



Executive Email

A weekly update from County Executive Scott Walker

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Welcome

We are putting out a weekly email update to opinion leaders like you from all across the county and region. Our goal is to update you on important events and ideas in our county. Please feel free to pass this on to others and encourage them to sign up for the weekly update (email addresses will not be shown to others on the list).

Scott

Join our 3rd Annual Tourism Ride

The Executive's ride runs from May 22 to 27 this year. It goes all across Wisconsin and into four other states (35 cities, 42 counties and 18 Harley-Davidson dealerships).

As in the past, the idea is to promote tourism in our area. In addition to promoting Milwaukee County, the ride will also focus on other parts of the Milwaukee 7 region. Waukesha County Executive Dan Vrakas will join Scott for part of the ride. Details are available at <http://www.county.milwaukee.gov/display/router.asp?docid=7822>.

2007 Budget Road Show

The County Executive is out talking about the challenges we will face in the 2007 budget (and beyond). This week, he was at ICSC Wisconsin, the Greendale Chamber and the Lions Club in South Milwaukee. Each week, he is trying to go to another group of opinion leaders throughout the county to issue a warning about the budget.

Soon, Scott will speak at the Whitnall Rotary, WAMA, Greater Milwaukee Committee, Public Policy Forum and plenty of other spots. Email Dorothy Moore in Scott's office (dmoore2@milwcnty.com) with ideas of other speaking locations.

Jobs, Jobs, Jobs

Johnson Controls announced a new project to fund crews of students from MPS who will work in the Parks System this summer. The county, the Private Industry Council of Milwaukee County and the Student Conservation Association, supports the program.

Congrats

Gene and Mary Alice Brown were named the Distinguished Citizens in Wauwatosa at a dinner on Wednesday. The County Executive attended and presented them with a wonderful proclamation and thanks from the county.

Water Safety

The County Executive joined several other government and civic leaders last week in calling for parents and guardians to spend more time talking with children about water safety. Free and reduced cost swim lessons are available at Lincoln, Washington, Pelican Cove, Noyes and Pulaski pools in the county system starting June 24.

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