

# the Lincolnshire NewsLetter

## Toys for Tots Annual Collection



Once again the Village of Lincolnshire will have a collection box for "Toys for Tots" **through Monday, December 13th.**

Mayor Blomberg has made Toys for Tots an **annual charity** in the Village, and we encourage all of the businesses and residents to hop on board! To get a Toys for Tots box delivered to your business, call Gunnery Sgt. Steve Ledriard at 847.688.7129, ext. 313. We hope our residents will help us fill the box at the Village Hall again and again!

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## Leaf Collection - 2011

Although many residential properties utilize the Village service to pick up leaves each fall, not every property does. **The Village Board will be discussing options for the leaf program, including the elimination of the service, at its December meeting.** Residents are encouraged to attend the meeting or contact [kjurco@village.lincolnshire.il.us](mailto:kjurco@village.lincolnshire.il.us) at the Village to express their opinions regarding this program.

Who: You

What: Status of the Residential Leaf Program

Where: Village Hall - One Olde Half Day Road

When: 7:00 p.m., Monday, December 13, 2010

Why: Modifications to the existing program, including the potential elimination of the program will be discussed

## Fall 2010 Leaf Collection Ends

Leaf collection for the 2010 season will conclude on Friday, December 3rd. **Do not put leaves in the street after noon on Monday, November 29th.** Public Works will make one last run through the Village on December 3rd. After that date, your leaves must be bagged and taken away by your landscaper or wastehauler.

## Chief of Police Retires

Randy Melvin, Lincolnshire's Chief of Police since 1996 has announced his retirement, effective November 26, 2010. In two stints with the Village beginning in 1975, Randy has been a member of the Lincolnshire Police Department for over 30 years. He began as a Police Officer and was in that post for five years before heading for a career in the private sector. He rejoined the Village as a Police Officer in 1985 and in 1990 was promoted to an Investigator position. During this time, he earned his Master of Public Administration degree. In 1993, he was appointed to Assistant to the Chief of Police and then in May, 1996, he was appointed Chief. Randy completed the FBI National Academy in 1998 and in 2003 he became a Certified Police Chief in the Illinois Association of Chiefs of Police Certification Program.

Randy has been an effective member of the Village's management team and has administered growth, changes and improvements in the Police Department. The 34 member Department is composed of 24 sworn officers and 10 support staff. The Village of Lincolnshire wishes Randy the best in his retirement and all of his future endeavors.

## Finance

### Sales Tax Increase Approved

The Village Board recently approved a .5% local home rule sales tax that becomes effective on January 1, 2011. The Village's total sales tax rate will be 7.5%. There are 14 other communities in Lake County that have a local sales tax ranging from .5% to 1%. The new sales tax is estimated to raise \$950,000 in 2011 and its need will be annually reviewed by the Village Board. The sales tax applies to most items sold at retail with some exceptions. Exempt items include tangible personal property titled or registered with an Illinois agency (mainly vehicles), food for human consumption that is to be consumed off premises (not carry-out prepared foods) and medically related items like drugs and medical appliances.

Due to the economy and loss of a major sales tax-producing company in the past two years, the Village has seen its General Fund revenues drop from \$10.3 million in 2008 to an estimated \$7.9 million in 2010. In addition to a reduction in sales tax revenues, the Village has seen large drops in utility taxes, hotel room taxes, building permit fees and investment revenue. The Village responded by reducing costs in all areas of operations including the elimination of 9 positions through attrition and layoffs. Additionally, most discretionary expenses were removed and capital projects reduced or deferred. However, even with all of the reductions, the Village was facing a projected deficit of almost \$700,000 next year. The sales tax revenues received over the amount needed for the General Fund will be used for capital improvements in the Water & Sewer Improvement Fund as this Fund's primary source of revenue, connection fees, has dropped to almost zero and funds are needed for improvements in our utility systems.

## Executive Services

### Closed for the Holidays!

The Mayor, Board of Trustees and the Village staff extend their best wishes to you for a Happy Hanukkah, a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. The Village Hall and Police Administrative offices will be closed on Thursday, December 23rd, and Friday, December 24th, in observance of the Christmas holiday. Village offices will also be closed on Friday, December 31st, to celebrate the New Year holiday.

As always, in emergencies, the Lincolnshire Police are just a phone call away at 911. Non-emergency calls should be made to 847.883.9900.

### No Gifts for Employees, Please

With the holidays around the corner, residents are reminded that the Village prohibits employees from accepting gifts, including cash, as part of their municipal employment. If you would like to thank an employee for services provided during the past year, you can do so by sending a card or letter which can be placed in the employee's personnel file.

Sometimes, residents bring edible items such as cookies or candy to the Village. We are able to accept your thanks in this way since these items can be shared by the entire staff. We hope you understand.

### Recreation Opportunities for Residents

The Village of Lincolnshire will no longer be offering recreational programs for its residents after December 31, 2010 with the exception of summer life guards. For a contact list of the providers of previous Lincolnshire programs and alternative recreational opportunities in and around Lincolnshire, please visit the Village's website at [www.village.lincolnshire.il.us](http://www.village.lincolnshire.il.us), and on the home page, under "Village Events and Updates" click on "Recreational Opportunities". This list will remain on the website until January 31, 2011.

### SRACLC

The Special Recreation Association of Central Lake County (SRACLC) provides year around community-based recreation services to individuals with disabilities and their families. Information on programs can be found at <http://www.sraclc.org>.

Although the Village Board discontinued recreational programming effective December 31, 2010, the Village's contract with SRACLC runs through April 30, 2012. Therefore, Village residents may fully participate in SRACLC until that date.

### Utility Company Contacts

If up are having problems with any of your utilities we suggest that you go direct to the utility provider for help. There telephone numbers are:

North Shore Gas	1(866) 556-6004
Commonwealth Edison	1(800) Edison 1 1(800) 334-7661
AT & T	1(800) 288-2747
Comcast	1(800) 266-2278

## Community Development

### Property Maintenance and Permissible Uses

One of the Village's main goals is to maintain and improve the overall living environment for its residents. In order to accomplish this, the Village has established and adopted several Codes and regulations to help keep our community not only aesthetically pleasing but also a safe place to live. During the year, many property maintenance issues are dealt with and questions answered. It is always the goal of the Village to work with residents to help them with any concerns they may have. That being said, listed below are some of the most frequent questions pertaining to property maintenance and permissible uses in the Village:

#### Are storage structures allowed in the Village?

Detached accessory structures or storage structures are in fact allowed. Under section 6-3-5 of the Village Code, residents can familiarize themselves with the Village's requirements for these type of structures. Prior to the installation of any type of detached structure, and permissibility of a completed Building Permit Application needs to be submitted to the Village.

#### Are residents required to store refuse containers in specific locations?

Residents are required to store refuse containers in a location that is not in plain view from the street or in a location that would be considered a nuisance to immediate adjoining neighbors. Also, residents may place their refuse containers out for pick-up service no earlier than 9:00 p.m. the night before their service. Please also be aware that refuse containers must be removed from plain view from the street no later than 9:00 p.m. the day of the scheduled pick-up. (Code Section 8-4-13)

#### Is a building permit required prior to installing a fence, patio or sidewalk?

Yes, residents are required to submit completed building permit applications to the Village prior to the installation of a fence, patio or sidewalk. Residents need to submit not only the permit but also a copy of the plat of survey of the property to which the improvement is to be made and indicate specifically on the plat where the improvement will be added. If you have any further questions, please contact Community Development at 847.913.2310.

#### How tall does grass have to be before it is considered a violation of Village Code?

Village Code deems grass that exceeds six inches (6") in height, whether it be on a vacant or improved lot, to be a nuisance and in violation of the Village Code. (Code section 4-1A-1)

#### Can a resident park a recreational vehicle outdoors at their home?

Residents can park one (1) recreational vehicle at their residence, however, there are strict regulations regarding screening. Village Code section 10-1-5B, provides the specific conditions that must be met in order for this type of storage/parking of a recreational vehicle to be considered compliant in the Village.

If you have any questions about the topics that were mentioned above, please feel free to contact Nicole Koleno, Code Enforcement Inspector, at 847.913.2317. The Code sections noted above can be viewed on the Village's website at [www.village.lincolnshire.il.us](http://www.village.lincolnshire.il.us), on the Home Page under Village Code.

## Police

### Before you Leave Town...

If you are planning to go out of town over the upcoming holidays, or anytime, for that matter, add these tasks to your "To Do" list:

#### Before Leaving Town

- Stop all deliveries such as laundry, cleaning, papers, mail or bottled water either in person or by telephone. Do not leave notes!
- Leave a house key with a trusted neighbor or relative and ask them to keep a special watch while you're away.
- Leave your house in a live-in" condition: lights on timers, some shades or curtains open and inexpensive items in view.
- Never publicize your vacation plans before leaving. Wait until you have returned.

Have someone shovel your driveway while you are gone.

#### House Watch

Put your house on "House Watch". Simply call 847.883.9900. Lincolnshire Police Department personnel will check your residence daily to make sure all the doors and windows are locked and that your home appears secure. In the past, we have had windows broken by animals or trees, frozen water pipes and other such problems that, if left unchecked, would have caused major damage.

#### When You Return

If you return and find a door or window unexpectedly open or ajar, don't go in. Use a cell phone or go to your nearest neighbor and contact the Police. If you are inside your home and hear or see a prowler, don't investigate. Call the Police. An officer who is trained and equipped to handle this type of problem will be at your home in minutes. If possible, watch from a distance and keep the police dispatcher informed of the person's actions.

## PUBLIC WORKS

### Ice Skating in the Village

Spring Lake Park provides open skating from dawn to dusk – when the ice thickness is appropriate. Skaters should be aware that it takes at least six inches of ice before it is safe to skate on the lake, (Keep in mind that the lake is 14 feet deep in some spots). Signs will be posted on the beach end of the lake advising users when it is safe to skate. Watch for signs at the park indicating that it is open for skating or check for information on Cable Channel 10.

Due to budget reductions, ice skating will no longer be provided at North Park.

### No Skating or Sledding at Rivershire Park

Please be aware that there is no skating or sledding allowed at Rivershire Park.

Skating is strictly prohibited due to uncertain ice conditions. Warm currents in Lincolnshire Creek and the Des Plaines River make ice conditions dangerous. If you wish to skate, go to Spring Lake Park when signs state that the conditions are safe. Rivershire Park does not have any hills adequate for sledding. Hills adjacent to Rivershire Park are located on private property. Please be advised that these areas are not for public use.

### Winterize Your Home

One of the easiest things you can do as cold weather approaches is to walk around your home and check for air gaps. Air gaps let heat out and cold air in.

Areas where you may find air gaps in your home:

- dropped ceiling
- attic entrance
- water and furnace flues
- all ducts
- chimney
- window sashes and frames
- electrical outlets and switches
- plumbing access panelbase
- recessed lights
- electric wires and box
- plumbing utilities and penetration
- door sashes and frames
- warm air register
- sill plates
- light fixtures
- covers and interior trim

Feel with your hand around door frames, windows, electrical outlets, fans, cracks or any other location you think cold air can get in. If you are not sure, you can light a match or incense stick. Hold the stick next to the gap and see if the flame travels horizontally. If it does, you have a gap or air leak.

- Caulk cracks or gaps around the outside of your home.
- Caulk inside your home. Use paintable caulk so that you can conceal it.
- Install rubber gaskets behind outlet and switch plates on exterior walls.
- If possible, replace single pane windows or add storm windows. If this is not possible, you can use heavy clear plastic over the window secured tightly to the frame.
- Keep fireplace flues closed when not in use.
- Look for dark weathered spots on your insulation. These spots are usually a sign of a leak. While you are there, see if you have adequate insulation. The cost to install adequate insulation will soon be recouped by savings on your heating and cooling bills!
- Apply weather stripping to your doors and windows-including your garage doors.

A few simple efforts will yield a nice warm winter for you and your family and will help keep your heating costs down!

**The Mayor, Board of Trustees and Village Staff wish you a Healthy and Happy 2011!**

## Public Works

### The Floodplain's Natural Benefits:

A floodplain is the low-lying area adjacent to streams, rivers, lakes, and, in some cases, even low spots that do not normally hold water. It provides a wonderful habitat for many species of wildlife and plants. The floodplain also serves as a natural buffer which can absorb water during periods of heavy rain. For example, the golf course at Marriott's Lincolnshire Resort is a fine playground in dry weather, but when the banks of the Des Plaines River overflow, the golf course serves as a holding area for flood waters. Similarly, the ponds at the Tri-State International Office Complex provide both recreational opportunities and flood attenuation along the Chicago River.

Due to the benefits of floodplains, the Village has adopted special regulations to govern construction in floodplains. For more information about these regulations, contact Village Engineer Jennifer Hughes at 847.913-2380.

### Sump Pump Discharge

The Village Code requires that residents disconnect sump pump discharges that flow to the street and redirect the flow onto their own property so that water does not reach the street between November 1st and April 1st. This is done to prevent ice buildup in the streets which could create a hazard to both motorists and pedestrians alike, as well as cause excessive damage to our roadways and snow removal equipment.

### Clean Your Grates

Clean your grates! In the fall and spring, and after heavy rains, be sure to check the storm sewer grates on the street by your house and in your yard. Grates clogged with leaves and trash can cause flooding. Please remove the debris away from the grate. If the debris is large, contact the Public Works Department at 847.913.2360 for assistance.

### Illegal Dumping and Suspicious Dumping Hotline:

Call 847.913.2360 to report any suspicious or illegal dumping. Please leave location, approximate time and date and any other information you have that might be helpful in investigating the event.

### We need Your Help - Clear Your Fire Hydrant

There are 800 fire hydrants in the Village. It is difficult for Public Works personnel to be able to locate and shovel out each of these fire hydrants should they become covered with snow. For you and your neighbor's sake, if you have a fire hydrant on your property, we ask that you clear the snow around it. If a fire occurs in your neighborhood, it is important that the fire department locate the necessary fire hydrants quickly. Thanks for your help.

### Tax Levy Ordinance to be Considered by the Village Board

At the December 13th Regular Village Board Meeting beginning at 7:00 p.m., the Village Board will consider the 2010 Tax Levy. This is the fifteenth consecutive year the Tax Levy will be used only for employee pensions and not for general operations or debt service. Overall, the Village's portion of the total property tax bill is expected to remain about 3%.

### Cold Exposure & Frostbite

Cold exposure occurs when a person is exposed to abnormally low temperatures and wind. Symptoms include shivering, numbness, low body temperature, drowsiness and muscular weakness.

Frostbite happens when skin tissue actually freezes. It most commonly affects the nose, cheeks, ears, fingers and toes. Frostbite can be very dangerous - even fatal. Frost-bitten skin is white or grey with slight pain, possible blistering and a feeling of intense cold and numbness. In more severe cases, mental confusion, staggering, blurry eyesight and/or shock may occur.

First aid for a frostbite victim should include moving indoors, covering the frozen areas and providing the person with a warm drink. Rewarm the frozen area by quickly immersing or covering the affected area with lukewarm water (not HOT water). DO NOT rub the affected area or break the blisters. Be alert for shock. Seek medical consultation or treatment.

### After the Holidays Christmas Tree Pick-Up

Waste Management will pick up Christmas trees beginning the first Wednesday in January and will conclude collection on the last Wednesday in January. Public Works will not be picking up any Christmas trees in the Village this year.

# Public Works

## Let it Snow, Let it Snow, Let it Snow!

December usually brings cold, blustery weather to the Village. Snow and ice can make streets of Lincolnshire hazardous for travel. The Public Works Department employees are preparing the snow and ice removal equipment so they will be ready to make the streets of the Village safe for travel as quickly as possible when the snow falls. You should be aware of some facts and policies regarding snow removal.

The Village is responsible for the maintenance of over 40 miles of roadway including seventy-three cul-de-sacs. These areas do not include Half Day Road, Olde Half Day Road (east), and Milwaukee Avenue which are maintained by the state; Riverwoods Road and Aptakisic Road, which are maintained by Lake County, and any of the private subdivisions such as Westminster Woods, Wood Creek Courts, Rivershire, Indian Creek, Heritage Creek, Hidden Lakes, Sutton Place, Village Green Condos, Beaconsfield, and Westgate.

Cleaning our roadways of snow and ice can take up to six hours once the precipitation has stopped falling. Please try to avoid making any unnecessary trips until the snow plows have had a chance to clear the snow. Also, please be aware of the fact that parking on the roadways after there is an accumulation of one inch or more of snow is prohibited by the Village Code. Keeping the streets free of traffic and parked cars will allow the snow plows to clear the road much more efficiently.

The snow plows will leave some snow at the end of the driveways. It is the resident's responsibility to clear this snow, and it is against Village policy for Village trucks to plow the openings of individual driveways.

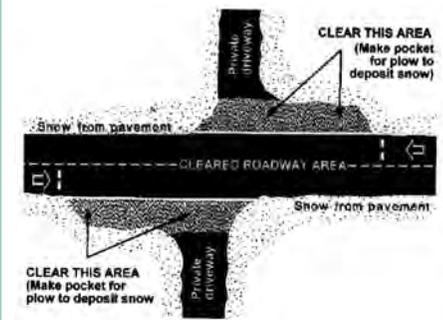
At times, snow is intentionally deposited or pushed into the streets or onto the roadway shoulder. This is usually done by privately contracted snow plowing services. Residents who utilize snow plowing firms should advise them that it is against the Village Code to deposit snow on to Village streets and neighbor's properties, and you should make sure that any snow removed from your driveway or other areas of your property remains on your property unless you have permission to have it plowed on to a neighbor's property.

Please check your mailbox to make sure it is installed properly and it is in good condition. The Village will only repair mailboxes that are actually struck by the snow plow.

Village crews are careful to avoid damaging property as they plow, but because the snow can sometimes obscure the line between the curb and the lawn, accidents do happen. If you discover damage to your lawn or mailbox after the plow has passed, please call Wendy at 847.913.2380 during normal business hours. The Public Works Department will make repairs as soon as possible. However, landscape restoration cannot be done until the spring. By following these guidelines we can all have a safe winter season!

## Tips for Shoveling Snow

The best way to assure that the snow plows clearing the street will minimize the amount of snow left in your already cleared driveway is to shovel snow to your right as you face the street, and also make a pocket on the left side of your driveway. See the Illustration:



Snow that has accumulated on the plow will dump into that pocket you cleared and not entirely on your cleared driveway.

By doing this, you will reduce the possibility of snow plows inadvertently making your driveway snow-bound again.

## Note

Residents living along hiking and recreational paths and sidewalks are asked to please be mindful of pedestrians and school children by clearing the walkways of snow and ice. This year, Public Works crews will be only removing snow from Village streets and the North-South Bike Path along Riverwoods Road.

## Public Works

### Do Not Feed Wildlife!

Did you know that it is against the law to feed wildlife such as deer or to have a feeding station on your property?

The law states:

It shall be illegal to make available food, salt, mineral blocks, or other products for ingestion by wild deer or other wildlife in areas where wild deer are present. Exempted from this Section are the following:

a) Elevated bird/squirrel feeders providing seed, grain, fruit, worms or suet for birds or squirrels located within 100 feet of a dwelling devoted to human occupancy.

Some people in the Village believe they are providing a valuable service to wildlife by providing food for them. Some just want to see wildlife in their yard so they put out food to attract them. This is dangerous for the wildlife and could be dangerous for you.

1. Chronic Wasting Disease is a deadly disease spread by blood and saliva. It is similar to Mad Cow Disease in cattle. It is a neurological disease that produces lesions in the brains of infected animals causing them to behave erratically, makes them lethargic and eventually kills them. Areas where animals share food is a perfect breeding ground for this disease and is certainly not something you want to create. Like Mad Cow Disease, this disease has not been determined to affect humans but the research is not conclusive.

In the past, there have been a number of issues related to coyotes. These animals eat just about anything. They will come to feeding stations and eat whatever is present – this would include bird feeders if they are not secured and elevated. As a result they begin to claim territory and will act in a dominant manner to protect and defend their territory from other animals who may wish to venture in. This would include family pets.

3. Wildlife needs to forage for their food – it is their nature. It also keeps them independent. When you place a feeding station, they will come to the easiest food source and not forage. It makes them dependent upon you and they lose their ability to forage on their own. What happens to these animals when you are not stocking the feeding station? What if you move, go on vacation?

4. Often feeding stations are located in areas where they are easily visible (efforts by homeowners to see wildlife in their yards). This is true for animals too. If you are drawing wildlife to a common area, where they come regularly, predators will pick up on that too. Unwittingly you are providing a bait station for other wildlife where they can be attacked and eaten right on your property - that is probably not what you were expecting to view.

Wild animals are just that - wild animals. They are not our pets. We must respect their nature and try not to adversely impact their lives. If you have a feeding station on your property, you must remove it immediately. Anyone with a prohibited feeding station is in violation of the law and subject to a fine.

## News Around Town - Congratulations

Congratulations to the Lincolnshire-Riverwoods Fire Prevention District which became the fourteenth agency in Illinois to receive International Accreditation status from the Commission of Fire Accreditation International. Lincolnshire-Riverwoods FD is now one of 148 fire service agencies worldwide that have achieved this recognition. Other CFAI accredited Illinois fire departments include Highland Park FD, Naperville FD, Glencoe FP, Wilmette FD, Countryside FD and Lake Forest FP.

Congratulations to Half Day School and Daniel Wright Junior High School were named 2010 Blue Ribbon Schools by the U.S. Department of Education. 304 schools were recognized in the U.S. Nineteen schools in Illinois received this recognition, four of which are in Lake County.

## Community Calendar

**Lincolnshire-Prairie View School District 103 PTO** encourages the school community and neighbors to attend its annual Book Fair at Barnes and Noble, Lincolnshire Commons, 900 Milwaukee, on Saturday, December 4, from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.. Twenty percent of book sales go directly back to the PTO to fund various student projects. Enjoy student performances, activities and a chance to win exciting raffle prizes. Book Fair's JOY theme celebrates the joy of the holiday season and joy of reading and community unity. For more information, contact Sandy Simon at 847.607.007.

**Riverside Foundation Auxillary** will hold its Annual Holiday House Walk on Wednesday, December 8th between 6:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m. The tour showcases four unique area homes, each decked out in their holiday best. Tickets are \$40.00 per person. Advance reservations are required and tickets can be picked up at the Lutheran Church of the Holy Spirit. the evening of the event. To make reservations, please send your check, Payable to Riverside Foundation Auxiliary, to Peggy Gaier, 304 Whitmore Lane, Lake Forest, IL 60045. For more information call Peg at 847-295-0221 or email her at peggy.gaier@sbcglobal.net

**P.A.D.S. Volunteers Welcome** - Volunteers are needed to help staff shelters and provide meals as part of the Lake County Action to Deliver Shelter Program. On the second Saturday of each month from October through April, the Lutheran Church provides volunteers through the night to care for the homeless. Teenagers under 16 are welcome accompanied by an adult. For more information about how you can help care for your neighbors, call the church at 847.945-1550.

## Help Brighten Up a Family in Need's Holiday and We'll Help Brighten Up Yours

The Lincolnshire Community Association is restocking the Vernon Township Food Pantry and collecting used cell phones for A Safe Place. Bring non-perishable food items or your old cell phones to our truck in the Lincolnshire Swim Club's parking lot (2 Yorkshire Drive) on Saturday, December 18th from 9am-Noon.

For each donation you will receive a set of twenty-five luminaria bags and twenty-five tea-lights to brighten up the front of house during the holiday season.

Join your neighbors and the LCA in two great Lincolnshire traditions: thinking of others and celebrating the season of lights.

Any questions? Contact Kelly Dupont (847-374-9937) or Mara Grujanac (847-948-5398).



## Important Information

- **Waste Management North is the single waste hauler for most residents in Lincolnshire.** If you have questions or problems, the waste hauler can be reached at 800.796.9696 or 630.724.8400. it will also take However, if you are a member of a Homeowners' Association, your home is not necessarily covered by Waste Management North. Check with your Homeowners' Association for more information.
- **Problems with Comcast Broadband Cable?** Call its Customer Service Department at 866.594.1234. **Comcast Internet** - call 888.262.6300, and **Comcast Telephone** - call 800.266.2278. **Unburied cable?** If you don't get satisfaction, contact Carol Marshall at the Village of Lincolnshire - 847.913.2334.
- **North Park Hot Line** - On days with questionable weather, call the North Park Hot Line for field conditions at 847.913.2375.
- **Drop Mail Box at the Village Hall** - If you need to mail something to the Village, it might be easier (and less expensive) to drop it off at the Village Hall. There is a "Drop Box" in the circle at the front of the Village Hall, One Olde Half Day Road. Staff checks it daily.
- **Flood Insurance Rate Maps** - The FEMA Flood Insurance Rate Maps are available at the Village Hall for public review. Call Rob Horne, Engineering Supervisor, at 847.913.2366.
- **Flood Information Available** - Technical advice on how to protect your home from flooding is available at the Village Hall. Come in to view available resources, or call Rob Horne, Engineering Supervisor, at 847.913.2366.
- **Benchmarks Available** - The Village of Lincolnshire has obtained elevation reference marks (benchmarks) for several locations throughout the Village. If you plan to have survey work done, or are interested in knowing the elevation of the marker closest to your property, please call Rob Horne, Engineering Supervisor, at 847.913.2366.

## Household Chemical Waste Satellite Collection Program, Lincolnshire -Riverwoods Fire Protection District, 115 Schelter Road, Lincolnshire

Please contact the Fire District to find out dates for upcoming collections and to schedule your appointment at 847.634.2512.

Go to [www.swalco.com](http://www.swalco.com) for a list of accepted items.

# Village Information

## electricity-outage @Village.lincolnshire.il.us

The Village has received numerous complaints regarding lights flickering, power outages and surges. These outages may be the result of weather conditions, accidents, or equipment failure. The Village is in contact with ComEd officials and is working with them to identify the source of the service interruptions. The Village has set up a special email site to gather information on service interruptions. If your lights flicker or you have an outage, please contact Com Ed first at 1-800-EDISON1. Then send an email to [electricityoutage@village.lincolnshire.il.us](mailto:electricityoutage@village.lincolnshire.il.us). You should include the following information in your email: Name, Address, Type of Incident: Outage, Surge or Flickering; Date of Incident, Duration of Incident; Contact information (email or phone number) where we may reach you if we have questions about the incident. We will use the information gathered to identify problem areas and will work with ComEd to improve service.

Tell your neighbors!



**The Mayor and Board of Trustees:**  
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**Trustees Karen Feldman, Elizabeth Brandt, Dan Servi and David Saltiel.**  
**Front row:**  
**Trustee Tom McDonough, Mayor Brett Blomberg and Trustee Harry Walder, Jr.**



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## Village Meetings Calendar

### December, 2010

**December 2, Thursday**  
First Day of Hanukkah  
**December 13, Monday**  
Regular Village Board Mtg. - 7:00 p.m.  
Committee of the Whole Mtg. after VB Mtg.  
**December 14, Tuesday**  
Zoning Board Mtg. - 7:00 p.m.  
**December 20, Monday**  
Park Board Mtg. - 7:30 p.m.  
**December 21, Tuesday**  
Architectural Review Bd. Mtg. - 7:00 p.m.  
**December 25, Saturday**  
Christmas Day

### January, 2011

**January 1, Saturday**  
New Years Day  
**January 10, Monday**  
Regular Village Board Mtg. - 7:00 p.m.  
Committee of the Whole Mtg. - follows VB Mtg.  
**January 11, Tuesday**  
Zoning Board Mtg. - 7:00 p.m.  
**January 17, Monday**  
Park Board Mtg. - 7:30 p.m.  
**January 18, Tuesday**  
Architectural Review Board Mtg. - 7:00 p.m.  
**January 19, Wednesday**  
Lincolnshire Council of Presidents - 7:30 p.m.  
**January 24, Monday**  
Regular Village Board Mtg. - 7:00 p.m.  
Committee of the Whole Mtg. - follows VB Mtg.

### February, 2011

**February 8, Tuesday**  
Zoning Board Mtg. - 7:00 p.m.  
**February 14, Monday**  
Regular Village Board Mtg. - 7:00 p.m.  
Committee of the Whole Mtg. - follows VB Mtg..  
**February 15, Tuesday**  
Architectural Review Bd. Mtg. - 7:00 p.m.  
**February 21, Monday**  
Park Board Mtg. - 7:30 p.m.  
**February 28, Monday**  
Regular Village Board Mtg. - 7:00 p.m.  
Committee of the Whole Mtg. - after VB Mtg.

## Meeting Rebroadcasts

All Regular Village Board Meetings, Committee of the Whole Meetings, Architectural Review Board Meetings, Park Board Meetings and Zoning Board Meetings are broadcast live on the Village's government access cable channel #10 on the date and time shown on the Village Meetings Calendar. All Regular Village Board Meetings, Committee of the Whole Meetings, and Park Board Meetings are rebroadcast the Thursday following the meeting at 9:00 a.m. All Architectural Review Board and Zoning Board Meetings will be rebroadcast on the Friday following the meeting at 9:00 a.m. If any "special" meetings are broadcast, we will let you know when the meeting will be rebroadcast.

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Emergency 911  
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Police Adm. Offices 847-883-9900

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