



Dave Hertz of Midwest Ready Mix, with the assistance of his son, Ty, shows one of his payloaders to kids at the center to highlight the machine's power.

(Submitted photo)

USD center experiences 'Machine Mania'

Wrapping up a summer full of fieldtrips and hands-on experiences, the USD Childcare Center held a day dedicated as Machine Mania to conclude their summer program.

Dave Hertz, of Midwest Ready Mix, with the assistance of his son Ty, took time to drive a payloaders to the Center to highlight the power and awesomeness of large construction equipment.

As each class paraded to have their turn sitting in the cab, the children's excitement was evident through their gasps of amazement and elated giggles of excitement. Even the teachers were impressed with the machinery as Ty demonstrated how some of the operations work.

What made this day particularly special is the integration of a local community business, community

partners, and child discovery at its best.

Research has shown that integrating community organizations with learning increases the aptitude for children to explore as well as fostering community commitment to education.

The USD Childcare Center intends to continue to implement efforts to build more collaborations with businesses as they begin developing upcoming programs for their fall schedule with a focus on brining science to life.

As Dave with Midwest Ready Mix has proven the heart for children is alive and well in the heartland and the Centers efforts will be met by an enthusiastic outpouring from the Vermillion community.

Council will again seek bids for baler building

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The Vermillion City Council moved to rebid the project to construct a replacement baler building for the landfill at its regular meeting Monday night.

Under the option the council approved, awarding and rebidding the project will take place around October, with construction happening next year.

City Engineer José Domínguez said this will allow the project to be bid on by more companies, and that the new schedule will attract lower bids.

At the city council meeting held Aug. 5, Domínguez said the city and its insurance carrier agreed on a replacement cost of \$663,788 for a new baler building to replace the one that was destroyed in a fire at the Vermillion Sanitary Landfill on Oct. 22, 2012.

The low bid was from Peska Construction of Sioux Falls, for the amount of \$1,060,000.

The engineer's estimate was for \$850,000.

"After several discussions with the low bidder it was estimated that the city would only be able to reduce the original low bid by about \$50,000," Domínguez said Monday night. "They would have to eliminate four unit heaters, what I call the 'insides' of the annex building and reducing the fire



The Vermillion City Council moved to rebid the project to construct a new baler building at the landfill. The old building was destroyed in a fire last October.

(Photo by Travis Gulbrandson)

alarm addressable points from what the original product called out in the specifications."

Those items would have to be added at a later date, probably at a higher cost, Domínguez said.

The project was not budgeted for in 2013, as the fire had not yet occurred at that time.

In addition to the insurance money, the city and Yankton County will join to fund \$133,503 of the project.

Up to \$200,000 in additional funds may also be covered by a grant from the South Dakota Department of Energy and Natural Resources.

The council voted to submit the grant application at its Aug. 5 meeting.

Last October's fire at the landfill's baler building led to the loss of items including the baler, conveyor and a truck.

In meetings last November, the city council replaced a wheel loader that was lost, as well as fire department gear that was damaged during the blaze.

This past June the city council approved the purchase of a new baler and conveyor for the landfill.

The cause of the fire was undetermined following inspections from five investigators.

FOR THE RECORD

Cases Disposed 8/9-25/2013

Jeremiah Craig Johnson, 31023 SD Highway 19, Vermillion; Municipal speeding, \$59.00 plus costs

Mandi M. Mueller, 54897 897 Rd., Crofton, NE; Speeding on other roadways, \$19.00 plus costs

Suvankar Ghosh, 1709 Baylor St., Vermillion; Speeding on other roadways, \$59.00 plus costs

Rick A. Stewart, 58860 8685 Road, Waterbury, NE; Speeding on other roadways, \$39.00 plus costs

Matthew David Glowe, 315 Lewis, Vermillion; Seat belt violation, \$25.00

Tyler Glenn Carlisle, 221 Elm Street, Vermillion; Seat belt violation, \$25.00

Anthony Robert Ellis, 1205 W. 10th St., Yankton; Speeding on other roadways, \$59.00 plus costs

Chelsea Lyn Mielke, 201 Yale, Vermillion; Open container, \$54.00 plus costs

Christopher W. Cameron, 412 Poplar, Avon; Speed limits in areas of highway construction, \$39.00 plus costs

John Daniel White, 1121 S. Helen Street, Sioux City SD; Speed limits in areas of highway construction, \$39.00 plus costs

Matthew Scott Hummel, 1115 177t Street, Hawarden, IA; Speed limits in areas of highway construction, \$59.00 plus costs

Scot Hayden Graff, 108 N. Harvard, Vermillion; Speed on four-lane in rural areas, \$39.00 plus costs

Benjamin Crandall, 728 N. University #309, Vermillion; Urinating in public, \$104.00 plus costs

Reynaldo Almaguer, 114 Juniper St., Yankton; Following too closely, \$54.00 plus costs

Leann Bassing, 302 Turkey Rd., Yankton; Failure to make proper stop at stop intersection, \$54.00 plus costs

Thomas Joseph Johnson, 25628 Dahl Road, Detroit Lakes, MN; Left turning vehicle failing to yield right of way, \$54.00 plus costs

Adam McLean, 208 W. Bluff Street, Ponca, NE; Speeding on other roadways, \$39.00 plus costs

Christina Ann Johnson, 411 Stanford St. #53, Vermillion; Seat belt violation, \$25.00

Jeremiah Monjarez, 4720 S. 183rd Street, Omaha, NE; Ingest intoxicant other than alcoholic beverage, \$371.00 plus costs; Possess two ounces of marijuana or less, dismissed; Use or possession of drug paraphernalia, dismissed

Derek Gall, 55541 Highway 20, Randolph, NE; Speed limits in areas of highway construction, \$34.00 plus costs

Tyler Wayne Wilhelm, 530 Elm St. #61, Vermillion; Municipal open container in motor vehicle

Martin Ramirez-Villegas, 4045 Vanburen St., Sioux City, IA; Speeding on other roadways, \$39.00 plus costs

Stephanie Cowman, 106 N. Van Eps, Sioux Falls; Speeding on four-lane in rural areas, \$39.00 plus costs

Mark Alan Bothwell, 31370 Hillcrest Pl,

Vermillion; County speeding, \$59.00 plus costs

Dennis Trkeno Welch, 1807 E. Side Drive, Yankton; Seat belt violation, \$25.00

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Troy A. Boggs, 84650 Airport Road, Neligh, NE; Speeding on other roadways, \$59.00 plus costs

Bonnie K. Siebert, 47855 873rd, Atkinson, NE; Speeding on other roadways, \$39.00 plus costs

Amanda Loucks, 4643 Martin Access Road, Aurelia, IA; Speeding on other roadways, \$59.00 plus costs

Michelle L. Solomon, 3537 5th Ave., Council Bluffs, IA; Speed on four-lane in rural areas, \$39.00 plus costs

Adam Nathan Campbell Thoseby, 901 Rose St. #269d, Vermillion; Speeding on four-lane in rural areas, \$39.00 plus costs

Judge Tami Bern presiding

Kyle Aurther Williamson, 911 E. Duke Street, Vermillion; Intentional damage to property - \$400-\$1,000-2nd degree, \$300.00 plus costs, 30 days jail

suspended based on the conditions of the court; Enter or surreptitiously remain inbuilding, \$300.00 plus costs

Terrence Michael Kenny, 1112 Rice Drive, Vermillion; Enter or surreptitiously remain inbuilding, \$300.00 plus costs, 30 days jail

suspended based on the conditions of the court

Matthew Vincent Trammel, 118 Prospect, Vermillion; Enter or surreptitiously remain inbuilding, \$300.00 plus costs, 30 days jail is

suspended based on the conditions of the court

Brian S. Drotzman, 206 Merchant, Gayville; Fail to maintain financial responsibility, \$54.00 plus costs

Andrea Maria Kempkes, 16634 Howard Circle, Omaha, NE; Ingest intoxicant other than alcoholic beverage, \$371.00 plus costs; Possess two ounces of marijuana or less, dismissed; Use or possession of drug paraphernalia, dismissed

Tyler Jordan Myers, 668 N. 128th Street, Omaha, NE; Use or possession of drug paraphernalia, \$204.00 plus costs, license revoked for 120 days; Ingest intoxicant other than alcoholic beverage, \$371.00 plus costs; Possess two ounces of marijuana or less, dismissed

Diamond Lee Wartenbee, 606 E. 10th St. #2, Dell Rapids; Impersonation to deceive law enforcement officer, \$300.00 plus costs, 30 days jail suspended based on the

conditions of the court; Possession of alcohol by minor, dismissed

Ross Pennock Miller, 445 N. Pine, Vermillion; Fireworks in city limits, dismissed

Ethan David Cleaver, 1510 East Lewis Street, Vermillion; Careless driving, \$54.00 plus costs; Ingest intoxicant other than alcoholic beverage, \$371.00 plus costs; Possess two ounces of marijuana or less, dismissed; Use or possession of drug paraphernalia, dismissed

Jared Michael Onnen, 1969 Esplanade St., Navarre, FL; Possession of alcohol by minor, \$54.00 plus costs

Jason David Logan, 1105 Allison Street, Vermillion; Failure to make proper stop at stop intersection, \$54.00 plus costs

Meghan Jane Rose, 434 Franklin St., Vermillion; Possession of alcohol by minor, \$54.00 plus costs

Shawn Michael Osborn, 115 W. 3rd St., Yankton; Resisting arrest, \$300.00 plus costs, 60 days jail suspended based on the condition of the court; Possession of alcohol by minor, dismissed

Patricia Spotted Calf, 833 E. Duke Street #41,

Vermillion; Disorderly conduct, \$100.00 plus costs, 14 days jail

suspended based on the conditions of the court; Discharge firearm in city limits, dismissed; Simple assault, dismissal-reduction; Simple assault, dismissal-reduction

Victor Joseph Dotson, 214 Bower #103, Vermillion; Ingest intoxicant other than alcoholic beverage, \$621.00 plus costs

Drew T. Guinan, 19943 County Road 20, Blair, NE; Intentional damage to property - \$400 less-3rd degree, 30 days jail

suspended based on the conditions of the court, \$100.00 plus costs; Enter or surreptitiously remain inbuilding, \$300.00 plus costs; Enter or surreptitiously remain inbuilding, dismissed; Petty theft 2nd degree-\$400 or less, dismissed; Petty theft 2nd degree-\$400 or less, dismissed

Anthony Jerome Cavegn, 215 S. Pine Street, Vermillion; Driving with suspended (not revoked) license, dismissed; Driving under influence-2nd offense, dismissed; Driving under influence-2nd offense, recharged

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