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Press Release

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Fire Hall Museum Turned-Over to the City

We have great news here at City Hall and we wanted to share it with you. The Kewaunee Fire Department Auxiliary has been working diligently for nearly two and a half years to develop a museum building to house historic fire apparatus and other items such as records and pictures documenting the history of the City of Kewaunee Fire Department. The Kewaunee Fire Museum is located adjacent to the Grandfather Clock and Ahnapee Trailhead. The Kewaunee Fire Museum includes accessible public restrooms located at the rear of the building. The Museum building has glass doors and large glass picture windows which provide the public with easy viewing of the historic fire apparatus.

On July 1st, the Museum will be hosting Music at the Museum, a celebration with music and food served by the Kewaunee Fire Department. It will be a great time tour the Fire Museum. This celebration is part of the City's regular summer Music in the Park program which will be hosted on that Sunday near the Museum, rather than the gazebo at Harbor Park. The Fire Museum was built with donated funds and donated labor by the Kewaunee Fire Department Auxiliary. At the June 11, 2018, City of Kewaunee Common Council meeting, Assistant Chief James Kleiman presented Mayor Sandi Christman with an official Key to the Museum in a ceremony formally transferring ownership of the Museum from the Kewaunee Fire Department Auxiliary to the City of Kewaunee. Mayor Christman stated "This is a wonderful amenity for the community. The Museum preserves our community's unique history while simultaneously spurring tourism and economic development in our downtown area."

Please feel free to call 920-388-5000 with any questions.



Assistant Chief James Kleiman presents Kewaunee Mayor Sandi Christman with an official Key to the Fire Museum in a ceremony formally transferring ownership to the City of Kewaunee.