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Clearwater Community Christmas Event December 9th

Dust off your tap shoes, exercise those vocal chords, break out the poetry, tinkle the ivories and restring your guitar --- The Bagley Community Theater is hosting the first annual Clearwater Community Christmas Event!

The event will take place on Sunday, December 9th at 4 pm in the Bagley High School auditorium. It will benefit the Clearwater Christmas Project with a free will donation as the admission price. Coordinators Josh and Cindy Gunderson, Joel and Marilyn Hood, Jim and Jane Merschman and Britta Kilber encourage people of all ages in our talented Clearwater County community to participate in this event.

Interested participants can contact Josh Gunderson (701.230.1571 or jgunderson@bagley.k12.mn.us) to sign up by November 20. More information will follow in the coming weeks. Let's make this first annual event a success!



Clearwater Polk had an Open House last Wednesday with coffee and goodies for guests. Kaylee Cusack, a representative of Minkota Power Cooperative, was on hand with information about the cooperative and arrived in a 100% electric Chevrolet. The vehicle has a range of over 250 miles. Pictured are Gary Bjerke, Clearwater Polk Manager and Kaylee Cusack.

“Save Your Receipts Promotion” Another Success for Summer Recreation

Six area businesses (Y92, Drive In, DaRoo's, Bakken's Market, Kandi's Kitchen, NB & C) participated in a promotion this past summer to raise money for Summer Recreation. Customers saved their receipts from these stores during the months of June & July. Receipts were turned in and the



Bakken's: Lydia and Lucas Bakken with their dad and owner Jeremy Bakken

businesses then made a donation to Summer Recreation. Pictured are business owners or representatives with Summer Recreation participants. Our appreciation goes to the customers who saved receipts and the businesses for their participation in this promotion.

The following groups or businesses also made donations to the Summer Recreation program: Leon, Holst and Sinclair Townships, Clearbrook American Legion, Clearbrook Community Club, Garden Valley, Otter Tail, Gonvick Lions, Gonvick Diamond Jubilee, Gonvick American Legion, Clearwater Trail Blazers, Gully Tri-Coop.

Our Summer Recreation program could not function without the support of these businesses and groups. These donations along with fundraisers supported by participants and their parents, participant fees, as well as some individual donations of time and money kept around 170 youngsters busy throughout the summer!

If any other businesses, groups or individuals would like to contribute in the future, please contact Judy Engebretson at 218-776-3112 Ext 102.



Kandi's Kitchen with several Summer Rec participants plus several other kids during Pumpkin Days are with owner Kandi Momerak.



This young lady likes fruits and vegetables for her afternoon snack. She is with Tammy Pallum in her new day care center Candyland.

Candyland is newest area day care

Tammy Pallum has opened a new day care center called Candyland. The name suggests candy but the menu each day is very nutritious. She has been licensed in the state since April. It was a lot of work to go through and there was also a background check on every member in the household. She has one at the present time and will be getting two more with one as a baby. She is licensed for 10 and 2 of them could be a baby.

She is a graduate of Midway in Inkster, North Dakota. Just west of Grand Forks.

She had a day care when her children were young and that was 27 years ago. She taught them sign language and she is also doing that with her newest charge with the spoken word. She and her husband Randy have four children, Randy, Renae, Ryan and Rilee. They also have four grandchildren. Two of them living in Borup and two in Kansas. Randy has a business in Borup so he gets to see the grandchildren there a little more than she does.

They have lived on property a mile west of the Bethlehem Church for five years and they built a new home in 2015. She worked for 15 years for the postal service and the last three years as the Postmaster in Fosston. She is open from 7 in the morning to 7 Monday through Friday.

Her basement is set up for her day care and each month she plans to change the décor. She will be having a gingerbread house in December along with the other items for children to play with.

She has a morning and afternoon schedule that includes breakfast, free time, snacks, outside exercise, nap time, lunch and quiet play.

She will be receiving a start-up grant and that will be spent on playground stuff for outside.

If you are looking for a spot for Day Care her number is 218-435-1569.



Candyland is the new day care in the area.

Halloween party October 31

The Gonvick Lions Club will be having a Halloween party at Clear Water's Life Center gym in Gonvick from 5 to 7 pm on Wednesday, October 31.

There will be costume prizes in various age groups. Games and cookie decorating stations.

They will have a Halloween walk for goodies. Lion members and community members are asked to provide two items of

cookies or goodies for the walk.

If you would like some more information please call 218-368-5731.



These two cuties taken at the "Trunk and Treat" day at the school parking lot on Sunday. On the left is Lettie Watne, daughter of Nate & Leah Watne and Arthur Eck, son of Nolan & Jessica Eck. - Submitted

Headwaters Science Center celebrates International Science Museum Day

In the largest joint project ever launched by the world's science centers and museums, Headwaters Science Center in downtown Bemidji will join 300+ other institutions and hundreds of thousands of people to celebrate International Science Center & Science Museum Day (ISCSMD) on Saturday, November 10. ISCSMD is an annual event established in 2016 by UNESCO to commemorate the World Science Day for Peace and Development. To celebrate this day, on November 10th, we will allow all visitors to enter the museum floor for free. Hours are 9:30 am – 5:00 pm.

This year's theme for "International Science Center and Science Museum Day" is "Science, a Human Right." Science is a human right because:

Everybody has the right to science.

Freedom of research is essential for the advancement of science.

Sound policies are informed by science.

Gender equality in science is a need and a right.

Discrimination cannot be tolerated in the pursuit of academic careers.

You have the right to share your scientific findings.

Youth empowerment is achieved through science education.

Equal opportunities in science are essential.

For additional information, please check our website, www.HSCbemidji.org, Facebook page (@HeadwatersScienceCtr) or give us a call (218-444-4472).

Community Calendar

HAPPY 60th Birthday Leslie Berg!
Stop in and have some cake at Kandi's Kitchen 1-3 Friday Nov. 2nd.



The History Center in Shevlin begins Fall hours November 1

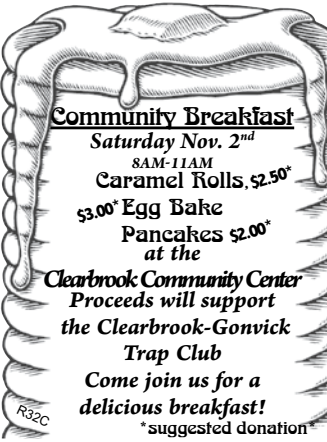
The History Center museum in Shevlin will begin its Fall hours on November 1st. The museum will be open Tuesday through Friday 10:00-4:00 and by appointment. Current exhibits- "Clearwater County and WWI," and "Saving The Past For The Future- 50 Years Of Collecting" will be on display until late December. For more information or to make an appointment for a tour, call the History Center at 218-785-2000.

Clearbrook-Leonard Senior Meals

Wed. Oct. 31 - Chicken Chow Mein, Rice/Chow Mein Noodles, Oriental Veg., Mandarin Orange Jello, Bread and Milk.
Thurs., Nov. 1 - Country Steak, Mashed Potatoes, gravy, green Beans, Fruit Cobbler, Dinner Roll and Milk.
Fri., Nov. 2 - BBQ Chicken Wings, Baked Potato, Corn, Peaches, Bread and Milk.
Mon., Nov. 5- Creamed Chicken, Rice Pilaf, Country Blend Veg. Pudding Bread and Milk.
Tues., Nov. 6 - Mexican Lasagna, Cal. Blend, Veg., Cookie, Garlic Bread and Milk.
Wed. Nov. 7 - Scallop Potatoes, & Ham, Broccoli, Cookie, Bread and Milk.
Meals are served daily at 11:30 at the Clearbrook site except for evening meals served at 5 p.m. They are subject to change. Please register for meals at least the day before. Call 776-3154 to sign up.

City Council meeting November 14
The Gonvick City Council meeting date has been changed to Wednesday November 14th. The meeting will be held at the Gonvick Community Center at 5 pm.

Community Breakfast
Saturday Nov. 2nd
8AM-11AM
Caramel Rolls \$2.50
\$3.00 Egg Bake
Pancakes \$2.00
at the
Clearbrook Community Center
Proceeds will support the Clearbrook-Gonvick Trap Club
Come join us for a delicious breakfast!
suggested donation



The Annual Meeting of the Clearwater County Agricultural Society (Fair Board) will be held on Thursday November 1, 2018 at 8:00 p.m. in the Commissioners Room at the Clearwater County Courthouse. All Shareholders are encouraged to attend. Persons wishing to purchase a membership share for \$5.00 should contact Allen Paulson, Manager before Nov. 1, 2018.

Clearbrook-Gonvick Music Department PRESENTS SECOND ANNUAL MYSTERY DINNER THEATRE "MURDER BY TEN" BY EDDIE MCPHERSON Sat., Nov. 10, 2018 5:30 p.m. Tickets: \$20.00 each THE EVENING INCLUDES •Pre-Dinner Music by Solo Contest Musicians •3-Course Meal served by Music Department Students •A Murder Mystery & Dessert to "Die" for!! This fundraising event will benefit the high school music department for arts access experiences. Tickets available through Clearbrook-Gonvick Music Department Students & Staff Phone: 218-776-3112

Experience & Integrity
These are qualities I bring to the office of
Clearwater County Attorney



I was raised on a farm and served in the U.S. Marine Corps. I know the value of hard work and working together for a common goal. I have over 30 years' experience working as a criminal prosecutor and it has been my privilege to serve as your Clearwater County Attorney, and I ask for your vote in the upcoming election.
Contact me at VoteForRogalla@gmail.com

Vote Al Rogalla on November 6th!

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PO. Box 497, Bagley MN 56621



Author Lise Lunge-Larsen will be joined by illustrator Kari Vick for a presentation about their book in Gonvick.

Author Illustrator Team to Present in Gonvick

In November, beloved children's book author Lise Lunge-Larsen will be joined by illustrator Kari Vick for a presentation about their book, "Seven Ways to Trick a Troll". Lunge-Larsen and Vick will share the making of their book, which brings Norwegian trolls to life with seven folktales that teach us how to face life's difficulties with moxie. The author-illustrator team will also discuss the important role trolls play in Norse mythology and history, as well as how

Sending out a **BIG THANK YOU** to the kind and generous people who brought produce to the Sr. Center. Corn, Tomatoes, Cucumbers, Squash, Wild Rice & ect. It is so Appreciated. Thank you, From everyone at the Sr. Center Clearbrook

Now hear this...
by Harry Hutchens, Clearwater County Veterans Service Officer

FLAGS AT HALF STAFF:
As a mark of solemn respect for the victims of the terrible act of violence perpetrated at The Tree of Life Synagogue in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, on October 27, 2018, by the authority vested in me as President of the United States by the Constitution and the laws of the United States of America, I hereby order that the flag of the United States shall be flown at half-staff at the White House and upon all public buildings and grounds, at all military posts and naval stations, and on all naval vessels of the Federal Government in the District of Columbia and throughout the United States and its Territories and possessions until sunset, October 31, 2018. I also direct that the flag shall be flown at half-staff for the same length of time at all United States embassies, legations, consular offices, and other facilities abroad, including all military facilities and naval vessels and stations. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this twenty-seventh day of October, in the year of our Lord two thousand eighteen, and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred and forty-third. DONALD J. TRUMP

2018 FLU SHOTS: The Fargo VA Health Care System will hold several free influenza immunization clinics in October for Veterans enrolled in VA healthcare across North Dakota and northwest Minnesota. Bemidji VA Community Based Outpatient Clinic:
•Oct. 3, 4, 10, 11, 17, 18, 24, 25 and 31, 1-4 p.m.
•Oct. 5, 12, 19 and 26, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.
CVSO NOTE: The influenza immunization is also available at regularly scheduled VA appointments.

Church News

GONVICK LUTHERAN PARISH
MEMBERS OF NALC
Pastor Kris Snyder
SAMHOLD LUTHERAN CHURCH
Wed., Oct. 31: 8:00 AM Men's Bible Study, 9:30 AM Women's Bible Study, NO Confirmation.
Sun., Nov. 4: 9:30 am Sunday School, 10:30 AM Worship Service/Holy Communion.
UNITED LUTHERAN CHURCH
Sun., Nov. 4: 9:00 AM Worship Service/Holy Communion.

GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH
CLEARBROOK & OUR SAVIOR'S LUTHERAN CHURCH LEONARD
Pastor Robert Kirchnerman
Good Shepherd
Sun., Nov. 4: 9:00am Worship-All Saints Day/Communion; 10:00am Coffee Hour/Sunday School/7-12th Grade Youth Connect.
Mon. Nov. 5 - 7:00 p.m. Worship Committee.
Wed. Nov. 7 - 6:30pm Choir Practice; 7:30pm Handbell Practice
Joint activities
Wed. Oct. 31 - 5:30pm Supper 6-9th Grade; 6:00pm Confirmation/6th & 7th Grade Bible Study.
Our Savior's
Sun., Nov. 4: 10:00am Sunday School; 10:30am Coffee Hour; 11:00am Worship-All Saints Day/Baptism/Communion.

ELIM LUTHERAN BRETHREN CHURCH
Clearbrook
Pastor Adam Krog
Wed., Oct. 31 - 5:30 pm confirmation, 6:30 pm Youth Group, 7:30 pm Bible Study & Prayer.
Thurs., Nov. 1 - 9:30 Bible Study & Prayer.
Sun., Nov. 4: 9:30 am Sunday School, 10:30 am Worship Services, 6:00 pm Ladies Bible Study.
Future events: Ladies Craft day at Elim, Sat. Nov. 17 at 9:00 am. Small fee and lunch is included.

REDEEMER EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH - LCMS
Church Location: Corner of Hwy. 2 & Red Lake Ave. SW Bagley, MN
Pastor Gerold Goetz
Sunday Divine Service: 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School / Adult Bible Study: 10:45 a.m.

FAITH BIBLE CHAPEL OF CLOVER
Leonard, MN
Sunday: 10:00 a.m. Worship Service.

GRACE FREE LUTHERAN CHURCH BAGLEY
Pastor Todd Klemme
9 a.m. Sunday School
10 a.m. Sunday Worship
September - May
Every Thursday: 10 a.m. Bible Study.
Communion First Sunday of the Month.

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
Bagley 218-694-6416
Pastor:
Fr. John Melkies Suvakeen
Terri D, Parish sec.
Sunday Mass: 10:30 AM
Call for weekday Mass times.

THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS - Clearbrook Branch
305 Lake Ave. E.
Sacrament Meeting: 10:00-11:00 a.m.; Sunday School: 11:20 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Priesthood/Relief Society: 12:10-1:00 p.m.; Young Women's: 12:10-1:00 p.m.; Primary: 11:20 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

COUNTRY FAITH CHURCH
1 mile south of Clearbrook, 2 miles west on Cty. Rd. 6
Senior Pastor Larry Dorman
Associate Pastor Jim Binder
Youth Pastor Brad Binder
Children's Minister Nicky Ubert
www.countryfaith.org
218-776-3367
cfcchurch@gvtel.com
Sunday: 9:00 a.m. Sunday School (Sept - May); 10:00 a.m. Worship Service (Jr Church during Sermon time); 10:00 a.m. Kids Worship (1st-6th Graders) most Sundays Sept-May; 7:00 p.m. Youth Night (check the church website for dates or the Elevate Youth Facebook Page for up to date information)
Every Tuesday at 6:30 a.m. Men's Prayer
* Wednesdays - Care groups in various homes

KINGDOM HALL OF JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES
Sand Lake Ave & 5th St. Bagley
Thursday: 7:30 p.m. Bible Study; 8:00 p.m. Theocratic School; 8:30 p.m. Service Meeting.
Sunday: 10:00 a.m. Public Bible Talk; 10:35 a.m. Bible Study.



FALL BACK
Daylight Saving Time ENDS
November 4th

Ad deadline: Noon Friday
Clear Waters Life Center Happenings...

CLEARBROOK SITE:
Shop-at-the-Top: Lots of great merchandise at super low prices. Organized space & helpful volunteer staff. Open 10:00 AM-4:00 PM, weekdays, and 10:00-12:00, Saturday.
Celebrate Recovery Support Group: 7:00 PM, Thursday, 2nd floor of CWLC-Clearbrook. Help for any hurt, habit, or hang-up. Confidential.
Youth Connection: Tuesday & Wednesday after-school for grades 5-9. Transportation permission slip available at www.clearwaterslife.org, "Youth Program".

GONVICK SITE:
Pottery Class: Thurs., Nov. 8, 15, & 29. 6:30-8:00 PM. Novice to experienced. \$5.00 per session. Register by calling 218-776-2789.
Senior Connection Adult Day Services: Openings for new participants, M-W-F, 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Enrollment assistance & transportation available. 218-487-5290, Ext.1.
Transportation Service: Call Karen at 218-776-2223 or 218-637-0509 to the learn more.
Hours: Gonvick, 226 Elm St., M-W-F, 10-3; Clearbrook, 256 2nd Ave., SW., Main office open: 8-4, Tues.-Fri.

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Clearbrook
Pastor Verlyn Strenge
Assoc. Pastor Jim Galloway
Wed. Oct. 31 - 6:30 p.m. AWA-NA
Thurs. Nov. 1 - 7:00 p.m. Bible Study
Sat. Nov. 3 - 7:00 a.m. Men's Breakfast & Bible Study
Sun. Nov. 4 - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School, 10:45 a.m. Morning Worship Service.

CLEARWATER LUTHERAN PARISH
Mt. Olive - Nazareth Oak Park - St. Petri
Pastor Jeff Merseth
Wed, Oct. 31: 5:00 p.m. Wednesday School/Confirmation.
Sun, Nov. 4: 9:30 a.m. Joint Service at Nazareth.
Wed, Nov. 7: 5:00 p.m. Wednesday School/Confirmation.

NEW JOURNEY CHURCH
Josiah Hoagland, Pastor
Tyler Stynberg, Youth Pastor
www.newjournefosston.com
Wed, Oct 31: 6:30 p.m. Youth Group. 6:30 p.m. AWANA.
Sun, Nov. 4: 9:30 a.m. Worship. 10:45 a.m. Sunday School.
Tue, Nov. 6: 9:30 a.m. Ladies Devotions. 10:00 a.m. Quilting.
Wed, Nov. 7: 6:30 p.m. Youth Group. 6:30 p.m. AWANA.

GULLY-TRAIL PARISH
Bethany * Lund
Sand Valley
Dawn Hanson, Lay Minister
Sun, Nov. 4: 9:00 p.m. Lund. 10:30 a.m. Bethany.

BETHEL ASSEMBLY
Fosston
Seth Johnson, Interim Pastor
Sun, Nov. 4: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School. 10:30 a.m. Worship.

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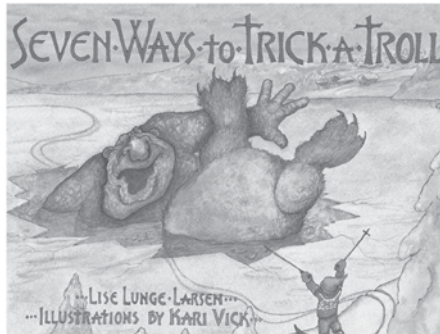
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Seven Ways to Trick a Troll



Featuring Author Lise Lunge Larsen and Illustrator Kari Vick

In "Seven Ways to Trick a Troll", author Lise Lunge-Larsen and illustrator Kari Vick bring Norwegian trolls to life in seven folktales that teach us how to face life's difficulties with moxie. Join us to learn about the making of the book, as well as the important role trolls play in Norse mythology and history, and how trolls impacted the shaping of Norwegian cultural identity.

November 8 at 6 p.m.
Clear Waters Life Center
226 Elm St., Gonvick



This event is offered free of charge thanks to funding from the Minnesota Arts and Cultural Heritage Legacy Fund.



SANFORD BAGLEY'S FALL FAIRYTALE WALK
Wednesday, October 31, 2018
5:30 - 7 p.m.
Bagley Medical Center

Children of all ages are welcome to walk through the hallway! Bring your kids dressed in costumes for fun and trick or treating.

SANFORD Bagley

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SPOTLIGHT

October Elementary Students of the Month

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Life is mostly froth and bubble,

Two things stand like stone,
Kindness in another's troubles,

Courage in your own.
~Adam Lindsay Gordon

Name: Maci Syverson, Kindergarten

Parents: Tory Syverson and Lauren Lien

Comments: Maci always comes to school with a smile and a positive attitude. She is a good example to all as she follows directions quickly and is very respectful. I love her enthusiasm for learning new things! Her classmates voted for her to be our Student of the Month. They seem to appreciate her kindness and good manners as much as I do. One student remarked, "I like Maci because she is kind to everyone." Another said, "I like Maci because she plays with me!" Congratulations Maci!

Name: Edward Nybo, Kindergarten

Parents: Michael and Amanda Nybo **Siblings:** Joseph and Emma

Comments: Edward is having a great start to his school career! He is a hard worker and a great friend to all his classmates. He is a great listener and does all his work without being asked twice. His friends like to play with him at playtime and recess too. I love that he works so hard till his job is done. Way to go Edward- and keep it up!

Student: Isabelle Krog, First Grade

Parents: Adam and Ashley Krog **Siblings:** Elijah - Kindergarten, Ezra, and Iris

Comments: Isabelle was very hesitant to come to first grade and she told me she was going to try it out for one week! This young lady has blossomed and has shown so much growth since the beginning of the year! She is a role model student that

makes good decisions in her behavior and how she treats others with kindness. She completes her work with great quality and purpose! Her printing is beautiful and her writings are well thought out! She is diligent; staying on task! In her group work, she delivers well thought out responses and shares them with the class in a considerate way!! She told me recently that she likes first grade and it shows in her work! Isabelle, you are an amazing First Grader!

Student: Trevor Bjerke, Second Grade

Parents: Shani Shriver and Bradley Bjerke

Siblings: Hunter (19), Alexine (18), Lauren and Taylor (16)

Comments: Trevor is an awesome student! He works hard and is very quiet. He also turns in all his homework on time! This is what he wrote about his family. "My family is the best family I met! My family cooks a lot! They also joke a lot with me! They work a lot and sleep a lot!" His best trip ever was to Disney World. He says he especially liked the room service and shopping at the mall.

Student: Drayden Cobena-is-Neadeau, Third Grade

Parents: Becky Neadeau & Derrick Cobenais. **Siblings:** Derecca and Derrica

Comments: Drayden is a hard working, determined student. Nothing rattles him when he's in the learning zone. He is not afraid of a challenge and handles himself well both in the classroom and out. He is a great friend, classmate, and teammate. His kindness and dedication stands out to the students around him. Be Proud! Congratulations Drayden!

Student: Dawson Gazelka, Fourth Grade

Parents: April and Daniel Gazelka **Siblings:** Landon, Aubriana, and Noella

Comments: Dawson is our

fourth grade student of the month. He is an avid reader and can often be found engrossed in a book somewhere. Although quiet, Dawson has a humorous side to him as well. He is an intelligent, respectful kid who strives to do his best and be kind and respectful to those around him. Congratulations Dawson!

Student: Taivion May, Fifth Grade

Parents: Lydell Feather and Cheyenne May **Siblings:** Leone and Lydell

Comments: Taivion is our fifth grade student of the month. He is a hard worker with a positive attitude. He's always willing to help his classmates and his teachers. While he is a man of mystery, students enjoy his sense of humor and kindness.

Student: Broden Benson, Sixth Grade

Parents: Brian and Parisha Benson **Siblings:** Blayten, Brayden, Brekken, and Brysen

Comments: Broden is making great choices and working hard in sixth grade. He is a positive influence in the classroom and is becoming an excellent leader. When asked to help with something, Broden is the guy to do it. He is respectful and a friend to many. His peers say, "Broden works hard in school." "He is my best friend." "Broden helps people in the classroom and outside." Congratulations Broden on being October's Student of the Month!

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Vote for Law and Order
VOTE to protect the Constitution
VOTE Nov. 6th for Republican candidates
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Violence and MOB rule

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Letters to the Editor

Letter to the Editor

Words that describe Al Rogalla Candidate for Clearwater County Attorney
Experience
Dedicated
Willing to serve
Go getter
Al has my vote
Cheryl Grover

Letter to the Editor

The group writing this letter is made of stay-at-home mom's, dental hygienists, teachers, nurses, and above all else, parents. Many of us grew up in this community and have chose to stay in this supportive, family-friendly area with the hope of seeing our children thrive. Children are the future and supporting our local school on November 6th will ensure a strong outlook for the children of our community.

As parents of young children, we feel strongly about the following: having sufficient programming for the number of students attending, accommodating incoming families, sustaining the interest of families to remain in the Clearbrook-Gonvick area, and ensuring our children are appropriately prepared for today's educational demands. We support the addition of the early childhood program because it will provide further opportunities to develop social skills, emotional

skills, listening skills, developmental skills, and academic abilities.

Our desire as parents is to see our children grow into confident, intelligent, kind individuals. We believe these qualities are cultivated from having a strong foundation developed in an early childhood program. Supporting both questions of the upcoming building referendum would ensure a bright future for the children of the Clearbrook-Gonvick school district.

Respectfully,
Moms Supporting United for Progress

Clearbrook- Gonvick School Menu

Wed., Oct. 31 - Mummy Dogs with Pumpkin Puffs, Jack'O Lantern Cups, Pumpkin Cookies, Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Choices and Milk.

Thurs., Nov. 1 - Chicken Alfredo, Broccoli, Garlic Breadstick (9-12), Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Choices and Milk.

Fri., Nov. 2 - Meatball Mashed Potato Bowl, with Dinner roll, CC Cookie (9-12), Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Choices and Milk.

Mon., Nov. 5 - Tater Tot or Wild Rice Hotdish, Dinner Roll, Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Choices and Milk.

Tues., Nov. 6 - Turkey Subs with fixings, Sun Chips, Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Choices and Milk.

Wed., Nov. 7 - Lasagna, Garlic Toast, Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Choices and Milk.

School News

Thanks to everyone that supported our Summer Recreation program by buying Fry Bread Tacos at our recent fundraiser. Special thanks to students, parents and others that worked and to Robin and the kitchen staff for the delicious tacos!!

Bear Wear ordering: Last day to order is October 31. Order form and catalog available on web site, facebook and in display case by office.

Veterans Day program will be held on Monday, November 12 at 10:00 am.

Classroom Drivers Education Fall 2018

Dates are: October 29,30,31, November 1,5,6,7,8,12,13

Meet in room 414. Time is 3:20, except on Wednesdays it is 2:35. Class is 3 hours long.

Do not need to register. Need to be 15 by around January 1st. Date is flexible, talk to Judy if you have questions. Cost is \$70 for classroom. Can be paid anytime during the class.

Information has been given to 9th graders and is available on the web site, facebook and in display case by the office.

COUNSELORS CORNER: There are lots of things going on in the school counseling world. Here are the highlights:

Juniors

-They will be taking the ASVAB on Thursday, October 25th (a letter was sent in the mail)

-The ACT will be administered though the school on Wednesday, February 20th

Seniors

-The FAFSA is available starting October 1 for the 2019-2020 college school year. It should be filled out as

soon as possible on or after October 1 to meet FAFSA deadlines, which is different at each school <https://fafsa.ed.gov/>

-October is College Knowledge Month!

The goal of College Knowledge Month is to provide every graduating high school senior with the preparation, opportunity, and support needed to apply to college. Many Minnesota postsecondary institutions waive application fees during College Knowledge Month.

Representatives visiting our school

11/1- Bemidji State University

Instagram: counselormegang

Snapchat: CounselorMegangG

Website: <https://sites.google.com/a/clearbrook-gonvick.k12.mn.us/schoolcounselor/>

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES:

Mon, Nov 5: Winter Player/Parent meeting at 7:00 pm in the gym

Mon, Nov 12: Girls basketball begins

Mon, Nov 19: Boys basketball begins

ONGOING EVENTS / ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Parents: Please check your lunch accounts regularly so you can keep up to date.

PLEASE USE THE K-12 PAYMENT CENTER to check your account and make payments.

You may also contact the office for assistance with your account at 218-776-3112.

AFTER SCHOOL TUTORING: After school tutoring is offered again this year for grades 5-12. It is held M, T, and R from 3:25 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. and W from 2:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. in lab 400. No tutoring will be held on Fridays and early release days. Each student needs permission from parents. A signup sheet is located outside room 406. Anyone attending tutoring will need to be signed up by 1:00 pm each day. C-G students from the Red Lake area are encouraged to attend. A late bus leaves the school at 5:30 p.m. and arrives in Red Lake at 6 p.m. on the days there is tutoring.

YOUTH CONNECTION!! Youth Connection every Tuesday & Wednesday: Check here for information

Please turn in all BoxTops, Tyson A+ and Loaves for Learning UPC's.

Mystery Dinner Theatre planned

The Clearbrook-Gonvick Music Department will be presenting its Second Annual Mystery Dinner Theatre. The play "Murder by Ten" by Eddie McPherson.

It will be held on Saturday, November 10, 2018 5:30 p.m. Tickets are \$20.00 each. The evening includes: Pre-Dinner Music by Solo Contest Musicians, 3-Course Meal served by Music Department Students and A Murder Mystery and Dessert to "Die" for!!

This fundraising event will benefit the high school music department for arts access experiences. The evening is funded, in part, with a Thrivent Action Grant. "Murder by Ten" produced by special arrangement with Eldridge, Publications.

Tickets available through Clearbrook-Gonvick Music Department Students & Staff Phone: 218-776-3112



October Elementary Students of the Month Pictured in front: Trevor Bjerke, Isabelle Krog, Maci Syverson, Edward Nybo. Pictured in back: Broden Benson, Dawson Gazelka, Taivion May, Drayden Cobenais-Neadeau.

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Corrine's Corner

By Corrine Richards

We got the video on our web site. If anyone wants to see what they missed for Minnie and Pretty Pearl at the Gully Show that was held. You can go to Google and type in trico-canary.com then click on Richards Publishing and go down to the videos at the bottom and then click on the show to see the girls. It was quite a show.

The Clearwater County Fair Board meeting will be held on Thursday November 1, 2018 at 8:00 p.m. in the Com-

missioners Room at the Clearwater County Courthouse. All Shareholders are encouraged to attend.

Saturday, November 3 is the Community Breakfast at the Clearbrook Community Center. Proceeds will support the Clearbrook-Gonvick Trap Club. Serving will be from 8 to 11.

It is that time of the year again. Deer hunting starts on Saturday morning. November 3. There will be people out wearing that bright colored clothing so that we can see

them.

It is also Day Light saving time begins and we get an extra hour of sleep or whatever you wish to do in the middle of Saturday night. Set your clocks back one hour.

Deer Season Opener Tradition hunters supper on Sat. Nov. 3 5-8 p.m. at the Gully Town Hall . Meatballs and all the goodies including lefse and jello. Come as you are. All welcome!

Nazareth Lutheran Church of rural Trail will be having their annual Hunter's Dinner and Bake Sale on Sunday, November 4. Meatballs and all the goodies.

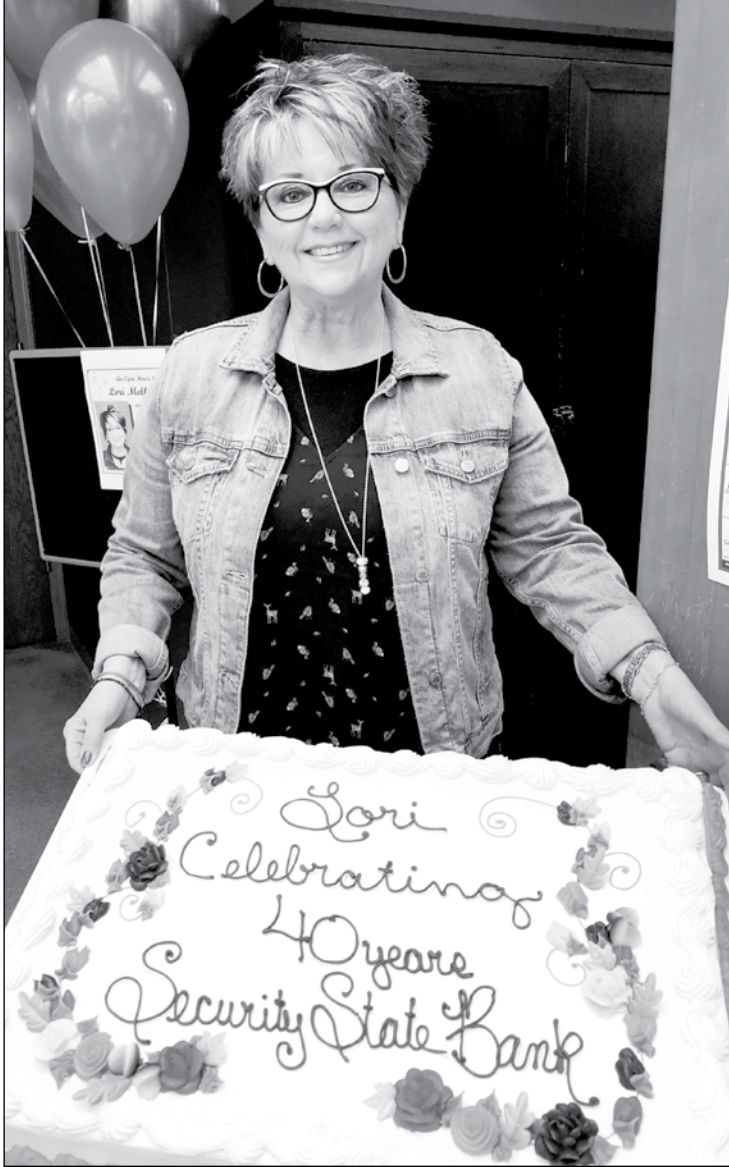
Veterans Day program for people in Clearbrook-Gonvick. It will held on Monday, November

Goodridge-Grygla 59, Clearbrook-Gonvick 20
Tournament action
GG - 16-20-23-0-59
C-G- 6- 0- 68 8-20
GG—Jaden Kiesow 11 run (Peyton Verbout run)
C-G—Damon Bakke 4 run (run failed)

GG—Kiesow 3 run (Hudson McMillin run)
GG—Kiesow 4 run (run failed)
GG—Kiesow 9 run (run failed)
GG—Kiesow 30 run (McMillin pass to Kiesow)
GG—Moses Jensen 90 kick-

off return (McMillin pass to Kiesow)
GG—Jensen 24 run (McMillin run)
C-G—Bakke 29 run (pass failed)
GG—Kaleb Sjulestad 6 run (Lucian Tinnes kick)
C-G—Bakke 4 run (Riley Shultz run)
Individual leaders
RUSHING -- C-G: Damon Bakke 11-94, Johnny Hamnes 8-43; G-G: Jaden Kiesow 14-94, Peyton Verbout 16-93, Kaleb Sjulestad 14-89, Andrew Loken 5-47
PASSING -- C-G: Hunter Ehlers 5-9, 73 yards; G-G: Hudson McMillin 1-1, 15 yards
RECEIVING -- C-G: Hamnes 2-42, Erick Bergman 2-23, Bakke 1-8; G-G: Sjulestad 1-15

Clearwater County Fair Calendar winners
Oct 20 - Bryantt Bolduc, Bagley, \$20.
Oct. 21 - Roberta Otting, Bagley, \$20.
Oct. 22 - Sara Imle, Gonvick, \$20.
Oct. 23 - Renee Engebretson, Leonard, \$20.
Oct. 24 - Eileen Berg, Bagley, \$20.
Oct. 25 - Elijah Swenson, Shelly, \$20.
Oct. 26 - Piper Bakke, Clearbrook, \$20.



Lori Melby celebrates 40 years of working at Security State Bank & Agency in Oklee. That is a sister bank of Northern State Bank of Gonvick.

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12 at 10:00 a.m. More information will be coming.

If you have a story or photo to share you can send to richards@gvtel.com. Your new family member, the big buck or fish that you got, wedding or engagement picture.

Obituaries in the Canary are also put on our website for you to see. Go online at trico-

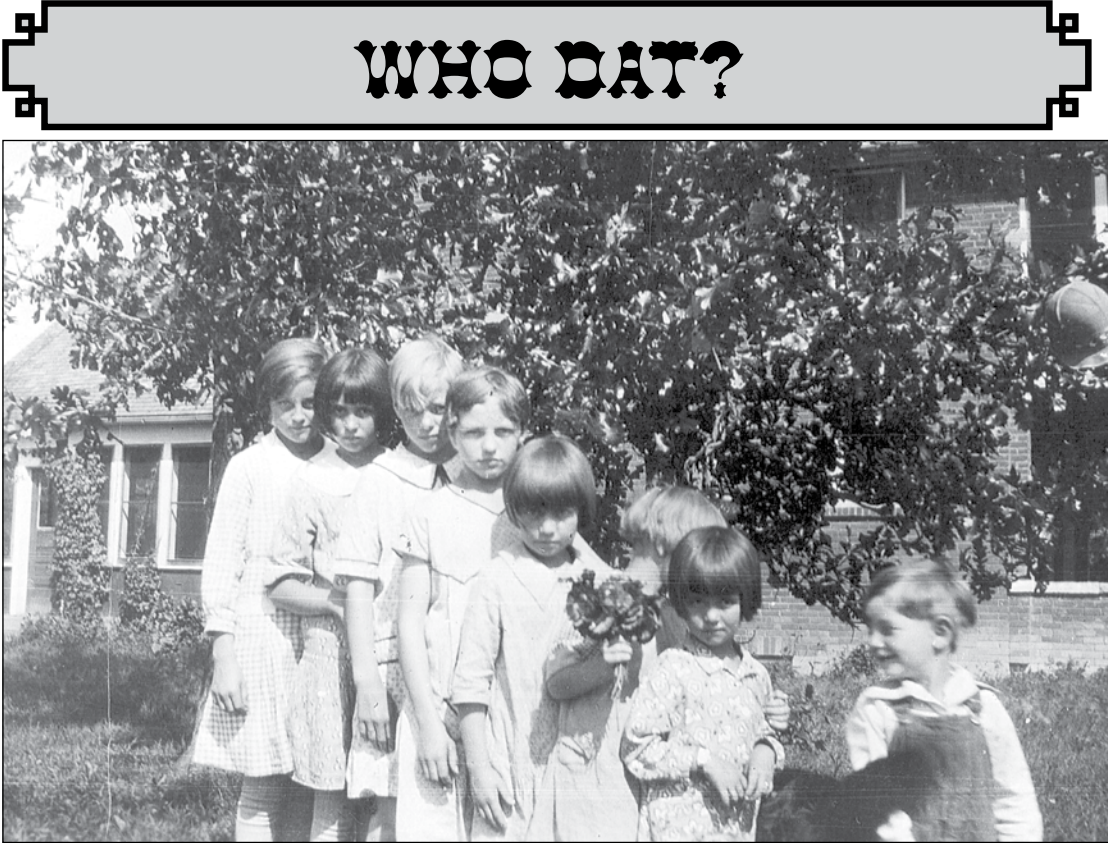
canary.com. They are free and updated as they come into our office.

We collect used eye glasses in the Leader-Record office in Gonvick and at the Clearbrook-Leonard Senior Center. We do this for the Gonvick Lions Club and they are put to very good use.

Joke time...

Knute's boss was thinking of firing Knute because he always came to work ½ hour late each day, so he called Knute into the office. The boss said to him, "Knute, I'm going to have to fire you because you are always ½ hour late to work."

"Ya, Mister Boss, but have you noticed how I always quit ½ hour early to make up for it?"



This is real Who Dat? We only know that the picture was taken on the Pearson lawn east of Gonvick before 1960. The original house is still standing in the background. Any idea who these people may be. The owner of the picture is looking for answers.

Sample Ballot

	Clearwater County	State of Minnesota	November 2, 2018
	State General Election Composite Sample Ballot		
	Instructions to Voters:		
	To vote, completely fill in the oval(s) next to your choice(s) like this: 		
	Judicial Offices	Judicial Offices	
	Court of Appeals	9th District Court	
	Judge 4	Judge 13	
	Vote for One	Vote for One	
	For All Precincts	For All Precincts	
☐	Tracy Smith Incumbent	☐	Erik J. Askegaard Incumbent
☐	write-in, if any	☐	write-in, if any
	Judge 6	Judge 24	
	Vote for One	Vote for One	
	For All Precincts	For All Precincts	
☐	Renee L. Worke Incumbent	☐	Annie Claesson-Huseby Incumbent
☐	write-in, if any	☐	write-in, if any
	Judge 7		
	Vote for One		
	For All Precincts		
☐	Jill Flaskamp Halbrooks Incumbent		
☐	write-in, if any		
	Judge 12		
	Vote for One		
	For All Precincts		
☐	Diane Bratvold Incumbent		
☐	write-in, if any		
	Judge 14		
	Vote for One		
	For All Precincts		
☐	James B. Florey Incumbent		
☐	write-in, if any		
	9th District Court		
	Judge 1		
	Vote for One		
	For All Precincts		
☐	Shari Schluchter Incumbent		
☐	write-in, if any		
	Judge 3		
	Vote for One		
	For All Precincts		
☐	David F. Hemerding Incumbent		
☐	write-in, if any		
	Judge 7		
	Vote for One		
	For All Precincts		
☐	John G. Melbye Incumbent		
☐	write-in, if any		
	Judge 9		
	Vote for One		
	For All Precincts		
☐	Heidi M. Chandler Incumbent		
☐	write-in, if any		
	Judge 10		
	Vote for One		
	For All Precincts		
☐	Christopher J. Strandlie Incumbent		
☐	write-in, if any		

Legal Notices

ABSENTEE BALLOTS

Absentee Ballots are available, for those who cannot vote on Election Day, in the County Auditor-Treasurer's Office during normal office hours of Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Other hours for absentee voting include Saturday, November 3rd from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. and Monday, November 5th until 5:00 p.m. in the Auditor-Treasurer's Office in the Courthouse.

Section 208 of the Voting Rights Act of 1965 reads: Any voter who requires assistance to vote by reason of blindness, disability, or inability to read or write may be given assistance by a person of the voter's choice, other than the voter's employer or agent of that employer or officer or agent of the voter's union.

All election judges in Clearwater County have been trained in the procedures to properly assist all handicapped or disabled voters. All eligible voters are encouraged to vote either absentee or on Election Day and ask assistance of the election judges.

Any questions, please call the Auditor-Treasurer's Office at 694-6520.

R31-32C

OFFICIAL BALLOT
CITY ELECTION BALLOT

CITY OF GONVICK
COUNTY OF CLEARWATER
MINNESOTA

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2018

Put a cross mark (x) opposite the name in the square
Indicated by the arrow for whom you wish to vote.

Mayor-Two year term (vote for one)

____ Jason Bakke
____ Candace Coulter
____ Write in, if any _____

Council Member-Four year term (vote for two)

____ Daniel Johnson
____ write in, if any _____
____ write in, if any _____

R31-32C

Legal Notice

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE
FORECLOSURE SALE
THE RIGHT TO VERIFICATION OF
THE DEBT AND IDENTITY OF THE
ORIGINAL CREDITOR WITHIN THE
TIME PROVIDED BY LAW IS NOT
AFFECTED BY THIS ACTION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that default has occurred in conditions of the following described mortgage:
DATE OF MORTGAGE:
November 28, 2016

MORTGAGOR: Theresa Beardsley and Shawn Beardsley, wife and husband as joint tenants.

MORTGAGEE: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for Bay Equity LLC.

DATE AND PLACE OF RECORDING: Recorded December 1, 2016 Clearwater County Recorder, Document No. A169079.

ASSIGNMENTS OF MORTGAGE: Assigned to: Lakeview Loan Servicing, LLC. Dated September 24, 2018 Recorded September 28, 2018, as Document No. A172843.

TRANSACTION AGENT: Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc.

TRANSACTION AGENT'S MORTGAGE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER ON MORTGAGE: 1006166-0004039733-4

LENDER OR BROKER AND MORTGAGE ORIGINATOR STATED ON MORTGAGE: Bay Equity LLC
RESIDENTIAL MORTGAGE SERVICER: M&T Bank

MORTGAGED PROPERTY ADDRESS: 42702 State 92, Clearbrook, MN 56634

TAX PARCEL I.D. #: 090190700

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: THE SOUTH 520 FEET OF THE NORTH 620 FEET OF THE WEST 360 FEET OF GOVERNMENT LOT 2, SECTION 19, TOWNSHIP 148, RANGE 37
PIN# 09-019-0700

COUNTY IN WHICH PROPERTY IS LOCATED: Clearwater
ORIGINAL PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF MORTGAGE: \$152,192.00

AMOUNT DUE AND CLAIMED TO BE DUE AS OF DATE OF NOTICE, INCLUDING TAXES, IF ANY, PAID BY MORTGAGEE: \$154,528.43

That prior to the commencement of this mortgage foreclosure proceeding Mortgagee/Assignee of Mortgagee complied with all notice requirements as required by statute; That no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof;

PURSUANT to the power of sale contained in said mortgage, the above described property will be sold by the Sheriff of said county as follows:

DATE AND TIME OF SALE: December 19, 2018 at 10:00 AM

PLACE OF SALE: Sheriff's Office, 213 North Main Avenue, Bagley, MN to pay the debt then secured by said Mortgage, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs

and disbursements, including attorneys' fees allowed by law subject to redemption within six (6) months from the date of said sale by the mortgagor(s), their personal representatives or assigns unless reduced to Five (5) weeks under MN Stat. §580.07.

TIME AND DATE TO VACATE PROPERTY: If the real estate is an owner-occupied, single-family dwelling, unless otherwise provided by law, the date on or before which the mortgagor(s) must vacate the property if the mortgage is not reinstated under section 580.30 or the property is not redeemed under section 580.23 is 11:59 p.m. on June 19, 2019, unless that date falls on a weekend or legal holiday, in which case it is the next weekday, and unless the redemption period is reduced to 5 weeks under MN Stat. Secs. 580.07 or 582.032.

MORTGAGOR(S) RELEASED FROM FINANCIAL OBLIGATION ON MORTGAGE: None
"THE TIME ALLOWED BY LAW FOR REDEMPTION BY THE MORTGAGOR, THE MORTGAGOR'S PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES OR ASSIGNS, MAY BE REDUCED TO FIVE WEEKS IF A JUDICIAL ORDER IS ENTERED UNDER MINNESOTA STATUTES, SECTION 582.032, DETERMINING, AMONG OTHER THINGS, THAT THE MORTGAGED PREMISES ARE IMPROVED WITH A RESIDENTIAL DWELLING OF LESS THAN FIVE UNITS, ARE NOT PROPERTY USED IN AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION, AND ARE ABANDONED."

Dated: October 19, 2018

Lakeview Loan Servicing, LLC
Mortgagee/Assignee of Mortgagee

USSET, WEINGARDEN AND LIEBO, P.L.L.P.
Attorneys for Mortgagee/ Assignee of Mortgagee
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Notice to Electors
of Winsor Township

The General Election will be held at the Community Center in Gonvick on November 6, 2018. The polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. The purpose of the election is to elect officers to fill positions in Federal, State, County, Township, School Board, and Judicial Offices.

Louise Sundquist, Clerk of Winsor Township

R31-32C

*** NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION ***

To the Electors of the City of Gonvick in the County of Clearwater, State of Minnesota:
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That a General Election will be held in all the Election Precincts of the above named City at the Gonvick Community Center in said Precinct, on Tuesday, the Sixth day of November 2018, at which the polls will be open from the hour of seven (7) o'clock A.M. to the hour of eight (8) o'clock P.M.

FEDERAL OFFICES

One United States Senator Term Expiring January 3, 2025
One United States Senator Term Expiring January 3, 2021
One United States Representative for District 7

STATE LEGISLATIVE OFFICES

One State Representative for District 2A
One Governor and Lieutenant Governor
One Secretary of State
One State Auditor
One Attorney General

COUNTY OFFICES

One County Commissioner for District 5
One County Auditor-Treasurer
One County Recorder
One County Sheriff
One County Attorney
One Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor for District 3
One Soil and Water Conservation District Supervisor for District 4

CITY OFFICES

One City Mayor
Two City Council Members

SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICES

Three School Board Members for ISD 2311
Two School District Questions for ISD 2311

JUDICIAL OFFICES

Supreme Court Judges:
One Chief Justice of Supreme Court
One Associate Justice of Supreme Court Seat 2
One Associate Justice of Supreme Court Seat 1
One Associate Justice of Supreme Court Seat 5
Appeals Court Judges:
One Judge Court of Appeals Seat 2
One Judge Court of Appeals Seat 4
One Judge Court of Appeals Seat 6
One Judge Court of Appeals Seat 7
One Judge Court of Appeals Seat 12
One Judge Court of Appeals Seat 14
District Court Judges:
9th Judicial District:
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One Judge 9th District Court Seat 3
One Judge 9th District Court Seat 7
One Judge 9th District Court Seat 9
One Judge 9th District Court Seat 10
One Judge 9th District Court Seat 13
One Judge 9th District Court Seat 24

Dated: September 12, 2018
Stacy Halvorson, Clerk of the City of Gonvick

R31-32C

NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION

To the Electors of the Township of Sinclair in the County of Clearwater, State of Minnesota:
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That a General Election will be held in all the Election Precincts of the above named Township at the Clearbrook Community Center in said Precinct, on Tuesday, the Sixth day of November 2018, at which the polls will be open from the hour of seven (7) o'clock A.M. to the hour of eight (8) o'clock P.M.

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TOWNSHIP OFFICIALS

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One Town Treasurer

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One Judge 9th District Court Seat 13
One Judge 9th District Court Seat 24

Dated: October 17, 2018
Brooke Pond, Sinclair Town Clerk

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	Clearwater County		State of Minnesota		November 2, 2018
	State General Election Composite Sample Ballot				
	Instructions to Voters: To vote, completely fill in the oval(s) next to your choice(s) like this: 				
	Federal Offices	State Offices	State Offices		
	U.S. Senator For term expiring January 3, 2025 Vote for One For All Precincts	State Representative District 2B Vote for One For Precincts: Bear Creek Township, Falk Township, Itasca Township, LaPrairie Township, Long Lost Lake Township, Minerva Township, Moose Creek Township, Nora Township, Rice Township, South Clearwater 143-36	Attorney General Vote for One For All Precincts		
	☐ Jim Newberger January 3, 2025 Republican	☐ Steve Green Republican ☐ Karen Branden Democratic-Farmer-Labor ☐ write-in, if any	☐ Doug Wardlow Republican		
	☐ Amy Klobuchar January 3, 2025 Democratic-Farmer-Labor		☐ Keith Ellison Democratic-Farmer-Labor		
	☐ Dennis Shuller January 3, 2025 Legal Marijuana Now		☐ Noah M. Johnson Grassroots-Legalize Cannabis		
	☐ Paula M Overby January 3, 2025 Minnesota Green Party		☐ write-in, if any		
	☐ write-in, if any				
	U.S. Senator Special Election for term expiring January 3, 2021 Vote for One For All Precincts	Governor & Lieutenant Governor Vote for One Team For All Precincts	County Offices County Commissioner District 1 Vote for One For Precincts: Bagley City, Popple Township		
	☐ Karin Housley January 3, 2021 Republican	☐ Jeff Johnson & Donna Bergstrom Republican	☐ Mark Titera		
	☐ Tina Smith January 3, 2021 Democratic-Farmer-Labor	☐ Peggy Flanagan Democratic-Farmer-Labor	☐ Christopher J Arnold		
	☐ Sarah Wellington January 3, 2021 Legal Marijuana Now	☐ Chris Wright & Judith Schwartzbacker Grassroots-Legalize Cannabis	☐ write-in, if any		
	☐ Jerry Trooien January 3, 2021 Unaffiliated	☐ Josh Welter & Mary O'Connor Libertarian	County Commissioner District 3 Vote for One For Precincts: Bear Creek Township, Copley Township, Moose Creek Township, Shevlin City, Shevlin Township		
	☐ write-in, if any	☐ write-in, if any	☐ Neal J. Illies		
	U.S. Representative District 7 Vote for One For All Precincts	Secretary of State Vote for One For All Precincts	☐ write-in, if any		
	☐ Dave Hughes Republican	☐ John Howe Republican	County Commissioner District 5 Vote for One For Precincts: Eddy Township, Gonvick City Greenwood Township, Holst Township, Pine Lake Township, Red Lake Reservation, Winsor Township		
	☐ Collin C. Peterson Democratic-Farmer-Labor	☐ Steve Simon Democratic-Farmer-Labor			
	☐ write-in, if any	☐ William Denney Independence			
	State Offices	☐ write-in, if any			
	State Representative District 2A Vote for One For Precincts: Bagley City, Clearbrook City, Clover Township, Copley Township, Dudley Township, Eddy Township, Gonvick City, Greenwood Township, Hangaard Township, Holst Township, Leon Township, Leonard City, Pine Lake Township, Popple Township, Red Lake Reservation, Shevlin City, Shevlin Township, Sinclair Township, Winsor Township	State Auditor Vote for One For All Precincts			
	☐ Matthew J. Grossell Republican	☐ Pam Myhra Republican	☐ Mark Larson		
	☐ Michael Northbird Democratic-Farmer-Labor	☐ Julie Blaha Democratic-Farmer-Labor	☐ Gary Eck		
	☐ write-in, if any	☐ Michael Ford Legal Marijuana Now	☐ write-in, if any		
		☐ Chris Dock Libertarian Party	County Auditor-Treasurer Vote for One For All Precincts		
		☐ write-in, if any	☐ Allen L. Paulson		
			☐ write-in, if any		

R31-32C

Darin Halverson



I would appreciate your vote
on November 6th
for Clearwater County Sheriff

R32P

Paid for on his own behalf

Clearwater County Summary Financial Statement

For the year ended December 31, 2016

The purpose of the Report is to provide a summary of financial information concerning Clearwater County for interested citizens. Questions about this Report should be directed

to Allen L. Paulson, County Auditor-Treasurer, at 694-6520. A full and complete copy of the County Financial Statement and County Audit Report are available

online at www.co.clearwater.mn.us/, click on Government, Department info, Auditor, downloads and then 2016 Audit or 2016 Financial Report.

ORGANIZATION SCHEDULE DECEMBER 31, 2016		
<u>Office</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Term Expires</u>
Commissioners		
1 st District	Arlen Syverson	January 2019
2 nd District	Dean Newland	January 2021
3 rd District	Neal Illies, Chair	January 2019
4 th District	John Nelson	January 2021
5 th District	Daniel C. Stenseng	January 2019
Officers		
Elected:		
Attorney	Richard Mollin	January 2019
Sheriff	Darin Halvorson	January 2019
Auditor-Treasurer	Allen L. Paulson	January 2019
Recorder	Brenda Knable	January 2019
Appointed:		
Assessor	Jamie Freeman	Indefinite
Highway Engineer	Dan Sauve	Indefinite
Land Commissioner	Bruce Cox	Indefinite
Veterans Service Officer	Harry Hutchens III	Indefinite
Environmental Services	Daniel Hecht	Indefinite
Human Services Board:		
Chair	Marilyn Shamp	December 2016
Secretary	Julie Sundquist	July 2017
Member	John Nelson	December 2020
Member	Dean Newland	December 2020
Member	Daniel C. Stenseng	December 2018
Member	Arlen Syverson	December 2018
Member	Neal Illies	December 2018
Director	Jamie Halverson	Indefinite

A PROFILE OF CLEARWATER COUNTY			
Key Indicators	Total 2016	Total 2015	Percent Increase (Decrease)
Estimated population	8824	8687	.0157707
Total Market Value			
Of All Taxable Property	\$941,455,600	\$891,834,000	.055640
Percent of Property Taxes Collected	98.69%	98.62%	.000710
Total Revenues			
(All Governmental Funds)	\$19,103,595	\$20,201,091	(.057445)
Total Current Expenditures			
(All Governmental Funds)	\$18,864,488	\$18,390,334	.025783
Total Number of Full Time Employees	112	115	(.026786)

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016						
	Program Revenues				Net (Expense)	
	Expenses	Fees, Charges, Fines and Other	Grants and Contributions	Capital Grants and Contributions	Revenue and Changes in	Net Position
Functions/Programs						
Governmental activities						
General government	\$ 2,762,060	\$ 238,509	\$ 131,000	\$ -	\$ (2,392,551)	
Public safety	3,391,092	543,206	222,763	-	(2,625,123)	
Highways and streets	3,735,082	232,348	1,797,952	2,938,054	1,233,272	
Sanitation	803,858	25,534	546,055	-	(232,269)	
Human services	3,740,106	341,443	1,734,969	-	(1,663,694)	
Health	1,791,148	1,220,434	245,356	-	(325,358)	
Culture and recreation	453,862	230,302	62,709	-	(160,851)	
Conservation of natural resources	1,418,078	572,869	80,176	87,370	(677,663)	
Economic development	2,800	-	-	-	(2,800)	
Interest	3,750	-	-	-	(3,750)	
Total governmental activities	\$ 18,101,836	\$ 3,404,645	\$ 4,820,980	\$ 3,025,424	\$ (6,850,787)	
General revenues						
Taxes					\$ 6,563,459	
Payments in lieu of taxes					311,061	
Grants and contributions not restricted to specific programs					1,224,817	
Investment earnings					167,215	
Miscellaneous					88,167	
Total general revenues					\$ 8,354,719	
Change in net position					\$ 1,503,932	
Net position - January 1					52,950,598	
Net position - December 31					\$ 54,454,530	

2016 Clearwater County Disbursements over \$5,000 General Revenue	
4 Imprint Inc.	6,337
A'Viands LLC	151,723
AAA Striping Service	68,634
Abraham/Roy	18,909
Always There Staffing Inc.	34,063
Amazon	7,012
American Solutions for Business	9,187
Anderson Disposal	127,877
Anderson Truck & Diesel	25,146
Anna's Cleaning	5,454
Association of MN Counties	10,231
B & P Weed Control	6,614
Backer/Malotte	7,570
Bagley Coop Association	93,937
Bagley Motor Sports	5,563
Bagley Public Schools	21,543
Bagley Senior Center	5,150
Bellecourt/Wenonah	9,798
Beltrami County Hwy Dept.	7,624
Beltrami County Human Services	10,137
Beltrami County Treasurer	30,061
Bemidji Bituminous	25,857
Bemidji Chrysler Center	50,078
Bemidji Paper Sales	11,938
Blake/John	6,382
Bobcat of Bemidji	11,021
Boe/Scott & Connie	7,122
Capital One Bank	14,788
CDW Government Inc.	20,860
Cease Family Funeral Home	32,767
City of Bagley	877,616
City of Clearbrook	231,304
City of Gonvick	105,061
City of Shevlin	34,551
Clearbrook Collision Center	5,088
Clearbrook-Gonvick School ISD 2311	10,650
Clearwater County DHS	10,939
Clearwater Co. Historical Society	15,000
Clearwater Co. Nursing Service	76,902
Clearwater County Ag Society	35,000
Clearwater County Auditor-Treasurer	415,109
Clearwater County Department of Correcitor	7,000
Clearwater County First Reponders	5,000
Clearwater County Highway Dept.	11,410
Clearwater County Parks	7,613
Clearwater Day Activity Ctr.	23,493
Clearwater Polk Electric	17,892
Clearwater SWCD	127,685
Clw. Trailblazers Snowmobile Club	61,246
CMRS-POC	5,000
Commissioner of Revenue	34,340
Commissioner of Transportation	17,749
Community Oil Company Inc.	25,673
Compass Minerals America	45,711
CPS Technology Solutions	6,038
Crop Production Services Inc.	30,482
Dell Marketing LP	42,075
Department of Human Services SWIFT	190,871
Fred Deroos	16,158
Diamond Mowers Inc.	22,214
Dow/Margaret J.	8,342
Dyrdahl Construction Inc.	19,510
Edney Distributing Company Inc.	36,601
Election Systems & Software Inc.	16,130
Equipment Blades Inc.	12,056
Eric Roberts Spraying	12,740
Esri	7,208
Evergreen House	41,087
Farmers Publishing Co.	18,533
Frontier Precision Inc.	9,660
Garden Valley Telephone Co	75,020
Generations Forestry LLC	6,179
Gladen Construction Inc.	328,603
Glenn's Carpet Service	36,161
Global Software	20,929
H & L Mesabi	14,842
Halverson/Anna	5,663
Halvorson/Darin	30,489
Harwood Oil Lindgren Enterprises	5,418
Headwaters Regional Development Comm.	39,395
Heartland Girls Ranch	33,369
Henry's Foods Inc.	6,264
Higgins Heating Inc.	5,393
Hill's Plumbing & Heating Inc.	11,488
Hinrichs/Les	10,114
Hoffman, Phillip & Knutson PLLC	27,000
Hoie/Donald	7,350
Hoie/Howard & Jan	12,109
Independent Emergency Services LLC	169,638
Information Systems Corporation	9,280

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BALANCE SHEET GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 2016					
	General	Special Revenue Funds		Other Governmental Funds (Statement 1)	Total Governmental Funds
		Road and Bridge	Human Services		
<u>Assets</u>					
Cash and pooled investments	\$ 4,247,416	\$ 3,345,599	\$ 2,518,217	\$ 1,574,848	\$ 11,686,080
Investments	314,267	-	-	64,019	378,286
Taxes receivable - prior	70,501	19,232	21,377	6,193	117,303
Special assessments receivable - prior	-	-	-	50,811	50,811
Accounts receivable	17,423	100	13,091	25,419	56,033
Accrued interest receivable	42,139	-	-	-	42,139
Contracts receivable	-	-	-	261,124	261,124
Due from other funds	128,733	449	-	-	129,182
Due from other governments	69,441	3,443,764	204,873	144,114	3,862,192
Inventories	-	351,062	-	-	351,062
Special assessments - noncurrent	-	-	-	33,423	33,423
Total Assets	\$ 4,889,920	\$ 7,160,206	\$ 2,757,558	\$ 2,159,951	\$ 16,967,635
<u>Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources, and Fund Balances</u>					
<u>Liabilities</u>					
Accounts payable	\$ 104,958	\$ 42,997	\$ 118,047	\$ 23,799	\$ 289,801
Salaries payable	109,387	39,440	53,121	62,968	264,916
Contracts payable	-	17,816	-	-	17,816
Due to other funds	449	-	4,265	124,468	129,182
Due to other governments	29,226	67	33,583	30,108	92,984
Total Liabilities	\$ 244,020	\$ 100,320	\$ 209,016	\$ 241,343	\$ 794,699
<u>Deferred Inflows of Resources</u>					
Taxes	\$ 53,002	\$ 14,698	\$ 16,250	\$ 4,554	\$ 88,504
Special assessments	-	-	-	77,054	77,054
County State Aid Highway Allotment	-	3,429,736	-	-	3,429,736
Land and timber sales	-	-	-	178,350	178,350
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	\$ 53,002	\$ 3,444,434	\$ 16,250	\$ 259,958	\$ 3,773,644
<u>Fund Balances</u>					
Nonspendable	\$ -	\$ 351,062	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 351,062
Restricted	355,350	-	-	636,554	991,904
Committed	1,223,634	990,461	1,388,044	864,507	4,466,646
Assigned	519,811	2,273,929	1,144,248	157,661	4,095,649
Unassigned	2,494,103	-	-	(72)	2,494,031
Total Fund Balances	\$ 4,592,898	\$ 3,615,452	\$ 2,532,292	\$ 1,658,650	\$ 12,399,292
Total Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources, and Fund Balances	\$ 4,889,920	\$ 7,160,206	\$ 2,757,558	\$ 2,159,951	\$ 16,967,635

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2016

	General	Special Revenue Funds		Other Governmental Funds (Statement 2)	Total Governmental Funds
		Road and Bridge	Human Services		
<u>Revenues</u>					
Taxes	\$ 4,041,423	\$ 1,012,611	\$ 1,166,285	\$ 346,640	\$ 6,566,959
Special assessments	-	-	-	537,177	537,177
Licenses and permits	30,883	-	-	972	31,855
Intergovernmental	1,466,887	4,398,899	1,832,498	527,793	8,226,077
Charges for services	866,576	217,783	139,044	1,118,540	2,341,943
Fines and forfeitures	5,463	-	-	-	5,463
Investment earnings	167,213	-	-	2	167,215
Land and timber sales	-	-	-	565,947	565,947
Miscellaneous	373,893	14,565	202,399	70,102	660,959
Total Revenues	\$ 6,952,338	\$ 5,643,858	\$ 3,340,226	\$ 3,167,173	\$ 19,103,595
<u>Expenditures</u>					
<u>Current</u>					
General government	\$ 2,598,393	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2,598,393
Public safety	2,573,449	-	-	-	2,573,449
Highways and streets	-	5,093,918	-	1,057	5,094,975
Sanitation	-	-	-	772,954	772,954
Human services	-	-	3,556,205	84,382	3,640,587
Health	169,176	-	-	1,535,410	1,704,586
Culture and recreation	449,914	-	-	-	449,914
Conservation of natural resources	659,419	-	-	742,669	1,402,088
Economic development	2,800	-	-	-	2,800
Total Current	\$ 6,453,151	\$ 5,093,918	\$ 3,556,205	\$ 3,136,472	\$ 18,239,746
<u>Debt service</u>					
Principal retirement	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 20,000	\$ 20,000
Interest	-	-	-	3,750	3,750
Total Debt Service	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 23,750	\$ 23,750

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STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION
FIDUCIARY FUNDS
DECEMBER 31, 2016

	Agency (Statement 3)
<u>Assets</u>	
Cash and pooled investments	\$ 492,916
<u>Liabilities</u>	
Due to other governments	\$ 492,916

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General Revenue

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Itasca State Park	6,240
Itaskin Juvenile Center	19,569
Jag Body Shop & Towing Service	8,088
Johnson/Pamela	6,295
Kindred Family Services	32,216
Kortan/Harry	10,033
Kortan/Mardelle	14,651
Kramer Leas DeLeo PC	137,760
Kris Engineering Inc.	5,358
Lake Agassiz Regional Library	95,725
Lakeshirts Inc.	10,358
Larson/Travis & April	8,884
Law Enforcement Technology Group LLC	9,911
Listrom's Disposal	162,333
Lopez/Janny	31,754
M&R Sign Company Inc.	8,436
Marco Technologies LLC	69,809
Mark's Sand & Gravel Company	2,465,260
Maruska/Bradley	5,865
MCCC	77,676
MCF-Red Wing/Stillwater	35,385
MCIT	270,781
MEND Correctional Car, PLLC	57,928
Menefee/Christina	5,730
Midbo-Neisen/Amanda	9,578
Midstates Equipment & Supply	32,758
Midway Ford Company	26,274
Minnesota Shierff's Association	6,445
Minnesota UC Fund	17,499
MN Dept of Corrections	105,716
MN Dept of Finance	3,519,855
Motorola Solutions Inc.	6,007
MSOP-MN Sex Offender Program 462	203,212
Mullan/Robert & Barbara	6,150
Murray Surveying Inc.	13,440
Neill's Plumbing & Heating Inc.	15,868
Nelson Auto Center	52,420
Netland/Larry & Karla	5,245
Netland/Richard & Margaret	6,682
North Country Business Product	11,278
North Homes Inc.	217,962
Northwest MN HHW Management	6,824
Northwest MN Juvenile Trng Ctr	157,688
Northwest Service Cooperative	950,638
Northwood Children's Services	34,616
Nortrax Inc.	106,174
O'Bryan/James & Cynthia	5,802
Office of MN IT Services	22,372
Olson/Susan	8,834
Palomo/Jennifer	11,054
Pearce/Roger	8,700
Pine Manors Inc.	5,850
Polk County Environmental Services	10,410
Polk County Solid Waste	304,915
Postmaster	23,961
Power Plan OIB	19,545
Prime West Health	22,566
ProAction Safety & Sales	18,678
Pro West & Assoc.	5,704
PRT USA Inc.	7,331
Public Utilities Commission	89,147
Quill Corporation	11,283
Ramsrud Auto Parts	17,065
Ranger Chevrolet-Cadillac	24,988
Ratwik, Roszak, & Maloney PA	6,053
RDO Equipment Company	177,838
Regents of the University of MN	87,646
Reliance Telephone Systems Inc.	13,283
RMB Environmental Laboratories Inc.	11,397
Roger's Two Way Radio	11,192
Rural Minnesota Cep Inc.	104,605
Ryan's Backhoe Services LLC	5,548
Sanford	128,876
Sanford-Bagley	31,250
Sanford Medical Center Thief River Falls	73,211
SeaChange Print Inovations	16,974
Sorensen Dep 069 Inc.	6,823
Stellher Human Services Inc.	33,367
Stinar/Elizabeth	11,164
Syverson/Lisa	7,702
T & K Outdoors Inc.	16,440
Teamsters Local 346 Health Fund	11,465
Thompson's Gravel, Rock & Logging	64,921
Threat Track Security Inc	6,880
Thrifty White Pharmacy	9,673
Township of Bear Creek	37,105
Township of Clover	20,916
Township of Copley	72,217
Township of Dudley	92,871
Township of Eddy	77,248
Township of Falk	49,167
Township of Greenwood	41,793
Township of Hangaard	16,542
Township of Holst	95,961

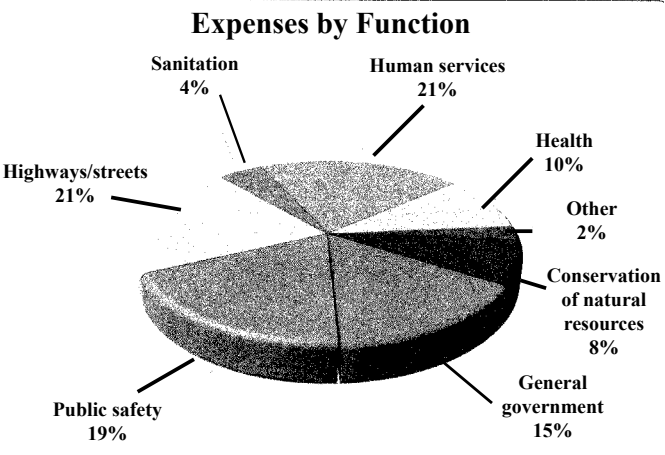
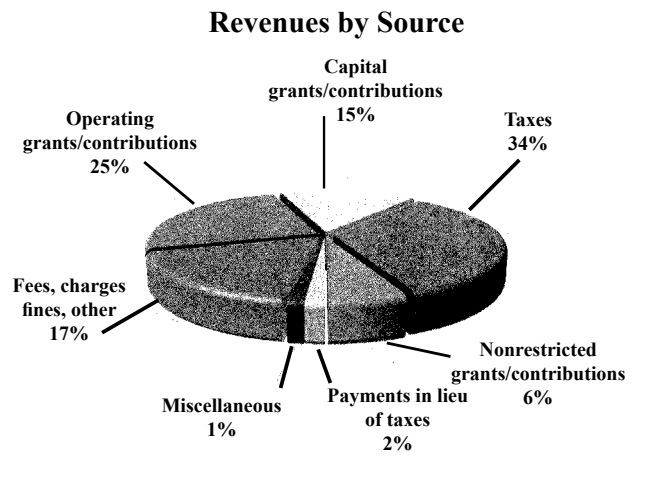
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STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
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	General	Special Revenue Funds		Other Governmental Funds (Statement 2)	Total Governmental Funds
		Road and Bridge	Human Services		
Expenditures (Continued)					
Capital outlay					
General government	\$ 64,556	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 64,556
Public safety	140,531	-	-	-	140,531
Highways and streets	-	370,917	-	-	370,917
Conservation	-	-	-	24,988	24,988
Sanitation	-	-	-	-	-
Total Capital Outlay	\$ 205,087	\$ 370,917	\$ -	\$ 24,988	\$ 600,992
Total Expenditures	\$ 6,658,238	\$ 5,464,835	\$ 3,556,205	\$ 3,185,210	\$ 18,864,488
Excess of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	\$ 294,100	\$ 179,023	\$ (215,979)	\$ (18,037)	\$ 239,107
Other Financing Sources (Uses)					
Transfers in	\$ 294,211	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 294,211
Transfers out	-	(58,712)	(161,738)	(73,761)	(294,211)
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	\$ 294,211	\$ (58,712)	\$ (161,738)	\$ (73,761)	\$ -
Net Change in Fund Balance	\$ 588,311	\$ 120,311	\$ (377,717)	\$ (91,798)	\$ 239,107
Fund Balance - January 1	4,004,587	3,502,794	2,910,009	1,750,448	12,167,838
Increase (decrease) in inventories	-	(7,653)	-	-	(7,653)
Fund Balance - December 31	\$ 4,592,898	\$ 3,615,452	\$ 2,532,292	\$ 1,658,650	\$ 12,399,292



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Township of Itasca	44,509
Township of Laprairie	16,750
Township of Leon	128,332
Township of Long Lost Lake	16,714
Township of Minerva	43,137
Township of Moose Creek	35,971
Township of Nora	84,543
Township of Pine Lake	75,473
Township of Popple	72,920
Township of Rice	25,153
Township of Shevlin	78,644
Township of Sinclair	43,708
Township of Winsor	48,220
Treas. Ind. School Dist. 162	1,443,519
Treas. Ind. School Dist. 2311	1,478,342
Treas. Red Lake Watershed	403,629
Treas. Wild Rice Watershed	53,792
Tri-City Paving Inc.	16,780
TriMin Systems Inc.	9,520
True North Steel	16,443
University of North Dakota	12,494
Uptown Mental Health Center Inc.	7,079
US Bank	23,750
Vanguard Appraisals Inc.	37,702
Vanguard Systems Inc.	9,545
Verizon Wireless	13,888
Visa	5,330
Vogt's Dirt Service LLC	394,142
Weems/Katrina	5,056
West Payment Center	8,649
Willberg's Auto Center	8,157
Xerox Business Services LLC	5,834
Zuercher Technologies LLC	27,838
Miscellaneous Under \$5,000	659,583
	20,776,677

2016
Clearwater County Disbursements over \$5,000
Nursing Service

Champ Software Inc.	9,978
Clearwater County Auditor-Treasurer	41,416
Commissioner of Finance, Treasury Div.	7,046
Cornerstone Nursing Home	21,031
Garden Valley Telephone Co.	7,314
Hickory Backroads	7,200
Marco Technologies	5,661
Moore Medical LLC	6,131
Sanford Bemidji Medical Center	43,938
Miscellanious Under \$5,000	63,201

STATEMENT OF NET POSITION, DECEMBER 31, 2016

	Governmental Activities
Assets	
Cash and pooled investments	\$ 11,686,080
Investments	378,286
Taxes receivable - prior	117,303
Special assessments receivable - prior	50,811
Accounts receivable	56,033
Accrued interest receivable	42,139
Contracts receivable	261,124
Due from other governments	3,862,192
Inventories	351,062
Special assessments - noncurrent	33,423
Capital assets	
Non-depreciable	755,653
Depreciable - net of accumulated depreciation	44,315,999
Total Assets	\$ 61,910,105
Deferred Outflows of Resources	
Related to pensions	\$ 5,016,742
Liabilities	
Accounts payable	\$ 289,801
Salaries payable	264,916
Contracts payable	17,816
Due to other governments	92,984
Long-term liabilities	
Due within one year	360,639
Due in more than one year	10,217,179
Total Liabilities	\$ 11,243,335
Deferred Inflows of Resources	
Related to pensions	\$ 1,228,982
Net Position	
Net investment in capital assets	\$ 45,071,652
Amounts restricted for	
General government	158,872
Public safety	189,705
Highways and streets	3,429,736
Conservation of natural resources	686,613
Debt service	64,019
Unrestricted amounts	4,853,933
Total Net Position	\$ 54,454,530

TO THE BOARD OF
COUNTY
COMMISSIONERS

I herewith submit to you a full and accurate statement of revenues and expenditures for the year ended December 31, 2016 together with the accurate statement of financing liabilities and the assets to discharge the same.

This statement has been prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, and in the prescribed format as recommended by the State Auditor of the State of Minnesota.

The notes to the financial statement as presented herein are an integral part of the statement and are intended to help explain the statement and the funds herein.

I thank the members of the County Board for their interest and support in planning and conducting the financial operation of the County. I also express my appreciation to the audit firm of Hoffman, Philipp, & Knutson, PLLC who assisted in the preparation of the financial statement and also express my appreciation to Debbie Lewis, Chief Deputy Auditor, Auditor-Treasurer's Office; Debbie Klemmetsen, Highway Department Accountant, and Joan Serbus, Human Services Fiscal Supervisor, for their efforts in compiling this financial report.

Respectfully Submitted,
Allen L. Paulson
Allen L. Paulson
Clearwater County Auditor-Treasurer

The foregoing statement as presented by the Clearwater County Auditor is hereby approved by the Board of County Commissioners on the 9th day of October, 2018, and is hereby respectfully submitted to the taxpayers of Clearwater County.

Daniel Stenseng, Chairman
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Dean Newland
John Nelson
Arlen Syverson



Board of Commissioners

County Board Motion 2018

	MOTION BY	MOTION SECONDED:	VOTE:
ARLEN SYVERSON District 1			<i>Ayes</i>
DEAN NEWLAND District 2	✓		
NEAL ILLIES District 3			
JOHN NELSON District 4		✓	
DANIEL STENSENG District 5			

MOTION:
To approve the 2016 Financial Statement for publication.

PASSED: ☒

FAILED: ☐

CERTIFICATION:

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a motion presented to and adopted by the Clearwater County Board of Commissioners at a duly authorized meeting thereof, on the 9 day of, October, 2018, as shown by the minutes in my possession.

Emily McDougall
Emily McDougall, Board Coordinator

- Equal opportunities for all citizens
- Rewarding, honest, hard work with fair wages and a fair tax system
- Family values that are more than a political slogan – valuing and appreciating all members of all family units.
- Quality education that gives all citizens the opportunity to reach their potential
- Freedom from government interference in our private lives and personal decisions
- A diverse population and the benefits derived from diversity
- Security in our homes and safety on our streets
- Separation of church and state to preserve individual freedom, as set out in the Constitution
- A strong United States - morally, economically, and militarily
- Protecting and preserving our environment, including passing common-sense reforms for cleaner and safer air and water.

U.S. Senate	Amy Kloubuchar	Secretary of State	Steve Simon
U.S. Senate (special)	Tina Smith	State Auditor	Julie Blaha
U.S. Rep. District 7	Collin Peterson	State Rep. District 2A	Michael Northbird
Governor	Tim Waltz/Peggy Flanagan	State Rep. District 2B	Karen Branden
Attorney General	Keith Ellison		

Prepared and paid for by the Clearwater County DFL Party, Diane Jackson, Treasurer.
Not authorized or paid for by any candidate or candidate's committee.

Your vote would be greatly appreciated

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*Prepared and paid for by
Gary Eck in his own behalf*

Abide by the state constitution.



Firefighters from Clearbrook and Gonvick volunteered their time to explain the importance of Fire Safety to the C-G School Readiness.



Firefighter Brandon Larson with daughter Adilee Larson. Chief Firefighter Jeff Basinger with granddaughter Zoey Ehlers.



Clearbrook and Gonvick Firefighters visited the C-G School Readiness Classrooms in October. -Submitted photos

but also not wait until the last minute for the most important bills and end the ability to hold our state hostage through partisan tactics, because that is no way to run our government.

Do you support reforms that would prohibit consolidating multiple subjects into a single omnibus bill?

Aside from the fact that legislators should be held accountable for Minnesota Constitution violations, Article 4 Section 17 states, "No law shall embrace more than one subject, which shall be expressed in its title," therefore this question itself is already answered in our state constitution.

The 2019 Legislature will be tasked with passing a tax bill to update to the federal changes passed in 2017. Should Minnesota just conform to the federal law, or should the Legislature take the opportunity to provide some tax relief?

No. We must take the opportunity to provide some long-term tax relief at a state level, because the new federal tax law eliminated many deductions Minnesotans count on and will undoubtedly create an increase in our taxes overall.

Is the K-12 system adequately funded? If not, how would you pay for more funding?

No. We need to work to ensure that our public tax dollars are utilized for public and not private schools, whether they're for profit or non-profit. We need to clear the way for new viable industries and set aside the tax revenue for specific funding which would include education and decreasing housing costs.

Many employers remain frustrated in their ability to find qualified workers for the available jobs. What role does higher ed play in addressing this problem?

Higher education needs to be more diversified to include additional vocational schooling opportunities in order to fill the gaps employers have when looking for qualified workers. Skills trade training availability should be just as abundant as traditional career colleges.

Here in outstate Minnesota, those who buy their health insurance on the open market have very limited options. In Clearwater County last year, one could choose a Sanford/Blue Cross HMO type of policy or an Essentia/Medica HMO type of policy. What can be done to provide more options and lower cost policies that allow rural people to choose their own doctor?

Yes, definitely. We need to transition our healthcare system from a multi-payer profiteering racket to a single-payer universal healthcare system. This would not only eliminate disparities, but also institute equality across the board and stabilize our healthcare market. Meaning, for example, what it costs me for a surgery will be the same as it would cost you and the same as your neighbor and so on. Right now, depending on insurers, there could be huge disparities for the same procedure and we need to change that. It would also eliminate market monopolies that force Minnesotans in certain areas to either accept the higher charges or travel farther distances for reduced healthcare costs. Handing over our tax dollars to insurance companies hoping it's a big enough Band-Aid is not a long-term solution.

What is your preference for raising additional money for roads and bridges: Dededicating transportation-related money from the general fund, such as the sales tax on auto parts, raising the gas tax, or some other means? Or is current funding sufficient?

The current funding is not sufficient, because the previous legislature prefers to take away from transportation-related money and redirect it to non-transportation uses. We must maintain long-term and sustainable use of dedicated transportation-related money for our roads and bridges, including federal and state highway funds, transportation revolving loan funds, and special funding packages such as federal or state bonds.

Should Minnesota increase its renewable energy mandates on utilities or should such mandates be modified?

Minnesota should maintain its path as a one of the strongest leaders in renewable energy, which is now the second largest source of electrical generation in the state, and continue to make conservative efforts at creating further attainable goals in the decades to come.

The Line 3 Replacement Project has been mired in two regulatory agencies. What can be done to facilitate construction of this pipeline or do you believe the line is unnecessary? Furthermore, if the line is approved to go ahead, what should the state do to prevent or deal with a massive and messy protest camp such as we saw in the Dakotas?

I stand behind the findings and recommendations of the Minnesota Department of Commerce, the agency tasked with completing the EIS and gathering public input, which overwhelmingly concluded (and that 96 percent of the Minnesotans agreed with) that Line 3 is not needed/necessary and should

also be completely cleaned up and removed. First of all, protests are a fundamental and constitutional right of all Americans. Second of all, it's incredibly important to accept the facts of the matter, which is that the amount of waste generated in North Dakota over a period of 11 months by over 20,000 people is no different than what any other equivalent population generates over the same period of time (in fact it was slightly less than average). The purposefully created problem was concocted by blocking access to the same waste management services that normal populations receive (and many other services for that matter). People have to ask themselves, what would your place look like after 11 months of not receiving adequate waste management services and sewage treatment/storage abilities? Then multiply that by 20,000. Third, the best way to handle these situations in the future is planning and ensuring that the proper services are provided by and included with the costs attributed to the company whose action causes the burden in the first place.

Some local government bodies continue to push for eliminating public notices from newspapers and moving them to government websites, even though independent research continues to show that far more people see the notices when they're published in newspapers and on newspaper websites, and that removing them from newspapers would in fact save very little money. What's your view on permitting important public notices to be disseminated only by local government bodies by means of their own websites?

If local governments want to disseminate public notices on their own websites, then they should simply share links from the newspaper websites and keep them published in newspapers, since that is the more common method of information dissemination in rural Minnesota. Not everyone has access to the internet or wants it, nor should it be a requirement in order to be notified of public notices.

Should voter registration information be available for public review in cases where such registrations are suspected of being in violation of state law?

No, this invasion of privacy is unwarranted considering the extremely rare cases of registrations that have been found to violate the law. In fact, it is state governments that routinely violate federal voting registration laws.

Do you believe state agencies such as MPCA and the DNR (for example) have been granted more power to take matters into their own hands at the expense of the public's rights?

No, but I do believe these state agencies' responsibilities are supposed to be carried out on behalf of the people and not corporations. Meaning we should be focusing on ensuring the regulation of corporations for the benefit of the people and not vice versa.

Are there other issues you want to address?

Maintaining and/or increasing LGA (local government aid) at levels suitable to ensure our small rural towns are capable of continuing functionality. Ensuring the separation of church and state. Working on gun violence prevention, including adopting NRA supported and Republican authored bills such as HF 1324 (which included initiatives intended to keep firearms out of the hands of persons who are mentally ill or prohibited from possessing firearms), HF 3647 (which would have required background checks when weapons change hands, closing the "loophole" in Minnesota), and HF 4116 (which would have banned the sale or transfer of bump stocks).

Briefly summarize your personal background and qualifications.

I've been encouraged by my peers, family, coworkers fellow constituents to represent the people of District 2A and the State of Minnesota. I have been an environmental program manager for the past nine years, currently employed by the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe, and advocate on behalf of the Tribes' 41,000 members. Prior to that I was a civil engineer for over a decade working on various projects across northern Minnesota and neighboring states.

Northern Minnesota is a beautiful destination, a great place to raise a family and I intend to keep it that way. Our future as Minnesotans depends on cohesiveness and the ability to stand strong together as a state. Fighting for local communities and the people of District 2A will be my utmost priority. To ensure we are not forgotten, I will work diligently alongside my fellow legislators to solidify the ideals of District 2A and protect the people from being left behind in the decades to come.

I was born and raised in Cass Lake and currently live in Farden Township in northern Hubbard County just west of Cass Lake with my wife of nine years and a daughter who is a senior at Cass Lake-Bena High School. I am a member of the Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe enrolled in the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe, but also a direct descendent of Red Lake Nation.

House Distrit 2B candidates respond to questions...

Karen Branden

If elected, what is your top priority for the 2019 Legislature? Why are you running for office?

My top priorities come from the people of my district. They are to stop the gridlock and put our families first. They need us to focus on...

Healthcare: Healthcare is a right. We can move to a single-payer (Medicare for all) which would cost close to what we are spending currently; 95 percent of households would save money.

Unemployment/Underemployment: Skills training, increased minimum wage and jobs with benefits are all requests being made by people in our district. Better broadband can help, but we need to get people the skills for the better jobs and that is something the legislature can easily do.

Education: Better pay for teachers and increased funding to special education are needs in our communities. Offering more technical classes so students can graduate with a certificate and get a good job are systems we can develop. This would include offering college level general studies courses so students going on for a four-year degree would be ahead academically and financially.

Addiction and the Opioid Crisis, Housing, Childcare and Broadband are also priorities.

Why are you running for office?

I'm running for office because my friends and father asked me to run. The level of incivility, the extreme party politics are hurting our communities and families. I am somebody who does not blindly follow my party. I was asked to run because people know me as somebody who can bring people together. There is not one issue where we cannot find common ground. We are more alike than we are different.

The 2018 Legislature adjourned without successfully addressing key items, including a tax conformity bill. End-of-session gridlock is becoming a recurring theme at the Capitol. What specific measures do you support to increase the transparency and reduce the increasing partisan deadlock of the lawmaking process? Do you support reforms that would prohibit consolidating multiple subjects into a single omnibus bill?

We need to vote people in who are more likely to reach across lines rather than just going with their own party. We have to do what is best for our communities, and those solutions come from all sides. We need to stop allowing Omnibus Bills and consolidating. Bills should be due earlier and legislators should have time to create alternatives and ways to build bipartisan agreements for our communities and families. By separating the bills the process becomes more transparent.

The 2019 Legislature will be tasked with passing a tax bill to update to the federal changes passed in 2017. Should Minnesota just conform to the federal law, or should the Legislature take the opportunity to provide some tax relief?

The federal tax law is hurting the families in our communities who are doing the worst. This moves up to our small businesses as people cannot spend as much. The idea that the federal tax saving would trickle-down has not happened. We should not mimic something that is not working.

Is the K-12 system adequately funded? If not, how would you pay for more funding?

It is not. We need a more balanced tax structure that is sustainable for education. A single-payer healthcare plan would help decrease these costs at the state level, allowing for more funding that could be put into K-12.

Many employers remain frustrated in their ability to find qualified workers for the available jobs. What role does higher ed play in addressing this problem?

Higher education could partner with high schools and the state to offer college level courses in the high school. This can be done through Post-Secondary Enrollment Option. The funding follows the student, so we need to make sure this partnership doesn't harm the high schools' funding base.

Should a fee be assessed against pharmaceutical companies to help combat the opioid epidemic?

Absolutely a fee should be assessed against multi-billion dollar pharmaceutical companies.

Here in outstate Minnesota, those who buy their health insurance on the open market have very limited options. In Clearwater County last year, one could choose a Sanford/Blue Cross HMO type of policy or an Essentia/Medica HMO type of policy. What can be done to provide more options and lower cost policies that allow rural people to choose their own doctor?

We should require the same

five options people have in the Twin Cities to be available in our district. Rep. Paul Marquart has developed a process that would increase these options and make it fair. I support doing a pilot process to determine how this could benefit our families and communities.

What is your preference for raising additional money for roads and bridges: Dededicating transportation-related money from the general fund, such as the sales tax on auto parts, raising the gas tax, or some other means? Or is current funding sufficient?

I support increasing sales tax on auto parts. A gas tax could be detrimental to our farm families and other families in our communities as we have to typically drive longer distances for work and necessities.

Should Minnesota increase its renewable energy mandates on utilities or should such mandates be modified?

Minnesota is investing in the future. Our prices have gone up because our energy providers have had to do some improvements and building of natural gas infrastructure. Our prices will come down and we will not be held hostage by outside energy companies the more we build renewable and sustainable energy systems. This area provides the fastest growing jobs in the state and offers higher pay.

The Line 3 Replacement Project has been mired in two regulatory agencies. What can be done to facilitate construction of this pipeline or do you believe the line is unnecessary? Furthermore, if the line is approved to go ahead, what should the state do to prevent or deal with a massive and messy protest camp such as we saw in the Dakotas?

There are some organizations that believe this pipeline is not needed. There is a lawsuit filed. I believe in our legal process and we have a duty to let that play out. Some pipeline workers have told me that removing the old line three could be a priority before building a new line. I believe we need to be investing in renewable and sustainable energy. If the line goes through, then our pipeline workers should get those jobs. As we transition it is important to know that our pipeline workers can lead this energy process.

Protesting is a right. We cannot prevent people from exercising their rights. If laws are broken I trust our criminal justice system to do a better job than what occurred in Standing Rock.

Some local government bodies continue to push for eliminating public notices from newspapers and moving them to government websites, even though independent research continues to show that far more people see the notices when they're published in newspapers and on newspaper websites, and that removing them from newspapers would in fact save very little money. What's your view on permitting important public notices to be disseminated only by local government bodies by means of their own websites?

I am against just using websites for disseminating information. The government should be required to use every means possible for communication. Removing notices from newspapers would work against notifying everyone. Communication is the key to people being part of the process.

Should voter registration information be available for public review in cases where such registrations are suspected of being in violation of state law?

I am not for voter registration being available for public review if it has personal information. We have election officials who are trained to deal with these situations and I trust that process.

Do you believe state agencies such as MPCA and the DNR (for example) have been granted more power to take matters into their own hands at the expense of the public's rights?

I do not believe the MPCA and/or the DNR have power at the expense of the public. I do believe we have to always review our regulations to make sure they are working the way they were intended. This means decreasing regulations in some situations. We build new regulations when we need them, but we need to do a good job of making sure they are working. If they are not working, we need to get rid of them.

Briefly summarize your personal background and qualifications.

I have been a teacher for about 20 years. I have taught at Bemidji State University, Concordia College, North Dakota State University and the White Earth Tribal and Community College. I have been at MSU Moorhead for about 15 years as a professor in sociology. I grew up in Barnesville, Minn., where my mother was from. I also lived for a time in Audubon, Minn. We did not own a home, but I loved hunting, fishing and swimming in

beautiful Minnesota. I have lived in Rochert, Minn., for 27 years after coming here and marrying my husband, Dennis Jacobs.

Steve Green

If elected, what is your top priority for the 2019 Legislature? Why are you running for office?

Number one priority in 2019 will be conforming Minnesota's income tax code. The governor's veto of last session's bill puts Minnesota taxpayers at risk of tax increases for anyone itemizing deductions.

This is a budget year. We will turn our attentions to passing a responsible two-year budget.

My personal priority is to reduce the size and scope of state government -- in particular, bloated agencies. The over reach from government threatens our future as a free and self-governing people.

The 2018 Legislature adjourned without successfully addressing key items including a tax conformity bill. End-of-session gridlock is becoming a recurring theme at the Capitol. What specific measures do you support to increase the transparency and reduce the increasing partisan deadlock of the lawmaking process? Do you support reforms that would prohibit consolidating multiple subjects into a single omnibus bill?

There are times gridlock could be described as government moving slowly. That was not the case in 2018. There were many good bills that were vetoed by the governor. Some believe the vetoes were partisan politics, an attempt to influence voters in November. The House and Senate passed these bills. In some cases many times we changed bills in an attempt to give the governor much of what he requested. Still he vetoed them.

I do not like omnibus bills. Even though there may be times they are needed when it comes to allocating money. If that is the case they should be only for single subjects.

The 2019 Legislature will be tasked with passing a tax bill to update to the federal changes passed in 2017. Should Minnesota just conform to the federal law, or should the Legislature take the opportunity to provide some tax relief?

Tax conformity must be, and will be more than just conforming to federal codes. The 2019 session could be an excellent opportunity to modify Minnesota's tax code. Republicans have been discussing changes for some time. It has been difficult. We believe Minnesota benefits when people keep what they have earned. For eight years we have had a governor that believes government is better at spending your money. Hopefully that will change in November.

Is the K-12 system adequately funded? If not, how would you pay for more funding?

Our two-year budget is well over \$45 billion; 78% goes to Education and Health and Human Services. We increase funding every year. There are things we can do that will bring down costs with the education system. We should listen to the local schools. They have the best answers on how to streamline their budgets.

Many employers remain frustrated in their ability to find qualified workers for the available jobs. What role does higher ed play in addressing this problem?

We have been working to move industrial trade classes back in the schools. Not just in post-secondary, but high schools as well. There have been a number of schools already implementing these changes. Employers are on board. Some are working with schools now.

Should a fee be assessed against pharmaceutical companies to help combat the opioid epidemic? Here in outstate Minnesota, those who buy their health insurance on the open market have very limited options. In Clearwater County last year, one could choose a Sanford/Blue Cross HMO type

of policy or a Essentia/Medica HMO type of policy. What can be done to provide more options and lower cost policies that allow rural people to choose their own doctor?

We have discussed assessing pharmaceuticals. However, this will directly affect the consumer's cost of prescription drugs. I have received reports indicating far more drugs are still coming across the southern border. Before we raise the cost of medication, we need to be sure it will solve the problem.

Republicans have been working to reduce health care cost. We have seen the benefits of these efforts. My District, 2B, could give a family of four up to \$4,400 in premium reductions. District 2A would be even larger. We will continue these policies and work toward more reforms.

What is your preference for raising additional money for roads and bridges: Dededicating transportation-related money from the general fund, such as the sales tax on auto parts, raising the gas tax, or some other means? Or is current funding sufficient?

Republicans have moved bills forward to give increased transportation funding, without raising the gas tax. It would dedicate sales tax from auto related sales. This is the first/best choice. We should also reduce burdensome regulations for road projects. A number of cost saving policies could be implemented.

Should Minnesota increase its renewable energy mandates on utilities or should such mandates be modified?

We should modify and reduce inefficient renewable mandates. Allow for Hydropower to be counted as renewable.

The Line 3 Replacement Project has been mired in two regulatory agencies. What can be done to facilitate construction of this pipeline or do you believe the line is unnecessary? Furthermore, if the line is approved to go ahead, what should the state do to prevent or deal with a massive and messy protest camp such as we saw in the Dakotas?

Line 3 is necessary. The PUC has ruled it to be as well. Elect a governor willing to support the safest most cost effective way to move oil. If local law enforcement asked for help from the state, they should get it.

Some local government bodies continue to push for eliminating public notices from newspapers and moving them to government websites, even though independent research continues to show that far more people see the notices when they're published in newspapers and on newspaper websites, and that removing them from newspapers would in fact save very little money. What's your view on permitting important public notices to be disseminated only by local government bodies by means of their own websites?

Public notices should be printed in the local papers. Notices need to be open and transparent. The cost of the notice is part of the process and should be figured into the budget.

Should voter registration information be available for public review in cases where such registrations are suspected of being in violation of state law?

Voter registration is by law public. The Minnesota Secretary of State has been ordered by the court to re-release these records. He refuses and has appealed the ruling.

Do you believe state agencies such as MPCA and the DNR (for example) have been granted more power to take matters into their own hands at the expense of the public's rights?

Absolutely I do. Although agencies are under the Executive Branch (the governor), the legislature has control of the funding. We can also restrict their authority. But we need a governor willing to sign the bills.

Any other comments?

I have been honored to serve as your representative.

Questions provided by the Farmers Independent

*To all my hair clients,
I want to THANK YOU for letting me serve you the past 10 years at the Gonvick's Hair Repair & Tan. If it had not been for you, the door would not have stayed open.
After a very difficult decision, I have accepted a position at Essentia Health in Fosston. One of the reasons is for health insurance. My husband plans to retire in a few years and I will be without insurance. Insurance is a must these days. Also, I have done hair for 30 years and really need a change. This job opportunity came up very fast, I thought it is the time to make the move.
I am so thankful that I had a chance to have a shop in Gonvick. I have met so many nice people and made wonderful friends. You are going to be very much missed. The last day for the shop to be open is Wednesday, November 14th.
What is going to happen to the shop? Our daughter Brooke has decided to remodel and make it her first home. She is very excited. I have got to say, I am so blessed she has decided to stay close by.
Once again, THANK YOU so much for the past 10 years of choosing me to have fun with your hair.*

*Sincerely,
Bobbie Dyrdahl*

P.S. All retail now sold at my cost or below. X-mas is coming, please come get it.

Trick or Treat Safety

Trick or treat!" That's the phrase shouted with glee by many a youngster across the country every Halloween night. But before your ghosts and goblins trick or treat this year, parents should keep in mind these trick or treating safety tips to make sure the only howls are those of fun.

Trick-or-Treaters Tips

Buy costumes and wigs labeled "flame resistant." Never walk near lit candles or luminaries while wearing costumes. Fasten reflective tape to costumes and bags to help drivers

see you. Carry a flashlight. Walk, don't run. Don't go into a stranger's house. Stay on Sidewalks. Don't cut across yards or driveways. Make sure costumes don't drag on the ground. Shoes should fit. Avoid wearing masks while walking from house to house. Carry only flexible knives, Trick or Treat Safety swords or other props. "No sidewalk?" Then walk on the left side of the road facing traffic. Wear clothing with reflective

markings or tape. Approach only houses that are lit. Never accept rides from strangers. Avoid trick-or-treating alone. Walk in groups or with a trusted adult. Parent Safety Tips Ideally, an adult should accompany young children of any age. If you buy a costume, look for one made of flame-retardant material. Older children should know where to reach you and when to be home. You should know where they're going. Although tampering is rare, tell children to bring the candy home to be inspected – before consuming anything. Look at the wrapping carefully and toss out anything that looks suspect. Home owner Safety Tips Make sure your yard is clear of such things as ladders, hoses, dog leashes and flowerpots that can trip the young ones. Battery powered jack o'lantern candles are preferable to a real flame. If you do use candles, place the pumpkin well away from where trick-or-treaties will be walking or standing. Make sure paper or cloth yard decorations won't be blown into a

flaming candle. Adult Halloween party goers should have a designated driver. Don't Drink & Drive Have a safe and a Happy Halloween!



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Six area businesses (Y92, Drive In, DaRoo's, Bakken's Market, Kandii's Kitchen, NB & C) participated in a promotion this past summer to raise money for Summer Recreation. Y92: Aiden & Zoey Ehlers with Adriana Churness and Rachel Forsberg representing owners Kevin & Sheryl Berg.



DaRoo's: Kaitlyn, Jacob and Savanah Kumpula with Kaylee Faldet and Bailey Haugan representing owners Cathy & Jeremy Bergerson



NB&C: Carver Kroulik, Grant Engen and Ryan Gerlofs with Tammy Rice representing owner TruDee Torgerson.



Drive In: Carver, Bryar and Tyson Kroulik with owner Loretta Bjerke



Book Fair held at the
Clearbrook- Gonvick
School

The 2018 Book Fair was held at the Clearbrook- Gonvick School October 15th-17th. During this time, the students and parents were able to purchase great books and support their school at the same time! The book fair raised almost \$3,000 in books for the Clearbrook-Gonvick School! This was a tremendous boost to our teachers' classroom libraries and to the school library. The Book Fair committee would like to thank the following volunteers: Kathy Imle, Corrinne Anderson, Sue Gunvalson, Lois Rydeen, Marge Trembath, Sharon Johnson, Tiffany Kroulik, Krysten Westrum, and Tracy Imle. We would also like to thank the school, the library, and Elsie Ballard for providing us with great library space to host the book fair.



Book Fair with a few young readers from Mrs. Julie Johnson Clearbrook-Gonvick Kindergarten class.



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