact, there will be double-checks on the property as we always have. The CUP is in effect. As Angie (Flor) is aware, if there is substantial non-compliance in the future we might find ourselves back here. But I think we are all very excited, very happy, very pleased that Angie and her team have put in a lot of hard work. And I think it shows that with a little bit of compassion by the council and with some good structure and good follow-through and good communication, we can get the CUP to a place that we can say 'yes, the CUP is in compliance.'"

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A primer for voting in the Aug. 9 Primary

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On Aug. 9, Minnesotans will vote in the primary elections. But what is a primary election?

A Primary Election determines who will be on the ballot in November during the General Election. Each ballot consists of two sides; the partisan side and the nonpartisan side of the ballot.

PARTISAN SIDE

At the state and federal levels, voters will be required to vote for one of the four major parties in Minnesota. The four major parties are the Demo-



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cratic-Farmer-Labor Party, the Grassroots-Legalize Cannabis Party, the Legal Marijuana Now Party, and the Republican Party of Minnesota.

Although Minnesota doesn't have political party registration,

voters during the Primary Election can only vote for candidates from one political party. For example, if a person votes for a DFL gubernatorial candidate in the primary they would have to vote for DFL candidates for senate, secretary of state, attorney general, etc.

What happens if a person votes for DFL for Governor but choose a Republican candidate for attorney general? According to the Secretary of State's website, "If you vote for candidates from more than one political party, your votes will not count."

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Communities gather for annual 'National Night Out'



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Cambridge officer Jenni Caulk serves up hot dogs and hamburgers to the long line of people in attendance at National Night Out at the Fire Hall on Tuesday, Aug. 2.



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Members of the Chisago County Sheriff's Office display some of their tactical gear, along with offering some free promotional items during Nite 2 Unite in North Branch's Central Park.



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The Cambridge Police Department again offered child fingerprint identification during the event.



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With heat indices over 100 degrees, the root beer floats in Cambridge and the portable splash pad in North Branch really hit the spot.



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Hopefully this is the only time kids, who climbed into the back of the Lakes Region EMS ambulance at North Branch's Nite 2 Unite, will need to be in the back of this vehicle.

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Plan on attending the 31st Annual Cambridge Antique Fair! With hundreds of dealers selling antiques, decorating items and collectibles, this year's show will be held August 6th and 7th at the Isanti County Fairgrounds in Cambridge, MN. Spend the day and enjoy treasure hunting for antique furniture, toys, sporting gear, pottery, coins, dolls, pop culture and so much more! For more info call 763-434-6664 or e-mail kwel16421@aol.com

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MONDAYS

North Branch – Fresh Beginnings Al-anon Family Groups

North Branch Fresh Beginnings Al-anon Family Group meets from 7 to 8 p.m. at Access Church, 4359 392nd Street. Free childcare is provided. Visit www.minnesotanorth-al-anon.org.

TUESDAY & THURSDAY

Boxing for Those with Parkinson's

Rock Steady Boxing, a non-profit fitness program for those living with Parkinson's Disease, is holding classes Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10:15 a.m. and 5 p.m. at 115 Adams Street South, Cambridge. For information, call 763-221-6883.

In-person Senior Dining

Catholic Charities presents in-person Senior Dining at the Braham Event Center at 11:45 a.m. Diners will need to pre-register for a congregational meal at least one day in advance by calling the North Branch Catholic Charities number at 651-674-1956 between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. An annual registration form is required for a new diner. This form must be completed before dining. Plan to arrive 10 to 15 minutes early to complete the form.

TUESDAYS

Super Storytime

Join the Cambridge Public Library staff from 5 to 5:30 p.m. for a fun evening storytime series. Together we will sing campfire songs and read plenty of stories about the great outdoors. This storytime is recommended for children ages 5 through 8 and their siblings. No registration is necessary. We will meet in the Discovery Center every Tuesday except for July 5.

GriefShare

Community members who have experienced the death of a family member or friend are invited to GriefShare 6 to 8 p.m. First Baptist Church, 304 Main Street S., Cambridge. For questions, call 763-689-1173.

WEDNESDAYS

North Branch Summer Storytime

Storytime with Miss Amelia, a 30-minute program will be held at 10:30 a.m. through August 10 in the North Branch Area Library Community Room. Recommended for ages 3 through 5, and siblings are always welcome. No registration necessary. Questions? Please call the library at 651-674-8443.

Storytime on the Patio

Join the Cambridge Public Library staff for a fun weekly storytime at 10:30 a.m. This is recommended for children ages 2 through 5. Siblings welcome. No registration necessary. We will meet on the patio through August 10. In case of bad weather, we will meet in the Great Northern Room on the lower level of the library. Please note: there is no storytime on July 6.

Viking Vittles

Viking Vittles will be available for pickup from 10 a.m. to noon at Central Park, 38780 8th Avenue, North Branch, and from 3 to 5 p.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church, 38460 Lincoln Trail, North Branch.

THURSDAYS

East Central Baby Cafe

Free drop-in breastfeeding support offered to all breastfeeding and pregnant people 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the upper-level conference room at the Isanti County Government Center, 555 18th Avenue SW in Cambridge. Siblings, support persons and grandparents are welcome. Light refreshments provided. For more information, call 763-689-1711.

Braham Farmers Market

The Braham Farmers Market is located at the south end of the Frandsen Bank parking lot in Braham off Highway 107. The market will be open on Thursdays from 3 to 6 p.m.

Cambridge-Edgewood AFG

Cambridge-Edgewood Al-Anon Family Group meets from 7 to 8 p.m. at Cambridge Lutheran Church, 621 Old Main Street N. Visit www.minnesotanorth-al-anon.org for more information.

FRIDAYS

Isanti's Neighborhood Market

The Neighborhood Market will be held in the Members Cooperative Credit Union's parking lot, 210 6th Avenue Northeast, from 2 to 6 p.m.

SATURDAYS

Cambridge Farmers Market

Cambridge Farmers Market will be held from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the parking lot at City Center Mall, 100 Buchanan Street N. For a schedule of upcoming markets, visit www.cambridgefarmersmarket.com.

AUGUST 4

Walker Methodist Levande 5 year Anniversary Celebration

Walker Methodist Levande is celebrating 5 years of serving the community. Please, join us Thursday, from 4-6 p.m. Live Music by The Whiteside-walls, light refreshments, and silent auction. Please, bring a lawn chair.

Food Truck Fellowship

The third annual Food Truck Fellowship will be from 4 to 8 p.m. at Long Lake Lutheran, 3921 2nd Avenue NW in Isanti. The event will feature not only food trucks from several vendors but live music from Jonah and the Whales.

AUGUST 5

Concert in the Park

Flying Train Wreck takes the stage at 6:30 p.m. in the summer's first concert in the park at 810 2nd Avenue SW. Concert goers are asked to bring a blanket or chair. Pets are welcome but must be on a leash. In case of rain, the concert will be at City Center Mall.

Braham Pie Day

Plan now to attend the annual Braham Pie Day, set from 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. in downtown Braham. The event features contest in pie baking, pie eating, recycled pie tin art, as well as a small quilt show, car show and more. Visit Braham Pie Days page on Facebook or pieday.com to learn more about all the events for the big day.

VFW Pancake Breakfast

Braham VFW Post 1731 invites everyone to a Pie Day pancake breakfast from 6:30 to 10:30 a.m. at the Braham Event Center. The menu includes pancakes, sausage, scrambled eggs and more. The cost is \$10 for adults and \$5 for kids aged 4 through 10. Children ages 4 and under eat for free.

AUGUST 6

Peace Walk

The Peace Walk in Cambridge will take place at 9 a.m. The group meets in the parking lot at Highway 95 and Birch, and the walk takes about half an hour. Messages are positive, and walkers define for themselves what "peace" means. Everyone is welcome.

Movie in the Park

The movie in the park presented by the city of Cambridge will be "A Beautiful Day in the Neighborhood," rated PG. It will be shown at dusk (around 9 p.m.) at Central Green Park, 1455 Fern Street S. Attendees are asked to bring a blanket or chair. GTI Cambridge Theaters will sell snacks.

Welcome back Braham Alumni

Class Reunion Party, at the Braham Event Center, 655 8th St SW, Braham, MN, August 6, 2022, 4 p.m. - 9 p.m. \$20 ticket includes dinner, served from 4 -6 p.m. To register call at 320-396-3177

AUGUST 8

Cambridge Community Garden Picnic

Monday, August 8, starting at 5:30 p.m. Gardeners (past/current) and their families, donors, and friends invited. Food and beverage will be provided. Fabulous prizes to be awarded. Games for kids. Rain date, August 9, same time. RSVP by August 5. Signup sheet in garden shed or email: jonordin@msn.com.

AUGUST 9

Veterans Coffee Talk

Bryan T. Brown, Chisago County Veterans Service Officer will host a get-together with area veterans 9 to 10 a.m. at Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church, 28005 Old Towne Rd, Chisago City. Participants will meet other veterans, get benefits assistance, and information on other topics that affect them. Call 651-213-5680 or email Bryan.Brown@chisagocounty.us for more information.

North Branch Concert in the Park

Simple Gifts with Billy McLaughlin will play at the North Branch Concert in the Park at 7 p.m. in Central Park at 38780 8th Avenue. In case of bad weather, the concert will be moved to the high school auditorium.

Family Summer Event Series – Isanti

The City of Isanti Family Summer Event Series welcomes The Bazillions August 9 at 7 p.m. Come to this family-friendly event at the Bluebird Amphitheater, 201 Isanti Parkway NW, Isanti, MN. Bring a chair or a blanket. visit www.cityofisanti.us/parks-recreation-culture/pages/events-family-programs.

Music on Tuesdays

Come listen to the music by the Johnson Brothers and stay for lunch at The Chisago County Senior Center, 38790 6th Ave, North Branch, MN, Music at 11:15 a.m., then lunch is served at 11:45 a.m. Call for lunch reservation by 8 a.m. 651-674-1956

AUGUST 10

American Cancer Society's Relay for Life

August 10 at the Chisago Lake Lutheran Church, 1 Summit Ave. Center City, MN. Opening ceremonies 6:30 p.m. Luminary candles lighted at 7:30 p.m. If you, your family or a friend have been touched by cancer and would like to get involved, connect with Chairperson, Jill Behnke, 651-329-3105, jillmbehnke@gmail.com. If you would like to donate or buy a luminary in honor or in memory of someone, go to www.Relay.org/chisagomn.

Veterans Dine & Discover event

Attention veterans: Chisago Age Well and Chisago County Veterans Service Officer Bryan Brown invite you to join them for free refreshments and helpful information. Topics include VA health care, veterans pension, state soldiers assistance and other community support programs for veterans. Rush City Community Center 9 - 10:30 a.m. Register by Friday, Aug. 8

AUGUST 11

Vertical Gardening Isanti County Master Gardeners

Dawn Watson, Isanti County Master Gardener will do a presentation about vertical gardening on Aug. 11, 7 pm at the Government Center in Cambridge. This event is hosted by the Isanti County Master Gardeners. Please call

Isanti County Extension Office for more information 763-689-8254.

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AUGUST 12

North Branch Community Center Potluck

The public is invited to attend a potluck at 12:30 p.m. at North Branch Community Center, 38790 6th Avenue. Attendees are asked to bring a dish to share.

East Central MN PFLAG

East Central MN PFLAG will hold its next monthly meeting at 2 p.m., at Common Ground United Methodist Church, 404 Cypress Street N., Cambridge. PFLAG welcomes everyone who is interested in supporting the LGBTQ+ community, their friends and families. For more information, go to www.ecmnpflag.org, or search for us on Facebook. Note: We require masks and social distancing at our meetings.

AUGUST 13

Ruby's Pop-Up Pantry – North Branch

Ruby's Pantry food distribution 10 to 11:30 a.m. at Access Church, 4359 392nd Street, North Branch. Registration starts at 9:30 a.m. For a \$25 donation, receive grocery items. Open to anyone; no income requirements. Bring your own boxes. For info call 651-260-8505, or visit www.rubyspantry.org.

Friends of the North Branch Area Library

Everyone is invited to the Friends of the North Branch Area Library meeting at 9:30 a.m. in the library's Community Room. The meeting takes place before the library opens; a member will meet you at the front door to let you in. Questions? Call the library at 651-674-8443 or visit the Friends' Facebook page. The library is at 6355 379th Street.

CIHS gymnastics team car wash fundraiser

The Cambridge-Isanti High School Gymnastics Team will be conducting a car wash to raise funds for their upcoming season. The carwash will be held at Cambridge State Bank, Hwy 95 behind Culvers in Cambridge on Saturday, August 13 from 9 a.m. - noon. Donations are appreciated.

On the Lawn Artist's Fair

Play Inc. celebrates visual arts with this Local Artists/Crafters fair located on the on the west lawn of the library 111 Dellwood St. N. Cambridge MN 55008. August 13th from 9 a.m. -4 p.m. Free to the public.

AUGUST 16

Alzheimer's Support Group

The Alzheimer's Support Group meets the 3rd Tuesday of each month from 10 to 11:30 a.m. at GracePointe Heritage Center, 322 River Hills Place North, Cambridge, for caregivers, family and friends. For information, contact Lyndsey Larson at 763-691-6172.

Veterans Coffee Talk

Bryan T. Brown, Chisago County Veterans Service Officer is hosting a get-together with area veterans 9 to 10 a.m. at North Branch American Legion Post 85, 6439 Elm Street. Participants will meet other veterans, get benefits assistance, and information on other topics that affect them. Call 651-213-5680 or email Bryan.Brown@chisagocounty.us for more information.

Not exactly 'The Gambler'

I'm not exactly what you would call a "high-stakes" gambler. The last several times I've been to a casino, it was for a concert of some sort and I didn't even play the nickel slots.

In fact, my ideal trip to Las Vegas would entail going to a Golden Knights hockey game over going to a show at one of the casinos. I'd even go as far as saying the only reason for entering a Vegas casino is out of curiosity if their shows are anything like they are represented in TV shows or the movies.

Any gambling I do usually is associated with sports events, but even that is far from high-stakes. The Fantasy Football league I am in doesn't have an entry fee and is played strictly for minimal bragging rights. I am also in a "Survivor Pool" where you pick one or two NFL teams to win their game that week, with the person who correctly makes predictions the longest into the season winning the pot. While the payoff for this particular Survivor Pool is huge due to the large number of people participating, the buy-in is only \$10.

Despite all of that, I will admit that last Friday, I found myself making a special trip to Holiday for the sole purpose of buying a Mega Millions Lottery ticket or two. Yes, I know the odds of me being struck by lightning on my way to purchase those \$2 tickets was greater than actually winning, but the way I figure it, how often can you say you even have a remote chance of becoming an instant billionaire?

Additionally, in the general scheme of things, the \$4 I handed over (I told you I'm not a huge gambler) was a small price to pay to dream about "what if..." Since Friday was such a beautiful evening, I chose to make my trip a little more beneficial by forgoing my car in favor of taking a second walk to the convenience store, which also gave me time to think about what I would do with the winnings.

Like many people, my first act would be to quit my job (sorry Jeff). But even in my mind's eye, I envisioned still helping out the newspaper by continuing to contribute photos — only with even better camera equipment. There would also be the obligatory purchase of a new house and a new car fresh off the assembly line. Oh, and with the new house would come the ability to finally get a white German shepherd named "Nimbus" (I've dreamed of specifically this for a long time, but that's another column for another day).

My charitable contributions would begin at CIHS with them being able to get all of the much-needed and overdue upgrades to the athletic facilities. And there would be plenty of money to go around for nonprofits near and dear to me — most of which are associated with animals.

Alas, since I am writing this column, I was obviously not the newest billionaire. I wasn't even one of a couple of instant millionaires from Minnesota. Heck, I don't even think I matched a single number (which helps explain why I'm not a big gambler). So, I guess all of those dreams will have to wait for another day — but not until the jackpot reaches near-record figures again.

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For questions about the Star's policies on letters contact the editor at 763-689-1181 ext. 107 or editor@countystar.com.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Opposed to proposed new teacher licensing requirements

To the editor,

The Minnesota teacher licensing board, the Professional Educators Licensing and Standards Board is putting finishing touches on new teacher licensing requirements. Governor Walz has personally appointed each member. When formally adopted soon, the new requirements must be met to become or remain licenses to teach in Minnesota public and private schools. But there's a problem here.

The new standards will embed basic Marxist principles and practices such as critical race theory, fluid sexual identity, and gender politics into all Minnesota schools. This Marxist teaching will politicize schools and divide students into opposing groups — oppressor or oppressed.

Here are a few more specifics — teachers must:

1. Understand "systemic trauma," including racism and micro and macro aggression.
2. Be "inclusive" to reflect "diversity of cultures."

3. Focus on implicit bias and systemic racism including "white privilege."

4. Prioritize materials from traditionally marginalized voices that offer diverse perspectives on race, culture, language, gender, sexual identity, religion, nationality, migrant/refugee status, etc.

5. Teach materials that empower learners to be agents of social change and promote equity (instead of equality).

6. Train students in social activism through service learning, and connect students with local and global political activists.

Every CRT and gender fluid buzzword is embedded into these standards, and they will be required to be incorporated into all instruction.

When these licensing changes are approved, it will force every Minnesota school "to become Marxist revolution indoctrination centers." (Allen Quist, three-term Minnesota legislator and retired professor of religion and political science at Bethany Lutheran College). If you oppose this, contact the governor immediately and encourage like-minded friends to do

the same at <https://mn.gov/governor/contact/>.

David E. Johnson
Cambridge

Grateful for where we live

To the editor,

Prior to my retirement, I worked for Honeywell and had global responsibilities. During my career I had many opportunities to travel to numerous countries around the world and I must say that we are so blessed to be living in the USA. Yes, we have many issues, concerns, and challenges facing us, which I am confident that if we are willing to talk with each other, listen to each other, make sacrifices and work together we can change many of these problems into opportunities. Compared to life in many other countries, we have life very good in the USA. I am also very grateful to be living in Isanti County. We are so fortunate to be served by excellent county leaders, directors and managers who work so very hard for us

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Marveling at manufacturing in Minnesota

MINNESOTA BRIMS WITH interesting places to visit and learn. The summer board and past presidents' meeting of the Minnesota Newspaper Association was held at Jackson, Minnesota in late June.



About the Town
Gene Johnson

Minnesota Newspaper Association is unique in the country because it includes their past presidents annually at the summer board meeting and the winter convention. It becomes a great time of fellowship.

My wife Kathy and I took many notes as we toured the assembly line manufacturing of Massey Ferguson® and Fendt® tractors at the AGCO plant in Jackson.

Jackson might be considered a small town in Southern Minnesota, but the location of the AGCO company there proves it has worldwide influence.

AGCO is the world's largest manufacturer of machinery and equipment focused solely on the agricultural industry. Their 2021 Annual Report reported net sales of approximately \$11.1 billion.

"We're in 140 countries, and have about 21,000 employees and 4,050 dealers worldwide," said Ryan Erickson, a senior manager in business process improvement at AGCO's Jackson campus. The facility sprawls across 164 acres with 1,033,000 square feet of manufacturing space. He said the plant employs 967 nonunion workers.

Erickson said, "In Jackson, we build application equipment and tractors. We currently build RoGa-

tor®, TerraGator®, Massey Ferguson®, Challenger® and now Fendt® brands here. This is AGCO's only North American tractor and sprayers plant. It has other tractor plants in France, Germany, China and South America."

The website for AGCO explains it best: "A tour of AGCO Jackson's sprawling manufacturing campus makes one thing clear: this is not your typical factory.

Sunlight pours in the windows of the Intivity Center, the facility's public entrance. A gleaming two-story lobby leads to a showroom, auditorium and retail store. Through a glass wall on the left, AGCO's state-of-the-art production floor beckons.

Indeed, a world-class production facility is not what most people would expect to find in this rural corner of southwest Minnesota. The city of Jackson is a small town, with a population just north of 3,300 people. Located at the intersection of Interstate 90 and U.S. Highway 71, it rests in the Des Moines River Valley, surrounded by farmland and open plains.

But this humble city is home to big industry, including Pioneer Seed, Ziegler, HitchDoc, USF Holland and AGCO, its biggest employer.

THE HISTORY OF AGCO JACKSON

1973: Al McQuinn, founder of Ag-Chem Equipment Inc., builds a factory in Jackson to produce the agriculture industry's first self-propelled sprayers, the Terra-Gator® and the RoGator®.

1990: AGCO is formed. Based in Duluth, Georgia, it begins manufacturing and distributing farm equipment under the AGCO® Allis and Gleaner® brand names in North America.

1998: McQuinn sells Ag-Chem to AGCO.

2002: The first tractor assembly is brought to Jackson, with a new assembly line to handle the manufacture of Challenger® track tractors and articulated 4WD tractors.

2011: AGCO announces plans to expand high-horsepower wheeled tractor production in North America. The Jackson facility undergoes a 75,000-square-foot expansion to include wheeled row-crop tractor production for Massey Ferguson® and Challenger®.

2012: AGCO opens the state-of-the-art Intivity Center in Jackson. The facility includes a showroom, a conference center, an auditorium, a catering cafeteria and a retail store.

2022: AGCO adds the Fendt® brand to its product portfolio, with North American production based in Jackson.

Minnesota's three largest industries are agriculture, manufacturing and mining. There are approximately 8,300 manufacturing firms in Minnesota.

Besides being one of the leading states in milk, butter and cheese production, Minnesota is one of the largest producers of frozen and canned vegetables. Manufacture of agriculture machinery, metalworking, heating and cooling and making machines which produce microchips. Minnesota ranks third in the manufacturing lineup.

Minnesota is best known for ten famous products: Gold Medal Flour, Spam, Scotch tape, water skis, Pacemakers, Greyhound buses, Tonka trucks, Bundt cakes, Nerf balls and Zupas.

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and to make Isanti County great! I want to say thank you to Isanti County's public servants for serving us with diligence, honesty and integrity.

I have found Isanti County public servants to be very open and approachable, they listen and they respond to issues and concerns. They work with our three cities and thirteen townships to address and resolve issues and concerns affecting Isanti County citizens. Isanti County has adopted an excellent Comprehensive Plan utilizing input from the three cities, townships and from the county citizens which includes smart growth techniques to preserve agricultural land and provide for quality growth, encourage business development to create new job opportunities, provide for affordable housing, provide safe and efficient transportation system, provide for recreational opportunities; there are fourteen major objectives in this plan. This plan can be accessed from the Isanti County website, www.co.isanti.mn.us. Isanti County well managed! You can go to the Minnesota Office of the State Auditor (www.osa.state.mn.us) and access a county comparison tool. Using this tool you can verify, on a per capita basis, Isanti County ranks lower than many other Minnesota counties on total revenue and total expenditures.

Isanti County is great place to live, raise our families and enjoy the many blessings of life.

**Bruce Mickelson
Cambridge**

Appeal to Heaven

Dear editor,
It is well past time to restore America to the great nation God determined it to be. hat are the basic values of a godly nation:

1. Protection of life. Nothing is more precious to God
 2. Protection of family. God created man in his image. Male and female, father and mother.
 3. Protection of religious freedom
 4. Liberty
 5. Godly government
- God promised, if we will pray he will save and restore America.

So please join with us on Sunday evening Aug. 7, 5 p.m. at Grace Gospel Church. Grandy, Hwy 65, Just one block north of the Grandy

business section.

Bob Lex, for Concerned Citizens

Responses not what he was asking for

To the editor,

My recent letter asked a very specific question. My exact question was what has President Biden done for the average person? Now I was looking for something like lower taxes, lower drug costs. Something that would have an actual affect on the quality of life for the average person now, today. Two writers responded. I will refer to them as D and B as I would just as soon not use names. They sent a total of 17 accomplishments of this administration. Out of the 17 not one would affect the life of the average person that is struggling to make a living today. Possibly a few of them would have a long term affect but that is not what I was looking for. Was my question misunderstood or was this part of their distraction efforts? I will give then the benefit and say try again. (gas-groceries-baby food)

Mr. D wrote a good letter getting his views across, but with a few errors. President Biden is not a liar? Where have you been? Ever watch the clip of him describing his time in law school and his IQ? Bully? Seems like he has made reference to taking someone behind the school or out back? Abuser of women? There has been accusations. I know, I know — so has President Trump. Water under the bridge — not our President anymore.

Mr.B: Your venomous hatred for President Trump is very obvious. You never write a letter without letting us know how deep your hatred for him goes. Please get over it. He is gone. He is not our President at the present. With any luck in a few years you will be able to complain about him all you want. As to derogatory name calling, remember that dumb SOB Peter Doucy. That was kind of derogatory don't ya think? Anyway with a less than 30% approval rate I think you guys are in the minority with your defense of President Biden and his administration. Thanks for your opinions.

**Gary Westerberg
Cambridge**

ASK A TROOPER: How stopped is a stop?

Question: Hello, maybe you can clear this up for me, what is the definition of stop? I think a slight pause is good enough. I look at it as I am stopping, but everything is clear so I can proceed.



Ask A Trooper
Jesse Grabow

Answer: To answer your question, it is called a "stop sign" not a "stopping sign."

According to Minnesota State Statute, the definition of "stop" means complete cessation from movement.

"Stopping" means any

halting even momentarily of a vehicle, whether occupied or not, except when necessary to avoid conflict with other traffic or in compliance with the directions of a police officer or traffic-control sign or signal.

Look twice at intersections when turning and changing lanes. Drive smart and pay attention.

A portion of state statutes were used with permission from the Office of the Revisor of Statutes. **If you have any questions concerning traffic related laws or issues in Minnesota, send your questions to Trp. Jesse Grabow – Minnesota State Patrol at 1000 Highway 10 West, Detroit Lakes, MN 56501-2205. (You can follow him on Twitter @MSPPIO_NW or reach him at, jesse.grabow@state.mn.us).**

Moving Forward Together!

It was our great pleasure at North Branch Area Public Schools (NBAPS) to host a group of parents, students, community members and staff at last

Thursday's World's Best Workforce/Strategic Planning meeting! It is wonderful when we have the opportunity to collect the thoughts and suggestions of such a diverse group of people; it can only make NBAPS stronger!

The group focused on four topics; safety and security, the school district's draft Safe Learning Plan for 2022-23, "win-win" partnerships, and the topic of two-way communication. Following brief overviews of each topic from district leaders, attendees participated in small group discussions to provide input and feedback.

Feedback is a gift! The discussions were robust and wide-ranging, with many

interesting perspectives brought forward. It is so important for us to hear how each topic is perceived through the lens of students, parents, staff, local professionals and members of the community.

NBAPS operates with a mission grounded in partnership so that each student has experiences to help them capitalize on their unique gifts and talents. By working in partnership, NBAPS is at the forefront of educational excellence! We are moving forward together and we can't wait to put ideas into action!

We are fortunate to have amazing staff members that have been meeting over the summer to look back on our mutual commitments toward shared goals in order to continuously improve as we launch into another school year. Energy is growing and we can't wait to welcome students and families back for another fun and productive year of learning!

Your feedback and input is a gift! Please reach out anytime- we value moving Forward Together!

SARA PAUL is superintendent of North Branch Area Public Schools. She can be reached at 651-674-1000 or spaul@isd138.org.

Clarification

The polling place for Cambridge Township is located in the Isanti County Historical Society's Heritage Center, which is located in the Isanti County Fairgrounds at 33525 Flanders Street NE.



BILL STICKELS III | COUNTY STAR

New court administrator sworn in

Erin Boettcher is sworn in as the Tenth Judicial District Court Administrator for Isanti County during an investiture ceremony held at the Isanti County Government Center on Tuesday, Aug. 2. Administering the oath is Judge Amy Brosnahan. Erin's mother, Jane Schleusner, holds the Bible.

Nate Champion Earns PACESETTER GOLD Award

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CENTURY 21 Moline Realty is pleased to announce that Century 21 Real Estate LLC recently recognized Nate Champion, sales affiliate with the office, as a top-producer nationwide when it honored him with the coveted CENTURY 21® PACESETTER GOLD Award.

The PACESETTER GOLD Award is bestowed to sales affiliates on track for the Masters Award program at 6 months, which is based on sales production or closed transactions. Sales affiliates can qualify for three levels of the Masters Award: Ruby, Emerald and Diamond, which is determined at the end of the year.

"Nate places his real estate wisdom and passion for life into his everyday business, helping to make clients more comfortable with the real estate transaction as they make what may be the most significant purchase of their lives," said Carrie Gibbs, broker/

owner of CENTURY 21 Moline Realty.

"Nate is a valued and trusted real estate resource for the Isanti County community and a major contributor to the overall success of CENTURY 21 Moline Realty and the CENTURY 21 System as a whole."

Campion has 6 years of experience in the real estate industry and has been with the CENTURY 21 System since 2016.

"It is truly an honor to receive the Pace-setter Gold Producers Award and be recognized among such a talented and dedicated group of real estate sales professionals," said Campion.

Students in the news

Student Achievement Lists

Blake Bartnick, Elaina Cox, Jamille Edrial, Anna Grace Nelson, Ben Shull, of Cambridge, MN; **Noah Vang, Angel Yang,** of Isanti, MN; **Jordan Axberg, Thomas Wurdemann,** of North Branch, MN (Dean's List) from Bethel University

Andrew Valentini of Wyoming, MN; **Lydia Rehder** of North Branch, MN (Dean's List) from Carthage College Kenosha, WI

Kresten D Atkins, Justin T Bettendorf, Wren M Farrell, Ethan B Hill, Annette Johnson, Tess A Pocrnich, of Cambridge, MN; **Ethan J Kolby, Alana C Sparks, Alexander G Wimmer,** of Isanti, MN; **Haven S Alvar, Ashley L Darst, Rachel L Dworshak, Chloe M Fortuna, Madyson M Long, Isaac Ries, Cooper J Sanvik,** of North Branch, MN (Dean's List) from University of Minnesota Twin Cities

Brittany Widell and **Haylee Teeselink,** of North-branch, MN; **Mason Palmer** of Rush City, MN (President's List) from St. Cloud Technical & Community College

OBITUARIES

Chloe Elaine Danger

Chloe Elaine Danger of Cambridge, MN passed away at Abbott Northwestern Hospital in Minneapolis on May 30, 2022 following complications from successive hip surgeries. She was 95.

Chloe was born Sept. 30, 1926 in Princeton, MN.



The first child of Guy & Edna Jacques. She attended grade school in Quamba, then graduated from Mora High School in 1944. On Dec. 29, 1945, she married William (Bill) Danger at Quamba Baptist Church. They settled in Braham where she worked in an electric shop until Greg was born in 1948. Three years later they moved to Cambridge where Steve was born, followed by Kris in 1954.

The family relocated to New Brighton briefly before returning to Cambridge. Chloe worked as a secretary to the principal in the Cambridge School District. In the 1970's Bill and Chloe owned and operated the Montgomery Ward Catalog Agency in Cambridge. After its sale, Chloe returned to Cambridge Elementary School until her retirement in 1988. She cherished her years there and is fondly remembered by staff and students.

Chloe generously gave her time to Cambridge Lutheran Church as a member for over 70 years. She was involved in the Befrienders program, Circle, Loaves and Fishes and many years organizing the annual lutefisk dinners. She also volunteered and served on the board at the Shalom Shop.

Whether playing the piano, dancing, traveling with Bill or spending time with family or friends that she and Bill created; Chloe made the most of her long life. She drew strength from her faith and family, which sustained the kindness and gentle love for others she demonstrated all of her years. Chloe will be remembered by everyone who knew her.

Chloe was preceded in death by her parents Guy and Edna and husband Bill.

She is survived by three children; Greg (Margie) Danger of Sartell, MN, Steve (Joy) Danger of Daytona Beach, Florida and Kris (Lee) Parker of Cambridge; six grandchildren; six great grandchildren; siblings Bev Larson of Cambridge, Audrey (Robert) Lind of Waconia, Gloria Santillo of Cambridge and Guy Jr. (Margaret) Jacques of North Branch, and other relatives and friends.

A Memorial Service will be held 3 p.m., Thursday, Aug. 11, 2022 at Cambridge Lutheran Church. Visitation one hour prior to the service. Condolences at www.carlsonlillemoen.com. Arrangements are with the Carlson-Lillemoen Funeral Home and Cremation Services of Cambridge.

James "Jimmy" Fox

James "Jimmy" Fox, age 50, of Isanti passed away July 29, 2022. Survived by parents, Gary and Colleen Fox; son, Zachary; former wife, Julie; brothers, Steven and Mark; nephews, Jordan (McKenzie) and Dominick; great-niece, Juniper; other relatives and friends. Celebration of Life Service 11 AM Saturday, August 13th, with a time for visiting one hour prior, at Strike Life Tributes in Isanti. Online condolences can be made at StrikeLifeTributes.com. Full obituary next edition.

Jean L. Foreman

Jean L. Foreman age 77 of Cambridge, passed away peacefully and unexpectedly, while she was surrounded by her family on July 29, 2022.

She is survived by her loving husband of 57 years; Charles. Her children Todd (Jeannie) Foreman and Tammy (Greg) Harberts.



Grandmother of: Mickenzie (Brandon) Ritt, Breanna (Tyler) Landowski, Cole Harberts, Jordan Kelash, Dane Harberts, Noah Kelash and Sawyer Kelash. Great-Grandmother to Hudson Landowski, Brooks Kelash and Odin Ritt.

Jean is also survived by her sisters Judy (Roy) Bronson and Peggy (Pete) Angell; sister-in-law Mary Westphal and many nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents Forrest & Almira Westphal and her brother Edward Westphal.

Jean was known for her spectacular Christmas village displays that attracted numerous people to her home during the Christmas season.

She also loved to watch birds at her feeders as well as plentiful wildlife around her home. Above all, Jean enjoyed helping people, utilizing her incredible mathematical skills to solve taxing problems.

Funeral service 11 a.m. Aug. 5, 2022 at Salem Lutheran Church 4638 381st Ave NW Dalbo, MN

Visitation 4-7 p.m. Aug. 4, 2022 at Carlson-Lillemoen Funeral Home 311 S. Ashland St. Cambridge 763-689-2244 and 1 hour prior to service at the church on Friday.

Interment Salem Lutheran Church Cemetery.

Online condolences can be shared at www.carlsonlillemoen.com.

B. Gayle Johannes



B. Gayle Johannes, age 71, of Isanti, MN passed away July 29, 2022. Survived by husband, Donald; step-children, Linda and Michael; sister, Maudry Hedin; brother, Butch Miller; nieces and nephews. No services will be held.

**Get informed,
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East Central Regional Arts Council offers grant information sessions

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Are you curious about the East Central Regional Arts Council (ECRAC) grant programs? Do you have questions about how to apply for a grant? Do you want to know if your art project is eligible for a grant? Join us for a grant info session and we can help answer questions like this and many more. The upcoming grant deadlines to apply are Oct. 1, 2022, Feb. 1, 2023, and April 1, 2023. If you are in Minnesota's Region 7E, the counties of Chisago, Isanti, Kanabec, Mille Lacs, and Pine, art grant funds are available. Now is a great time to start thinking about applying.

ECRAC is offering grant information sessions for August and September for both artists and organizations. These sessions cover basic information about ECRAC grant programs, as well as recent changes to the grant application processes. If you have already attended a grant information session in the past, a refresher is always a good idea to keep you up to date!

Grant Information Sessions for Artists who want to learn about funding available for the upcoming grant deadlines will be both in-person and online. The in-person sessions will be held at the ECRAC office, 540 Weber Ave, Hinckley, on Aug. 23 at 10 a.m. and Sept.

13 at 2 p.m. The online session will be held via Zoom on Aug. 25 at 2 p.m. and Sept. 12 at 10 a.m.

If you're with an art group, non-profit, school, or public entity and want to learn about funding available for your organization's art project for the upcoming ECRAC grant deadlines, ECRAC will host both in-person and online grant information sessions. The in-person sessions will be held at the ECRAC office, 540 Weber Ave, Hinckley on Aug. 23 at 2 p.m. and Sept. 13 at 10 a.m. The online session will be held via Zoom on Aug. 25 at 10 a.m. and Sept. 12 at 2 p.m.

For more information and to register

for one of these sessions please contact Katina Eklund, Grant Program Officer, East Central Regional Arts Council, at grantinfo@ecrac.org or by calling 320-591-7034. Space will be limited for the in-person sessions. The links to the Zoom meetings can be emailed to you or found on the ECRAC Website: ecrac.org. We hope you can join us! If these dates don't work for you, contact ECRAC to schedule a time that does.

This activity is made possible with funds provided by The McKnight Foundation and by the voters of Minnesota thanks to legislative appropriations from both the General Fund and the Arts and Cultural Heritage Fund.

Crazy horse

Chicken crossed the road to find a family that won't give up on him

BY HOPE MURRAY
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When Chicken the horse was rescued by Andrea Lakeberg in 2015, he was, she said, "a throwaway."

Not only that, the horse was wild — "completely wild" — and had never been touched, even though he was two years old.

"Everyone hated that horse because he was so crazy," Lakeberg said. "And I knew he wasn't; he just didn't know (how to behave), and he was scared."

He was called Chicken, said Lakeberg's daughter Camella Whalen, because "he was terrified of everything, and chickens would scare him away from his food."

It took some time for the rural-Ogilvie family to finally tame the horse, and two years ago, Camella began competing with him in horse shows.

"He was completely feral and needed so much work," 15-year-old Camella said. "He was so scared and would just tremble. We were kind to him and were understanding of him."

Even though Chicken started out as Lakeberg's horse, "He ended up becoming Camella's," said Lakeberg, without a hint of regret.

But in March of this year, the unthinkable happened. The night before Camella and Chicken were to compete in a horse show, Chicken was picked up to stay at a close friend's house that was close to the competition site.

The next morning, they found Chicken badly hurt. "It was just a freak accident," Lakeberg said. "It was muddy out, so we're assuming that he slipped in the mud and ended up trapped beneath a metal gate. He was lying there thrashing all night long."

The horse's leg was sliced open to the bone in numerous areas, with cuts to his tendons, and he had injuries to his face, including a fractured facial bone.

"I was terrified and so sad when Chicken got hurt," Camella said. "I hated seeing him in pain and I was so scared we were going to have to put him down."

Many people would not have gone to the trouble and expense of keeping a badly injured horse alive.

"We put literally years of time into that horse and everyone told me I should just shoot him — get rid of him," Lakeberg said. "We couldn't. We love him."

The love and training the family had put into the care of Chicken had paid off in many ways. Last

year, Camella was 4-H pole weaving state champion on Chicken, and she was the champion in her age division in figure 8s. She started her first year with the Pine City High School Rodeo Club last year, and ended up as the all-around pole-bending champion.

"And she was riding this crazy horse that everyone said shouldn't be at our house," Lakeberg said. "And that's why we didn't put him to sleep because he gave everything to that little girl and finally proved his worth to everybody else."

Chicken was taken to the University of Minnesota Veterinary Hospital in St. Paul. "We knew that he might not even survive the surgery," Lakeberg said. "The odds of him pulling through were low."

"After that, we realized he may not even be able to be used anymore. But he deserved to come home." The family got its wish. Chicken came home to finish healing in mid-April.

On July 17, the Chengwatana Saddle Club in Pine City, the club the Lakeberg family belongs to, held a fundraiser and horse show for Chicken.

"I had never asked anybody for anything, but this whole time everybody has been coming out of the woodwork," Lakeberg said. "And they put on this show where all the proceeds go to Chicken and his immense medical bills."

Making a special appearance at the show was Chicken; Camella rode him around the arena.

"Chicken still being here wouldn't have been possible without all the love and support from our wonderful community," Lakeberg said. "There have been many prayers, donations, and just plain love from so many amazing people. The most amazing part of it is that I never asked for anything and never would have; I was given zero choice because people did it on their own."

Camella continues to care for Chicken and credits her success with him to her ability to care for the "quirky and scared" horses that her family takes in. About 20 horses are on the Lakeberg land at any one time, many of them having been rescued, many belonging to friends.

"It makes me so happy to turn their lives around so people can see them in a different and better way," said Camella, who takes classes online through Connections Academy because, like many of the horses she has cared for in her young life, she deals with



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Camella Whalen poses atop Chicken, the horse she helped rescue and nurse back to health, at a fundraiser held in his honor to defray medical costs from when he was injured in March.

anxiety. Although Chicken is walking, he may never run again, let alone take part in rodeos and shows.

"I don't know if Chicken will ever compete again, but I can tell you this horse is a fighter," Camella said. "If it is in God's will, you will see him in the arena again doing what he loves. If not, he will be loved and cared for by his family until his last breath."

Sapsucker Farms wins big at annual cider competition

BY HOPE MURRAY
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Sapsucker Farms Yellow Belly Cidery — the popular local site for cider, root beer, food, live entertainment, and more — was recently awarded several medals in the Great Lakes International Cider and Perry Competition, the largest cider competition in North America.

Sapsucker submitted six of its hard ciders to the competition, held annually in Grand Rapids, Michigan. All six were medal winners, with Juicy Apple, Barrel Aged and Lemon Basil ciders winning bronze medals, and Cayenne, Ginger and Wildflower ciders winning silver.

Debbie Morrison, owner of Sapsucker

Farms with her husband Jim, said they were "pretty excited" to add more medals to their already stocked trophy case. She called the GLICPC the "premier international cider award" competition.

"We were one of the first gold-medal winners in Minnesota for our barrel-aged," she said, referring to the 2016 gold medal the farm won for its cider. "The number of entries increases every single year, and the competition becomes stiffer and stiffer, yet we still manage to come home with medals."

The competition included hard ciders from all around North America. Hard cider is, simply put, fermented apple juice. "Hard cider is typically a wine but it is similar to a beer," Debbie said. "Hard cider has a low alcohol volume, and it's enjoyed like a beer."

The GLICPC also features in perries. A perry is much like a cider, except it is made of pear juice rather than apple juice.

"We could make perry as well," Debbie said. "You don't see a lot of perry out there, so it's a lot of the cideries that will make perry, or wineries will. We could make wine, too, but we don't have grapes. It's just another type of fermented beverage."

The Morrisons infuse the hard cider with different herbs, spices and other fruits to give each its unique flavor. "For example, we have a cranberry cider," she said. "But we also make root beer, and we make our (non-alcoholic) ginger ale from ginger we grow right here on the farm, and we also make kombucha that's also made on the farm."

"So we always have non-alcoholic options on the farm, with the root beer being the most popular," she said.

Morrison added that in Europe, cider is exclusively alcoholic, so world travelers need to be careful when ordering drinks for their children. "Just say apple juice," she said.

An upcoming event at Sapsucker Farms will be a pop-up storytime, presented by Mac from the Mora Public Library, from 1 to 2 p.m. on Friday, Aug. 5. Food trucks are on hand every Friday, Saturday and Sunday, along with musical entertainment on Fridays and Saturdays in the evening. For more information and a complete schedule of events, visit sapsuckerfarms.com.

PRIMARY: Voters will see candidates on both sides of the ballot on Aug. 9

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NONPARTISAN SIDE

On the other side of the ballot, voters will find all of the nonpartisan (offices that are not required to declare an affiliation to a political party) elections. For local nonpartisan races such as county commissioner, city council, or county sheriff; the top two vote-getters will move on to the general election in November.

What if a voter voted for two parties on the partisan side, thus voiding the ballot; would the nonpartisan votes still be counted in the primary? A quick phone call to the Secretary of State's office confirmed that the nonpartisan votes in the Primary would still be counted even if the partisan votes would not.

'If you vote for candidates from more than one political party, your votes will not count.'

Minnesota Secretary of State's website

Voting in the primary is as important as voting in the general election. It is a voter's responsibility to ensure their voice is heard by stepping into their polling place and casting their vote. Read through the County Star's candidate profiles from our July 28 edition, or on our website countystar.com, and vote on Aug. 9.

TERRY'S: Council expresses pride with business' return to CUP compliance

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"I knew you'd make it," said Mayor Jim Swenson. "In April we were here crying with each other. And you had your dad go through COVID and all the stuff you had. You did it, girl."

NEW COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DIRECTOR HIRED

Also at the July 26 council meeting, the council unanimously approved the hiring of Jason Ziemer as the new Community Development Director.

According to his LinkedIn account, Ziemer was most recently the City Planner/Community Development Coordinator for the city of Rogers for nearly four-and-a-half years, leav-

'I think we are all very excited, very happy, very pleased that Angie and her team have put in a lot of hard work.'

Renaë Fry

North Branch City Administrator

ing that position in April, 2022. His resume also lists City Manager for the city of North St. Paul and City Administrator for the city of Maple Plain.

Help for people coping with loss

STAFF REPORT

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Coping with the loss of friends and family is unexpectedly difficult. For those who find themselves in need of additional support two Baptist churches in our area are offering weekly classes.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

The First Baptist Church, 304 Main ST S, Cambridge MN invite you to register for the GriefShare course. This non-denominational program features Christ-centered, biblical teaching that focuses on grief topics associated with the death of a loved one.

GriefShare will be held on Tuesdays, 6pm – 8pm, beginning Aug. 16 and ending Nov. 1, at First Baptist Church, facilitated by Steve and Judy Tunell. Each session will include watching a video and discussion. The discussion period is very non-threatening with simple ground rules. If people do not feel like sharing, it is okay to just listen. Every session addresses a subject important to those experiencing grief. To register or for questions, call the church office 763-689-1173. There is no cost for the GriefShare, but there is a workbook that can be purchased for \$20.

NORTH ISANTI BAPTIST CHURCH

North Isanti Baptist Church, 2248 313th Ave NE, Cambridge, MN will offer an eight-week grief support class called "Healing a Broken Heart" on Tuesdays starting in September. The class is non-denominational and is designed to comfort those who have lost a loved one.

Sessions will be led by Jodi Ostrom, a lay person with 10 years experience teaching a bereavement class in California. In 2014 she received her certificate in Death and Grief studies from the Center for Loss in Fort Collins, Colorado, requiring completion of 150 hours of training on subjects including depression, suicide, PTSD and mourning. She is prepared to "companion" those who have lost a loved one through death.

Jodi uses the materials "Understanding your Grief – Ten Essential Touchstones" and the accompanying journal by Alan Wolfelt, Ph.D. His writings can be seen at www.centerforloss.com. There is a \$25 fee for materials.

Those interested should call Jodi Ostrom at 760-371-0612 for full details and to schedule an informational meeting to learn what the classes offer.

Cambridge accelerates building of well

BY BILL STICKELS III

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Like a large number of entities, the city of Cambridge is looking at ways to stave off the effects of inflation. One way that has become commonplace among local governments is to start projects or make purchases earlier than originally planned. In this case, the project is the construction of a new well on the east side of the city.

According to Public Works/Utilities Director Todd Schwab, the water utility's capital improvement plan called for the construction of a production well labeled as "No. 9" starting in 2023. Schwab said this well would be the last well located in the existing northeast well field and it would bring the water treatment facility to full capacity. The location of the well would be near 337th and Xylite.

"The plan references 2023 as the start

year for the construction," Schwab told the council, "but due to the rapidly increasing costs staff is requesting that the start date be moved up one year."

Schwab said the project would be done in four phases; phase 1 is well site investigation and permitting; phase 2 is preliminary and final design; phase 3 is bidding and contracting, and phase 4 is construction administration and observation services. He added that the project could start as soon as August 2022 and be completed by January 2024.

He asked the council to approve an agreement with SEH to provide engineering services for design, bidding, and overseeing construction of the well at a cost not to exceed the amount of \$139,100. He concluded by saying there were adequate funds in the 2022 capital improvement plan. That request was passed unanimously by the council.



Jay Walter & The Rectifiers

THURSDAY, AUGUST 11, 7PM

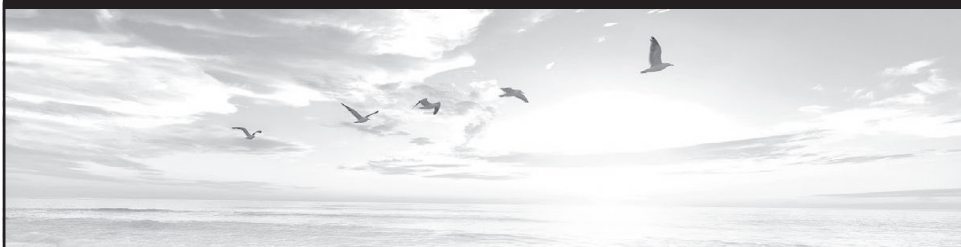
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Pine City mayor shares his personal struggle with COVID

BY T.A. LEBRUN
PINE CITY PIONEER

Pine City's mayor, Carl Pederson, says he's lucky to be alive and credits the Lord, healthcare workers, his family, and community for his being here today. He is thankful to be able to tell his story, a story which coincidentally began around Thanksgiving of last year.

Carl and his wife, Kris, remember making pizza for dinner one night in late November. The pizza tasted funny, so they made a different one to see if that would make a difference, but it didn't. And on Dec. 5, Pederson suspected he may have COVID and tested positive.

Kris, and son Riley also came down with COVID.

They purchased an oxygen reader and monitored their symptoms closely. Kris was sick with a bad cough for about three weeks and started to improve, but symptoms came on quickly for Carl, and his health continued to deteriorate to the point where he felt he couldn't catch his breath. Their oldest son, Luke, took him to the hospital on Sunday, Dec. 12.

The couple decided to cancel their annual trip to Arizona and Carl told Kris before he left, "See you in a week." But the anticipated week of hospital care would turn into months.

At this time, visitors were not allowed in hospitals, and the only form of communication would occur via text or talking to nurses and doctors on the phone. "It was the most helpless, gut wrenching feeling when there's no contact and not knowing what's going on with your husband," said Kris. "You just depend on every phone call. I had fear every time I answered."

She recalled lots of praying and talking to the Lord. Beyond that, she contacted a provider to try to receive the monoclonal antibody treatment. The process was cumbersome going through the State website, and by the time she heard back from someone to allow Carl to receive the treatment, the window had closed.

On Dec. 17, Carl was intubated, and on Dec. 22 around 1 a.m., the family got a call from the hospital saying they were airlifting him to another location because his kidneys were shutting down. At that point, it was unclear which hospital he would go to because so many beds were filled, but they were able to locate a spot for him at Abbott. Miraculously, Carl's kidneys began to rebound on the helicopter ride to the hospital, and no dialysis was needed.

But before long, another issue arose: Adult Respiratory Distress Syndrome or ARDS. ARDS occurs when fluid builds up in the tiny elastic air sacs (alveoli) in the lungs in critically ill patients. The fluid keeps the lungs from filling with enough air to provide the oxygen needed for the bloodstream and organs. Many people who develop ARDS don't survive, according to the Mayo Clinic. Chest tubes were inserted into Carl's lungs twice to preserve his lung function.

Another setback would take place on Dec. 31. The hospital called to say that Carl had a stroke. Thankfully, the stroke occurred on the right cerebral artery, affecting Carl's left side; Carl uses his right hand for writing.

The first time Kris was able to see Carl was Jan. 10.

A 48-YEAR LOVE STORY

During Carl's stay in the hospital



T.A. LEBRUN | PINE CITY PIONEER

Pine City Mayor Carl Pederson and his wife Kris Pederson pose together in a recent photo. The mayor said he is grateful that she didn't give up on him during his COVID ordeal.

in January, doctors asked Kris if she wanted to take him off life support due to the severity of his condition. His lungs were severely damaged and scarred, and he still wasn't breathing on his own.

"A couple of the doctors asked about who he was as a person and what kind of lifestyle he led, saying that if he recovered he would have to deal with severe issues," recalled Kris tearfully. "My heart was telling me 'how can I make that call when he's always sedated? And when are they going to give him a chance to breathe on his own?' I felt like they weren't giving him a fair chance."

Kris' thoughts brought her back to Rushford, the small town in southern Minnesota where she spent summers with her grandparents. She was 14 years old when she met Carl at a street dance in 1974. Carl was 16, but she went home and told her grandma that she just met the boy she was going to marry. She and Carl wrote letters while he was in the Army and stationed in Germany. Kris would spray perfume on the letters before sending them off, but the ink would run from the perfume, and Carl could only make out a few words by the time the letters made their way across the ocean. This made for some good laughs during their 48-year journey together.

She reflected on all the places they've been and the places they still wanted to travel to in their RV. The decision to keep Carl alive was an easy one for her.

"The doctors said, 'He's going to have A-Z wrong with him.' I told them that I am going to buck them on this and not allow them to take him off life support. We would deal with what God gives us," she said. There was still brain activity which also gave Kris and their sons

hope.

SAYING 'HELLO' AGAIN

The doctors tried breathing trials every other day, Kris recalled, and turned down the ventilator to see if he could breathe on his own for about three weeks. Electrodes continued to monitor brain activity as well.

It was the last week in January when Carl started breathing on his own again for about six or seven hours at a time. And on Jan. 28, his breathing tube was removed, and he was taken out of the ICU.

Carl's first memory of the ordeal happened in early February when the hospital chaplain, who visited him once a week, stopped in to see him. The chaplain was surprised to hear Carl say, "Hello." She couldn't believe it and rushed to call Kris to tell her the good news.

Kris was elated.

The next few months were spent in rehabilitation where it was therapists' job to train Carl to eat and drink on his own again and get back to functioning. Carl quipped saying the "one ray of sunshine" was that he lost about 50 pounds. It wasn't the way he wanted to do it, he said, but was grateful to "lose a few pounds."

Carl's brother Paul showed up in the middle of February and stayed through March, tag-teaming with Kris and Carl's sisters, to help Carl on his road to recovery. "It's been a collaborative effort," said Carl. "I'm so grateful to be alive, but humans are humans, and you want more and want to be back to normal, but that's not going to happen just yet, if ever." He said he has a lot of respect for people in the healthcare profession. "The small things like having a good nurse would make my day."

Paul noted, "It was a very scary time talking with the doctor on the video call. They questioned whether Carl would be happy if he made it, but I always felt like Carl is a fighter. It was an uneasy time, but we are grateful he came out of it."

Being a musician, Paul wrote a song for Carl. He even enlisted the help of a Nashville musician to record the song. Paul also put together a video for Carl documenting the journey with photos and videos. For Carl, this has been a motivating tool showing him how far he has come, from being bedridden to now being up and walking.

LOOKING BACK

Carl reflected on the crisis with tears in his eyes. "I'm so grateful for Kris. She didn't give up and stood by me. God spared me for some reason," he said. "I hope nobody else gets it like I did. I knew a couple people in the community didn't make it."

Carl said both he and his wife are now vaccinated but weren't when they contracted COVID. As for health issues, Carl, who is 63, said he only had the pre-existing conditions of Type II diabetes and high blood pressure.

"I was skeptical about it (the vaccine), and we traveled all across the country and never had any problems. We really struggled with the decision to get vaccinated or not, and you hear and read all this stuff – the vaccine has been politicized which is unfortunate."

He still believes people should have the freedom to make the choice for themselves, whether or not to get vaccinated, but does recommend it for anyone who has underlying health conditions.

MOVING FORWARD

Recovering has not come without challenges. During the time that Carl was laid up, he sustained a hip disorder where bone had grown between the ball and socket. This caused him severe pain and has affected his mobility. He now uses a wheelchair and walker to get around.

Paul has been working with Carl every day to help get him back on his feet, and he recently began pool therapy in Mora as well. Carl's vision was affected by the stroke which required glasses and an upcoming surgery.

Looking forward, Carl hasn't decided if he'll run for mayor this term but will re-evaluate as he regains his strength. Neither COVID nor the stroke have impacted Carl cognitively, but he anticipates he'll make a decision about the run by August.

Kris

has now become the driver in the family and says she is going to learn to drive the motorhome so they can continue their adventures together.

MANY THANKS

"If there is a silver lining, we have grown closer as a family," said Carl. "God has been with us and has strengthened our faith during this journey."

"There have been a lot of people in the community, through church and friends, that have been so kind to us and kept us in their thoughts and prayers. Many stopped here with meals or have sent letters or texts of encouragement," said Kris. "We look forward to having more adventures with our sons, Luke and Riley, daughter-in-law, Sarah, and grandsons Quentin and Owen."

Interested in sports, news, school events, special features & community events? Sounds like you need to pick up the Star and read all about it!



BREAKING NEWS
Thursday



Bluejacket Hall of Fame Class of 2022 to be inducted

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Each year the Isanti-Cambridge Bluejacket Hall of Fame recognizes outstanding alumni who have brought honor to themselves, their school, and their community.

The next induction ceremony is on Aug. 21, 2022, at the Cambridge Lutheran Church Fellowship Hall at 6 p.m., with a social hour beginning at 5 p.m. The 2022 Bluejackets Hall of Fame inductees are Bill Barnes, Walter Binger, Travis Fuhol, Dave Mickelson, Jon

Nystrom, and Mark Solberg.

Tickets are available online for anyone interested in attending the banquet to honor this group of Bluejacket alums. <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2022-bluejacket-hall-of-fame-induction-banquet-tickets-231056104027> For more information about the banquet or Hall of Fame contact Todd Smrekar at smrekar55@gmail.com.

If you would like to nominate an outstanding Bluejacket alum, nomination forms for the Bluejacket



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Hall of Fame

Hall of Fame are on the Hall of Fame website <https://sites.google.com/isd911.org/bluejacket-hall-of-fame/home>.

Excessive Heat Can Affect Vegetable Yields

BY DONNA TATting

CHISAGO COUNTY MASTER GARDENER

I was so hoping that this year's summer heat would be an improvement over the summer of 2021. Though I haven't looked at the statistics, I feel like this year is almost as hot and difficult as last year. But maybe as gardeners, we determine the conditions based on how long we can stand working in the garden without falling over from the heat and humidity.

One thing is for sure, I'm glad I have a well because, with my naturally sandy soil with only mild amendments, I've had to water various parts of my gardens almost every day. Oh, what I wouldn't give for a little clay loam to moisten up the soil. My vegetable gardens are raised beds so the conditions are far better with the better soil, compost and regular watering. But for some, there have been a bit more than the usual challenges growing our own produce this year and it's all because of the heat.

Cucumbers with no fruit, tomatoes not ripening, and beans with no flowers have been reported. The plants themselves look nice and healthy but that's not why we grow them. Excessive heat can cause the flowers on vegetable plants, and even perennials, to abort. Temperatures over 85 degrees during the day can cause the plant to use up its energy stores which changes the flower and makes it harder to pollinate. And green beans especially can't tolerate temperatures over 95 degrees along with dry soil, without aborting flowers.

Overly hot nighttime temperatures are especially troublesome for tomatoes. They like it between 68-77 degrees but the pigments that turn tomatoes red aren't produced above 85 degrees. We hope for those cooler nights which allow them to fully ripen and redden. FYI, under normal conditions, it takes tomatoes six to eight weeks to fully ripen and change color and the same is true of some vine crops like pumpkins. Since we may be headed for warmer temps in the summers to come, you may want to research varieties of vegetables that are listed as more heat tolerant.

For more information on growing edible crops, go to the University of Minnesota Extension website. And, I also encourage you to visit your local Community Garden sites. What you see there and the people you meet who are growing crops there are wonderful sources of information and they are happy to share their growing experiences with you. For the Community Gardens in Chisago County, you can go to Community Gardens in Chisago County, UMN Extension at <https://extension.umn.edu/news/community-gardens-chisago-county> and for other counties just Google "Community Gardens" in whatever county you live in.

For those who plan to attend the Almelund Threshing Show from Aug. 12-14, please visit our Master Gardener location on the East end of the Threshing grounds behind the old court house. Chisago County Master Gardeners will be there to answer all your Yard and Garden questions.



METRO CREATIVE CONNECTIONS

Minnesota Dept of Natural Resources announces CWD sampling changes

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As part of an adaptive approach to chronic wasting disease management statewide, the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources is broadening the options this year for hunters to get their deer tested for CWD.

"Keeping Minnesota's deer healthy remains a top DNR priority," DNR Wildlife Section Manager Kelly Straka said. "The DNR's commitment to sound surveillance and aggressive management of CWD has not changed. What is different is how we're accomplishing that from place to place and improving options for hunters to help us with disease surveillance."

Hunters will be able to submit samples through taxidermists who are partnering with the DNR or by dropping off deer heads at self-service sampling stations. Other options available include using mail-in kits (hunters remove the lymph nodes from deer themselves), dropping by one of the DNR-staffed sampling stations during the opening weekend of firearms season, or making appointments at area wildlife

offices within CWD zones at any time during the deer hunting season.

One notable difference this fall will be fewer self-service sampling stations than in previous seasons. Self-service stations will be available only in firearms season, with the exception of point-based surveillance zones, which will have stations available starting in archery season and will remain available until sampling goals are met. Hunters should visit the DNR's Make a Plan page (mndnr.gov/Hunting/Deer/Make-Your-Deer-Hunting-Plan.html) to learn more about self-service sampling station availability for the DPA they plan to hunt.

This year's revised approach to sampling will allow the DNR and hunters to work cooperatively to ensure robust data collection, particularly in CWD zones, while also making efficient use of limited resources. The DNR listened carefully to hunters' expressed preferences and also evaluated the efficiency and effectiveness of last year's data collection in developing this year's sampling plan. "We're encouraging archery and muzzleloader hunters in CWD zones to

use one of the alternative methods available to get their deer tested for CWD," Straka said. "We're still rigorously sampling in areas where CWD has been detected and samples from hunter-harvested deer provide critical information about the disease."

CWD sample submission will be mandatory in all CWD zones during the opening weekend of the firearms A season (Nov. 5-6) for all hunter harvested deer one year or older. Locations of CWD sampling partners and DNR-staffed CWD sampling stations will continue to be updated on DNR's website (mndnr.gov/CWD) throughout the fall.

Carcass movement restrictions are in effect for CWD management and control zones during all seasons. Whole carcasses cannot leave these zones until a "not detected" test result is received. More about carcass movement restrictions can be found on page 73 of the Minnesota Hunting Regulations. The regulations and links to complete deer season information are available on the DNR website (mndnr.gov/Hunting/Deer).

DNR accepting applications for advisory committees

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Minnesotans can apply online through Sept. 16 to serve on several committees that advise the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources about fisheries and wildlife topics.

The DNR is seeking applicants to fill open seats on the Deer Advisory Committee, the Mille Lacs Fisheries Advisory Committee, the Minnesota R3 Council (R3 stands for recruiting,

retaining and reactivating hunters and anglers), and the state's five fisheries work groups (bass, catfish, northern pike and muskellunge, panfish, and walleye).

Members will serve two- to three-year terms and must commit to attending at least three of the four videoconference meetings each committee has annually. Detailed committee and application information for each group is available

on the DNR website:

Deer Advisory Committee (mndnr.gov/Mammals/Deer/Management/Deer-Advisory-Committee.html)

MLFAC (mndnr.gov/MillelacsLake/MLFAC.html)

R3 Council (mndnr.gov/R3/Council)
Fisheries work groups (mndnr.gov/FishGroups).

Each committee has a statewide focus. People of all backgrounds and

geographical locations are encouraged to apply. Members will be selected with special emphasis on diversity in experience, expertise, geography and demographics.

The DNR will be seeking applicants for other advisory groups in the future. More information these groups and future opportunities is available on the advisory group page of the DNR website (mndnr.gov/Advisory-Groups).

Plentiful opportunities will greet deer hunters

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Deer hunting licenses can be purchased starting today and the 2022 Minnesota hunting regulations are now available on the DNR website (mndnr.gov/Hunting). Print copies of the regulations will be available in early August wherever licenses are sold.

When deer hunters venture out into fields and forests this fall, they will find healthy deer populations faring well in most of Minnesota, ample harvest opportunities, and a continued commitment to managing chronic wasting disease management adaptively statewide.

“We’re excited about deer hunting this year,” said Kelly Straka, wildlife section manager for the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources. “Hunters in 20% of our deer permit areas will have increased opportunities for harvest, and opportunities in 70% of DPAs remain unchanged from last year. In some areas of northern Minnesota, severe winter conditions have impacted low deer numbers, so hunter opportunity in these

areas is designed to help stabilize or increase those populations.”

Minnesota has the following deer seasons:

Archery: Saturday, Sept. 17, through Saturday, Dec. 31

Youth and early antlerless: Thursday, Oct. 20, through Sunday, Oct. 23

Firearms: Saturday, Nov. 5, with various closing dates depending on a hunter’s DPA

Muzzleloader: Saturday, Nov. 26, through Sunday, Dec. 11

CHANGES FOR THIS YEAR

Eight more DPAs included in the hunt. Hunters will also have more license options for the early antlerless season.

Increased bag limits or lottery permits in 28 DPAs, the same limits in 90 DPAs and decreased limits in 12 DPAs.

In addition to deer seasons, hunters can participate in special deer hunts. The DNR, municipalities and organizations across Minnesota offer opportunities to hunt at special times and in areas that might regularly be closed to hunting. Participation in these hunts is limited and often requires special registration. More information is available

on the DNR website (mndnr.gov/Hunting/Deer/index.html#SpecialHunts).

Hunters can get the information they need for each DPA by using the interactive deer map on the DNR’s deer hunting page (mndnr.gov/Hunting/Deer). By clicking within the borders of a DPA on the map, hunters can access a “make a plan” link that takes them directly to the DNR’s Make a Plan tool, where they can view the steps deer hunters in that DPA must follow to legally harvest deer. The tool also provides information for determining where and how to submit a sample for CWD testing and whether sampling is mandatory in the DPA.

Firearm and muzzleloader hunters who want to harvest antlerless deer in a DPA designated as lottery need to purchase their license by Thursday, Sept. 8. Hunters who purchase their license by Sept. 8 are automatically entered into the lottery for the DPA or special hunt area they declare. No application is needed to take antlerless deer in permit areas with either sex, two-deer limit, three-deer limit, or five-deer limit designations.



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ISANTI COUNTY COURT REPORT

The following felony charges were filed in Isanti County Court on July 25 - 29. All individuals are presumed innocent until proven guilty.

Larissa Joy Bratti (DOB 12/29/1991) of Red Cliff, WI, was charged July 26 with fugitive from justice from other state.
Jody Ann Scheffer (DOB 02/24/1969) of Braham, was charged July 28 with theft - take/use/transfer movable prop - no consent.

CHISAGO COUNTY COURT REPORT

The following felony charges were filed in Chisago County Court on July 25 - 29. All individuals are presumed innocent until proven guilty.

Andrew Lane Dooley (DOB 11/02/1992) of Pine City, was charged July 25 with one count of violate no contact order - within 10 years of the first of two or more convictions; and one count of drugs - 5th degree - possess schedule 1,2,3,4 - not small amount marijuana.

Donalonte Jamar Wade (DOB 05/10/1988) of Minneapolis, was charged July 25 with one count of domestic assault - by strangulation; and one count of domestic assault.

Alexis Nicholle Schnacky (DOB 11/08/1999) of Saint Paul, was charged July 28 with mail theft - intentionally removes mail from depository without claim of right.

Christian Kelly Brodt (DOB 01/07/1994) of Lindstrom, was charged July 28 with receiving stolen property.

Rafael Francisco Castro (DOB 01/26/1990) of Orlando, FL, was charged July 28 with mail theft - intentionally removes mail from depository without claim of right.

Justin Joseph Tomasko (DOB 04/09/2003) of Rush City, was charged July 29 with attempted burglary - 2nd degree - dwelling.

Multiple injuries reported in single-vehicle crash

STAFF REPORT
NEWS@COUNTYSTAR.COM

On Tuesday morning, Aug. 2, at 2:53 a.m., deputies from the Isanti County Sheriff's Office responded to a report of a single car crash east of Highway 47 on County Road 5. Witnesses at the scene reported the car had rolled over into a wooded area.

Deputies arrived in the area and located the vehicle deep in the woods on the north side of County Road 5 east of Highway 47.

According to a press release from the Isanti County Sheriff's office, the preliminary investigation indicated five people were in the vehicle when it left the roadway. One adult female, believed to be 18 years of age, was ejected from the vehicle and was airlifted to Hennepin County Medical Center, a level one trauma center, in critical condition. The juvenile male driver and a juvenile male passenger were transported to an area hospital with non-life-threatening injuries. Two juvenile females were checked by medical staff at the scene but not transported.

According to the press release, the crash remains under investigation, however, the preliminary investigation indicates that speed and alcohol may be contributing factors in this crash.



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Revitalize your landscape on a budget

Many homeowners think they have to spend tons of green to get green in their landscape, but that isn't necessarily so. Homeowners can improve their landscapes without digging themselves into financial holes. These strategies can help anyone save some cash and still end up with attractive gardens and more.

- Use stones or gravel for a walkway. If commercially installed pavers or cement walkways are not within your budget, there are some affordable alternatives. Flagstone or individually purchased and spaced pavers and pea gravel can be used to create pathways. Some construction sites even offer free stones when asked. Soften the look with moss or other plants on the perimeter.

- Remove some lawn. Lawns can require hours of upkeep that may involve the application of expensive fertilizers and weed-killing products that are not always so eco-friendly. Reduce the size of a lawn by putting in a mixed planting bed of perennials or ornamental grasses, or use landscape fabric and mulch.

- Look for free mulch. Municipal recycling centers may offer residents access to free mulch made from grinding up leaves, branches and other plant debris collected throughout the town. Simply bring a few containers to the recycling center and spread the mulch for an ornamental look or to insulate landscapes over winter and protect against weeds.

- Repurpose old items into planters. Old wheelbarrows, barrels, watering cans, and other items can be repurposed into container gardening vessels. Figure out if items marked for the garbage bin can be incorporated into garden features instead.

- Invest in plants that are easy to propagate. Perennials are the gardener's friend when it comes to saving money. These plants sprout anew each year, and many, such as sedum, catmint, ferns, hostas, and black-eyed Susans, can propagate by division. Figure out the best times of year to divide the plants and start growing them in individual containers before planting the sturdy new shoots in the ground. A single variety of plants grouped together in mass plantings is affordable and easy.

- Shop end-of season sales. Garden centers may begin to make room for holiday items come the fall. Take advantage of reduced costs on remaining plants and landscape accessories during this time of year. Plants can be covered or allowed to thrive indoors until they can be planted in the spring.

- Pool your resources. Homeowners planning on a big landscaping or revitalization project may want to speak with neighbors to see if they're interested in doing the same. Contractors guaranteed business from a few homes in the same neighborhood may be willing to negotiate lower prices for the volume of work on things like driveway repaving, deck- or fence-building, or installation of paver patios.

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REQUIREMENTS

Bachelor's degree from an accredited four-year college or university with a major in social work, psychology, sociology or closely related field, or a bachelor's degree from an accredited four-year college or university with a major in any field and one year of experience as a social worker in a public or private social services agency. Must be Merit System eligible; see the applicant online center at <http://agency.governmentjobs.com/mnmeritsystem/default.cfm>.

EMPLOYMENT VARIABLES

The typical schedule is 37.5 hours per week, Monday through Friday. Informal on-call system. Additional hours may be required but vary based upon work-load demands.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

This position requires a dual application process. First, apply online at the Minnesota Merit System: <http://agency.governmentjobs.com/mnmeritsystem/default.cfm>. and at Stevens County's website <http://www.co.stevens.mn.us> under "Employment Opportunities" by the closing date of August 15, 2022, at 4:00 p.m.

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Baptist

First Baptist Church

304 S. Main St., Cambridge,
763-689-1173. Call the church office or visit our website
for current service times and programs.
firstbaptistcambridge.org

North Isanti Baptist Church

Lead Pastor: Travis Blake
2248 313th Ave. NE, Cambridge, MN 55008. www.nib-
church.com
Email: nibchurch@msn.com
763-689-3576. 8:30am Worship Service (traditional
style) 10:45am Worship Service (contemporary style)

South Isanti Baptist Church

3367 Cty. Rd. 5 NE, Isanti.
763-444-5860, Pastor Bob Venneman. Sunday Worship
9:30am. Wednesday "Life & Light" Bible studies for all
ages. Adults & children. For info call or go to
southisantibaptist.org.

Springvale Baptist

Merrill Olson, Interim Pastor
9:30am Sunday School
10:30am Sunday Worship
Wednesday: 6:00 pm Band of Brothers
Thursday: 10:00 am Ladies Bible Study
410 County Road 6 NW
Stanchfield, MN 55080
763-689-1373
springvalechurchmn.org

Sunrise Bible Church

41300 Second St., North
Branch, Pastor David Stertz. Sunday school for all
ages
9:30am, Sunday morning Worship 10:30am, Sunday
evening 6pm, Wed. Kids 4 Truth & Bible studies for all
ages 6:30pm. More info at
sunrisebiblechurch.org
or 651-674-4107.

Catholic

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton

207 Whiskey Rd NW, Isanti, MN.
763-444-4035
Email: annseton76@gmail.com. Mass: Tues. & Wed.
7:30am. Sun. 8:30am. stelizabeth-isanti.org.

Evangelical Covenant

Karmel Covenant Church

5799 County Road 6, Princeton, MN
763-389-3169
Lead Pastor: Jason Hovis
Pastor of Youth: Kohl Hanson
Sunday School for all ages 9:00 am
Sunday Worship Service 10:00 am
Wednesday AWANA 6:30 pm
Wednesday Youth Group 6:30 pm
Karmelcov.org

Evangelical Free

Dale Evangelical Free Church

45268 Brunswick Rd,
Harris, MN 763-689-5817
Pastor/Teacher Dr. Harvey Martin. Sunday School – all
ages 9am. Sunday Service 10:25am.
www.daleefc.com

Kost Evangelical Free Church

37405 Kost Trail, North Branch, MN 55056. Jct. of CR 11 &
CR 72, SE of North Branch. 651-583-3281.
Pastor, Josh Jensen
Kost Student Ministries Mondays 6:30pm. Worship
Service Sundays 9:30am. More info: www.kostefc.org

Oxlip Church

9am Sunday Worship Service
Sanctuary seating or Online: Facebook and YouTube
Pastor Leroy Scheumann
29237 Roanoke St NW, Isanti, MN 55040
www.oxlip.org
763-444-5134

Lutheran

Braham Evangelical Lutheran Church (ELCA)

West Central Drive & County Road 4, Braham
320-396-2755
Pastor Julie Beck
Sunday: 9:00 a.m. Worship Service - BELC
Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Worship Service Live on Facebook
Sunday: 9:30 am Worship Service on KBEK 95.5 FM
Wednesday: 3:30 pm Confirmation
Office hours 9:00 a.m. to Noon Tuesday thru Friday

Calvary Evangelical Lutheran Church Of Rush Point (ELCA)

Pastor Vicki Vandervegt.
320-358-4829, 600 Rush Point Dr.
10:15am Worship with Fellowship following
my.calvaryofrushpoint.org.
Office: calvaryrushpoint@gmail.com

Christ Ev. Lutheran Church (WELS)

32962 Vickers St. NE, Cambridge, 763-689-5333
Pastor Samuel L. Biebert.
Sunday Worship 9am, Sunday School/Bible Class
10:30am
www.christcambridge.com

Faith Lutheran Church (ELCA)

109 Second Ave NW, Isanti
763-444-9201
Pastor Ian Coen-Frei
Sunday School 8:30 a.m.
Sunday Service 9:30 a.m.
Home of Heavenly Sunshine Preschool
email:
office@faithlutheranisanti.com

First Lutheran Church (ELCA)

43779 Gates Ave., Harris.
651-674-4498. Handicapped
accessible. Vicar Devin Ames. Sunday Worship 9:30am,
with Sunday School 10:30am coffee
and fellowship.
Email: firstlutheran@q.com
www.firstlutheranharris.org

Joy Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod)

1155 Joy Circle, Cambridge
763-689-4355
www.joylutheran.net
8:30 a.m. Traditional Service
10 a.m. Contemporary Service

Long Lake Lutheran Church (ELCA)

3921 277th Ave NW Isanti, MN 55040 763-444-5315.
Pastor Sue Olson
Worship Sundays at 9am in-person, in parking lot or
online
Vacation Bible School July 31 - August 4
longlakeluth.org

Salem Lutheran Church

4638 381st Ave. NW, Dalbo, MN 55017. 763-689-1687
Join us for worship every
Sunday at 10:30am, Sunday
school for 3 yrs to 6th gr.
begins at 10:30am. Coffee
fellowship after worship
www.salemlutherandalbo.com

Spring Lake Lutheran Church (ELCA)

8440 Erickson Road, PO Box 958, North Branch, MN
55056 (9 mi. E. of Cambridge on Hwy. 95, North one
block on Erickson Road).
651-674-4606.
Pastor Vicki VanderVegt.
slchurch.org
Email: sl.church@gmail.com
**Thursday, August 4th -
9:00am** Men's Coffee
**Sunday, August 7th -
10:30am** Worship at Harris Lutheran Church
**Wednesday, August 10th -
10:00am** AA Meeting
**Thursday, August 11th -
7:00pm** Women of Grace Bible Study

St. John Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod)

28168 Jodrell St. NE, North Branch Located 6 mi. E. of
Isanti on Co. Rd. 5; (or 7 mi. W. of North Branch on Co. Rd.
5); then 1-1/2 mi. S. on Co. Rd. 12. 763-444-5988, Paul
Anderson, Pastor; Sunday 9am Worship; 10:20am Adult
Bible Study; Thursday 6:30pm Bible study. Email:
stjohnlutheran@att.net

St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church (LCMC)

31075 Genesis Ave., Stacy, MN 55079
651-462-5115.
Office Hours - 9:00am - 1:00 pm
9:00am Services,
Sunday School following Service (10:15am).
Email - stjohns@midconetwork.com.
Website - stjohnlutheranchurch-stacymn.org

St. John's Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod)

980 West 4th Street, Rush City, Pastor Tim Renstrom
320-358-3623, Sunday 8:45am Worship, 7:30am Rise &
Shine Bible Study, Monday 10am Longer Look Bible Study.
stjohnsrushcity.org

St. Stephen's Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod)

400 SE 8th St., (Isanti #4 E.), PO Box 37, Braham. 320-
396-3103.
Tim Renstrom, Pastor.
9:30am Sunday School & Adult Bible Study. 10:30am
Worship.
ststephensbraham.org

Trinity Lutheran Church (ELCA)

38460 Lincoln Trl, North Branch
651-674-7047.
In-person and online Worship Sundays at 9 a.m.
Sunday School is at 9 a.m.
Email:
office@trinitynorthbranchl.org
or visit www.trinitynorthbranch.org

Methodist

Common Ground - A United Methodist Community

404 North Cypress St. North, Cambridge. 763-689-2071.
Pastors Amelia & Andrew Buschena. Sunday 9:30am
Worship. Livestream of
services and more info at
commongroundumc.org.
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Non-Denominational

Bethesda Church

38180 Hemingway Ave., North Branch, MN 651-674-5873.
Pastor Mark Huber.
9am Worship Service.
10:30am Sunday School
and adult Bible studies.
bethesdachurchnb.com

Lakeside Christian Church

32393 Rendova Cir. N.E., Cambridge (3 mi. E of Cambridge
just off Hwy. 95). 763-689-3649. Ministry Coordinator
Jeff Bonkoski. Administrative Assistant Sharon Dahl.
Sunday 9:30am Worship.
Retreat house & personal retreat cabins available. Call
for reservation. Email:
lakesidesecretary@gmail.com.
lakesidechurchcambridge.org

Journey of Faith

Bible based worship.
651-600-9878.
faiththroughaction777@gmail.com. Sunday fellowship
9am
Worship & Youth Ministry 10am Come as you are. All
welcome. Junction Bowl. 123 Cajima Street, NE, Isanti.
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763-689-6987
Meeting at Crossroads Commons 101 1st Ave. E., Suite
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justpassinihs@gmail.com
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Pastor Tom Bakke
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Sunday nights and Wednesdays

River of Life Church

Meeting at 242 3rd Ave NW, Cambridge in The Bridge
Outreach (TBO) Building.
Mark Radeke, Pastor. 763-689-5115.
Sundays 10:00am
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River Kid's for ages 4 yrs to 5th gr during the 10:00am
service
riveroflifehome.com

Pentecostal

The Journey New Life Church

601 Heritage Blvd NE, Isanti
Pastor David L. Willis.
Sunday 10am Worship &
the Word & Kids' Church.
Sunday 6pm Family Worship.
Wednesday 7pm Family Breakout Classes.
763-689-4471
Thejourneynlc.org

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 41 **KXLI** - Minneapolis

WEEKDAY MORNING

	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
BROADCAST STATIONS												
2 KTCA	Xavier Riddle	Arthur Denali	Molly of Denali	Wild Kratts	Hero Elementary	Alma's Way	Curious George	Daniel Tiger	Donkey Hodie	Elinor Wonders	Sesame Street	Pinkalicious
4 WCCO	WCCO 4 News This Morning at 6am		CBS Mornings		WCCO Mid-Morning			The Price Is Right		The Young and the Restless		
5 KSTP	Eyewitness News at 6am		Good Morning America				Minnesota Live		The View		5 Eyewitness News Midday	
9 KMSP	FOX 9 Morning at 6AM	FOX 9 Morning at 7AM	FOX 9 Morning at 8AM	Fox 9 Good Day			The Jason Show		FOX 9 News at 11 a.m.			
11 KARE	KARE 11 News Sunrise		Today		Today 3rd Hour			Today With Hoda & Jenna		Live with Kelly and Ryan		
23 WUCW	The National Desk		The National Desk		Goetz & Sieben	Family Feud	The Drew Barrymore Show		The Steve Wilkos Show		Maury	
29 WFTC	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Wommack	Divorce	Divorce	Hot Bench	Hot Bench	Fox Sky Dome		Dateline	
41 KPXM	Varied Programs											

WEEKDAY AFTERNOON

	12:00	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30
BROADCAST STATIONS												
2 KTCA	Dinosaur Train	Clifford-Dog	Sesame Street	Donkey Hodie	Daniel Tiger	Let's Go Luna!	Nature Cat	Hero Elementary	Alma's Way	Xavier Riddle	Odd Squad	Arthur
4 WCCO	News at Noon	Bold/Beautiful	The Talk		Let's Make a Deal		Dr. Phil	The Ellen DeGeneres Show		News at 5pm	CBS Evening News	
5 KSTP	GMA3: What You Need to Know	General Hospital		The Kelly Clarkson Show		Twin Cities Live		Twin Cities	5 Eyewitness News	News Live at 5	ABC World News	
9 KMSP	The Wendy Williams Show	Nick Cannon		TMZ Live		You Bet Your Life	You Bet Your Life	Judge Judy	Judge Judy	FOX 9 at 5p	FOX 9 at 5:30p	
11 KARE	Days of our Lives	Rachael Ray	Daily Blast Live	Daily Blast Live	Inside Edition	Ent. Tonight	KARE 11 News	Jeopardy!	KARE 11 News at 5	Nightly News		
23 WUCW	Judge Mathis	The People's Court		Relative Justice	Judge Jerry	The Drew Barrymore Show		Family Feud	Funny You Ask	Two and a Half Men	Two and a Half Men	
29 WFTC	The Jason Show	Access Daily		Wendy Williams Show		The Good Dish		Person	25 Words	Jdg Judy	Jdg Judy	
41 KPXM	Varied Programs											

MONDAY PRIME TIME

AUGUST 8, 2022												
	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
BROADCAST STATIONS												
2 KTCA	PBS NewsHour (N) (cc)	Antiques Roadshow (Part 3 of 3) (cc)		Dambusters Story: A Battle Against Time		Nazi Mega Weapons (cc)		POV "President" A new leader takes on acting president. (N) (cc)				
4 WCCO	News at 6pm	Wheel of Fortune	The Neigh- Bob Hears borhood	Abishola	NCIS "False Start" (cc)	NCIS: Hawai'i Crucial evidence is stolen.	News at 10pm	The Late Show With Stephen Colbert (N)	James Corden			
5 KSTP	News	News	The Bachelorette (N) (cc)		Claim to Fame "The Dombfather Part II" (N)			5 Eyewitness News	Jimmy Kimmel Live!	Nightline (N) (cc)		
9 KMSP	FOX 9 at 6p (N)	FOX 9 at 6:30p (N)	Don't Forget the Lyrics! (N) (cc)	Beat Shazam "Schoolhouse Rock!" (N)	FOX 9 at 9p (N) (cc)	FOX 9's 10 at 10 (N)	TMZ (N) (cc)	Access Hollywood	Dish Nation (N)			
11 KARE	KARE 11 News at 6	Breaking The News	American Ninja Warrior "Semifinals 4" The semifinals conclude. (N) (cc)		Weakest Link (cc)			News	The Tonight Show Starring Jimmy Fallon	Seth Meyers		
23 WUCW	Family Feud (cc)	Family Feud (cc)	Roswell, New Mexico "Wild Wild West" (N)	In the Dark "Center of Gravity" (N) (cc)	The National Desk (N) (Live)	The National Desk (N) (Live)	Extra (N) (cc)	Daily-MailTV				
29 WFTC	Big Bang	Big Bang	News	News	Mod Fam	Mod Fam	Big Bang	Creek	TMZ (N)	Dish Nat.	Law & Order: SVU	
41 KPXM	MacGyver "Toothpick"	MacGyver "Wrench"	Leverage: Redemption		Leverage: Redemption	Leverage: Redemption	Leverage: Redemption	Leverage (cc)				

TUESDAY PRIME TIME

AUGUST 9, 2022												
	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
BROADCAST STATIONS												
2 KTCA	PBS NewsHour (N) (cc)	Finding Your Roots With Henry		America Outdoors With Baratunde		Frontline Taliban's crackdown on women.		NOVA (cc)		Expedition With Steve Backshall (cc)		
4 WCCO	News at 6pm	Wheel of Fortune	FBI A terrorist group is planning an attack.		FBI: International (cc)		FBI: Most Wanted (cc)	News at 10pm	The Late Show With Stephen Colbert (N)	James Corden		
5 KSTP	News	News	Celebrity Wheel of Fortune (cc)	Generation Gap Access Marla Gibbs.		Celebrity Family Feud (cc)	5 Eyewitness News	Jimmy Kimmel Live!	Nightline (N) (cc)			
9 KMSP	FOX 9 at 6p (N)	FOX 9 at 6:30p (N)	So You Think You Can Dance (cc)	Fantasy Island "Twice in a Lifetime"		FOX 9 at 9p (N) (cc)	FOX 9's 10 at 10 (N)	TMZ (N) (cc)	Access Hollywood	Dish Nation (N)		
11 KARE	KARE 11 News at 6	Breaking The News	America's Got Talent "Qualifiers 1" Eleven acts perform live; viewers judge. (N) (cc)		Password Contestants play a word game. (N)			News	The Tonight Show Starring Jimmy Fallon	Seth Meyers		
23 WUCW	Family Feud (cc)	Family Feud (cc)	Superman & Lois "Tried and True" (cc)	Mysteries Decoded (cc)	The National Desk (N) (Live)	The National Desk (N) (Live)	Extra (N) (cc)	Daily-MailTV				
29 WFTC	Big Bang	Big Bang	News	News	Mod Fam	Mod Fam	Big Bang	Creek	TMZ (N)	Dish Nat.	Chicago Fire (cc)	
41 KPXM	Chicago Fire (cc)	Chicago Fire (cc)	Chicago Fire (cc)	Chicago Fire (cc)	Chicago Fire (cc)	Chicago Fire (cc)	Chicago Fire (cc)	Chicago Fire (cc)				

WEDNESDAY PRIME TIME

AUGUST 10, 2022												
	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
BROADCAST STATIONS												
2 KTCA	PBS NewsHour (N) (cc)	Nature An African wild dog family.		NOVA Theories about the Big Bang.		Expedition With Steve Backshall (N) (cc)		Dambusters Story: A Battle Against Time		Nazi Mega Weapons (cc)		
4 WCCO	News at 6pm	Wheel of Fortune	Big Brother (N) (cc)		The Challenge: USA "A Civil War" (N) (cc)		S.W.A.T. (cc)	News at 10pm	The Late Show With Stephen Colbert (N)	James Corden		
5 KSTP	News	News	The Conners	The Goldbergs	Abbott Elementary	Home Economics	Press Your Luck (cc)	5 Eyewitness News	Jimmy Kimmel Live!	Nightline (N) (cc)		
9 KMSP	FOX 9 at 6p (N)	FOX 9 at 6:30p (N)	MasterChef (N) (cc)		So You Think You Can Dance (N) (cc)		FOX 9 at 9p (N) (cc)	FOX 9's 10 at 10 (N)	TMZ (N) (cc)	Access Hollywood	Dish Nation (N)	
11 KARE	KARE 11 News at 6	Breaking The News	America's Got Talent Two acts move on. (N)		Password Contestants play a word game. (N)		Chicago P.D. "Fool's Gold" (cc)	News	The Tonight Show Starring Jimmy Fallon	Seth Meyers		
23 WUCW	Family Feud (cc)	Family Feud (cc)	Mysteries Decoded (N) (cc)	Wellington	Wellington	The National Desk (N) (Live)	The National Desk (N) (Live)	Extra (N) (cc)	Daily-MailTV			
29 WFTC	Big Bang	Big Bang	News	News	Mod Fam	Mod Fam	Big Bang	Creek	TMZ (N)	Dish Nat.	Dateline (cc)	
41 KPXM	Blue Bloods	Blue Bloods	Blue Bloods	Blue Bloods	Blue Bloods	Blue Bloods	Blue Bloods	Blue Bloods				

THURSDAY PRIME TIME

AUGUST 11, 2022												
	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
BROADCAST STATIONS												
2 KTCA	PBS NewsHour (N) (cc)	Father Brown (cc)		Frankie Drake Mysteries "Showstoppers"		Broadchurch Dealing with the aftermath.		The Vicar of Dibley "Fall/Summer" (cc)		The Hour		
4 WCCO	News at 6pm	Wheel of Fortune	Young Sheldon	Ghosts (cc)	Big Brother (N) (Live) (cc)	CSI: Vegas "Let the Chips Fall" (cc)	News at 10pm	The Late Show With Stephen Colbert (N)	James Corden			
5 KSTP	News	News	Press Your Luck "The Challenger!" (N)	Generation Gap (cc)		The Con "The Black Widow Con" (N) (cc)	5 Eyewitness News	Jimmy Kimmel Live!	Nightline (N) (cc)			
9 KMSP	MLB Baseball Chicago Cubs vs Cincinnati Reds. From Field of Dreams in Dyersville, Iowa. (N) (Live) (cc)	FOX 9 at 9p (N) (cc)		FOX 9's 10 at 10 (N)		TMZ (N) (cc)	Access Hollywood	Dish Nation (N)				
11 KARE	KARE 11 News at 6	Breaking The News	Law & Order "Severance" (cc)	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit	Law & Order: Organized Crime	News	The Tonight Show Starring Jimmy Fallon	Seth Meyers				
23 WUCW	Family Feud (cc)	Family Feud (cc)	Bump (N)	Bump (N)	Great Chocolate Showdown (N) (cc)	The National Desk (N) (Live)	The National Desk (N) (Live)	Extra (N) (cc)	Daily-MailTV			
29 WFTC	Big Bang	Big Bang	News	News	Mod Fam	Mod Fam	Big Bang	Creek	TMZ (N)	Dish Nat.	Dateline (cc)	
41 KPXM	Chicago P.D. "Assets"	Chicago P.D.	Chicago P.D.	Chicago P.D.	Chicago P.D.	Chicago P.D.	Chicago P.D.	Chicago P.D.				

FRIDAY PRIME TIME

AUGUST 12, 2022												
	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
BROADCAST STATIONS												
2 KTCA	PBS NewsHour (N) (cc)	Almanac (cc)		The Great American Recipe (N) (cc)		Stage "Yam Haus/ DNM"		Great Performances "GRAMMY Salute to Music Legends" Tribute to the 2019 nominees.				
4 WCCO	News at 6pm	Wheel of Fortune	Secret Celebrity Renovation "Nathan Chen"	Blue Bloods "Be Smart or Be Dead"	Blue Bloods "USA Today" (cc)	News at 10pm	The Late Show With Stephen Colbert (N)	James Corden				
5 KSTP	News	News	Shark Tank (cc)	20/20 (N) (cc)		5 Eyewitness News		Jimmy Kimmel Live!	Nightline (N) (cc)			
9 KMSP	FOX 9 at 6p (N)	FOX 9 at 6:30p (N)	WWE Friday Night SmackDown (N) (Live)			FOX 9 at 9p (N)	Enough Said (N) (cc)	Sports Now	TMZ (N) (cc)	Access Hollywood	Dish Nation (N)	
11 KARE	KARE 11 News at 6	Breaking The News	American Ninja Warrior "Semifinals 4" The semifinals conclude. (cc)			Dateline NBC (N) (cc)		News	The Tonight Show Starring Jimmy Fallon	Seth Meyers		
23 WUCW	Family Feud (cc)	Family Feud (cc)	Killer Camp Tensions begin to run high.	Dynasty "But a Drug Scandal?" (N) (cc)	The National Desk (N) (Live)	The National Desk (N) (Live)	Extra (N) (cc)	Daily-MailTV				
29 WFTC	Big Bang	Big Bang	Minor League Baseball	Columbus Clippers at St. Paul Saints. (N)	TMZ (N)	Enough	Big Bang	Creek				
41 KPXM	Hawaii Five-0 (cc)	Hawaii Five-0 (cc)	Hawaii Five-0 (cc)	Hawaii Five-0 (cc)	Hawaii Five-0 (cc)	Hawaii Five-0 (cc)	Hawaii Five-0 (cc)	Hawaii Five-0 (cc)				

SATURDAY

AUGUST 13, 2022												
	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
BROADCAST STATIONS												
2 KTCA	Classic Wood	American Woodshop	Project Fire	The Craft "Pryes"	Joanne Weir	Scandinavian	Jacques Pepin	My Greek Table	Kitchen Queens:	Mexican Table	Flavor of Poland	Lidia's Kitchen
4 WCCO	CBS Saturday Morning (N) (cc)			WCCO 4 News Saturday Morning (N) (cc)		Lucky Dog (N) (EI)	Innovation Nation	Mission Unstoppable	Hope in the Wild	Paid Program (cc)	Paid Program (cc)	
5 KSTP	5 Eyewitness News AM (N) (cc)	Good Morning America (N) (cc)		Good Morning America (N) (cc)		5 Eyewitness News at 9am (N) (cc)		Wildlife Nation	oh baby! (EI) (cc)	To Be Announced		
9 KMSP	Exploration Space	Sports Stars	FOX 9 Morning Saturday (N)			Paid Program (cc)	Paid Program (cc)	Paid Program (cc)	Paid Program (cc)	Paid Program (cc)	Paid Program (cc)	Paid Program (cc)
11 KARE	Today (N) (cc)		Earth Odyssey		KARE 11 News Saturday (N) (cc)			Earth Odyssey	Wild Child (EI)	Vets Saving Pets	Premier Soccer	
23 WUCW	Paid Program (cc)	Real Estate	Science Now (cc)	Teen Kids News (N)	Hanna Into the Wild	Hanna Into the Wild	Hanna Into the Wild	Hanna Into the Wild	The Open Road	Ready, Set, Pet	Paid Program (cc)	Paid Program (cc)
29 WFTC	Life 2.0	Heartland	Biz Kid\$	Planet	America's Weather	America's Weather	America's Weather	America's Weather	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	The Jason Show (cc)	
41 KPXM	NCIS: New Orleans	NCIS: New Orleans	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	

SUNDAY

AUGUST 14, 2022												
	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
BROADCAST STATIONS												
2 KTCA	Kevin Belton	Test Kitchen	Kimball's Milk Street	Cook's Country	Yellowstone Symphony (cc)	America Outdoors With Baratunde		The Great American Recipe The three remaining cooks compete.		Henry Louis		
4 WCCO	Paid Program (cc)	Paid Program (cc)	Paid Program (cc)	Stories from the 2022 James Beard Awards	Beyond Limits (N)	Pickleball Sketchers Summer Championship. From Los Angeles. (N) (Live) (cc)	News at 5pm	Weekend News				
5 KSTP	To Be Announced			Spanish Primera Division Soccer Barcelona vs Rayo Vallecano. From Camp Nou in Barcelona, Catalonia, Spain.		Paid Program (cc)	Paid Program (cc)	News	ABC World News			
9 KMSP	Paid Program (cc)	Paid Program (cc)	Paid Program (cc)	WalkFit!	Paid Program (cc)	Paid Program (cc)	Access Hollywood (N) (cc)	Judge Judy (cc)	Judge Judy (cc)	FOX 9 at 5p (N)	FOX 9 at 5:30p (N)	
11 KARE	(11:30) Premier League Soccer Brentford vs Manchester United.	Prem Goal Zone		PGA Tour Golf FedEx St. Jude Championship. Third Round. (N) (Live)			KARE 11 News at 5	Nightly News				
23 WUCW	Paid Program (cc)	Paid Program (cc)	Paid Program (cc)	Paid Program (cc)	Movie: Jane Wants a Boyfriend (2015) (Eliza Dushku, Louisa Krause)	Paid Program (cc)	Paid Program (cc)	MNFluencers (cc)	Funny You Ask			
29 WFTC	SOS: How to Survive	Chicago Fire (cc)	Chicago Fire (cc)	Chicago Fire (cc)	The Book of Sean	Dateline (cc)	Dateline (cc)					
41 KPXM	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU		

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BROADCAST STATIONS												
2 KTCA	Molly of Denali (EI)	Wild Kratts (EI) (cc)	Hero Elementary	Alma's Way (EI)	This Town (cc)	Washington Week	Almanac (cc)	To the Contrary	The Brain Revolution (cc)			
4 WCCO	WCCO 4 News Sunday Morning at 6 (N)	WCCO 4 News Sunday Morning at 7 (N)		CBS News Sunday Morning (N) (cc)	Face the Nation (N) (cc)	News	WCCO 4 News	Paid Program (cc)	Paid Program (cc)			
5 KSTP	5 Eyewitness News AM (N) (cc)	Good Morning America (N) (cc)		5 Eyewitness News (N) (cc)	This Week W/ George Stephanopoulos	At Issue (N)	Paid Program (cc)	Hearts of Heroes (N)	Free Enterprise			
9 KMSP	Second Chance	Exploration Sci	FOX 9 Morning Sunday (N)	FOX News Sunday (N) (cc)	FOX 9 Morning Sunday (N)	FOX 9 Morning Sunday (N)	FOX 9 Morning Sunday (N)	Retirement	Paid Program (cc)			
11 KARE	Open House	Grace for Living	The Voyager	One Team Sports	Sunday Today With Willie Geist (N) (cc)	Meet the Press (N) (cc)	Joel Osteen (cc)	Time of Grace	Paid Program (cc)	Paid Program (cc)	Paid Program (cc)	
23 WUCW	Prostate Health	Midnight Cry Minis.	Mountain Faith	Catholic Mass	Christian Worship Hour	Pastor's Study	Paid Program (cc)	Sharyl Attkisson	Elevation with	Paid Program (cc)	Paid Program (cc)	
29 WFTC	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Andrew Wommack	This Is th	Main St.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Diocese of	
41 KPXM	NCIS: New Orleans	NCIS: New Orleans	NCIS "So It Goes"	NCIS "Choke Hold"	NCIS (cc)	NCIS (cc)	NCIS (cc)	NCIS (cc)	NCIS (cc)			

PUBLIC NOTICES

PUBLIC HEARING

**PUBLIC NOTICE
CITY OF ISANTI
PLANNING COMMISSION**
Public Hearing on August 16, 2022

Notice is hereby given that on **Tuesday, August 16, 2022, at 7:00 p.m. or shortly thereafter following the City Council Meeting and Budget Work Session if deemed necessary, at the Isanti City Hall located at 110 First Avenue NW;** the Planning Commission will hold a Public Hearing on the following items:

1. Request by the Isanti County Sheriff's Office for approval of a Conditional Use Permit under City Ordinance 445, Section 21, Article 2. Said request is to install a VHF Paging Repeater on the City Water Tower at 601 E Dual Blvd NE for Telecommunications Services.

BY ORDER OF THE CITY OF ISANTI, MINNESOTA.

Ryan Saltis
Community Development Specialist

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PROBATE

**STATE OF MINNESOTA
DISTRICT COURT
ISANTI COUNTY
10TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT**
Court File Number: 30-PR-22-75
Case Type: Informal Probate
In re the Estate of Cindy May Kaunzner, a/k/a Cindy M. Mason, Deceased

Notice of Informal Appointment of Personal Representative and Notice to Creditors (Without a Will)
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND CREDITORS:

Notice is hereby given that an application for informal appointment of personal representative has been filed with the Probate Registrar. No will has been presented for probate. The application has been granted.

Notice is also given that the Probate Registrar has informally appointed the following:

Name Sheryl Zagaros
Address 12031 Ilex Street NW
Coon Rapids MN 55448

as Personal Representative of the Estate of the Decedent. Any heir, devisee or other interested person may be entitled to appointment as Personal Representative, or may object to the appointment of the Personal Representative. Unless objections are filed pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 524.3-607, and the court otherwise orders, the Personal Representative has full power to administer the Estate, including, after 30 days from the date of issuance of letters, the power to sell, encumber, lease or distribute real estate.

Notice is also given that, subject to Minn. Stat. § 524.3-801, all creditors having claims against the Estate are required to present the claims to the Personal Representative or to the Court Administrator within four (4) months after the date of this Notice, or the claims will be barred.

Date 7/25/2022
Pamela Kreier
Probate Registrar
ErinBoettcher
Court Administrator

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NOTICES

**LAKE FANNY
IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT
ANNUAL MEETING**

The Lake Fanny Improvement

District annual meeting and picnic will be on August 28th from 1:30 to 4 p.m. at Lakeside Christian Church. The church is at: 32393 Rendova Circle NE, Cambridge.

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CAMBRIDGE/ISANTI SELF STORAGE

This is notice of intent to sell items located at Isanti Self Storage and Cambridge Self Storage. If Amber Dock E135, Daniel Tresedder 69, Sarah Powers M05, Danny Scott K20&I39, Joan Westman C63&C51, Christine Bohem M09, Heather Dahlberg K38, Taylor Johnson J44, and Julie Peterson J56, do not pay their balances in full by August 16, 2022 at 9 a.m., an online auction will be held on August 17, 2022 at 9 a.m. at www.storageauctions.net. The units appear to hold household and garage items.

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CITY OF CAMBRIDGE SUMMARY PUBLICATION

Ordinance 751 amended and updated the sewer and water connection charge Residency Equivalent Units (REU's). This Ordinance repealed and replaced Ordinance No. 260. A complete copy of the ordinance is available at City Hall, 300 3rd Avenue NE, Cambridge for inspection.

ATTEST:
Evan C. Vogel
City Administrator

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SUMMARY PUBLICATION OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE CAMBRIDGE CITY COUNCIL

The complete minutes are available for public inspection at the office of the City Administrator, 300 3rd Ave. NE, Cambridge, Minnesota.

Members Present: Mayor James Godfrey; Council Members Lisa Iverson, Bob Shogren, Kersten Barknecht Conley, and Mark Ziebarth.

Regular City Council Meeting
July 18, 2022

- Called meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

- Approved consent agenda items A-J

- Approved Purchase Agreement as presented by Metro Plains

- Approved R22-051 Interim Use Permit to keep chickens at 411 1st Ave W

- Approved ORD 749 rezoning from B-2 to R-3 at 600 Main St. N

- Approved the amended R22-052 for an IUP for Storage Pods at 1001 Cleveland St. S.

- Approved the amended the R22-053 for an IUP for Storage Pods at 205 Railroad St. S.

- Approved the amended R22-054 for an IUP for Storage Pods at 625 2nd Avenue SE

- Approved the amended R22-055 for an IUP for Storage Pods at 855 Cleveland St. S.

- Approved R22-056 for an IUP for Storage Pods at 930 Cleveland St. S

- Approved Ordinance 750 – Amending Title V Public Works, Chapter 51 Water Service

- Approved Ordinance 751 – Sewer and Water Charges-Residency Equivalent Units

- approved the change of title for the Assistant City Administrator to the Deputy City Administrator

- Approved GDL Law for the City's Legal Services

- Approved Cambridge Police Department grant agreement with the MN Department of Safety & Transportation

- Approved part time hire at Northbound Liquor

- Concluded at 7:46 p.m.

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

COUNTY: Isanti
MUNICIPALITY: Cambridge, MN
PROJECT NAME: Cambridge Apartments

The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) is considering providing financial support through the HOME Investment Partnerships (HOME) Program for the following project:

Cambridge Apartments is a 65-unit, 3-story apartment building that is designed for individuals, couples, small and large families, including those experiencing homelessness or with a disability. The project is located off Old Main Street South, south of 21st Avenue SW and west of Highway 65. Seventy-five percent (75%) of the units are two-bedroom or larger. Twenty-seven (27) units, over forty one percent (41%), are three- and four-bedroom units. Amenities are incorporated into the design to enhance the quality of life for the residents. These amenities include a community room, fitness area, conference room, laundry facilities, walking paths and outdoor play area. Parking for residents and guests will be provided on-site in a 147-stall surface parking lot.

HUD is identifying organizations with an interest in the project and its potential to affect historic properties. The purpose of this letter is to find out whether you wish to become a consulting party for this project. Consulting parties have certain rights and obligations under the National Historic Preservation Act and its implementing regulations at 36 CFR Part 800. The review process, known as Section 106 review, is described at https://www.onecpd.info/environmental-review/historic-preservation/ and at https://www.achp.gov/digital-library-section-106-landing/citizens-guide-section-106-review.

By becoming a consulting party, you will be actively informed of steps in the Section 106 process, including public meetings, and your views will be actively sought. If you would like to request consulting party status on this project, please contact Aaron Keniski at aaron.keniski@state.mn.us. Mr. Keniski can also be reached at 651-296-4452.

In order to become a consulting party, you must respond by August 18th, 2022 to request consulting party status. If you do not respond within this time frame, you may request consulting party status in

the future; however, the project may advance without your input and you won't have an opportunity to comment on the current steps. If you are requesting consulting party status, we do ask that your organization nominate one representative and an alternate to participate on behalf of the group. People may also participate in the Section 106 process as members of the public.

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STATE OF MINNESOTA COUNTY OF CHISAGO CITY OF NORTH BRANCH ORDINANCE NO. 342-22

REVISIONS TO ZONING CODE RESULTING IN THE REPEAL AND REPLACEMENT OF THE FLOODPLAIN ORDINANCES

AN ORDINANCE REPEALING AND REPLACING CHAPTER 66, ZONING, ARTICLE V DISTRICTS AND DISTRICT REGULATIONS, DIVISION 18, FLOODPLAIN MANAGEMENT OVERLAY DISTRICT, WITH THE ATTACHED AND SECTION 66-8 DEFINITIONS AS FOLLOWS.

SECTION 1 AMENDMENTS

Accessory Structure means a structure, as defined in this ordinance, that is on the same parcel of property as, and is incidental to, the principal structure or use; an accessory structure specifically excludes structures used for human habitation.

Base Flood means the flood having a one-percent chance of being equaled or exceeded in any given year. "Base flood" is synonymous with the term "regional flood" used in Minnesota Rules, part 6120.5000.

Base Flood Elevation (BFE) means the elevation of the base flood, regional flood, or one-percent annual chance flood. The term "base flood elevation" is used in the flood insurance study.

Critical Facilities means buildings and structures that contain essential facilities and services necessary for emergency response and recovery, or that pose a substantial risk to the public in the event of failure, disruption of function, or damage by flooding. Specifically, this includes facilities identified as Flood Design Class 4 in ASCE 24-14, Flood Resistant Design and

Construction, as amended. Examples include health care facilities, facilities required for emergency response, power generating stations, communications towers, or electrical substations.

Development means any man-made change to improved or unimproved real estate, including, but not limited to buildings or other structures, mining, dredging, filling, grading, paving, excavation or drilling operations, or storage of equipment or materials.

FEMA means Federal Emergency Management Agency.

Farm Fence means an open type of fence of posts and horizontally run wire, further specified in Minnesota Statutes, section 344.02, Subd. 1(a-d).

Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) means an official map on which the Federal Insurance Administrator has delineated both the special flood hazard areas and the risk premium zones applicable to the community. A FIRM that has been made available digitally is called a Digital Flood Insurance Rate Map (DFIRM).

Flood Insurance Study (FIS) means the study referenced in Section 66-999(b), which is an examination, evaluation and determination of flood hazards, and if appropriate, corresponding surface elevations, or an examination, evaluation, and determination of mudslide (i.e. mudflow) and/or flood-related erosion hazards.

Flood Prone Area means any land susceptible to being inundated by water from any source.

Light Duty Truck means any motor vehicle that has all three of the following:

- (a) 8,500 pounds Gross Vehicle Weight Rating or less;

- (b) vehicle curb weight of 6,000 pounds or less; and

- (c) basic vehicle frontal area less than 45 square feet.

New Construction means structures for which the start of construction commenced on or after the effective date of an adopted floodplain management regulation, and includes any subsequent improvements to such structures.

Principal Structure means the main building or other structure on a lot that is utilized for the property's principal use.

Regulatory Floodplain means the geographic limits of the flood hazard

areas regulated through this ordinance, which includes the areas adjoining a wetland, lake or watercourse that have been or hereafter may be covered by the Regulatory Flood Protection Elevation (RFPE) (as illustrated in Section 66-999(a)(3) Figure 2).

Repetitive Loss means flood related damages sustained by a structure on two separate occasions during a ten year period for which the cost of repairs at the time of each such flood event on the average equals or exceeds 25% of the market value of the structure before the damage occurred.

Stage Increase means any increase in the water surface elevation during the one-percent annual chance flood caused by encroachments on the floodplain.

Start of Construction includes substantial improvement, and means the date the permit was issued, provided the actual start of construction, repair, reconstruction, rehabilitation, addition placement, or other improvement was within 180 days of the permit date. The actual start means either the first placement of permanent construction of a structure on a site, such as the pouring of slab or footings, the installation of piles, the construction of columns, or any work beyond the stage of excavation; or the placement of a manufactured home on a foundation. Permanent construction does not include land preparation, such as clearing, grading and filling; nor does it include the installation of streets and/or walkways; nor does it include excavation for a basement, footings, piers, foundations, or the erection of temporary forms; nor does it include the installation on the property of accessory buildings, such as garages or sheds not occupied as dwelling units or not part of the main structure. For a substantial improvement, the actual start of construction means the first alteration of any wall, ceiling, floor, or other structural part of a building, whether or not that alteration affects the external dimensions of the building.

SECTION 2 AMENDMENTS

Flood means a temporary increase rise in the flow or stage water surface elevation of a stream, or in the stage of a wetland or lake that results in the inundation of normally dry areas.

Flood fringe means that portion of the one-percent annual chance floodplain located outside of the floodway. This district also includes any additional area encompassed by the horizontal extension of the RFPE, as described in Section 66-699(a)(3).

Variance (floodplain) means a modification of a specific permitted development standard required in an official control including this chapter to allow an alternative development standard not stated as acceptable in the official control, but only as applied to a particular property for the purpose of alleviating a hardship, practical difficulty or unique circumstance as defined and elaborated upon in a community's respective planning and zoning enabling legislation.

"Variance" means the same as that defined in 44 CFR § 59.1 and Minnesota Statutes, Section 462.357, Subd. 6(2)

SECTION 2 EFFECTIVE DATE

This Ordinance shall take full effect and be in full force after its passage and publication according to law.

RESULT: ADOPTED BY CONSENT VOTE [UNANIMOUS]

MOVER: Robert Canada, Councilmember

SECONDER: Kelly Neider, Councilmember/Acting Mayor

AYES: Swenson, Neider, Blomquist, Canada, Meacham

Passed and adopted this 26th day of July 2022

CITY OF NORTH BRANCH

BY: Jim Swenson, Mayor

ATTEST: Renae Fry, City Administrator

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CITY OF NORTH BRANCH ANNUAL DISCLOSURE OF TAX INCREMENT DISTRICTS

TIF District Name:	Prairie Partners Venture TIF - ESSBY	Redev Dist 2 Gateway	TIF 2005-A
Current net tax capacity	13,362	160,524	107,844
Original net tax capacity	0	10,411	10,939
Captured net tax capacity	13,362	150,113	96,905
Principal and interest payments due during current year	231,415	192,650	0
Tax increment received	19,283	216,626	118,192
Tax increment expended	152,332	187,234	121,103
Month and year of first tax increment receipt	July 2013	December 2000	July 2006
Date of required decertification	12-31-2038	12-31-2025	12-31-2031

TIF District Name:	TIF 2017-1 Flashing by Design	TIF 2018-1 Willow Grove	TIF 2020-1 Everlong Holdings
Current net tax capacity	19,166	21,600	0
Original net tax capacity	2,027	1,038	0
Captured net tax capacity	17,139	20,562	0
Principal and interest payments due during current year	0	17,949	0
Tax increment received	24,604	28,384	0
Tax increment expended	3,205	11,818	0
Month and year of first tax increment receipt	June 2021	June 2021	July 2022
Date of required decertification	12-31-2028	12-31-2046	12-31-2030

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2021

Additional information regarding each district may be obtained from:

Renae Fry, City Administrator
6408 Elm Street, P.O. Box 910 North Branch, MN 55056
(651) 674-8113
renaef@ci.north-branch.mn.us

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2021 ANNUAL DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Name of Development Authority: City of Isanti
Name of Municipality: City of Isanti

The following information represents the annual disclosure of tax increment districts for the year ended December 31, 2021.

Isanti-Chisago County Star on 8/15/22
(Name of the Newspaper) (Date of Publication)

	Name of TIF Districts		
	TIF-9 CBD Revitalization	TIF - 10 Restart Ind Park - Phase II	TIF - 11 TIF District No. 11
Current net tax capacity	\$ 43,436	\$ 0	\$ 0
Original net tax capacity	\$ 30,638	\$ 0	\$ 0
Captured net tax capacity	\$ 12,798	\$ 0	\$ 0
Principal and interest payments due in 2022	\$ 3,566	\$ 0	\$ 0
Tax increment received in 2021	\$ 17,561	\$ 41	\$ 0
Tax increment expended in 2021	\$ 3,566	\$ 0	\$ 0
Month and year of first tax increment receipt (MM / YYYY)	7 / 2007	7 / 2008	6 / 2014
Date of required decertification (MM / DD / YYYY)	12/31/2032	12/31/2016	12/31/2022

(All lines within the table must be published even if the amounts to be published are zero.)

Additional information regarding each district may be obtained from: (Required to be published)

Mike Betker MBetker@cityofisanti.us
Name of TIF Representative Email

PO Box 428, Isanti, MN 55040 763-444-5512
Address (Street, City, Zip) Phone

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APPROVED ORDINANCE

Ordinance 342-22 repeals and replaces the city's existing floodplain ordinance in order to be in full compliance with the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) - which is required for flood insurance and certain types of disaster assistance, without the adoption of this, the city and its residents would not be able to obtain flood insurance.

SECTION 2 EFFECTIVE DATE

These Ordinances shall take full effect and be in full force after its passage and publication according to law.

RESULT: ADOPTED BY CONSENT VOTE [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER: Robert Canada, Councilmember
SECONDER: Kelly Neider,

Councilmember/Acting Mayor
AYES: Swenson, Neider, Blomquist, Canada, Meacham
Passed and adopted this 26th day of July 2022
CITY OF NORTH BRANCH
BY:
Jim Swenson, Mayor
ATTEST:
Renae Fry, City Administrator
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STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF CHISAGO
CITY OF NORTH BRANCH
ORDINANCE NO. 344-22
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CITY CODE, SEC 50-61 ROW MANAGEMENT PERMIT FEES

AND DAMAGE DEPOSITS AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 50, STREETS, SIDEWALKS AND OTHER PUBLIC PLACES, SECTION 50-61 PERMIT FEES AND DAMAGE DEPOSITS, AS FOLLOWS.

SECTION 1 AMENDMENTS

The following sections shall be amended as follows: Sec 50-61 PERMIT FEES AND DAMAGE DEPOSITS Subd. 4. Damage Deposits. The city requires a damage deposit in an amount up to \$1,500 per permit to cover any damages caused by the applicant, when work is taking place within the right of way, but not within the confinements of the street section when no asphalt or curb will be removed. For work taking place

in the street section, requiring pavement or curb removal the deposit is \$5,000 per permit. The damage deposit will remain on deposit with the city until the permit has been closed and required restoration work is complete and approved by the Director. Provided further that the maximum amount persons issued multiple permits need to deposit is \$5,000, which amount will remain on deposit with the city until all permits have been closed and required restoration work is complete and approved by the Director.

SECTION 2 EFFECTIVE DATE

This Ordinance shall take full effect and be in full force after its passage and publication according to law.

RESULT: ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER: Robert Canada, Councilmember
SECONDER: Patrick Meacham, Councilmember
AYES: Swenson, Neider, Blomquist, Canada, Meacham
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CLASSIFIEDS

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Kanabec County Times
320-679-2661
Pine City Pioneer
320-629-6771
Isanti-Chisago County Star
763-689-1181 ext 101

Lost phone at Kanabec County Fair, Sat., 7/30/22. Call 651-437-3895

52 Cars

1987 Pontiac Fiero. \$500. New brakes, needs engine work. 612-817-5490.

2010 Legacy Outback AWD wagon. 2.5L Premium. Silver steel metal, A/C, heated seats, AM/FM radio, luggage rack, trailer hitch. New exhaust. Very good condition. \$11,200. Contact: chapinandie@gmail.com

53 Vehicles Wanted

Autos Wanted Dead or alive. Any make Any model FREE towing. 320-629-5865

56 Campers/RV's

2000 Windsport Coach R.V. 40-foot, 38,750-miles, V-10 Triton, 1 slideout. Double A/C. Sleeps 6. \$16,000 OBO. 320-679-2218/320-279-0279

102 Services

Alterations and clothing repairs, 25 years experience. 320-396-4152 Contact Rosemary. Braham

Diesel Problems? Call the experts: East Central Diesel 763-689-9470 eastcentraldiesel.net

102 Services

Free TV: No monthly bills. Give me a call, Dave's TV and Antenna: 320-515-0270

Property Corner Location Services. Locate and mark existing property pins. Call Rich at 612-518-6045

Roofing, chimney repairs. We can save you money. 612-845-0289

Spray Foam Insulation: Pole barns, new construction, remodels. Call Bill, 763-273-0248; Mark, 320-364-3156.

112 Tree Service

Tree Fellers Tree Service Insured arborist with 20+ years of experience. Free estimates - trimming, removal, and consultations. 763-443-2631

115 Heating & Cooling

More heat, Less wood. Classic edge Titanium HDX EPA certified OUTDOOR WOOD FURNACE. 26% Tax Credit. Prices as low as \$200 per month! Call today 612-805-2362

201 Child Care

Deb's Tiny Tots experience. Infant thru school ages. Certified CPR/First Aid. Braham. 763-333-4990.

305 Pets/Services

King Shepherd puppies for sale. Malamute/German Shepherd mix. Calm temperament. \$250 each. Call/text 320-496-7441

Dog training classes now starting in Cambridge. 763-689-8940

305 Pets/Services

King Shepherd puppies; mix between Alaskan Malamute and German Shepherd. Calm temperament \$250 call Kevin 320-496-7441

355 Furniture

For Sale: Reconditioned washers, dryers, ranges, refrigerators. Rick's Home Furnishings 320-679-4047.

358 Firewood

20-foot pole length mixed hardwood firewood, 5-cord load, \$650 plus fuel surcharge. 320-679-1815.

3-Cord loads, 16 inch, split, mixed hardwood, \$635/load; all oak, \$675/load. 320-679-1815

361 Lawn & Garden

Brush mowing, dirt work, tilling, food plots. 763-232-7196

362 Miscellaneous

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Today's cobbler bakers enjoy the benefits of having more direction when putting together their desserts. This recipe for "Southern Peach Cobbler" comes courtesy of Paula Deen.

Southern Peach Cobbler

Serves 15

- 1 1/2 cups self-rising flour
- 1 stick butter
- 1/2 cup water
- 2 cups sugar, divided
- 4 cups peaches, peeled and sliced
- 1 cup milk
- Ground cinnamon (optional)

Preheat oven to 350 F.

Combine the peaches, 1 cup sugar, and water in a saucepan and mix well. Bring to a boil and simmer for 10 minutes. Remove from the heat.

Put the butter in a 3-quart baking dish and place in oven to melt.

Mix remaining 1 cup sugar, flour, and milk slowly to prevent clumping. Pour mixture over melted butter. Do not stir.

Spoon fruit on top, gently pouring in syrup. Sprinkle top with ground cinnamon, if using. Batter will rise to top during baking. Bake for 30 to 45 minutes.

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