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## **BOARDMAN BEGINS TALKS TO EXPAND WATER AND SEWER PROJECT**

The City of Boardman is beginning talks to expand water and sewer projects in Boardman. The expansion will ensure reliability in the city's water and wastewater systems and improve fire flow.

In other city business, The Boardman Police Department would like to congratulate Loren Dieter on his promotion from Lieutenant to Captain. Captain Dieter grew up in Boardman and raised his family there.

On January 7, 2020, the Boardman City Council voted on three resolutions. Resolution 1-2020 to extend development incentives which expired on December 31, 2019. In an effort to encourage new construction in Boardman, the City Council passed a resolution that temporarily waives water and sewer System Development Charges (SDC's) for a period of twelve months. The resolution waives the SDC's on a sliding scale based upon the number of Equivalent Dwelling Units built. All property owners or developers of residential or commercial property within the City limits are eligible for the waivers. The waivers will expire on December 31, 2020. Resolution 2-2020 to accept a broadband strategic plan for the City of Boardman. The strategic objective of this plan is to obtain broadband speed and reliability necessary for economic and community vitality, enhanced public safety, educational opportunities, and quality of life for all Boardman residents and businesses. Resolution 3-2020 to adopt a new consolidated fee schedule to govern fees for city services. There was an addition added to page three under the section for Planning Application/Review Type. A line item was added for zoning review with any planning action from the above list for a cost of \$50.00.

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