The Walworth County Department of Public Works-Purchasing Division would like to welcome Cindy Matz as the new Buyer for Walworth County. Cindy joined the Purchasing Division on May 16th.

As a Buyer for Walworth County, Cindy's responsibilities will include working with many departments on their procurement needs.

Cindy comes to Walworth County with more than seven (7) years of experience in government procurement, having served as the Procurement Administrator for the City of Milwaukee. She has expertise in many areas of procurement and is an active member of the Wisconsin Association for Public Procurement (WAPP), serving as the Chair of the Communications Committee and Co-Chair of the Membership Committee. Cindy is also an active member of the VALUE in Local Government (A Cooperative Purchasing Program of Southeastern Wisconsin) serving as the website administrator. Please join us in welcoming Cindy. You can contact her at 262-741-7266 or email of cmatz@co.walworth.wi.us.

- Nick Cramer

April Project Awards

- Kitchen Equipment for the Sheriff's Office Jail to Boelter LLC
- Commercial Laundry Equipment for the Sheriff's Office Jail to Herb Fitzgerald
- Public Works Software Management System to Asset Works
- Crash Scene reconstruction Equipment Software for the Sheriff's Office to Seiler Instrument & Mfg. Co.

- Nick Cramer

P-Card Rebate Program

Total Consortium spend for Contract year of March I, 2015 to February 29, 2016 was \$224,634,917 making total rebate payable \$3,780,439. Walworth County spent \$4,604,582 and our rebate was \$79,659.

- Stephanie Rodgers

Walworth County Park Happenings

White River County Park Bridge Dedication Ceremony









White River County Park—phase I prairie restoration was completed. Seed was planted into the wheat that is currently growing. When the wheat is harvested, what will be left will be the new prairie gradually taking root. The park's master plan includes 5 phases of prairie restoration.



The parking lot at White River Park has been recently paved. This should cut down on a lot of dust and will make winter maintenance much easier. Bids were opened for the new pavilion near the barn, and construction should start soon.



The garden plots behind Aurora hospital have been rototilled, marked and are ready for planting. Water is available at the site. Any garden waste can be put in the garden waste bin.

- Steve Messick

White River Bike Trail—Gerry Abbe



Michael Waddell, a local Boy Scout working to achieve his Eagle Scout Badge has completed a construction project on the White River Bike Trail.

Michael and his friends constructed a roof over the Kiosk at the Lyons parking lot. He designed the

construction plan, provided the materials list and headed the construction

Walworth County thanks Michael and his fellow boy scouts for their hard work. Congratulations Michael on achieving your Eagle Scout badge.

Public Works Finance Division is fully staffed now with the addition of Carol Mast and is now settling in to work on 2017 budget. Carol has been a great addition to the team and continues learning new tasks at Christy's direction. We would like to remind everyone to be thinking about budget requests for 2017 whether it be for capital asset requests or operating budget. We value everyone's input and thank everyone in advance for their support and efforts.

- Penny Bishop

PUBLIC WORKS 2016

CALENDAR



Jun 16 Steve Mesick 2 years Anniversary

Jun 17 Harry Romie 20 years Anniversary

Park Committee Meeting 1:00 PM at the Government Jun 20 Center Boardroom #114

Public Works Committee Meeting 3:30 PM at the Gov-Jun 20 ernment Center Boardroom #114