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Ryan Anderson, left, is sworn in as new Ward II alderman by Hoopeston City Clerk Gail Lane as mayor pro tempore Bill Goodwine looks on.

## Council full again after Anderson sworn in to Ward II seat

Hoopeston City Council has its full complement of members after Ryan Anderson was sworn in Tuesday night to represent Ward II.

Anderson, owner of Anderson Funeral Home, fills the unexpired term of Randy Carter, who died in September.

In other business, the council unanimously approved a resolution giving Mayor Bill Crusinberry the authority to purchase the Essex Building from the county tax trustees.

Ald. Bill Goodwine, acting as mayor pro tempore, said the cost is \$639, which includes the minimum bid of

\$600 that would have been required at a tax sale, along with filing fees.

Officials have hoped to have someone to redevelop the property, located on Rt. 1, removing the eyesore and turning it into an attractive addition to the city.

City attorney Andrew Mudd said getting a copy of the deed and contract back could take 90-120 days.

In other business:

- Ald. Carl Ankenbrand said Fire Chief Joel Bird is re-

**See COUNCIL on other side**

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## Obituaries

**BAKER** - Bonnie (Carter) Baker, 67, of Harden, Ky., died at 10:55 a.m. Nov. 2, 2016 at Spring Creek Health Care, Murray, Ky. Graveside service will be at 10 a.m. Thursday at Floral Hill Cemetery, Hoopeston. Blurton Funeral Home is handling arrangements.

**HERMAN** - Janice Kaye (Morgeson) Herman, 75, of Hoopeston, died at 9:55 a.m. Monday, Nov. 14, 2016 at home. She will be cremated. Visitation will be 10 a.m.

### Briefly

#### HAHS to hold blood drive

Hoopeston Area High School Student Council will hold a blood drive from 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Saturday,

### From the Blotter

Police are investigating a hit-and-run accident reported at 8:26 a.m. Tuesday in the 400 block of South Third St. Adrian Alconedo, of Hoopeston, reported his parked 2002 Dodge Dakota was damaged during the overnight hours.

### Council continued from other side

mind residents not to burn leaves or other substances on city sidewalks, streets or alleys.

• Heard from Ald. Chad Yaden that officials have been in contact with the Shopko leasing agent about a new store to replace Shopko when it closes, expected in late January. Fifteen stores have been contacted about locating in Hoopeston, he said.

The decision to close the local Shopko Hometown store is based on sales and profit performance, and other

until the noon memorial service Saturday at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston. Burial will follow in Floral Hill Cemetery. Memorials are suggested to Hoopeston Public Library, 110 N. Fourth St., Hoopeston IL 60942.

**McPHERSON** - James Edward "Jimi" McPherson, 51, of rural Milford died at 2:35 a.m. Tuesday, Nov. 15, 2016 at home. Visitation will be 4-7 p.m. Thursday at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston. Funeral will be at

Nov. 19 in the high school gym.

Appointments are encouraged and may be made by calling Ashley Gondzur at (217) 283-6661 or on the district website, [www.hoopeston.k12.il.us](http://www.hoopeston.k12.il.us).

#### Milford church sets revival

Milford Nazarene Church will hold a revival November 18-20, at 6 p.m. nightly and 10:30 a.m. Sunday. The Rev. Tom McCain will be the guest speaker. Special music will be provided by Flo Gooden, Curley Collins and Earl Kroll Jr.

market factors.

• Learned from Ald. Alex Houmes that the parks department is moving forward with purchasing new playground equipment for North Side (Cheese) Park.

### Weather

Sunny today. High 73. Tonight, mostly clear. Low 53. Tomorrow, breezy, partly sunny, then showers likely, then thunderstorms. High 65, low 34.

Here's what's showing at the  
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11 a.m. Friday at the funeral home. Burial will follow in Floral Hill Cemetery. Memorials are suggested to Carle Hospice, 206A W. Anthony Dr., Champaign IL 61822.

**SCHROEDER** - Joyce A. (Tuggle) Schroeder, 77, of Milford, died Sunday, Nov. 13, 2016. She was cremated.. Memorials are suggested to Milford Library or Iroquois Memorial Hospice.

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