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Recent Council Actions

At their regular Council meeting on Monday, February 6, City Council took the following actions:

- Authorized the execution of the Metropolitan Livable Communities Grant Agreement with the Metropolitan Council for the planned Midland Terrace Redevelopment. The City was awarded \$655,000 to assist with costs associated with the realignment of Owasso Street, demolition of the old retail center, public utility improvements and site preparation for a proposed high-end apartment building.
- Adopted a resolution rejecting proposed amendments to the Grass Lake Water Management Organization's (GLWMO) current Joint Powers Agreement with the City of Roseville; and petitioned the GLWMO Board to dissolve the organization. The primary reason behind this action is that the proposed amendments to the Joint Powers Agreement would create a situation where the cities of Roseville and Shoreview would be responsible for funding the GLWMO budget, without having authority for establishing the proposed budget. The Roseville City Council adopted a similar resolution at a meeting in January. This action is the first step in a process that will likely result in the GLWMO being merged into an adjacent Watershed Management Organization or district. At nine square miles, the GLWMO is one of the smallest water management organizations in the State of Minnesota.
- Appointed Steve Solomonson as chair and Curt Proud as vice chair of the Planning Commission. Both terms expire on January 31, 2013.

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City Meetings and Events

2/13: Economic Development Authority

2/13: City Council Workshop

2/15: EQC Speakers Series

2/20: City Hall Closed

2/21: Economic Development Commission

2/21: City Council Meeting

2/22: Human Rights
Commission



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EQC February Speakers Series: Attracting Birds to Your Yard

On February 15th, Karen Eckman, Member of the Audubon Society, will help you discover which elements of your yard will best attract birds. Whether it includes shelter, food, native plantings or year round water. The event begins at 7 p.m. in the Council Chambers. The event can be viewed live on Channel 16 or replayed at various times throughout the week..



Future Speaker Series events will be held at 7 p.m. in the Council Chambers and include:

- March 21: The Twin Cities Ecosystems Project (by: Dr. Larry Baker, University of Minnesota)
- April 18: The Future of Public Transit in Shoreview (by: John Doan, Metropolitan Council Member)

For more details, visit the City's website at www.shoreviewmn.gov.

Taste of Slice: Thursday, February 23

While there is still snow on the ground, the Slice of Shoreview Committee is already planning for July's big event. The Committee invites all to attend their 3rd annual Taste of Slice on Thursday, February 23, from 4:30 - 8 p.m. at the Community Center. The



event includes delicious food from Shoreview area restaurants, fundraising games, activities and drawings. All proceeds go to support the 2012 Slice of Shoreview, which will be held on July 27-29. Cost for

the Taste of Slice is \$15 per person in advance or \$20 per person at the door.

For more details or to pay online, visit the City's website at www.shoreviewmn.gov.

Lake Johanna Fire Department Annual Report and New Website



The Lake Johanna Fire Department has enhanced their website. Check out the new design at www.ljfd.org. The Fire Department's annual report for 2011 is also available on the City's website. Below are some of the key findings from the report:

- The number of calls for service in each City has increased substantially during the past two years due to the Department responding to all medical calls during hours that stations are staffed.
- The dollar value of fire losses has been much higher the past two years.
- The report also indicates that the average response time to emergency calls was approximately three minutes faster when duty crews were working than on station call backs.

Check out more detailed information on this report at

www.shoreviewmn.gov.

Foreclosure Prevention Program



Are you or anyone you know about to lose their home to Foreclosure? Representatives from the Rondo Land Trust will be available at City Hall on the following days to assist:

Thursday, February 9, and Thursday, February 23. Call 651.221.9884 for more details.

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