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A Newsletter for Crystal Lake Employees

Hello employees! In this newsletter we will congratulate employees on their upcoming retirements, welcome a new employee, highlight a Halloween costume contest, recognize employee anniversaries and focus on an Intra-net Spotlight Feature.

If your Department has reached a goal that you are proud of, please send those stories to Julie Meyer at jmeyer@crystallake.org to include in the next issue.





Laura Herrig, Assistant Finance Director in the Finance Department, will retire on October 22nd with almost 15 years of service!

Thank you for your dedication to the City of Crystal Lake, Laura!



Rick Utech, Maintenance Worker in the Streets Division, will retire on October 20th with 32 years of service!

Thank you for your dedication to the City of Crystal Lake, Rick!

WELCOME NEW EMPLOYEE



Adam Orton began working for the Finance Department as the new Assistant Finance Director on October 12th.

Before starting with the City of Crystal Lake, Adam was the City Treasurer/ Assistant to the City Manager for the City of Sycamore. Adam also earned a Master of Public Administration from Northern Illinois University.

Welcome to the City of Crystal Lake, Adam!



Join Us for a Spook-tacular event!

Friday, October 30th @11:45 am

In Community Development



October Employee Anniversaries

Mark Wajrowski	Public Works	33 Years	Adam Bucheger	Fire Rescue	12 Years
Rick Utech	Public Works	32 Years	Andrew Sypura	Fire Rescue	12 Years
Jerry Larsen	Fire Rescue	28 Years	Dane Szatkowski	Fire Rescue	12 Years
Bill Whyte	Fire Rescue	24 Years	Robert Wisz	Fire Rescue	12 Years
Greg Cook	Public Works	21 Years	Scott Torkelson	Police	12 Years
Kelsey Snell	Public Works	17 Years	Joseph Rosner	Fire Rescue	7 Years
Dan Seymore	Public Works	17 Years	Robert Seyl	Fire Rescue	7 Years
Joey Forsberg	Fire Rescue	15 Years	Sam Ferraro	Public Works	5 Years
Linda Olszak	Fire Rescue	15 Years	Karen Heiss	Police	3 Years
Mike Aiello	Fire Rescue	12 Years	Nick Hammonds	CMO	3 Years
Nick Borst	Fire Rescue	12 Years			

INTRANET SPOTLIGHT

The City's Employee Intranet is a great resource that provides you with easy access to HR, Payroll, Finance, and IT related information and fillable forms. Click the desktop icon link on your computer to login.

The **Retirement** section of the Intranet features:

- General information and enrollment/employee change forms for the two 457 deferred compensation plans offered by the City.
- IMRF Pension general information in addition information about voluntary additional contributions, disability benefits, purchasing past service credit, and a pre-retirement video.
- Police and Fire Pension eligibility information, a pension calculator, commonly used forms, and a pre-retirement seminar video.

