# FAITH HAVEN OFFICE NEWS

**July 2025** 

#### **President's Corner**

The Orange Cone Millionaire There isn't much happening this month unless you factor in Grandma's Marathon or Duluth's longest running tourist attraction, Road Construction.

For all those folks who love to ride roller coasters, the tilt a whirl and bumper cars, you are absolutely in the right city and right state. I have never seen so much construction condensed into one small city where orange cones out number our own citizens and if that isn't bad enough, hang on to your hats because it is going to start getting even crazier when the paper mill brings in 400 extra construction workers later this summer.

Even in our part of the city which takes in Grand and Central Avenue you use to be able to walk across the street at the designated crosswalks without fearing for your life. Nowadays the traffic has become so heavy that you need a crossing guard or emergency flashers, so they slow down, and if you're driving on those same streets, you had better have your seat belt on and your insurance paid up.

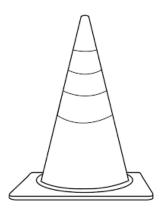
I have never felt more like I am driving in a foreign country than when I try to drive to the other end of the city. It's not just the main streets under construction but the side streets, the alleys and the freeway.

They are all under construction simultaneously and at the same time the county and city are out painting new lines on all the streets that are not under construction, (which is about 4) making traffic go even slower. Again, they are putting down orange cones so we don't drive on the freshly painted lines. If you do not have the patience of Job or a true sense of humor, I would suggest you use Amazon for deliveries and Uber when you have to go somewhere. There use to be a saying that went "Take the bus and leave the driving to us." Good saying if the buses can maneuver through all the construction.

The one thing I have come to realize about all this construction is that I have invested in the wrong stock market commodities. All these years I should have put every penny I had into orange cones. I'm sure our city alone must have millions of them in use. I could have been a millionaire.

Have a great 4th of July and keep smiling.

Kathy Resberg-Gannucci President Faith Haven Board of Directors



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### 4th of July



The Offices & Store
will be **CLOSED**Friday, July 4th
in observance of the
Independence Day holiday.

The store will be <u>OPEN</u> Wednesday, July 2nd

#### **July Birthdays**

1st - Mark Hage

8<sup>th</sup> – Esther Perrault 10<sup>th</sup> – MariAnne Isakson

14<sup>th</sup> – Carol Weeks

16th – Ardelle Pfuhl

18<sup>th</sup> – Jake Lepak

20<sup>th</sup> – Jon Nacey

22<sup>nd</sup> – Marilyn Harp

22<sup>nd</sup> – Steve McMillan

23<sup>rd</sup> - Janet Winkler

25<sup>th</sup> – Susan Rothman

29<sup>th</sup> – Sharon Anstett

30th - Walter Heinonen

## **Move-Ins**

Steven McMillan #803

## Coffee Clutch

No Coffee Clutch or Creative Team activities until September

### **No Smoking of Any Kind**

Faith Haven is a smoke-free facility. Smoking of ANY kind, (including vaping) will result in eviction.

Smoking marijuana in the building or on Faith Haven property will end in eviction.

Burning incense and burning candles is not permitted.

## **Faith Haven Tenant Picnic**

MARK YOUR CALENDARS
Noon- Thursday, <u>August</u> 21st
in the backyard -weather permitting.
(Comm. Rm. if inclement weather.)

Faith Haven
Board of Directors
and staff would
like to show their
appreciation for all of you
by throwing a picnic for all
residents.
(residents only)



#### **Sharps Container**

If the sharps container in the garbage room is full, please let Monica know.

Do not put needles of any kind loose or in baggies on the shelf.

Also, if you are collecting your own sharps in your own containers and you can drive,

please take your own sharps to WLSSD Hazardous Waste 2626 Courtland St.

There is no cost for an individual.

Faith Haven as a business does have to pay to dispose of YOUR sharps and it is getting increasingly more expense for us to provide this service.

After Hours Emergencies: Andy 391-9323/Dean 590-5602