FEBRUARY EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH 2021

Sara Frankenfeld

Planning

On behalf of the Board of Supervisors, it is our pleasure to recognize and congratulate Sara Frankenfeld, GIS Administrator, as Employee of the Month for the month of February 2021. We commend her for going above and beyond in her services to the people of Warren County while performing her duties in the Planning-GIS Department.

Sara Frankenfeld has gone above and beyond to help keep Warren County residents informed throughout the pandemic, serving as the sole webmaster for the Warren County COVID Hub website since the pandemic took hold here in Warren County last spring. That has meant updating this site every day, 7 days a week, oftentimes several times a day, and on weekends, at night and during holidays, as well as reorganizing the site numerous times as we moved through phases of the shutdown, business reopenings, vaccine distribution and the holiday surge of COVID cases. This website has gotten thousands of views and "clicks" per day, so we know that it has been an important resource during this pandemic.

In addition to overseeing the COVID Hub, Sara has taken on numerous projects to help our Tourism Hospitality Communications group, updating trail maps on the Warren County Rec Mapper website to help let the public know of trails where they could socially distance, as well as creating a well-received promotional website for snowshoeing and a project to raise awareness toward the trees that make our environment special.

And then there was Sara's oversight of the 2020 Census in Warren County, which was a full-time workload with ever-changing deadlines of its own! She managed all of this while maintaining and updating the data and maps used by the 911 Call Center, along the myriad of other activities normally associated with keeping the GIS functioning.

In addition to all of the above, Sara first came to the Planning Department in 1997 and has strived to develop a Geographic Information System that is responsive to the needs of the County. Her belief in securing good quality data and procedures has enabled the County to coordinate and respond to concerns and provide meaningful data for community decision makers.

Congratulations Sara!!!