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Notification of Boat Launch Upgrade

The City of Kewaunee has been awarded several State and Federal grants to be used to upgrade the municipal Boat Launch located just west of the bridge over the Kewaunee River. The City Administrator and Common Council have been working diligently for several months to develop five state and federal grants awarded to the City totaling \$487,000. These dollars represent nearly one-half of a million dollars in City amenities that are being off-set with state and federal funds, rather than local tax dollars.

The funds will be used to build a temporary coffer dam, remove the old Spancrete strips and replace them with solid cement slabs. The project also calls for the development of a handicapped accessible kayak dock & launch, thereby providing better access to the public.

Lunda Construction Company has been awarded the bid to perform the work. Lunda plans on starting the project on October 15th and completing the project by December 15th. It is important for the boating public to be keenly aware of these dates as the Municipal Boat Launch will not be available for use during this period and therefore, an alternative launch will need to be used.

This is a significant benefit to our waterfront area. Congratulations to all that have made this project a reality!

Please feel free to call 920-388-500 with any questions.