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Notice

Are you aware of the children playing in the Post Office after hours? Please take note and ask them to please not play in the building. Signs are being taken down, trash thrown on the floor and the like.

Please, let's keep the children out or the door will have to be locked at 4:00 PM.

Thank you for your cooperation.
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City Council News!

City Engineer



On January 2nd, the city engineers Rate Schedule 'B' showed an increase for 1990. There is not any termination date so the agreement remains in force. Approval is necessary regardless.

Chad Peterson

Motion was made to adopt resolution designating Chad Peterson Day in the City of Carver. Discussion was held regarding changing date. However, day was already chosen and stated in the resolution, in order to present to Chad at the Lion's meeting. A letter was also forwarded thanking Chad for his efforts on the Lion's Park playground.

Fire Truck



Fire truck financing was discussed. Interest rates will be watched closely. The purchasing plan to be a ten year plan. Financing issue was tabled.



Committees

Council was told that no one had responded to the ad for serving on the Planning Commission. Rosamond Dols agreed to serve another term. Brad Gulden expressed interest. Motion was made appointing Ms. Dols to the Planning Commission. Remaining position appointment was tabled.

Park and Recreation Board appointments were tabled with no one expressing interest.

Carver Heritage Preservation Commission has been recently revived. Ordinance requires seven members. Four volunteers were named. Motion was made appointing Barbara Hanson, Robin Kashuba, George Piper, Pam Larson and Councilman Antoni to the Heritage Preservation Commission. The remaining two appointments were tabled.

1990 Fire Rates

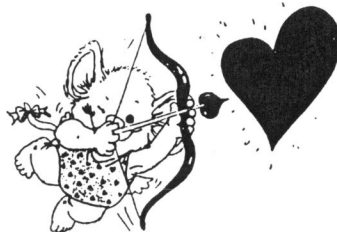


The 1990 Fire Rates for the portions of the townships served by the Carver Fire Department are \$ 45 per unit. Fire Chief and Administrator want to do more research and make recommendations in February. New rates would have to be set by March. Motion was passed tabling fire rates.

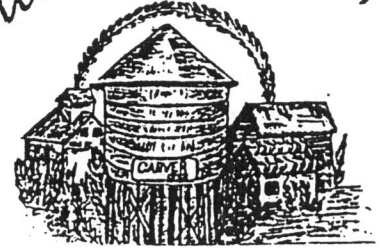
Comment was made regarding compliment received for the Carver Fire Department's response to a Chaska fire.

Flood Plain Ordinance

Public Hearing was opened on the floodplain ordinance. Background on the model ordinance was submitted from the State of Minnesota. Building Inspector and attorney recommended adoption. Motion was made accepting ordinance and authorizing publication of summary version of the ordinance.



Villager Tower



Kennel License



Public Hearing on the kennel ordinance amendment was opened. Administrator explained the changes made to the amendment. No comments were made from citizens in attendance. Motion was made adopting the revised language to the kennel ordinance amendment. Motion was made approving publication of the revised amendment.

City Administrator Job Description



Motion was made accepting City Administrator job description. Motion was made approving revised Administrator employment agreement. Discussion was held regarding changes in agreement.

Sixth Street



Engineer presented designs of Sixth Street Improvements including ponding sites and drainage. Council supported design concept for realignment of Sixth Street. Staff was directed to contact Mueller's advising them of improvement plans. Also to inquire about their interest in participating in project costs.

Engineer needs to know if the Sixth Street bridge is on the National Historic Register. If the bridge is on the register, it can not be altered and road would have to be constructed around it, along with a new bridge. If a grant were received for improvements, cost difference to alter route would not be considered.

Springs

Residents on County Road # 40 were present at the meeting requesting assistance for spring water runoff. Recently, a spring located on a platted, but unimproved portion of Main Street has started flowing forming a sheet of ice endangering buildings on the property and causing problems on County Road # 40.

Engineer suggested a ditch. In summer the work cannot be done because ground is too soft. Watershed District should be contacted. Staff was directed to take care of this, find solution and if necessary permission to dig was given.

Municipal Utilities

Dauwalter monitored dissolved oxygen in water at pond site and has been able to maintain adequate levels with only one aerator. Electric usage has been reduced. Odor problems are still being worked on. Installation of a blower to test the theory as an experiment was discussed. Motion was made to try the test.

City Engineer told the council that the cause of the sewer odor problem was not a design flaw of the system, but rather caused by standards set by the MPCA. Letter has been drafted requesting a Correction Action Grant to modify the existing system.

Frey reported problems encountered while reading water meters. Approximately ten percent of boxes don't work each quarter. Many boxes are froze shut. It was said that a letter should be sent to the supplier.

A survey of the Hartung property is necessary. Twin City Abstract has been hired to develop an abstract. Cost would be approximately \$ 300 to \$ 500. Administrator will contact Mr. Hartung regarding cost sharing.

City has received grant payment from the MPCA. This is the final payment on the sewer grant.

Trivia Questions



- 1) What character on what long-running national situation comedy is often seen wearing a cap from the Toledo Mudhens, a Minnesota Twins farm club?
- 2) What is the average life of a fly?
- 3) What country does a true Bohemian live in?
- 4) What are the three colors on a roulette wheel?
- 5) Where did the Rumba originate?
- 6) Which type of lettuce is named after a city?
- 7) Which baseball player died of a tragic disease that now bears his name?
- 8) What is the largest body of water on the earth?
- 9) Which two bodies of water are named for colors?
- 10) What were the ancient kings of Egypt called?

Carver Lioness



The Lionesses are working on their Annual Bullhead Feed. Date has not been set as time of publication. Keep an eye out for future

The Lionesses are having an appreciation dinner on January 29th, 7:00 PM at the Village Hall. There are tentative plans to have guest speakers. They wish to extend thanks for support

Miscellaneous



Council reviewed the resolution appointing people and businesses to positions for 1990. Motion was made accepting the resolution.

Administrator told the council that there weren't any changes in the attorney's contract. Motion was made accepting attorney's agreement.

Purchase of a new copier was discussed. Based on volume, it was considered that a new copier was not necessary.

Administrator told the council of negotiations with City of Sunfish Lake regarding part-time job.

Brochures on the League of Minnesota Cities seminars for newly elected officials were reviewed. Mayor Meyers commented that the three new councilmembers should attend. Motion was made authorizing city funds to be used to pay for registration fees.



Tentative Agenda

Submitted by the City of Carver

Monday evening, 6:30 PM - February 5, 1990

- 1) Call to Order
- 2) Approve Agenda
- 3) Petitions from Residents
- 4) Consent Agenda
- 5) Kennel License Application
- 6) Citizen Advisory Committee Appointments
- 7) Fire Rates 1991
- 8) City Engineer Report
- 9) Public Works Report
- 10) Sewer/Water Operator Report
- 11) City Administrator Report
- 12) Other Business
- 13) Adjourn



Disclaimer

The preliminary unapproved minutes from the City of Carver's council meetings were referenced to compose the Villager Tower.

Carver-on-the-Minnesota



On January 18th, 1990 the Carver-On-The-Minnesota held election of officers. Officers are:

President - Pam Larson
Vice-President - Rosamond Dols
Secretary - Barb Hanson
Treasurer - Janet Kahler

Carver-On-The-Minnesota has received rent for the empty lot located on Broadway and Third Streets.

Members of the organization were praised for their help during SteamBoat Days.

Ideas for renting the Interpretive Center to antique businesses is being considered. Possible photo exhibit is being contemplated to coincide with Governor Perpich's program to beautify Minnesota. The group is also looking at the idea of taking over the responsibilities of the Park and Recreation Board.



Carver Lions

The Lions are continuing work on the Village Hall remodeling project and progressing well. Chad Peterson was presented with resolution from the city for his efforts on the Lion's Park project.

Special note: The "Villager Tower" wishes to extend gratitude and appreciation for the Carver Lions sponsorship funds of \$ 100 to keep the paper running. THANKS!



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Fire Department Highlights

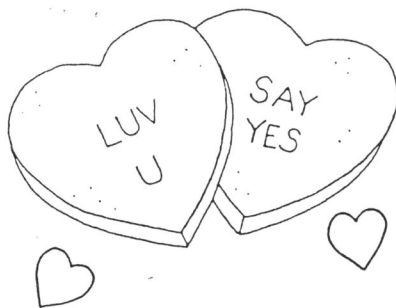
Submitted by the Carver Fire Department

February

Flower: Violet

Birthstone: Amethyst

- February 1st - Drill Night 6:30 PM
- February 2nd - Groundhog Day
- February 8th - Boy Scouts Founded 1910
- February 11th - Thomas Edison 1847
- February 12th - Lincoln's Birthday
- February 14th - Valentine's Day
- February 18th - President's Day
Drill Night 6:30 PM
- February 22nd - Washington's Birthday
Meeting Night 8:00 PM
- February 28th - Ash Wednesday



Special Announcements



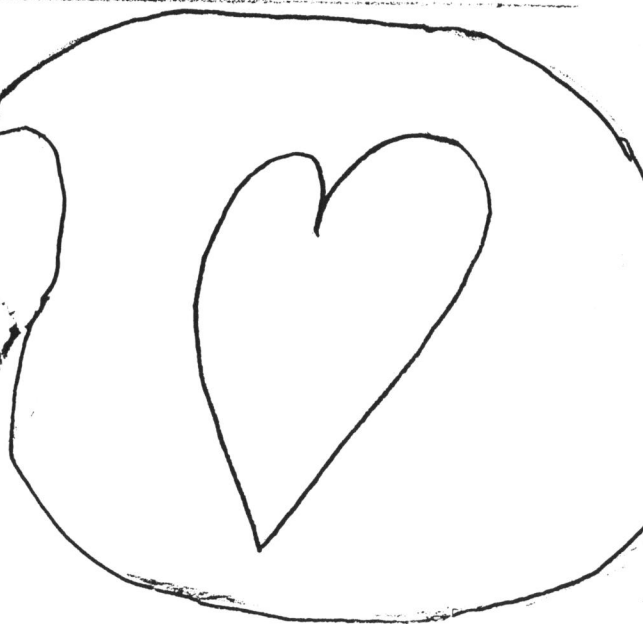
It's Kim's Golden Birthday! February 15th, 1990! Kimberly Kay is Fifteen! Happy Birthday Kim!!!!!!

February 28th - Happy Birthday Daddy!!!!!!

Trivia Answers



- 1) King of "Mash"
- 2) Fifteen days
- 3) Czechoslovakia
- 4) Red, Black and Green
- 5) Cuba
- 6) Boston
- 7) Lou Gehrig
- 8) Pacific
- 9) Red and Black Seas
- 10) Pharoahs



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For♥ Ya'll♥♥♥♥

