
Thank you for your kindness

Dear readers.

I am lucky to have had something that makes saying goodbye so hard.

While I will still be involved with the historical section, as of last week I have stepped aside to let someone else take the lead on the Portage County Gazette.

I am truly grateful that I have gotten to know many of you on a personal basis over the past couple of years. It was because of you that I was able to glean a deeper understanding of the Portage County community. It is a truly special place in its diversity, cultural offerings, deep heritage, and its community initiatives.



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As former associate editor, Taylor Hale, takes over as editor of the Gazette, I will be working on the creation of several other products, including the central Wisconsin “Heritage” history magazine. Watch for more information on that in upcoming weeks.

A special thank you to Tim Siebert, Trish Mrozek, and Karen Ann Hoffman for the numerous times they went out of their way to assist me and for connecting me with others.

I am excited for what Mr. Hale will bring to this newspaper, his plans, and the future of the publication.

Thank you all for your kindness. I will miss working with this publication, but I won’t be far away.

*Sincerely,
Kris Leonhardt, MMC Senior Editor*