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City approves \$150,000 in motor fuel tax street repairs

Several Hoopeston streets be repaired as part of the city's motor fuel tax program.

Projects will include resurfacing 13 blocks of streets and widening Thompson, from Sixth Ave. to Route 1, said Alderman Randy Carter at Tuesday's Hoopeston City Council meeting.

Additional work is expected to include 10 "fairly significant patches" from water main breaks, including work from Hoopeston Coin Laundry down to the former Hoopeston Electric building and on the north side of the Laundromat and concrete work by the former Kelley's Pub and apron work at the ambulance building.

The council unanimously approved spending no more than \$150,000 on the projects.

Officials will try to come up with an estimated \$37,000 for roadwork at Floral Hill, which cannot be part of motor fuel tax work.

Carter, street/alley committee chairman, said he hopes to save \$65,000-\$70,000 of motor fuel funds for the next few years to help pay to revamp Thompson east to Schumacher's. Between trucks going to the plant and farm machinery coming into Hoopeston, "it's in pretty bad shape," he said.

Wonderful scarves, especially ones with silver embellishments, will make anything you wear look like an Easter outfit! Visit our Baby's Corner for gifts that are sure to be "keepers" ~ plush bears, lambs, rabbits and all cuddly things! Willow Tree has many new pieces and we have them all! Flowers & Gifts by Mully Culters
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 Thursday: \$2 Domestic beer, bottle or can •Friday: Sight & Sound band 8:30-12:30 **Bucket of Beer**

Five 12 oz. bottles or cans \$11 Five 7 oz. **Bottles \$6**

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6:30 p.m. Saturday

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Obituaries

JOHNSON - Arthur A. Johnson, 79, of Danville, formerly of Milford, died Monday, March 18, 2013, at home. Funeral will be at 11 a.m. Thursday at Stockland United Methodist Church. Burial will be in Sugar Creek Cemetery, Stockland, with military rites by Hoopeston American Legion Post. Visitation will be 4-7 p.m. Wednesday at Knapp Funeral Home, Milford, and 10-11 a.m. Thursday at the church. Memorials are suggested to Iroquois County Relay for Life.

Weather



Sunny today. High 34. Tonight, mostly clear. Low 20. Tomorrow. Mostly sunny. High 42, Low 26.

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



90th Birthday Open House in honor of Mary Ingram

will be held from 2-4 p.m. March 23
3 Watson Drive, Rossville (within Christman Park)
Given by: Sheila Browne, Sherry Decker, Bobbette
Gammon, Pam Rife, Donna White, Mary Jo Ray,
Cheryl Peters, Jackie Maden, & Robert Ingram
If you would like to send Mary a card, please send it
to: 508 S. Church St., Rossville, IL 60963.



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Easter egg hunt

Hoopeston Jaycees will hold their annual Easter egg hunt at 10 a.m. Saturday at McFerren Park. Children up to age 10 may participate. Youngsters will be divided into age groups for the hunt.

Benefit set

A benefit will be held Saturday to raise funds to help defray medical expenses for Sally Patton, who was undergoing treatment for throat cancer. It will begin at 1 p.m. at Hoopeston American Legion, 502 E. Penn, and will feature an auction, raffle, 50/50, food and music.

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