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To: All Interested Parties
From: Darin K. Dood, Village Manager
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RE: Fiscal Year 2024-2025 Annual Report

During the 2024-2025 Fiscal Year, the Lakeview Downtown Development Authority accomplished the following:

- DDA helped the Village share in the cost of providing preventative maintenance and paid for the street lights on Lincoln Avenue, the Village's main thoroughfare.
- Five façade grants were awarded to local businesses who successfully applied to the DDA-sponsored façade grant program totaling \$12,204.
- The DDA had a phenomenal fifth year with the Farmer's Market in the old Bollinger's lot which has gained even more traction having an average of 20 vendors each week.
- The DDA contributed \$30,000 to assist with the payments for the new Village Municipal Complex. This continued support from the DDA will be put toward the remodeling loan associated with the Municipal Complex.
- Annual holiday lights were rented for use during the winter season. This year there were lights on the South end of the DDA as the Village installed solar lighting from Pickle Dock Dr. out to M-46 in a collaborative effort with the DDA.
- The DDA committed to partnering with the Village on a grant application through the MEDC for a pavilion which has been part of the Lakeshore Development Plan.