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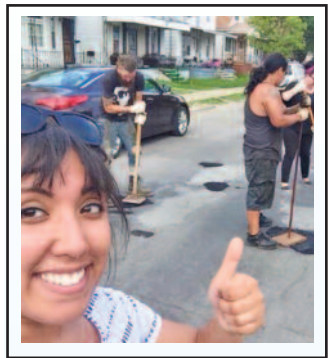
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Quick Hits

The Hamtramck Guerilla Road Repair crew will be back at it this Saturday (Aug. 8).

There is still a lot of media buzz about this merry band of volunteers who decided they couldn't wait any longer to take care of the city's many potholes. The volunteers decided to roll up their sleeves and tackle the problem head-on.

The group has been raising money to buy cold patch material and have been hitting the streets for the past few weeks filling potholes.

City officials weren't terribly pleased at first, but have since coordinated the effort with the group.

Volunteers will meet up at 10 a.m. at 11549 St. Aubin. From there, they will fan out. Last week about 40 folks showed up. The effort has gained the attraction of local media outlets, and we expect the coverage to continue.



Quote of the week

Who said this, and what is it about? You can find the quote and the story it belongs to somewhere in the pages of this issue.

"We are a laughing stock."

HAMTRAMCK'S NEWSPAPER OF RECORD

Election day round-up: the highs and lows of a long day

By Charles Sercombe

The public schools' millage renewal and city council incumbents all got a thumbs up from voters.

The second time proved to be the charm for the school millage renewal, winning by a whopping 1,563 votes to 348 – an 82-percent approval from voters.

The millage was defeated last February in a special election.

Council incumbents Anam Miah, Robert Zwolak and Abu Musa finished in the top three and will face challengers Susan Dunn, Saad Al-masmari and Cathie Gordon.

Those knocked out of the primary were Monzurul Karim, Mohamed Al-somiri and Frank Woodman.

The November election will reduce the field of six candidates down to

the final three, who will then go on to serve a four-year term on council.

Although Miah was the top vote-getter, the election was super tight. Miah finished just 21 votes from second-place finisher Zwolak and 93 votes from sixth-place finisher Gordon.

What that likely means is that anything can shift come the November election.

Note to candidates: There are no guarantees and you still have your work cut out.

The school millage result was perhaps the most surprising. Although supporters of the millage worked very hard in reaching out to voters, no one expected a slam dunk.

Schools Superintendent Tom Niczay credited that hard work from

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Above: A little over 1,900 voters participated in Tuesday's Primary Election. Below: At 90 years old, Beatrice Woods may be the city's oldest active voter. She is seen here leaving her voting precinct at the Community Center. Former mayor and city councilmember Tom Jankowski is assisting her.



Housing case just won't go away

By Charles Sercombe

Hamtramck homeowners may want to start saving up some extra money during the next few months.

That's because the city's long-running – and seemingly never-ending – housing discrimination lawsuit is about to sock it to you.

The federal judge overseeing the lawsuit has agreed to add a special tax millage on this year's winter property taxes to pay for more housing construction.

The amount will total no less than \$600,000 and if that isn't enough to cover upcoming construction costs, another tax millage will be tacked-on to the summer property tax bills next year.

It is not yet known what the final cost will be for homeowners.

And what does all this money get us?

The construction of two houses. The costs of a third house will be picked up by the state – if that makes you feel any better.

So how did this all come about?

In a recent motion, the attorney for the plaintiffs of the housing lawsuit insists that the city fell three houses short of the 200 housing units it was obligated to build.

That was news to city officials who had been under the impression that the housing lawsuit, now over 40 years old, had once-and-for-all been settled.

But no, Judge Damon Keith, the judge who has presided over the lawsuit

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Hamtramck's most iconic neon sign has recently been refurbished and lights the way to the Kowalski Sausage Co., which is celebrating its 95th year in business.

In its 95th year, Kowalski Sausage has plenty to celebrate about

By Mike Murphy
 Special to The Review

Hammered back into shape, bullet holes removed, and outlined anew with neon piping, the unmistakable sausage-shaped Kowalski sign will once again light the Hamtramck sky, and very soon.

"It means we're here, and we're going to be here," said Michael

Kowalski, the President and CEO of Kowalski Company, Inc. "We've got 95 years in and we want to go another 95 years."

In a way, the story of the unlit Kowalski sign reflects the state of the company over the past several years, a time in which Hamtramck's beloved sausage maker could've ended its near-

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century-long relationship with the city.

In 2002, Kowalski bought Home Style Foods and its plant on Edwin. The following year, Kowal-

ski acquired Tasso's Epicurean Cuisine out of Novi.

In 2011, Kowalski bought Hamtramck-based Dudek Foods. This year, Kowalski acquired Toledo-

based Consumer Guild Foods.

Kowalski said the company had been considering consolidating all production into one plant,

which most likely would have meant leaving Hamtramck. The decision to stay was brought about by customer demand for pre-packaged, pre-sliced lunchmeat.

"If you have a big customer waiting for it, you can't wait forever or they'll ask somebody else," Kowalski said. "Leaving has never been a pursuit of ours. The question was to consolidate or not."

Ultimately, the company decided to refurbish and expand its Holbrook plant and hire more employees in order to produce meat products for its retailers, which are no longer the Kowalski delis that used to dot the Metro Detroit area, but superstores like Kroger and Meijer.

"Most of the business will go to the sliced meat line, so we'll need new people and new equipment," Kowalski said.

Plus, with all of its recent acquisitions, the company slogan of "Kowality" no longer applies to meat products. Kowalski now produces 55 prepared food products, which include the pierogi and nalesniki formerly made by Dudek and twice-baked potatoes and the salad and dip product line formerly associated with Home Style Foods.

According to Kowalski, the company has had to adapt not only to market changes in Michigan but also to the many states where Kowalski products are now available, or where they will soon be available.

Kowalski Company plans to increase its distribution beyond its current areas throughout

Michigan, Ohio, Indiana, West Virginia and Kentucky to include Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota and Pennsylvania. Products are available for online purchase throughout the 50 states.

"The business has always had to adapt over the years," Kowalski said. "As market and consumer needs changed, we've changed over time."

The company's founders, Agnes and Zygmund Kowalski, emigrated from Poland to America in the early 1900s and opened a small grocery store on Chene St. in Detroit. By 1920, demand for Kowalski products was great enough to warrant the opening of the factory on Holbrook.

The leadership of the Kowalski Sausage Company passed from generation to generation and Michael Kowalski, Corporate Secretary Linda Kowalski Jacob, and Audrey Kowalski, who left

the company in 1994, inherited the company in 1989, after their father Ronald Kowalski died at the age of 49.

"Between the three of us, we had three years of experience," Kowalski said.

Still, the fourth generation of the family wants to maintain the company's strong commitment to Hamtramck and the metro-Detroit area. The decision to stay in Hamtramck will mean the hiring of 200 additional employees, mainly in Michigan, and \$2 million in improvements to the Holbrook meat-processing plant.

"We have had many offers to sell the facility in Hamtramck, mostly from out-of-state companies, but have declined such offers because we want to stay where the roots are and give employment opportunities to those who live in the area," Kowalski said.

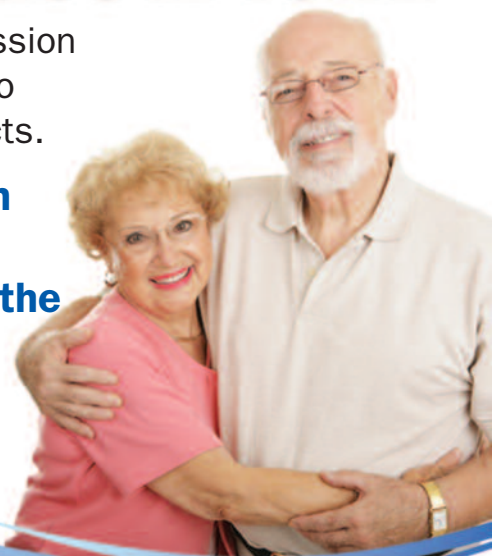


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Greyhounds make great strides from last year

**By Omar Thabet
Special to The Review**

The 10-and-under Hamtramck Greyhounds baseball team finished this season in second place in the Detroit Police Athletic League (PAL).

On Monday the Hamtramck Greyhounds went up against the Detroit Royals and lost to them in the championship game.

But this year's team was a major turnaround compared to last year.

Last season, the 10-and-under-baseball team finished in last place with a 1-12 record. This sea-

son, the team finished in second place with an 11-3 record.

"The kids worked very hard to get to this point," said co-coach Adan Abdullah. "Most of the players on this team never picked up a baseball before this season. So to finish in second place out of ten teams is a huge accomplishment."

The roster of the 2015 Hamtramck Greyhounds 10-and-under baseball team included: Adam Abdullah, Ali Abdullah, Aliyah Abdullah, Saif Almasmary, Dominick

Dockery, Jozef Dushaj, Mohamed Howaig, Sam Hussain, Montez Jones, MD Montashir Shah, Hamza Thabet, Yousif Thabet, Zackaria Thabet and Ameer Thomas.

Editor's note: Review writer Omar Thabet was co-coach of the team. He had this to say about his team:

"I can't stress enough how proud I am of this team. They faced tons of adversity throughout the season and dealt with it really well. They were in a bunch of close games and most of the time they came out on top.

"As a former player at this age it's great to see that baseball is still alive in this community. Especially at such a young age. So for all of you who are reading this, when you see one of the players walking around town be sure to congratulate them on their wonderful season.

"They deserve the recognition, and a compliment can go a long way. We need to keep the future of sports running in Hamtramck, and it all starts with the younger ones."



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City Hall Insider ...

What is our City Council up to these days? We have the highlights of the latest council meeting.

By Charles Sercombe

The city council met on July 28, and all councilmembers were present except for Anam Miah. Before the regular council meeting a work session was held.

In the work session, Councilmember Robert Zwolak questioned when the position of police chief will be posted for

candidates to apply for. City Manager Katrina Powell said she will post the position "as soon as I decide."

(The Acting Police Chief is Anne Moise.)

Zwolak questioned who put a resolution on the agenda in favor of the school millage proposal (which appeared on the Aug. 4 ballot).

Powell said she put it on the agenda on the request of school district Superintendent Tom Niczay.

Two representatives from the Detroit Water Department made a presentation about a proposal to change the city's contract with Detroit to a newly-formed regional agency called the Great Lakes

Water Authority.

The representatives said the name change will not result in a change to water and sewage rates. (Hamtramck pays \$300,000 a month for water and sewage service.)

Powell said that there are yearly increases in water and sewer service

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A breakdown of how the votes added up in Tuesday's election

By Charles Sercombe

The Aug. 4 Primary Election results had some surprises.

Here are the unofficial results:

The school millage won with 1,563 votes in favor of it and 348 votes against the proposal.

In the city council race all incumbents - Anam Miah, Robert Zwolak and Abu Musa - survived.

The top six candidates in the city council race who will face-off in the November General Election are:

Anam Miah - 640 votes

Robert Zwolak - 619 votes

Abu Musa - 610 votes

Susan Dunn - 588 votes

Saad Almasmari - 566 votes

Cathie Gordon - 547 votes

The following three candidates did not make the cut:

Monzurul Karim - 463 votes

Mohamed Alsomiri - 436 votes

Frank Woodman - 422 votes

Election day round-up: the highs and lows of a long day

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teachers, staffers, the school board and volunteers for the success of the millage.

He downplayed his own role, despite investing many hours into the campaign.

"I was just the passenger," he said.

As far as election day went, you could not ask for a more pleasant day, weather-wise. The skies remained sunny and the temps were in the low 80s with little humidity.

Voter turnout went slow until about 5 p.m. when a steady stream of voters hit the precincts.

Once again, absentee ballots played a large roll. In the weeks leading up to the election a number of candidates zeroed in on getting supporters to vote early via absentee ballots. Some 872 ballots were issued, but only 669 were returned.

In total, 1,911 voters turned out.

A few tidbits we noticed on election day:

The preferred means of transportation for at least three candidates was by bike, which was a nice alternative to the number of candidates and their supporters tooling around town with their SUVs decked out in campaign signs.

And for a small town like Hamtramck, do you really need to drive around?

Don't hold us to this, but possibly the oldest

voter participating in the election was Beatrice Woods, who recently turned 90 years old. She has been voting in every election, she said, since 1945.

And she still insists on casting her ballot by going to the polls. For those who sat this election out, and there are about 8,000 of you who did, let that be a lesson in taking your constitutional right to vote seriously.

And speaking of civic duty, we saw several voters bring their kids in tow to the polls, which is always heartwarming to see. What a great way to instill the value of voting

in the next generation.

For City Clerk August Gitschlag, election day is a long day indeed. He handles it pretty well, from what we saw, but he did seem to have one pet peeve: Folks passing out campaign literature stepping over the 100-foot boundary they legally had to stay behind from the precincts.

It's one of those cases where you give someone an inch and they insist on taking a mile.

One tradition is still alive on election day: There are still some candidates and their supporters, and just those interested in the election, who hang out at city

hall after the polls close to wait for election results.

It's a chance for everyone to let their hair down and get to rub elbows with fellow residents.

Plus there is an adrenaline build-up to when results are handed out. Despite the ease of finding out results through online social networks, nothing beats being there in the middle of the action.

And speaking again of the nice weather, candidates and their supporters who will meet again in November might want to bottle these warm days. It'll come in handy on election day.



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The merged family, like so many households today, in Hamtramck, MI., and beyond, were forged and fueled by work, and, for my own parents, the farming chores of milking cows, raising chickens, and more. My mom, also, was part of a merged family in Cheboygan, MI., twenty miles south of the popular Mackinaw Island bridge that links the upper and lower peninsulas.

Respect, forgiveness, acceptance of spousal differences, and, reconciliation of power struggles with the many 'tired' times, alone, will see families PATIENTLY through WITH DEPENDENCE on the Maker. My family of nine knows the cost of hard work, relating well, and failing often to make family work. We all are blessed with the capacity inside ourselves to influence marriage and family beyond any need for a 'quick fix' in a throw-away society, or, the need for magic to transform each other, and, Hamtramck, MI., and, our world for that matter. Takes time. Lots. Love.

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Review: Opinion Page

In Our Opinion

Objecting to sewer repair costs is pointless

Like it or not, we are going to pay for sewer repairs.

There are certain people in town who are complaining that the city's repair project is too little, too late and that residents can't afford it.

The first of several phases in making sure our basements don't flood anymore will begin in the coming months.

This first step will cost about \$6 million, and we will be paying through an added fee on our water bills.

It has not been calculated what that extra fee will be, but several months ago it was estimated to be \$7 to \$14

on each bill.

We are paying for the errors of residents from 60 years ago who refused to pay for an upgrade by voting it down.

No matter what you think of the cost of the project and how the city is going about it, we have no choice. The work is being forced on us by court order as a result of a class action lawsuit filed against the city a few years ago.

The lawsuit was filed by residents several years ago after one of the city's massive floodings.

As part of the agreement between the residents and the city, the

city agreed to start making repairs to the sewer system.

Ironically, whatever paltry amount of money the plaintiffs of the case individually won, they will end up paying it back for repairs.

There is no turning back on this deal. The court has ordered it, and the city has to comply.

It is of no use to complain, unless you want to direct it at to those who had a chance to fix this problem once and for all back in the 1950s but were too stingy to do so.

But then again, that would accomplish nothing constructive.

Metro news ...

It's said that whatever happens to Detroit, so goes Hamtramck. Our friends over at modelmedia.com have been reporting on fascinating development projects for the past several years.

With their permission, here is an edited version of this week's story:

Seven placemaking projects, one for each city council district, are being given a boost by Community Development Advocates of Detroit. With the financial support of the Kresge Foundation, CDAD is spreading \$42,000 across the city, granting the money to projects addressing the needs and challenges of their neighborhoods.

District 1: In Brightmoor, a house is being converted to provide meeting space for the community. Outside, a learning area will feature native plants, walking

tours, and an outdoor seating area with a fire pit.

District 2: A portable artists tent is being installed in Palmer Park, where it's hoped that the addition will stimulate arts programming beyond the Palmer Park Arts Fair.

District 3: Renovations and improvements are planned for a pocket park on Keating Street near East State Fair in the Lindale Gardens neighborhood.

District 4: A mini-fitness park is to be built in an East English Village vacant lot, featuring stationary fitness equipment and a small track.

District 5: At the Peace Zone in District 5, improved seating and murals will be added to the existing area. It is part of the Peace Zones for Life project, which aims to counter neighborhood violence.

District 6: At Garage Cultural, a community arts hub at Livernois and Otis, enhancements to the pre-existing space include a mini-skate park, community stage, market, and outdoor movie area.

District 7: Littlefield Playfield in D7 will receive markers and sculptures acknowledging the neighborhood groups that work to maintain and improve the park.

Both CDAD and Kresge stress the importance of investing in the neighborhoods outside of the city core. CDAD executive director Sarida Scott says that it's projects like these that keep Detroit strong and vibrant. Bryan Hogle, Kresge Foundation program officer, agrees.

"For the city to succeed, neighborhoods have to succeed."

Writer: MJ Galbraith

Housing case just won't go away

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for these 40-plus years, and who is now in retirement, agreed that there are three more houses to go.

His ruling came as a shock to some city officials, but not to City Councilmember Robert Zwolak who predicted the judge would rule in favor of the plaintiff's attorney, Michael Barnhart.

Zwolak said he thinks the judge just wants the case to go away.

"He (Judge Keith) wants a quick and final solution," he said.

Barnhart has been representing the plaintiffs in the lawsuit for most of the past 40 years.

This lawsuit has become a financial boom for Barnhart. In a recent four-year period alone, he was paid over \$900,000. It's anyone's guess how much he has amassed while he has been involved in the case.

Barnhart has refused to talk with The Review about the case.

That \$900,000 in earnings was cited by the

city's attorney, John Clark, in a motion against Barnhart's request for more money to build the additional housing arguing that amount of money could have paid for the housing.

But Barnhart counter-argued that because of the nature of this lawsuit and all its complexities and various agencies that have been involved, his earnings are justified.

According to media reports, Judge Keith agreed, but has ordered a financial audit of payments and monies that have gone toward this lawsuit and the construction of housing units. That audit is due in October.

Judge Keith also said he might withdraw from the case and let another judge handle it.

It was thought several years ago that the matter was finished. Judge Keith even came to a ribbon cutting ceremony at a housing unit built for the plaintiffs and stood with then-Gov. Jennifer Granholm for photos.

The event was meant to celebrate a final end to the historic lawsuit – which has now gone down in history as the longest standing housing discrimination lawsuit.

It all started in the 1960s when city leaders tapped into federal "urban renewal" funds to clear out blighted areas. Instead, they targeted mostly black neighborhoods, said the plaintiffs.

A discrimination lawsuit was filed but it went nowhere because there were no longer any federal funds to build new housing units, which the city agreed to do.

It wasn't until Wayne County and the state stepped in to help resolve the issue – and with an infusion of federal stimulus money – that the housing construction part of the puzzle was completed over the last several years.

Or so it was thought. Stay tuned, there will be more to follow on this matter.



City Hall Insider

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rates, and there will be an increase starting with the August water bills. She did not say what that increase will be.

The name change, the representatives said, protects the agency in case the City of Detroit files for bankruptcy again. Later in the regular meeting the council agreed to sign up with the new agency.

Councilmember Zwolak noted that DTE Energy work crews installing new gas lines in the community cover up catch basins to prevent construction debris from falling in.

He said that the company's contractor performing pothole repairs,

however, is not doing that. He said that is leading to debris piling up in the sewer lines.

In the regular council meeting, during the public comment section attorney Mark Koroj said he is supporting Councilmember Zwolak, Cathie Gordon and Mohamed Alsomiri in the Aug. 4 Primary Election.

Cathie Gordon said that since the city's upcoming sewer repair project is just a first step and not the final solution to flooding, she questioned if more lawsuits will be filed against the city as a result of future basement floodings.

Mary Urbanski complained about kids setting off bottle rockets in the streets, at 3 a.m., close to houses. She noted that many of the houses are 100 years old.

She also said that it was an "embarrassment" to see residents fixing potholes on television news reports.

"We are a laughing stock," she said.

Urbanski further complained that her street looks like "the surface of the moon" because it has so many potholes.

In the vote for support of the school millage proposal, all councilmembers voted in favor.

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Obituaries

DE CARLO



Frances "Fran" De Carlo (nee Reynard), 71, died August 3, 2015. Mrs. De Carlo was the beloved wife of the late David. Mrs. De Carlo is survived by children, Mark (Helen) Milne, Karen (Thomas) Russell, Cheryl Klimczak, Christine Milne; grandchildren, Jessica, Jason, Brittany, Megan, Danielle, Anthony, Nicole, Dominique, Stephanie; great-grandchild, Samantha; faithful

companion Bonita Rose; siblings, Frank (Patricia) Reynard Sr., William Reynard, Shirley (late Art) Rodriguez, Florence (late Tony) Konieczny, Dolores (late Norman) Stone, Mary (Ronald) Baka, Irene (Lance) Howard. Mrs. De Carlo was preceded in death by her sister, Veronica Konieczny.

Private services were held by Fran's wishes. Arrangements were entrusted to Jurkiewicz & Wilk Funeral Home.

MULARSKI



Leonard J. Mularski, 79, died August 4, 2015.

Mr. Mularski is survived by his wife, Delores; daughter, Debbie (Adam) Warren; grandson, Matthew; brother, Daniel (Selma); many nieces, nephews and cousins. Mr. Mularski was an employee of the City of Hamtramck for over 40 years and a member of PLAV Post 6. Leonard was an avid bowler, golfer, and enjoyed baseball, football, and John Wayne movies.

Visitation is Friday 1-9

p.m., with prayers at 6:30 p.m. at Jurkiewicz & Wilk Funeral Home, 2396 Caniff, Hamtramck, MI 48212. In state Saturday, 9:30 a.m. until time of funeral Mass at 10 a.m. at Our Lady Queen of Apostles Church, 11200 Conant, Hamtramck, MI. Entombment is Monday at 10 a.m. at Resurrection Cemetery in Clinton Twp. In lieu of flowers, the family prefers that donations be made to Our Lady Queen of Apostles Church.



By Charles Sercombe

This week's Crime Log covers July 28-Aug. 2.

Tuesday, July 28

- At 2:30 a.m. a Chesterfield resident was arrested at the Col. Hamtramck Housing apartments for assaulting his girlfriend.

- At about 4 a.m. a St. Aubin resident reported damage to her front door.

- A representative of a business in the 10000 block of Jos. Campau reported damage to their business.

- A Caniff resident reported damage to his vehicle after finding a man passed out inside his car.

- A resident reported someone used his identity to file for unemploy-

ment.

Wednesday, July 29

- No incident report was available for this date.

Thursday, July 30

- At about 1 a.m. a resident was arrested for having an outstanding Hamtramck warrant, assaulting an officer, obstruction and inciting a riot.

- A man reported the theft of his white 2010 Ford Crown Victoria from the 2600 block of Holbrook. At about the same time another man reported the theft of his black Ford Crown Victoria while it was in the 9800 block of Dequindre.

- An agent for a jewelry

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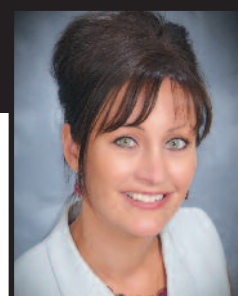
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SATURDAY, Aug. 8, 2-8:30 p.m. – The Hamtramck 5th Annual Community Reunion Picnic will be held at Pulaski Park (on Lumpkin between Edwin and Norwalk). All past present and future Hamtramck residents are welcomed to this event, which features DJ Bush, DJ Lemuel and special guest DJE. Charitable contributions, such as school supplies, are encouraged. Children must be accompanied by an adult. No alcoholic beverages allowed and no smoking in the park. For more information call Mr. Michael (Boss Man) Wimbush, (313) 310-8129 or (313) 883-4889.

WEDNESDAY, Aug. 19, 7 p.m. – The Hamtramck Midtown Block Club will meet in St. Florian's Convent; please use the side entrance.



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story in the 9700 block reported the theft of a gold ring from a display case.

- A woman was arrested following a traffic stop for assaulting a police officer. A man was also arrested for obstruction.

- A Detroit resident was arrested on an outstanding Hamtramck felony warrant.

- An Evaline resident reported the theft of her city-issued trash can.

- An Andrus resident reported a garage break-in and the theft of their vehicle. Police, however, say the car may have been repossessed.

Friday, July 31

- A 14-year-old was assaulted by two 16-year-old males while in the 12000 block of Dyar. The victim had to be hospitalized.

- At a little after 1:30 a.m. police impounded a car for having a fraudulent temporary license plate tag. While officers were at the scene the owner of the car appeared and asked what was going on. The owner was arrested for being wanted on two Hamtramck warrants.

- A man reported the theft of his black 2006 Ford Crown Victoria while it was parked in the 2600 block of Holbrook.

- A man reported the theft of his state ID from his backpack while he was at Memorial Park.

Saturday, August 1

- A man was found in

the west alley of Jos. Campau near Edwin suffering a seizure.

- Officers checked on a business alarm in the 10300 block of Jos. Campau and found the back door pried open.

- At about 11 p.m. three teens attempted a robbery at a business in the 3400 block of Caniff. The teens assaulted the business owner after being caught attempting to steal candy bars.

- At a little after 1:30 a.m. a resident was arrested following a traffic stop for being wanted on a Hamtramck warrant.

- At about 3 a.m. an agent for a bar on Edwin reported two men in their 40s or 50s stole his Samsung cellphone and fled in an SUV. The victim managed to get the license plate number.

- A resident was arrested for littering and being wanted on a Hamtramck warrant.

Sunday, August 2

- A resident said he was assaulted by a person he knows after a verbal altercation while in the 2600 block of Caniff.

- A Detroit resident reported that at 2 a.m. two men carjacked him at Gallagher and Trowbridge. The suspects drove off in the victim's 2015 Dodge Charger.

- At about 5:30 a.m. a resident in the 5100 block of Yemans was arrested for domestic violence.

- Detroit police recovered a 2008 Ford van that had been stolen out of Hamtramck.

- A resident in the 2600 block of Yemans was arrested for domestic violence.

Monday, August 3

- An agent for a business in the 9000 block of Jos. Campau reported an incident of retail fraud.

- At about 10:30 p.m. a man reported being assaulted by several people while in the 12000 block of Conant during an argument over a parking space.

- At about 5:30 a.m. two men were arrested following a traffic stop. The driver was arrested for not having a license, and his passenger was arrested for possessing cocaine.

- An Edwin resident reported a break-in and the theft of his laptop.

- A resident reported being harassed by an ex-boyfriend via the internet.

- A resident reported someone used her Social Security Number to open an account at Huntington Bank.

- A resident reported a former employer was making death threats against her and her family after she refused to work for him.

- A Redford Twp. resident reported the theft of her cellphone while at a business in the 9800 block of Conant.

- A resident turned in a wallet found near the Post Office on Caniff.

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