

ments of two pedestrian paths, including new sidewalks on Viaduct Street between Thorn-

cost estimates for projects at the busy intersection at the July 2 board of aldermen meeting.

converge. They say pedestrians walking to the restaurants and other

street signs will replace rail. Signs



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Meramec Valley R-III administrators say they're bringing something new to the comprehensive improvement plan (CSI) coming school year to enhance learning experience.

Officials say they support their belief in educating every child.

Superintendent Dr. [Name] discussed the new elements at the June 27 school board meeting.

"We review the strategy every year," he said. "But this year we're doing more this year and we are committed to it."

On the fourth page of the order the title "Vision of the Future," educators have added character traits.

Roller Derby Team to Visit Library

The Franklin County Fury roller derby team will present a history of roller derby, equipment, rules, culture and drills at the Scenic Regional Library Pacific branch Thursday, July 18, at 6 p.m. There is no cost to attend the event. Weather permitting they also will do a short demonstration outside the library.

Submitted Photo.

Public Hearing Set on Water Rates

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Business Owner Says It Would Be Devastating to His Car Wash

As the city moves forward with plans to raise water rates, one business owner said the increase would be devastating to his business.

Bill Hoaglin, who owns and operates Beacon Car Wash on East Osage, said he was alarmed

when he read in the newspaper that the planned water rate increase could send his water and sewer bill up by 45 percent.

"We use a lot of water that does not go into the sewer dis-

trict," Hoaglin said. "A 45 percent increase is a pretty high increase."

Speaking at the July 2 board of aldermen meeting, Hoaglin said the proposed raise, if it is

45 percent increase in water rates would be devastating to his business.

"We can't afford to raise our rates," Hoaglin said.

Tenant Given More Time to

