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Danville Area Community College [DACC], in partnership with Hoopeston Regional Health Center, will host a C.N.A. class on their Danville campus for Hoopeston area residents. The class runs from May 18, 2011 through June 28, 2011.

The classroom (Theory) will be held at DACC from May 18 to June 17th. Starting on June 20th the students will finish out their schedule at Hoopeston Regional Health Center doing their clinical competencies.

Applicants are required to be tested prior to acceptance into the program as well as passing the mandatory electronic fingerprint scan. The mandatory testing will be held on Friday, April 8th on the DACC campus. Costs for the class will be discussed at this time. Applicants must live in the DACC school district.

Please contact Susie Landers at 217-443-8784 if you are interested in taking the class. Testing availability is limited.

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City council hears abandoned building, burning complaints

A downtown business owner who wants an abandoned building demolished immediately, and a resident who wants to be able to use his wood stove without receiving a ticket aired their complaints at Monday's Hoopeston City Council meeting.

Todd Harris, owner of Harris Insurance, said the former Hoopeston Plumbing and Heating building, which abuts his business, continues to deteriorate and needs to be razed. "We'd like something done and quickly," he said, adding ordinances allow the city to move quickly to have the building torn down.

City attorney Scott Perkins said the owner has been

found guilty of violations but is appealing. "The city's very concerned and is actively seeking remedy," Perkins said.

Mayor Bill Crusinberry acknowledged Harris' frustration. "I agree there has been no progress," he said. "It's excuse after excuse after excuse. It's a real safety issue."

"I'm losing patience," Harris said.

"I don't blame you, sir," Crusinberry said.

Officials will look at demolition estimates.

Meanwhile, Bill Redden asked what to do about an issue involving his garage wood stove. Redden's stove,

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Council continued from other side

in the 1000 block of West Main, has become an issue with a neighbor who, Redden said, has threatened to kill him and hurt members of his family. Alderwoman Sue Comstock said the man came to her house last week, threatening the family.

Redden said one police officer told him last Friday that he could burn wood in his stove but another officer wrote a citation Saturday after the neighbor complained.

Redden, who restores and reconditions wood stoves, stressed that he burns only wood in the stove. "I don't burn trash," he said.

Fire chief Cliff Crabtree said Redden's outside installation, including double walled pipe, meets code and Perkins reminded Redden that just because he received a citation does not mean he's guilty of an infraction.

Officials suggested Redden collect all information

Police News



A 21-year-old Hoopeston man reported at 7:12 p.m. Monday that someone damaged his vehicle while it was parked in the 700 block of East Wyman.

about the incidents and meet with Police Chief Mark Drollinger for a solution.

In other business, the council:

- Heard from Alderman Carl Ankenbrand that officials need to consider what to do with the existing swimming pool.
- Approved a \$1,000 contribution for local fireworks on July 3.
- Approved blocking the parking lot between Ungers Jewelry and State Farm for Great American Cleanup Day on April 30. Besides cleaning, organizer Brenda Crusinberry is planning fun family activities.
- Approved a resolution allowing a stock transfer from Avenue Broadband to New Wave Communications.

Weather



Partly sunny today. High 62. Tonight, mostly cloudy. Low 45. Tomorrow, chance of thunderstorms. High 63, low 55.

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- Learned a new humane officer/janitor, Erica Green, has been hired.
- Heard from Alderman Jeff Johnson about the city slab, asking residents to "please treat it as a privilege, not as a right," and not dump illegal materials.

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