

The VOICE of the VILLAGE

Hilbert, Wisconsin

November 2013

FROM THE VILLAGE BOARD--

Highlights of the November Board Meeting:

The village board approved the following:

- *Engineering contract with Robert E. Lee to prepare a facilities plan for a treatment plant upgrade.
- *Operator license to Matraca Kumbalek.
- *2014 budgets for all funds. The local tax rate is \$6.7924087 compared to \$6.5595675, an increase of \$.2328412 or 3.55%.
- *Payment request #1 to MCC, Inc for the 2013 paving projects in the amount of \$127,407.52.
- *2014 Assessor contract with Action Appraisers & Consultants, Inc. from Kaukauna.

The village board received notification of the following:

- *Notice of limit to qualify for a 2015 expenditure restraint payment. The limit is 2.5%. Our 2014 budget meets this requirement which will qualify us for the 2015 payment which should be over \$6,000.
- *Notice of final estimated 1/1/13 population of 1,132 residents.

2014 Village Board Elections

If you wish to run for one of the village board positions, you may begin circulating nomination papers beginning on December 1, 2013. The deadline for submitting the nomination papers is 5 p.m. on Tuesday, January 7, 2014. There are three village trustee positions up for election this spring. Current trustees are James Koffarnus, Mark Breckheimer and Gary Boesch. Nomination papers can be obtained from the clerk's office during regular business hours.

Next Regular Board Meeting, Tuesday, December 10, 2013, 7 p.m.

Lions Club Brat Fry, Friday, November 15, 2013, at St. Vincent Depaul building from 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Hilbert/Potter Optimist Bing Bash, Saturday, November 23, 2013, Hilbert Community Center, doors open at 6 p.m.

Village of Hilbert Website: www.villageofhilbert.com

LIONS' CLUB BRAT FRY!

The Hilbert Lions Club is conducting a brat fry fundraiser on Friday, November 15, 2013 at the St. Vinnie's building located at 463 S. 8th St. The brat fry will be held from 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. Funds raised are put right back into the community. Please come out and support this group with their fundraising event.

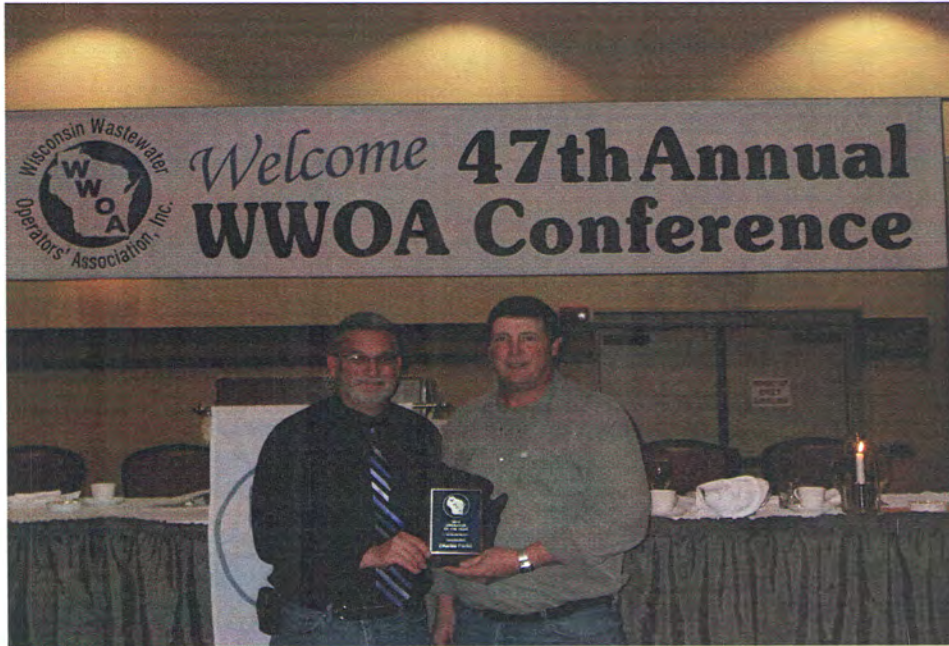
BINGO!!!!!!!

The Hilbert/Potter Optimist Group is holding their Annual Bingo Bash on Saturday, November 23, 2013 at the Hilbert Community Center. Doors will open at 6 p.m. with bingo beginning at 7 p.m. There will be plenty of bingo, food, refreshments, prizes, raffles and fun!!! Proceeds raised from this event go back to support the youth of our area. Please come out and support this worthwhile fundraising event.

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CONGRATULATIONS!!!!!!

Congratulations are extended to Charlie Fochs for being selected as WWOA (Wisconsin Wastewater Operators Association) "Operator of the Year" for the Lake Michigan District. He was nominated and voted to receive this prestigious award by his peers in the industry. He was presented with the award at the annual awards banquet in Stevens Point on October 24, 2013. Below is a picture of Charlie being presented with this award by Aaron Patefield, chairperson of the Lake Michigan District. Congratulation Charlie!!!



FOR SALE

The Hilbert Volunteer Fire Department is accepting sealed bids for a used trailer and sled. Sealed bids will be accepted until November 30th. Please send sealed bids to Brandon Eichmeier at 410 N. 8th St. and mark the envelope "sled & trailer bid". Bids will then be opened on December 2nd and the winning bidder will be notified. If you have any questions, please email Brandon at ike_04@hotmail.com. Below are a couple of pictures of the sled and trailer.

