

April / May / June 2014  
Number Three Hundred Two

*Dedicated In Memory of Jean Amrhein*

### *Park and Ride Update*

The city engineer provided an update to the council on the Park and Ride Construction Project. Currently contractors are working on the municipal utilities. Traffic delays are expected in the area. Updates to appropriate personnel will be done as the project continues.

### *Standard for Training / Development*

The Park and Recreation Supervisor updated the council on the Standard for Training and Development of the staff. Request had been made for defining a standard for training and development at all levels within the city. The staff designed a plan for the training expectations with flexibility to tailor the training for what was/is most beneficial to each position. A tracking system also has been included so as to enter training activities as they occur allowing supervisors to monitor the activities. Motion was made and carried with all ayes approving the standard for training and development of staff.

### *Trail Policies*

The Park and Recreation Supervisor provided an update on the County's process of creating the document establishing policies for determining the appropriate division of cost participation to be utilized by the county for funding standalone cooperative trail construction projects with the MN Department of Transportation, municipalities and other agencies. This document will establish a cost policy consistent with regional and county plans for trails.

Trail funding can come from several sources including federal, state and regional Parks and Trails Legacy Funding Grant Programs. Additionally local funding from the county and/or municipalities is often used to supplement or match grant funded projects. Projects that are not grant funded requires county and/or municipality financing. There is awareness that unique circumstances concerning the development of trails that the policy may not address. In those cases a joint powers agreement is required to further define cost participation, construction and maintenance. The supervisor will keep the council updated.

### *Employee Policies*

The administrator provided an overview regarding employee policies discussions. The primary focus of the review was the city's Employee Reference Manual that established employee benefits, workplace rules and procedures. The Employee Reference Manual, Employee Safety Manual, Offensive Behavior Policy, Drug and Alcohol Policy and the DOT Drug and Alcohol Policy were all reviewed for the best practices and compliances with the State and Federal labor laws. Amendments have been reviewed and recommended for approval by the Personnel Committee. Motion was made and carried with all ayes adopting amendments to employee policies.

### *National Donate Life Month*

The mayor pointed out that the month of April was National Donate Life Month. Statewide municipalities issued similar proclamations of "National Donate Life Blue and Green Day". Interested in donating organs can signify on your driver's license. Family members should also be alerted of your intentions.

### *Employee of the Year Program*

The administrator provided an overview stating that the city currently does not have an 'employee recognition program'. The proposed "Employee of the Year" program recognizes an employee who represents excellence in the areas of the new adopted staff values. Each employee is provided with a nomination form to be reviewed at year end by the Personnel Committee and City Administrator. The administrator is not eligible for the award under the terms of the program. The award winner would receive a monetary award, a floating holiday and be recognized with a plaque. This program has been reviewed and recommended for approval by the Personnel Committee. Motion was made and carried with all ayes adopting the "Employee of the Year" Program.

### *Economic Development Committee*

The administrator provided background information regarding the McComb Study report that was result of the Work Plan developed by the Economic Development Committee. The city sought more details on city's data and resources available in the city. The information could then be utilized to target businesses that could be successful in Carver. An overview of the report by McComb indicated the map highlighting the 212 Freeway Commercial District. This area has excellent visibility from the highway and that the completed highway has greatly enhanced this area. A significant impact has been the rising traffic counts. Carver offers a promising trade area due to the growth of the southwest corridor, population size, household income, etc. The committee will review the proposal with recommendations on the next steps from the McComb group.

### *2040 Thrive*

The city planner discussed the Metropolitan Council's request for public comments on the Thrive MSP 2040 draft plan and the revised forecasts. Upon reviewal of comments the council will then make warranted changes to the plan and adopt later this year. The city drafted a response letter inclusive of concerns expressed regarding population counts and forecasted employment numbers. The city also wanted to voice the importance and priority for the city on the improvement of the Highway #212 to a four lane mode of traffic change from Carver to the Norwood Young America area. Motion was made and carried with all ayes approving the option to forward the comment letter to the Metropolitan Council.

### *15 Street Improvement Project*

The city engineer provided the council with an overview of the proposed 2015 street improvement projects including Oak Street, 5<sup>th</sup> Street East, 6<sup>th</sup> Street East and the Lions Park Trail connection. The proposed improvements would include street reconstruction with new curb and gutter, sidewalk repairs, replacement of existing manholes, placement of storm sewer from 6<sup>th</sup> Street East to County Road # 40 structures and construction of a trail from Lions Park to 6<sup>th</sup> Street. The proposed direction of action included a walking project tour with residents, feasibility study, public hearing, a design of the project and then bidding with construction projected to begin in the spring/summer of 2015.

"What is life? It is the flash of a firefly in the night. It is the breath of a buffalo in the wintertime. It is the little shadow which runs across the grass and loses itself in the sunset."

## *Minnesota Valley National Wildlife Refuge*

The council reviewed and discussed the renewal of the Memorandum of Understanding with the MN Valley National Wildlife Refuge that remains in effect until December 31<sup>st</sup> 2018.

Trails within the US Fish and Wildlife Refuge are generally restricted to pedestrian only passive use. The service agrees that it will allow non-motorized bicycles, strollers and jogging on the Carver Creek Trail along Country Road 30 Main Street West. All other use of the Carver Creek Trail shall be regulated at the sole discretion of the service. The previous memorandum of Understanding expired at the end of 2013 after a duration of five years and the subsequent Memorandum of Understanding will remain in effect for an additional five years. Recommendation was submitted to approval of the renewal of the Memorandum of Understanding with the MN Valley National Wildlife Refuge Trust until December 31<sup>st</sup> 2018.

The trail adjacent to County Road #40, Section IV of the original Memorandum of Understanding is hereby deleted in its entirety and replaced with the trail adjacent to County Road # 40 intends to maintain a portion of a refuge trail in an area generally adjacent to County Road # 40 and Carver Creek identified as "Carver Creek Trail".

Trails within the Refuge are generally restricted to pedestrian-only, passive use. The Service agrees that it will allow non-motorized bicycles, strollers and jogging on the Carver Creek Trail. All other use of the Carver Creek Trail shall be regulated at the sole discretion of the Service.

Non-motorized bicycle use of the Carver Creek Trail shall be allowed until December 31, 2018. Prior to December 31, 2018, the Service shall, in consultation with the City, evaluate whether non-motorized bicycle use of the Carver Creek Trail shall be allowed to continue. The decision whether or not to allow continued non-motorized bicycle use and for what additional term shall be made by the Service in its sole discretion. If allowed to continue beyond December 31, 2018, the Service shall not subsequently prohibit non-motorized bicycle use without first notifying and consulting with the City. If the Carver Creek Trail is damaged, the City may repair the Carver Creek Trail, but must have concurrence of the Service on whether repairs should be completed and on the plans for the repairs. Prior to commencing any repair work, the City shall obtain a special use permit from the Service and any applicable permits from other Federal, State and Local agencies. The City is not obligated to repair the Carver Creek Trail.

Ratification. Except as expressly provided in this First Amendment, all provisions of the Original Memorandum remain in full force and effect and are not modified by this First Amendment, and the parties hereby ratify and confirm each and every provision thereof. Amendment. This First Amendment constitutes the entire agreement between the parties with respect to the subject matter herein contained. To the extent any provisions of this First Amendment conflict with any other provisions of the Original Memorandum, the provisions of this First Amendment shall be controlling, and any conflicting terms in the other provisions of the Original MOU (that are not set forth in this First Amendment) shall be void and of no force or effect. All other terms and conditions of the Original MOU shall remain unchanged. . Counterpart Signatures. This First Amendment may be executed in several counterparts, each of which when executed is considered an original, but all of which together shall constitute one instrument. Separate signature pages may be signed by various parties and each complete set of pages hereto, with signature pages signed by each party, shall constitute one original of this First Amendment. This First Amendment may be delivered by facsimile and the parties agree to accept and be bound by facsimile signatures.

## *Community Development Agency*

The executive director provided background on the Carver County Community Development Agency for the council. Representatives from a firm discussed the proposed tax credit apartment building the firm is interested in constructing on the parcel currently owned by the agency adjacent to the Carver Park and Ride facility. An example of their design included the structure in Savage. The council, planning commission members and staff were all invited on a bus tour of the Savage Apartment building.

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## *Facilities Study Report*

A summary of the Facilities Study was given by the administrator. The goals of the study included an assessment of the existing conditions of the current facilities, need of future facilities, estimated cost evaluations and a schedule of needs. A site location was not part of this study. The existing conditions assessment identified the majority of the city's facilities need simple routine scheduled maintenance. The Fire Station/Public service building has some significant issues with available space, safe working conditions and operational efficiencies. The city hall space is too small for current staffing levels without any accommodations for any additional personnel. The structure also requires fire suppression system, additional bays for expanded vehicle and equipment storage and the mezzanine is not code compliant. Working areas are too small to accommodate personnel. The city hall space is too small for current staffing levels without any accommodations for any additional personnel.

The study included future year forecasts regarding population, household numbers, street lane miles, park acreage, market value and personnel numbers. Recommendation included an interim city hall space by expansion, leased space etc. The Fire Station/Public Services required bay additions, code compliance, etc. and a projected new construction of City Hall in 2020, Public Services in 2030 and a Fire Station in 2030. The committee members agreed and disagreed with some of the recommendations.

Overall, response advocated assessment of staffing, tax base, collaboration etc as project progresses. Several cost evaluation scenarios were presented on the study of the city hall and the fire station/public services building. The next steps will be further council discussions, community feedback and sharing opinions. The study will then be brought back to the council for adoption. If the decision is made to adopt the staff will be directed to draft an action plan for future facility needs. If future construction is identified as a necessity, the prospective implementation years will be identified in order to coordinate planning efforts.

On June 3<sup>rd</sup> at 6:30 PM at the Church-By-The-River there will be a public forum meeting to hear the residents input on this topic.

## *2015 Street Improvement Project*

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## *Carver Fun Run*

Remember that the Carver Fun Run is scheduled for June 7<sup>th</sup> in Carver. The 2014 event is being hosted by the Zuhrah Cycle Corps and the Red Nights MN 7. Benefit proceeds are for the Shriners Hospitals for children and the Red Nights MN 7 Firefighters Fund. The riders ride rain or shine. Registration is at 10 AM until noon and will start in Carver ending in Cologne. This is the 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Run.

"I like nonsense, it wakes up the brain cells. Fantasy is a necessary ingredient in living. It's a way of looking at life through the wrong end of a telescope. Whis what I do and that enables you to laugh at life's realities."

.....Dr Theodore Geisel, aka Dr Suess

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## *Insurance Service Organization*

The administrator provided background information regarding the Insurance Service Organization and the Fire Suppression Rating Schedule determining premiums. The Fire Suppression Rating Schedule is a manual containing the criteria for the Insurance Service Organization uses in reviewing the fire prevention and suppression capabilities of individual communities or fire protection areas. Carver has a new classification and is a two step improvement over the previous rating. Population increases impacted this rating somewhat. The fire chief explained that there are limitations that exist to meeting some of the requirements of the rating due to the city having a Volunteer Fire Department. Other efforts to improve the rating have already occurred. Water testing and water flow are a huge part of the rating system. Mutual aid working on some areas of improvement. The county also has been working in some areas. One example involves the GIS mapping being available in the fire vehicle.

## *Spring / Summer Program*

The Parks and Recreation Supervisor reported that the Spring/Summer Program is now available. She reviewed the programs, registration numbers, special events and partners. RiverSide Rhapsody is being held on a Friday night instead of a Wednesday this summer.

The supervisor also discussed a new opportunity, "Jam for Humanity" currently being organized for mid-August with proceeds going to a community endeavor. The registration process, where and how program information would be distributed were all reviewed. There are campsites, shelters, ball fields and the gym available for rent.

The mayor requested attendance statistics be provided to get an overall picture of program participation and where the participants originate.

## *2014 Livable Communities*

The city planner provided information on the 2014 Livable Communities Demonstration Account Application. The metropolitan council administers this grant funding to help cities implement their community development objectives and comprehensive plan leading to economic development. The grants provide funds for public infrastructure to create or enhance connections between people, housing, jobs and innovative ways offering the demonstration of value for other potential projects. The projects must meet the statutory requirements for the programs inclusive but not limited to connecting development with transit, affordable housing and employment and provide a mix of housing affordability. The staff's intent is to develop a Project Concept Plan supporting trail connections and related development of affordable housing on the Carver County Community Development Agency's property. The staff is drafting a full grant application to include a resolution for the support of the council consideration in the near future. Motion was made and carried with all ayes authorizing the staff to develop and submit and Project Concept Plan to the Metropolitan Council.

## *River Bluff Estates*

The council reviewed resolutions pertaining to the River Bluff Estates involving vacating certain easements and approving the final plat for River Bluff Estates 2<sup>nd</sup> Addition. The existing plat of the developments contains drainage and utility easements across the entirety of Outlot A. In order to replat the existing subdivision into a new one, those easements would need to be vacated by the city. Once the new Final Plat is recorded, the new easements replace the existing ones.

The council reviewed vacation of easements and the final plat for the River Bluff Estates. Presently the existing plat contains drainage and utility easement across the entirety of Outlot A. For the final plat the attorney commented that all of the issues will be or have been addressed. The closing will occur and all of the documents will be filed with the county. Plans are to start as soon as the documents are recorded. Motion was made and carried with all ayes adopting the resolution vacating certain easements in the River Bluff Estates final plat. Motion was made and carried with all ayes adopting the resolution approving the final plat for River Bluff Estate second addition.

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## *Municipal Code Recodification*

The council discussed the proposed recodification of the municipal code. A Public Information Meeting will be scheduled for the consideration of the adoption of the recodification. The council had approved in 2012 the recodification of the municipal code by the Municipal Code Corporation. Recodification essentially is a legal review of the city's code of ordinance. This review includes a legal review for consistency in language and organization, as well as an evaluation of ordinances no longer necessary. This was done in 1997 also. The scope of work also included placing the entire code of ordinances on a searchable online data base.

A multi-step comprehensive review of the codes were performed by the city, facilitated by legal staff from the Municipal Code Corporation. The proposed recodification included formatting and layout changes to the overall document, the deletion of duplicative sections, removal of outdated language and requirements, revised text to ensure consistency with state law, new language to accommodate enforcement gaps and to insert new initiatives within the municipal code.

The city administrator provided an overview regarding the recodification of the municipal code. The review included a legal review for consistency of language and organization, as well as an evaluation of the ordinances no longer necessary. The scope of the work also included placement of the entire code of ordinances on a searchable online data base.

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## *Black Sox Family Day*

Sunday, June 1<sup>st</sup> at the Community Park is Black Sox Family Day starting at 12:30 PM. You can spend the day with your local baseball team. The Carver Black Sox will be playing Brownston Bruins. Take this opportunity to throw and practice with the team. Get to know local players. Fun for the whole family.

The weekend of June 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> is the Black Sox/Cologne Tournament. Check out their website for more detailed information.

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## *Carver County MN River Bluffs Regional Trail*

The council reviewed with the county's park director the Carver County MN River Bluffs Regional Trail Design Plan. The county's director provided an overview of the MN River Bluffs Regional Trail Connection including background and a history and the plans for the 2015 trail. The schedule for completion includes a project memo, preliminary plans, a meeting with the communities of Chaska and Carver to review the preliminary plan. This project plan is scheduled for a ninety five percent completion by the end of October (2014). Then the plans are to begin construction by the month of May in 2015 with a December 2015 completion. Once this trail is completed, the trail could be followed from Carver as far as Minneapolis.

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## *Carver Fall Bike Tour*

The First Annual Carver Fall Tour will occur Saturday morning, October 18<sup>th</sup>. The mayor stated that the annual fall bike tour of Carver and its surrounding areas is most certainly to be a success for years to come. He also states that he hopes that you will come to share in the enjoyment of the event and hope that you all choose to be a part of the inaugural year, as well. The Carver Fall Tour partners include St Nicholas Catholic Church, Trinity Lutheran Church, East Union Lutheran Church, Carver Lions and the Carver Fire Department. A portion of the rider's proceeds will go to these partners to continue to make positive community impacts. For more information, visit their official Facebook page: *Carver Fall Tour*.

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## *Cup of Carver*

Watch for updates....



### Conditional Use Permit Property

The city planner reviewed the Conditional Use Permit history ranging from 1975 through 2013. During the course of time the city has held several review and approval processes pertaining to the property on Sixth Street West. Required conditions for the existing Conditional Use Permit have not been complied with.

The administrator continued review with the current status. While preparations of findings report were being processed, the administrator and the city planner met with the current owners to discuss the revocation process available to the city. Property owner proposed purchase of the property, additionally offering proposal for additional properties.

A "Stay of Enforcement" agreement was drawn up to adequately assess costs, benefits and risks involved with the proposal offered by the current owner. All of the conditions were listed and discussed. Final decree would end the existing Conditional Use Permit. If a new Conditional Use Permit were to be applied then the city would have the opportunity to review the new conditions and make determinations at that time.

In order to expedite the review process for the possibility of a real-estate purchase, the city retained a firm to conduct an appraisal for each of the three properties involved in the proposal. Once the appraisal is completed the city may meet privately to assess the data. The time frame schedule will expire in February of 2015. Motion was made and carried with all ayes entering in to a "Stay of Enforcement" agreement with present property owners of parcels.

### Lime Street / Mount Hope Road

The Heritage Preservation Commission reviewed an issue that the city administrator brought to their attention. The city staff identified street names inconsistencies throughout the city. The goal is to reduce potential confusion for emergency personnel attempting to locate property and to simplify navigation within the community. Mount Hope / Lime Street was identified during the review process. Additionally, Sunny Ridge Lane is proposed to be renamed Lylewood Parkway. Even though Lime Street / Mount Hope Road does not have any historic properties located in the historical district, the Heritage Preservation Commission was asked to review based on the historical nature of the two street names.

Often the section of the roadway is identified as Mount Hope. Lime Street was platted with the original town site. However, several streets included in the original plat only rely on paper and were never constructed due to the topography in the community. Mount Hope Cemetery was founded in the community in 1863 and is the final resting place for many of Carver's early settlers. The proposal consist of renaming the constructed section of Lime Street to Mount Hope Road effective January 2015. The implementation date is to accommodate property owners with the time necessary to make address changes. Mount Hope Road has more than double the amount of residential property addresses than Lime Street.

### Carver Fun Run

You just know warmer weather is right around the corner when the city starts a buzzin' about the infamous Carver Fun Run. Well it's almost here again! The event is scheduled for Saturday, June 7<sup>th</sup>, the 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Carver Fun Run. The Zuhrah Shrine Cycle Corps and the Red Knights MC MN Chapter Seven will be sponsoring this event supporting the Shriner's Hospitals for Children and other charities. See insert.

### Carver Community Youth Baseball/softball

#### Association

There is no report at this time. They are playing ball, the warmth has arrived, winter is behind us for several more months. Check out their website for what is going on.

#### Disclaimer

The "unapproved" minutes of the council and the township have been referenced for this publication. © 2014


"Creativity represents a miraculous coming together of the uninhibited energy of the child with it's apparent opposite and enemy, the sense of order imposed on the disciplined adult intelligence."

### Carver Current

The "Villager Tower" publications can be found at [www.carvercurrent.com](http://www.carvercurrent.com), along with other important information involving the community from various sources. You can post time sensitive events at the "Carver Current" site, as well. This site is a great way to share information.

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### Minnesota River Solstice

#### Canoe Outing & Picnic.

Join Carver on the Minnesota for our 2014 Summer Equinox Canoe Trip and Picnic!

Carver on the Minnesota is hosting our second annual Minnesota River canoe trip and picnic.

Join us for a 3-4 hour canoe trip and picnic on the historic Minnesota River between the Jordan boat landing and Carver's Riverside Park

You can drop off your canoe(s), and/or kayak(s) at the Jordan boat landing, and we will keep an eye on them while you take your vehicle to the put out location at Carver's Riverside Park. From Riverside Park we will transport you back to the Jordan boat landing to begin a fun and memorable river trip to Carver.

The trip will take place Sunday, June 22nd, beginning at 8am, and ending at approximately noon. Boats need to be dropped off by 7AM, and transportation from Riverside Park will depart at approximately 7:30 AM. Event will take place rain or shine, but would be canceled for dangerous weather or river conditions.

For more information and to make reservations, contact Carver on the Minnesota by 6/14/14. Ken Forner, 952-368-3052, kenforner@visi.com



### Carver Lions

Here is the broken record again this month. The Carver Lions are always looking and accepting new members. Come and join them at their meeting. Check them out first and see what you are missing. They are a great group of hardworking caring individuals. They get a lot accomplished in the community and little credit. Now is your chance to just get your feet wet and not be totally time consumed. During the months of June, July and August the Lions only meet once a month, the first Wednesday of the month ( I believe that is correct ). The other months of the year, they meet the first and third Wednesday of the month. Elections are this month, if I am not mistaken. So the next issue with any luck can tell you who the new officers are. They are still collecting old unused eye glasses too. They can be dropped at the Village Hall, Harvey's, Casey's and probably other places and I bet if you ask, you will get directed where to deposit them. Come on, come and check the group out. You won't regret it.

"I prefer winter and fall, when you feel the bone structure in the landscape - the loneliness of it - the dead feeling of winter. Something waits beneath it - the whole story doesn't show."

~~~~~ Andrew Wyeth





# Community Calendar

June 2014

- June 1st - Black Sox Family Day
- June 2nd - Drill Night  
Council Meeting  
Happy Anniversary Kerry and Kathy!
- June 3rd - Church-By-The-River Public Forum Meeting
- June 4th - Lions Meeting  
Carver-on-The MN Meeting  
Carver Business Council Meeting
- June 5th - School Board Work Session  
Last Day of School  
Happy Birthday Kim!
- June 6th - Graduation  
Happy Anniversary Jerad and Amanda!
- June 7th - Carver Fun Run  
Happy Birthday Scott!
- June 8th - Happy Anniversary Joy and Chris!
- June 9th - Fire Department Officers Meeting  
Dahlgren Township Meeting  
Happy Anniversary Richard and Traci!
- June 10th - Heritage Preservation Commission Meeting
- June 11th - SteamBoat Committee Meeting  
Happy Birthday Denny!  
Happy Birthday Joy!
- June 13th - Movie in the Field  
Happy Birthday Alexis!
- June 14th - Flag Day
- June 15th - Happy Anniversary Denny and Sharon!  
Father's Day
- June 16th - Drill Night  
Council Meeting
- June 18th - Happy Birthday Gwen!  
Happy Anniversary Laurie and Tony!  
Happy Anniversary Becky and Zim!

- June 19th - School Board Meeting  
Planning Commission Meeting  
RiverSide Rhapsody
- June 20th - Occasional Shops Sales Weekend
- June 19th thru June 21st - Happy Birthday Lucy!  
First Day of Summer
- June 21st - Happy Anniversary Paul and Kim!  
Happy Birthday Rob!
- June 22nd - Park and Recreation Commission Meeting Night  
Happy Birthday Amanda!
- June 23rd - Happy Birthday Greg!  
Happy Birthday Bradley!
- June 24th - RiverSide Rhapsody
- June 25th - Black Sox/Cologne Tournament
- June 27th - Fire Department Meeting Night  
Happy Anniversary Shirley and Terry!  
Happy Birthday Yvonna!  
Happy Birthday James!
- June 28th and June 29th -
- June 30th -



Music at the Riverside

The Bands

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**Soul Mates**

**Friday, June 20**  
**Classic Rock & Soul**

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**Galactic Cowboy Orchestra**

**Friday, June 27**  
**Rock & Bluegrass**

## Riverside Rhapsody

### Concerts

Riverside Park  
Friday Evenings  
June 20 & 27  
6:00pm - 8:00pm

Don't miss these great FREE concerts!

The Carver Parks & Recreation Department would like to invite you to the 7th Annual Riverside Rhapsody Music Festival. Head down to Riverside Park, bring a blanket or a lawn chair, and listen to great bands in the open air. The Carver Lions are serving food and beverages! Coolers welcome, please no hard alcohol or glass bottles.

Alternate outdoor location should the park close due to flooding is 3rd Street, Broadway to Oak, by Gazebo Park.

Please bring a non-perishable food item for the local food shelf Bountiful Baskets.

Donations will be accepted at the park during each concert.



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The 17th Annual

# CARVER FUN RUN

Saturday June 7th, 2014

Hosted by: the Zuhrah Cycle Corps & the Red Knights MN 7

Ride  
Proceeds  
Benefit



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for Children™



the Red Knights MN 7  
Firefighters Fund

## Come Join the Ride!



- We Ride Rain or Shine
  - Date June 7th 2014
  - Registration 10:00 to Noon
  - Ride Departs at Noon Sharp
  - Ride will Start in Carver, MN  
& End in Cologne, MN
  - Food, Door Prizes, 50/50 Raffle
- All Ride proceeds benefit:

The Mpls. Shriners Hospitals for Children  
and the Red Knights MN 7 Firefighter  
Assistance Fund,

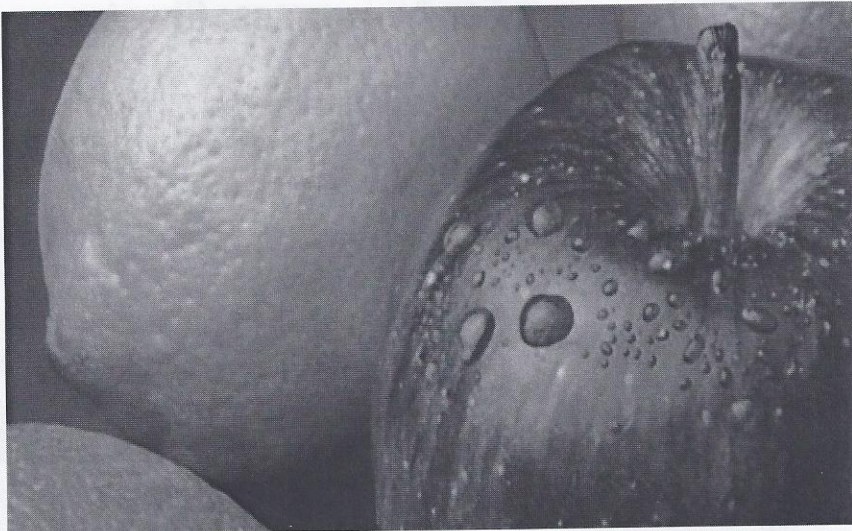
this year's recipients are:

**Abby Lindall and Maddy Peterson**

who are Children of Carver Firefighters  
battling Rare Forms of Cancer.

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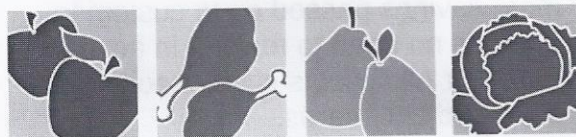
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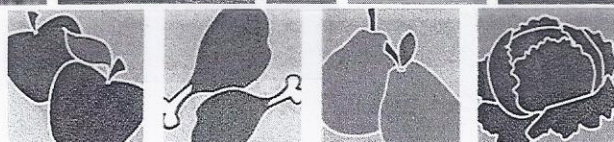
For more information, visit  
[www.fareforall.org](http://www.fareforall.org)  
763-450-3880 or 1-800-582-4291



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**Fare For All Express: Chaska**

Crown of Glory Lutheran Church  
1141 Cardinal Street, Chaska, MN 55318  
Thursdays 4:00 PM-6:00 PM



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**2014 Dates**

May 29, June 26, July 31, August 28,  
September 25, October 23, November 20,  
December 18

**Fare For All is open to everyone!**

- Fare For All is community supported.
- The more people who participate, the more savings passed on to customers.
- There is no need to register in advance.
- Fare For All accepts cash, credit, debit and EBT cards.
- Come between 4:00 PM-6:00 PM to participate.

**What type of food is for sale?**

**Produce Pack** - \$10: Typically includes five varieties of fresh veggies & two varieties of fresh fruits.

**Meat Only Pack** - \$11: A minimum of four assorted meat items (3-5lbs). (Does not include Pork)

**Regular Pack** - \$20: Save an extra \$1 by combining the Produce & Meat Only Pack.

**Mega Meat Pack** - \$25 Typically includes 7-9 frozen meat items. Watch for Holiday Packs in Nov and Dec.



# Special Events



## Movie in the Field!



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**New!**

**Friday, June 13**  
**Community Park**  
**Thon Field #1**  
**8:45pm**  
**Free**

Bring a lawn chair or blanket, and hang out in the field for movie night at Community Park. Watch a PG rated movie, with your family and friends. Coolers and food are welcome, but please remember this is a family night. Also, let's help out, please bring a non-perishable food item to donate to the local food shelf. See you at the field!

## Riverside Rhapsody Music

The Carver Parks & Recreation Department would like to invite you to the 7th Annual Riverside Rhapsody Music Festival. Head down to Riverside Park, bring a blanket or a lawn chair, and listen to great bands in the open air. The Carver Lions are serving food and beverages! Coolers welcome, please no hard alcohol or glass bottles.

**Fridays, June 20 & 27**  
**Riverside Park**  
**6:00pm - 8:00pm**

**New Night!**



**Soulmates**  
Classic Rock & Soul  
June 20, 2014



**Galactic Cowboy**  
**Orchestra**  
Rock & Bluegrass  
June 27, 2014

## Black Sox Family Day at Community Park

**Sunday, June 1 ~ 12:30pm**

Spend a day at the park with your hometown baseball team! The Carver Black Sox will be playing the Brownton Bruins at Community Park at 2:00pm. Have a chance to throw the ball on the field and practice with the team. Get to know your local players. Don't miss your chance to hang out, have a hot dog, and watch a game. Fun for the whole family.

- ◇ Kids receive a team member badge.
- ◇ Practice with the team at 12:45pm.
- ◇ Kids get a free hot dog & soda after practice.
- ◇ Stay for the game after practice.
- ◇ Adults \$2 at the gate, kids are FREE.

