

MEETINGS

Week of October 9, 2017

Thursday, October 12

Lakeville Area Arts Center Advisory Board, 3:30 p.m. at the Lakeville Area Arts Center - 20965 Holyoke Avenue

Meetings take place at City Hall unless otherwise noted. The public is welcome to attend. Agendas are available online at lakevillemn.gov.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Fire Prevention Open House

Tuesday, October 10 / 6-8:30 p.m.

Fire Station 4 - 9465 185th Street

This annual event is fun for all ages and includes a live fire sprinkler demo, car extrication, a chance to spray water with a firefighter and more!

Football Fare Beer and Food Pairing with New Belgium Brewing

Wednesday, October 18 / 6-8 p.m.

Lakeville Area Arts Center

Tickets: \$25

Join Derek O'Keefe from New Belgium Brewing to learn about the nuances of matching a variety of craft beers with food fit for your next football party! Purchase tickets online at LakevilleAreaArtsCenter.com or by phone at 952-985-4640.

Memorial Plaque Dedication for Maynard Johnson

Monday, October 16 at 6 p.m.

Pioneer Plaza in downtown Lakeville

Come celebrate the life and accomplishments of Maynard Johnson, one of the founders of Airlake Airport and Airlake Industrial Park, who passed away in July at the age of 95.

Open House for the Planned METRO Orange Line Extension

Thursday, October 12 / 4-6 p.m.

Kenrick Park & Ride

16775 Kenrick Avenue

The Dakota County Regional Railroad Authority is holding an open house to discuss a potential extension of the planned METRO Orange Line. Input from the public will be used to identify potential bus rapid transit station locations in Burnsville and Lakeville near I-35. Learn more at www.OrangeLineExtension.com.

October 1-7 Declared Manufacturers Week in Lakeville

The City Council has declared October 1-7, 2017 as Manufacturers Week in Lakeville, to coincide with the state of Minnesota's celebration.

Lakeville's manufacturing companies provide high-skill, high-wage jobs that make significant economic impacts on our community's local economy.

There are approximately 150 businesses in Airlake Industrial Park that employ 3,500 people in the area. Manufacturing and other industrial businesses in Lakeville provide more than \$294 million in taxable value and contribute more than \$8.9 million in total property taxes. To provide additional perspective, 19 percent of Lakeville jobs and 36 percent of Minnesota jobs are in the manufacturing sector.

Types of manufacturing jobs available right now in our community include CNC machinist, maintenance technician, management development associate, production operator, truck driver and welder.



In the coming weeks, we'll highlight various workforce development programs happening in Lakeville that connect people to manufacturing careers and beyond. Workforce challenges are a reality at the city, state and national level, and we're happy to bring awareness to those who are helping to strengthen our community's workforce pipeline.

For more information about Minnesota's manufacturing industry, visit the Minnesota Department of Employment and Economic Development's website at mn.gov/deed.

Get Involved with Activities at the Lakeville Heritage Center

Waffle Breakfast

Sunday, October 8

8 a.m.-12 p.m.

Lakeville Heritage Center

\$8 adults/\$6 ages 6-12/free 5 & under

Support your local Active Adults at this annual fundraiser! Enjoy all-you-can-eat waffles, sausage, orange juice and coffee. Take-out is available.

Heritage Center 5th Anniversary

Tuesday, October 17 at 1:30 p.m.

Lakeville Heritage Center

It's time to celebrate the 5th anniversary of the Lakeville Heritage Center—home of the Lakeville Area Active Adults, Lakeville Area Historical Society and Lakeville Yellow Ribbon. Revisit the history of the Heritage

Center, enjoy cake and refreshments and enter your name for a door prize. Open to the public—all are invited to join us for this special celebration. Call 952-985-4622 for more information and to RSVP.

Metro Dining Cards

\$25 for 166 cards

Purchase one entree and get the second free with these Metro Dining Cards! This is a great way to save money on dining out and try out some new restaurants. Local participating restaurants include Lakeville Brewing Company, Heavy Metal Grill, Babe's, Goodfellas, Buffalo Tap, Celts Craft House and more. Purchase cards at the Heritage Center or Lakeville City Hall during regular business hours, Monday-Friday from 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

COUNCIL MEETING October 2, 2017



The City Council accepted a donation of carbon monoxide detectors for the fire department from Farmers Insurance.



A public hearing was held regarding unpaid utility charges and assessing the charges to property taxes payable in 2018.



The Council approved a preliminary and final plat for Bethlehem First Addition, a 70-unit senior apartment building and church just north of Lakeville North High School.



A preliminary and final plat was approved for Avonlea 3rd Addition, which consists of six single-family lots and 44 attached townhome lots.

Green Futures Tree Planting Event

Saturday, October 14 / 9:45 a.m.-1 p.m.
Casperson Park - 10900 195th Street West

The City of Lakeville was awarded a Green Futures tree planting event by Tree Trust. The City will receive approximately 50 free trees and assistance managing this volunteer-driven planting project.

The Green Futures program was created in 2008 and has since added 1,175 trees to the Twin Cities environment. Its work is increasing in importance due to the onset of the emerald ash borer (EAB) infestation and the imminent loss of two million trees in the coming years in the metro area. The program works to raise awareness of EAB, helps homeowners explore solutions and helps communities plant more trees to help maintain their tree canopy.



If you would like to volunteer at this tree planting event at Caspersen Park, go to treetrust.org and click on Get Involved.