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## Rossville terminates agreement with engineering company

ROSSVILLE—Engineering firm Sodemann & Associates has been terminated as engineers for the village's new water treatment plant.

Mayor Terry Prillaman told the village board at Monday's meeting that the agreement was ended and that the cancellation will not cause problems with the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency.

Instead of paying Sodemann an ongoing fee, an engineer will be hired to oversee completion of the water treatment plant project on a per-hour basis. Prillaman said he will interview candidates within a week or so.

In other business, the board approved an ordinance

New & Used Laptops,

clarifying the ordinance covering billboards. While billboards are banned in the village, the ordinance controls signage within 1.5 miles of the corporate limits and limits height and size.

The board also approved year-end safety awards of \$100 for each of six full time employees and \$50 each for seven part time employees.

Trustees also approved a list of 10 legal holidays for 2010, including Presidents Day, Good Friday, Memorial Day, Monday after July 4, Labor Day, Veterans Day, the day after Thanksgiving, Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve.

**Hoopeston Area Community Unit** School District #11 Board of Education would like to extend to all school staff and students, their families and the Hoopeston Area Community, the warmest of holiday wishes. Thank you for your dedication and support in bringing quality education to our students.

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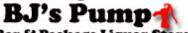
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# Santa Says

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**ATWOOD** - Andrew J. Atwood Jr., 71, of Watseka, died at 12:37 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 22, 2009 at his daughter's home in Kankakee. Cremation rites will be accorded with a memorial service at a later date. Burial will be in GAR Cemetery, Watseka. Segur-Knapp Funeral Home, Watseka, was in charge of arrangements.

**HOUSE** - Richard House, 50, of Hoopeston, died at 8:05 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 22, 2009, at Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana. Arrangements are pending at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston.

GOSSETT - Linda Gossett, 62, of Brownsburg, Ind., formerly of Hoopeston, died at 8:55 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 22, 2009 at Clarion West Medical Center, Avon, Ind. Visitation will be 1-3 p.m. Sunday at Wolfe Funeral Home, Hoopeston. Memorial service will be at 3 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home. Burial will be at a later date. Memorials may be made to a charity of the donor's choice.

**NEWMAN** - Mary Helen (Carey) Newman, 90, of Cissna Park, died Monday, Dec. 21, 2009 at Illinois Knights Templar Home, Paxton. Funeral service will be at 10 a.m. Thursday at Knapp Funeral Home, Cissna Park. Burial will be in Rankin Union Cemetery. Visitation was 5-7 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home and will be one hour before service. Me-

## **Court Dispositions**



### December 17

**Kenneth Murray II**, Hoopeston, four cases continued generally.

**Maria Torres**, Hoopeston, failed to appear for general nuisance, found guilty by default; sentencing January 21, 2010.

**Kayla Wilson**, Danville, status check January 21, 2010.

### Weather



Rain today and tonight. High 43, low 37. Tomorrow, chance of drizzle, snow late. High 38, low 20. Saturday, chance of snow. High 29, low 17. Sunday, chance of flurries. High 26, low 18.

For current weather conditions, call Hoopeston Weather Service, (217) 283-6221.

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## **Classifieds**

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