




Internal Memo

June 8, 2023

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: Mark C. Meyers, City Administrator 

SUBJECT: June 2023 Information Update

1. Police Chief Transition – Police Chief Jon Gale informed me this week that he has accepted the newly created position of Director of Safety and Security with the Muskegon Area Intermediate School District. He will begin his new position October 1st. While Chief Gale will certainly be missed by our community, it is good to know that his expertise will be put to good use protecting our youth in the 55 schools throughout the county. Staff will soon begin planning the transition to a new chief who will build upon the strong foundation that Chief Gale and his staff have established in the Police Department.
2. Ross Park Pavilion and Overlook Deck Update – The redeveloped Ross Park pavilion and construction of an overlook deck continues. Attached are photos highlighting the new concrete work and pavilion construction. The masonry work is complete and building framed in. The overlook deck area has yet to be completely excavated, graded, and concrete poured.
3. Ellis Cemetery Update – The Ellis Cemetery is also taking shape. Final grading has been completed. The roadway surface is finished including curb and gutter. The office/garage is fully enclosed and interior work is underway. This week surveyors are staking blocks of plots so that irrigation can be installed. This first phase will accommodate 993 spaces.

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Attachments

ROSS PARK PAVILION



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