

Supervisor's Monthly Report for March
Mall Concourse

Lack of snow removal continued throughout the month of February, which isn't necessarily a bad thing. Blowing and sweeping of walks became routine, and trash removal with recycling also was a frequent job assigned in February. Washing bus shelter windows, painting trash can lids, and bike rack refurbishing, kept the crew busy waiting for the snow to arrive. Our first major event, Winterfest, was a success with warmer temperatures compared to last year. We welcomed Tyler VandeBogert to staff as our newest Parks Maintenance Worker and are pleased to be at full staff.

March appears to be coming in like a lion, with a winter storm warning for the Madison area, which the crew is eager to clean up. Seasonal banners will be changed from winter to spring, to lighten the mood and bring forth warmer temperatures. The refurbished solid color banners on the square will also be re-installed. The St. Patrick's Day Parade in mid-March should bring in crowds with the warmer temperatures that are expected. Blowing and sweeping of the sidewalks will be a priority as well, cleaning up after the winter debris. We will likely begin to gear up to finish our light pole painting project that we began last year. In addition, we will begin to prepare the planters for spring flowers.