

To: Village Board, All Committee Members, and Others  
From: Tiffany Washburn, Administrative Assistant  
Date: July 2, 2021  
Re: Weekly Update



### **Police Department**

After a lengthy and competitive hiring process, we are pleased to announce the hiring of Officer Katherine Brogli. Officer Brogli will begin her employment with the Village in August, when she begins the Law Enforcement Recruit Academy at Waukesha County Technical College. Officer Brogli is a native of the Grafton area and is excited to begin her law enforcement career in Jackson. Welcome to JPD!

Detective Foeger and Officer Krueger have been working on purging items in our property (evidence) room that are eligible for destruction. Each item of property is subject to different retention periods based on conviction dates, statute of limitations, etc. We are working to reduce the number of items in our custody prior to our move to the new Municipal Complex. This week, Detective Foeger and Officer Krueger transferred several firearms and boxes of ammunition to the State Crime Lab for destruction.

A busy weekend was highlighted by officers and Jackson Rescue responding to two separate drug overdose calls. In both incidents, the person was revived with Narcan and transported for medical attention. Also, a traffic pursuit was terminated after a vehicle fled a traffic stop at a high rate of speed. On Saturday at 10:04 PM, an officer observed the vehicle travelling at 116 MPH on Highway 45. The driver, a 34-year-old Milwaukee man pulled over and gave the officer his driver's license. The officer could smell marijuana from the vehicle and asked the man to exit the vehicle; the driver then fled the scene at a high rate of speed. The man later made arrangements to turn himself into police, but has not done so yet.

### **Fire Department**

In the past week, the Jackson Fire Department responded to 19 EMS calls and six (6) fire calls, including a multiple vehicle accident with injuries, a car fire, two (2) fire alarms, one (1) carbon monoxide leak, and a call for smoke in the building. Special thanks to Domino's Pizza in Jackson for dropping off pizzas at the fire station after a fire call, which occurred around lunch time and required additional support from our Paid-on-call firefighters. It was much appreciated!

On Monday morning, the Wisconsin State Ambulance Inspector completed a biannual inspection of the two (2) JFD ambulances. We are proud to report that both ambulances passed the 136-point inspection with NO violations, which is a true testament to the hard work of the Jackson Fire Department's dedicated staff.

On Monday evening, EMS training consisted of a simulated off-road ATV accident, involving three (3) seriously injured patients. With the help of the Washington County Sheriff's Department dispatch center and a new app called "what3words", the accident scene was located. Richfield Fire Department supplied their UTV to transport the patients out of deep in the woods. Thanks to Lammscapes! for the use of their property.

Throughout the month of July, Jackson Fire Department will be selling commemorative 9/11 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary T-shirts, both short sleeve and long sleeve. These can be purchased by any member of the community who wishes to honor the heroes of 9/11, reminding people to "Never Forget", while donating to a worthy cause. All proceeds from the sale of these shirts will be donated to the Kewaskum 9/11 Memorial Fund. T-shirt pickup will be mid-August. Complete information and updates will be available on the Jackson Fire Department Facebook page. The sale is open to the public and all orders can be done via this link:

<https://jacksonfiredept911neverforget.itemorder.com/sale>

## **Parks and Recreation**

Hickory Lane Park's shelter is now fully rented for the remainder of the summer on Saturdays and Sundays. We will begin accepting park shelter rentals for 2022 on Monday, January 3, 2022. As a friendly reminder, groups of 15 or more that wish to use the Hickory Lane Splash Park must first register and pay a fee at the Jackson Community Center at least one week prior to the date of arrival. Winners of the Action In Jackson Raffle are listed on the website at [www.actioninjackson.com](http://www.actioninjackson.com). Thanks in advance for your patience navigating the website, as it is still under construction. The Jackson Community Center HVAC company, Belonger, has identified the cause of the humidity and wet floors in the lobby. Repairs are underway!

The Jackson Community Center will be closed on Monday, July 5th. Happy 4<sup>th</sup> of July!

## **Public Works**

The Jackson Water Utility has received nine (9) applications for the two (2) open positions with the department. The next step in the selection process will be interviewing six (6) candidates. Also, Water Well Solutions has begun the Well #4 Inspection project.

The Street and Parks Department Crew cleaned up and repaired playground equipment as recommended by the annual inspection list. Repairs to the generator at the Village Hall were also completed. A staff safety meeting has been scheduled for July 13<sup>th</sup>, focusing on the topic of "Excavation Safety". We encourage you to stop in at the Public Works Office to get a Yard Waste Site card. Access cards can be obtained from 7:30 AM – 4:00 PM at our Public Works Office located at W194 N16660 Eagle Drive.

At the Wastewater Treatment Plant, the second license for SCADA system monitoring has been installed. Work on the sludge hauling station continues with the crane installation; the next step will be installing the variable frequency drives (VFD) for pumping sludge from the blue tank. Nelson Tree Service continues tree trimming behind the WWTP property. Staff continues to gather information in preparation for the annual Compliance Maintenance Annual Report (CMAR).

## **Building Inspection**

The Building Inspection Department has received plan submittals for two (2) additional homes in the Laurel Springs Addition No. 1 Subdivision. Rough inspections were also completed on three (3) other homes under construction in Laurel Springs Addition No. 1. Foundation work was completed and inspected on several new homes under construction in the Morning Meadows subdivision. Inspection staff continues to make progress on inspecting and closing out older open permit files. Property owners and contractors are encouraged to ensure that any projects involving permits are properly inspected.

## **Clerk**

Pet license reminder letters were mailed to pet owners, who licensed pets in 2020 but have not yet licensed their pets for 2021. As a reminder, dog and cat licensing period runs from January 1<sup>st</sup> to December 31<sup>st</sup> of each year; a late fee of \$10.00 applies to pet license requests received after March 31<sup>st</sup>.

## **Treasurer and Administrator**

Staff met with several vendors this week related to security and telecommunication systems that will be installed in the Municipal Complex facility. On Wednesday, the Village Financial Advisors at Ehler's met with Staff to review the four (4) active TIDs in the Village. Administrator Keller and Treasurer Smith met with the Village Auditor on Thursday to finalize the TID 7 report and to meet the July 1<sup>st</sup> DOR deadline to submit the PE-300 forms. Lastly, the July Jackson Quarterly will be arriving in mailboxes in the coming week. Checkout the publication online at the following link: [https://www.villageofjackson.com/vertical/sites/%7BD4E639E0-08E4-4DA7-8985-CD98B86913E8%7D/uploads/July\\_2021\\_Quarterly\\_Online\\_Version.pdf](https://www.villageofjackson.com/vertical/sites/%7BD4E639E0-08E4-4DA7-8985-CD98B86913E8%7D/uploads/July_2021_Quarterly_Online_Version.pdf)

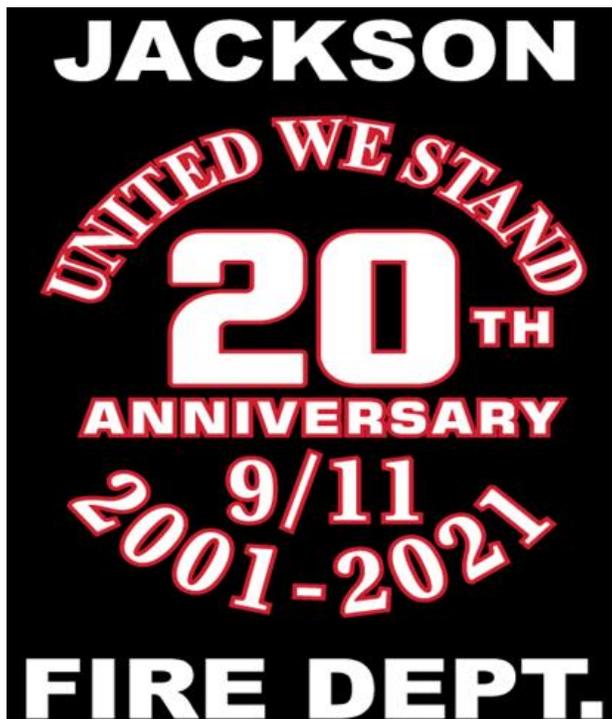
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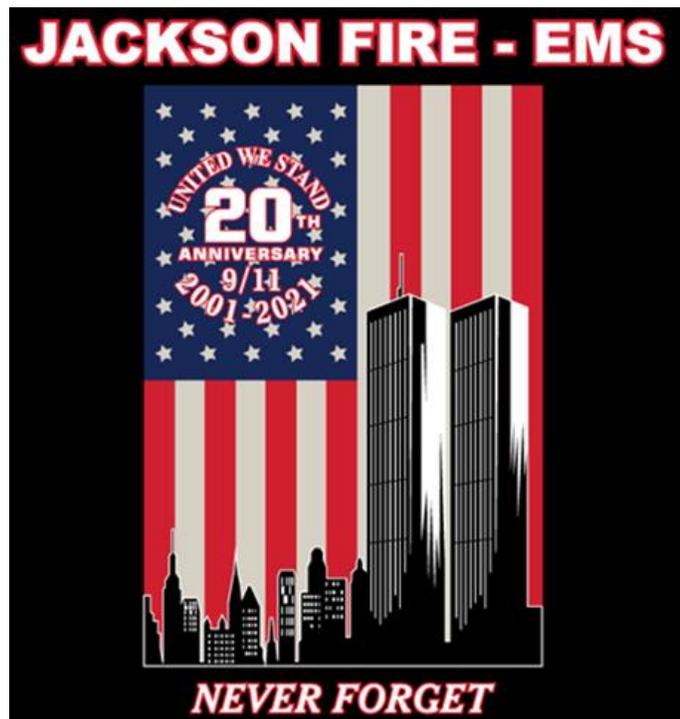
Kewaskum has created a beautiful new 9/11 Memorial, located on Hwy 45 as you drive through town. The memorial displays a section of a support beam from the North Tower of the World Trade Center, surrounded by concrete bleachers, reflecting benches and beautiful landscaping. It will serve as a place of education for students, citizens throughout the state, as well as future generations, who can reflect on the day that changed our country forever and remember those who lost their lives on that fateful day.

To place an order for shirts, go to <https://jacksonfiredept911neverforget.itemorder.com/sale>  
The shirts will be available for pick-up in mid-August. Specific dates and times will be listed on the Jackson Fire Department Facebook page. Any questions can be directed to Laura Goggins at 262-677-3811. Thank you in advance for your support!

## **FRONT** (left chest)



## **BACK** (full back)



(Available in black - short sleeve and long sleeve)

For more information on the Kewaskum 9/11 Memorial, visit  
<https://www.wisconsin911memorial.com/>

**NOTE – store will close on July 31<sup>st</sup>**