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Council approves revolving loan for Lorraine Theatre

A loan approved by the Hoopeston City Council Tuesday night will benefit the Lorraine Theatre.

In a 7-1 vote, the council approved a \$25,000 revolving loan for theater owner Josh Caudle. The money will be used for projects currently underway, as well as expanding hours, cleaning the theater and purchasing a digital projector.

Alderman Brandon Hamilton voted against the measure, saying he was not against the loan but would prefer money was given in installments instead of a lump sum.

In unrelated business, an infrastructure wish list has

been developed and sent to Illinois Rep. Shane Cultra's office. On the list include a new water tower, estimated at nearly \$2 million; new water mains to the high school and hospital, with extensions to the east side of town; new sidewalks and a civic center.

Recently, officials were asked to create a wish list in case a proposed federal infrastructure project, part of the federal stimulus package supported by President Obama, becomes reality.

In other business, the council:

- Approved seven members to a Historic Preservation Commission, including Greg Mullen, Carol Hicks, Bill McElhaney, Marty Kloska, Jean Minick, Pat Fraley and Sue Comstock.

- Heard from Ralph and Debbie May about their request for \$127,000 to create a paintball business at Dixie Business Plaza on Rt. 1. Under May's plan, the area could also include areas for go-carts, laser tag and miniature golf. The council took no action on the presentation.

- Learned Scott Strawser has applied to become an auxiliary police officer. The matter will be put on the February 17 agenda to be voted on.

- Took no action after an executive session to discuss land acquisition.

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will meet at 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 8, at Fast Lanes.
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Hoopeston Area grade schools

MONDAY: Chicken patty, corn, applesauce, cookie
TUESDAY: Spaghetti, max stick, salad, pineapple
WEDNESDAY: Pancake & sausage on a stick, tater
tots, orange, grape juice
THURSDAY: Pepperoni pizza, salad, pears, Goldfish
FRIDAY: Mini corn dog, baked beans, mixed fruit,
apple juice

Police News



Tammy F. Deaton, 26, of Hoopeston, was issued a
notice to appear in court for purchase/acceptance of
gift of alcohol by a minor in connection with an inci-
dent on January 21.

She was arrested at 12:32 p.m. Wednesday at the
police station.

Mary E. Vaughn, 35, of Hoopeston, was charged
with disorderly conduct after an incident at 4:55 p.m.
Wednesday outside the Hoopeston Post Office, 314
S. Market. She was released on a notice to appear.

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Lunch Menus



Hoopeston Area Middle/High School

MONDAY: Chicken strips or ham & cheese, corn,
applesauce, cookie
TUESDAY: Taco max snax or cheese quesadilla,
salad, pears
WEDNESDAY: Taco or cheeseburger, salad, Mexi-
can rice, peaches
THURSDAY: Double stuffed cheese pizza or corn-

Briefly

Narcotics Anonymous meeting

A Hoopeston chapter of Narcotics Anonymous meets
at 5 p.m. each Sunday at 702 E. Orange (Rt. 9). For more
information, call 800-539-0479 or visit www.ppana.org.

Healing service

A new service has been added to the MorningStar
Ministries, 201 N. Chicago, Rossville. Every Sunday
at 5 p.m., a Healing Service will be held. It will be a
time of teaching about the healing power of Jesus
Christ. There will be time for everyone to receive
His healing. Come and be ministered to. All are
welcome. For more information, call 217-748-6196
or 1-217-474-3442

Obituaries

CUNNINGHAM - Kenneth Eugene Cunningham,
57, of East Lynn, died at 4:40 a.m. Tuesday, Feb. 3,
2009 at Provena Covenant Medical Center, Urbana.
Funeral service will be at 3 p.m. Friday at Anderson
Funeral Home, Hoopeston, with military rites by
Hoopeston American Legion and VFW posts imme-
diately after the service. Per his wishes, he will be
cremated. There will be no burial. Visitation will be
1-3 p.m. Friday at the funeral home. Memorials are
suggested to the family.

Weather



Mostly sunny today. High 43. Tonight, chance of driz-
zle. Low 38. Tomorrow, chance of drizzle, showers late.
High 51, low 36. Sunday, partly sunny. High 44, low 35.
For current weather conditions, call Hoopeston
Weather Service, (217) 283-6221.

dog, salad, pineapple
FRIDAY Cook's choice

CRIS/SAMS Meals

MONDAY: Fried chicken, cheesy potatoes, green
beans, pears, cupcake, white bread
TUESDAY: BBQ pork, bun, macaroni & cheese, broc-
coli, apple juice, lemon pudding
WEDNESDAY: Roasted turkey, mashed potatoes,
gravy, stuffing, peas, raisins, white bread
THURSDAY: Chicken fried steak, gravy, whipped po-
tatoes, corn, orange juice, wheat bread
FRIDAY: Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, gravy,
green bean casserole, peaches, lemon gelatin, wheat bread
All meals include milk.

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