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Milwaukee County Supervisor, 11th District Borkowski Report • Summer 2013

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COUNTY RESPONSIBILITIES

COMMITTEES & MEMBERSHIPS

- Judiciary, Safety and General Services, Vice-Chair
- Parks, Energy and Environment
- Transportation, Public Works and Transit Committee
- War Memorial Center
- Greenfield Chamber of Commerce
- South Suburban Chamber of Commerce

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

- Past President, Polish National Alliance, Milwaukee Society Group 2159
- Past Chairman, St. Francis Hospital Eleemosynarians
- Knights of Columbus, Fourth Degree, Pere Marquette 524
- South Side Business Club
- St. Gregory the Great Parish
- Past President, St. Joseph's Foundation
- United Seniors of Wisconsin, Inc.
- Past President, Council 8, Polish National Alliance
- Past Commissioner, District 14, Polish National Alliance
- Past National Director, Region "J", Polish National Alliance
- Past Chairman, Milwaukee County Council on Emergency Medical Services

Dear Constituent:

As you receive this newsletter, the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors has dominated the news. Without going through each detail, recently passed State legislation will curtail the duties of the County Board, cut the Board budget starting in 2014, and through a referendum in April, 2014, likely cut the wages of Supervisors in half starting with the next term in April, 2016. It is a reform that many of my constituents support.

So, what does that mean? The budget has immediate impacts, meaning this is probably the last newsletter I will be able to deliver to you. The office simply will not be able to afford another one. We will, however, work hard to keep you, my constituents, informed. I believe being a Supervisor is a full-time job, and I hope to continue doing that job through the rest of this term.

In the meantime I will continue to represent you – my constituents, not the County Executive and not the Chairwoman of the Board – to the best of my ability. It has been and continues to be an honor to serve you.

Please call on me anytime. I look forward to hearing from you.

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CONSTITUENT INFORMATION

Several brochures and booklets are available for Milwaukee County residents through my office. Please check each item you are requesting and send this form back to the address below.

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11th District **COMMUNITY HAPPENINGS** in Milwaukee County

Milwaukee County Parks Partners with the Philippine Community Center at Zablocki Park Pavilion

Filipino-Americans of Milwaukee are thankful and welcome the opportunity to give back to the community and in doing so opened the Philippine Center Free Medical Clinic at Zablocki Park. The clinic serves thousands of people a year who are either under-insured or not insured by health insurance. Funding for the Center is independent and separate from the operating funds of the Philippine Center, and comes from grants and donations from private individuals and pharmaceutical companies. All services are provided free by volunteers and donors, including 45 licensed physicians.

The Philippine Community Center opened this past year along with its Free Medical Clinic at the Zablocki Park Pavilion. Philippine Center Executive Director Gerry Ramos and Free Medical Clinic Director Dr. Violeta Singson, along with Zablocki Park Manager Dan Roddy, welcomed major improvements to the Zablocki County Park Pavilion. The revitalized Pavilion will also be home to classes such as: Filipino Cooking, Language and Dance classes, as well as Youth activities and Workshops for children.

The clinic is located in the Zablocki
Park Pavilion on 3717 W. Howard Ave.
Hours are 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Every 2nd and 4th Saturday
of every month.
For further information please visit:
www.philippinecenter.com



Supervisor Borkowski along with a young girl at the Zablocki Park Pavilion Philippine Community Center & Medical Clinic Open House.

Harley-Davidson Donates \$2.4 Million to the Hunger Task Force Farm

Supervisor Borkowski was on hand for the event that kicked off the historic partnership between the Harley-Davidson Foundation and the Hunger Task Force Farm that will fund a signature program in the amount of more than \$2.4 million through 2016.

Support from the Harley-Davidson Foundation will allow the Hunger Task Force to operate a unique urban farm in Franklin for the next three years.

Since 2004 Hunger Task Force has operated the 208-acre urban Farm and Fish Hatchery through a



Supervisor Borkowski with Sherrie Tussler, Executive Director at the Hunger Task Force.

public private partnership with Milwaukee County. The Farm and Fish Hatchery is owned by Milwaukee County and is part of its parks system. It is operated by Hunger Task Force under the terms of a 30-year lease with Milwaukee County. As part of its lease, Hunger Task Force also operates the Milwaukee County Park system fish hatchery. Game fish raised in the hatchery are released in Milwaukee County Park ponds for recreational fishing. The Farm is used for the express purpose of raising fresh, nutritious food to feed hungry people in Milwaukee County.

Hunger Task Force and The Harley-Davidson Foundation have partnered for more than twenty years. The support from Harley-Davidson Foundation not only will improve the quality of life of many people in Milwaukee, but also supports job training to low-income residents of Milwaukee and educational and agricultural programs to Milwaukee Public School children.

Supervisor Borkowski and Milwaukee County thank Harley-Davidson Foundation for their generous donation to Hunger Task Force, and continued support and partnership of the Hunger Task Force Farm.

Honey Creek Elementary School Participates in Department of Transportation "Mini Convention"



Supervisor Borkowski and Ms. Harris' class from Honey Creek Elementary School attended the Department of Transportation event titled "Look to the Future," a miniconvention that was held at the 440th Airfield in May 2012.

The Department of Transportation was honored to partner with Honey Creek to educate school-age children of careers with the Department of Transportation. It was an exciting day as the students were shown the many career opportunities that exist in this field. Every division was represented and main facets of the careers were introduced. Topics included Airport Fire with fire trucks along with Highway/Airport Equipment set up and demonstrations of what they do and how the equipment operates.

Your 11th District Guide to **SUMMER FUN** in Milwaukee County

New in 2013 - Purple Heart Pass

Starting January 1, 2013 and running through December 31, 2014, Purple Heart veterans from Wisconsin who present a valid Purple Heart Pass and photo identification will receive free admission to the Milwaukee County Zoo. The Zoo is participating with other Milwaukee County public and private venues as a way to thank Wisconsin Purple Heart veterans for their sacrifice and service.



To obtain a Purple Heart Pass, contact the Milwaukee County Veterans Service Office at **414-266-1235** or **iduff@milwcnty.com**.

Available District 11 Summer Meal Sites

When school lets out, childhood hunger increases. Kids who normally get meals at school need to figure out where to eat if the refrigerator is empty at home. Thanks to a partnership with Kohl's Cares, the Milwaukee Public Schools and the Boys & Girls Club will extend summer services for day camps and recreation. There is no paperwork or registration required.

Wedgewood School • 6506 W. Warnimont Ave.

Monday-Friday, 6/17-8/2 • Breakfast 7:30-8:00 a.m., Lunch 12:00-12:30 p.m.

Hamilton High School • 6215 W. Warnimont Ave.

Monday-Friday, 6/24-7/26 • Breakfast 8:00-8:30 a.m., Lunch 12:30-1:00 p.m.

Whitman School • 4200 S. 54th St.

Monday-Friday, 6/24-8/16 • Breakfast 7:30-8:00 a.m., Lunch 12:00-12:30 p.m.

2013 Local Fairs & Festivals

Xaverian Missionary Fathers Festival 4500 Xavier Dr. - Franklin

June 22 – 23

St. John The Evangelist Parish 8500 W. Coldspring Rd. Greenfield

July 26 – 28

Our Lady of Lourdes Festival 3722 S. 58th St. Milwaukee August 16 – 18

St. Sava Serbian Days 3201 S. 51st St. Milwaukee August 23 – 25

St. Gregory the Great Festival 3160 S. 63rd & Oklahoma Milwaukee September 5 – 8



Hunger Task Force Senior Farmers Market Vouchers

Hunger Task Force will be accepting applications for seniors 60 years and older to receive vouchers for use at local farmers markets. Each eligible senior will receive \$25 total in \$2 and \$3 vouchers.

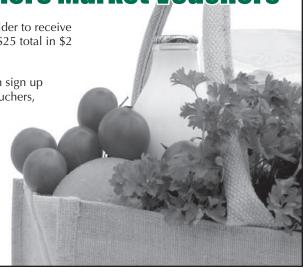
Applications will be accepted on a first come, first served basis. Application sign up begins at 9:00 a.m. on July 17 and ends at noon or when they run out of vouchers, whichever comes first.

For District 11 the location will be at Wilson Park Senior Center (2601 W. Howard Avenue) on Wednesday July 17, 2013.

Qualified recipients should be:

- 60 years or older (American Indian seniors who are 55 years or older)
- Residents of Milwaukee County
- Have Monthly income of less than \$1,723 for a family of one.
- Have Monthly income of less than \$2,233 for a family of two.

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2013 OPÉN DATES FOR DISTRICT 11 POOLS

(Weather Permitting)

Holler Pool with Wader

Opens June 15 – August 18 12:30-4:30 p.m. Daily

Wedgewood Wader

Opens June 15 – August 18 10:00-2:00 p.m.

Lyons Wader

Opens June 15 - August 18 Noon-4:00 p.m.

Call the Milwaukee County FRAUD HOTLINE – (414) 93-FRAUD

FOR REPORTING: Concerns over inefficient Milwaukee County Government operations, incidents of fraud or waste in County government, ideas for improving efficiency and/or effectiveness of services.

CALLERS NOT REQUIRED TO IDENTIFY THEMSELVES





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