



Lincolnshire NEWSLETTER

SUMMER 2013

Lincolnshire's First Grocery Store Opens June 2013

The impending opening of the 24,000-square foot "The Fresh Market" grocery store represents, by far, one of the most significant and widely anticipated public-private partnership projects in the Village's history. Approved by the Village Board in July of 2012, construction of the store began in August of 2012 on approximately 4 acres of the Village-owned 12-acre site in the heart of Lincolnshire, at the northeast corner of Half Day Road and Milwaukee Avenue.

The Village of Lincolnshire has contributed considerable Tax Increment Financing (TIF) resources to attract this specialty grocer, based in North Carolina, in order to fulfill the need for a high-quality grocery store in our community. Site improvements constructed by the Village include installation of stormwater detention, parking lots, sidewalks, pedestrian bridges, and landscaping. In addition, the Village has led efforts to design and build a small pocket park at the foot of a pedestrian bridge over Indian Creek, northeast of the grocery store, as another amenity in the downtown area.

The Fresh Market will not only anchor the site but will also serve as the catalyst for future commercial development of the remaining Village-owned site (consisting of two outlots), in response to a request for proposals issued by the Village earlier this Spring.

Community Service Projects

Are you a Scout who is looking for ideas for an Eagle Scout Project? A student needing to obtain community service hours? A resident wishing to make a positive contribution to our community? The Village has compiled a list of potential projects which may help you in completing your service project. Please contact Brad Woodbury, Assistant to the Director of Public Works at 847.913.2361 or bwoodb@village.lincolnshire.il.us for more information.

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WE WANT YOU! VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Village of Lincolnshire is seeking residents interested in serving on the Park Board, Zoning Board, and Architecture Review Board. Applications are available at www.village.lincolnshire.il.us/applications-permits-and-policies under Executive Services.

Village Adopts Economic Development Plan

On Monday, June 10, 2013, the Village Board approved Lincolnshire's new Economic Development Strategic Plan - "Building Economic Success." The Village began updating the existing Economic Development Strategic Plan (2006-2011) last fall. The updated plan will guide Lincolnshire's economic development and business growth initiatives for the next five years. The Village hosted focus group meetings last fall to gather feedback on Lincolnshire's strengths, weaknesses, opportunities and threats. The input received during these meetings helped develop the economic development vision, goals and specific action steps for the next five years.

Lincolnshire's economic development vision for "Building Economic Success" is a "community that supports its existing business community and is committed to diversifying and expanding the Village's economic base." The following goals for economic development tie directly back to this vision for the Village of Lincolnshire:

- Strengthen and Maintain Relationships with Business Community
- Implement Improved Communication with Local Business Community
- Promote Local Businesses
- Identify and Attract New Businesses
- Update Village Codes and Policies to Meet the Needs of Businesses
- Increase Village Support of Special Events
- Strengthen Chamber Partnership
- Encourage and Facilitate Development & Redevelopment of Vacant & Underutilized Properties
- Enhance Access to and Connectivity to Commercial Areas
- Foster Entrepreneurial Development in the Village
- Implement Economic Development Reporting

The Economic Development Strategic plan lists specific actions or activities the Village plans to take to achieve the specific goals. This plan will be reviewed and updated annually by the Village Board to ensure progress is being made to support Lincolnshire's existing businesses and attract new. To see a complete copy of the Village's Economic Development Strategic Plan, visit the Village's website at www.village.lincolnshire.il.us.



Help Lincolnshire Develop Flood Hazard Mitigation Plan Volunteers Needed

The Village seeks volunteers to assist in developing a plan to prepare for and respond to future floods. If you have experienced a flood, whether related to the Des Plaines River, Indian Creek, Lincolnshire Creek, Chicago River, or just backyard flooding, this is your chance to shape the way the Village addresses flood related issues in the future.

The kickoff meeting for the flood mitigation and planning effort will be held on June 20, 2013 at 7:00 p.m. in the Village Hall Board Room, One Olde Half Day Road, Lincolnshire. This public meeting is open to all Lincolnshire residents and business owners. Following this kickoff meeting, a formal planning committee will be formed and future meetings will be planned. All meetings will be open to the public. For more information, visit www.village.lincolnshire.il.us/news-home.

REACH THE BEACH

Spring Lake Beach is a great place to cool off on a hot summer day. It is located at 49 Oxford Drive. Lifeguards are on duty from 10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. weather permitting.



Regular Season: June 10, 2013 – August 16, 2013

Post Season: (Weekends Only) August 17, 2013 – September 2, 2013

BEACH FEES

Season Pass Fees

Resident, Individual: \$20
Resident, Family (Max 5): \$50
Add. Passes - Resident, Family: \$10 each
Non-Resident, Individual: \$40
Non-Resident, Family (Max 5): \$100
Add. Passes - Non-Resident Family: \$20 each

Daily Pass Fees

Resident: \$3/person
Non-Resident: \$6 /person
Non-Resident: \$3/person *(If guest of Season Pass holder)*

For more information and Beach Rules, please visit the Village's website at www.village.lincolnshire.il.us

Lincolnshire Welcomes New Businesses

Forever Yogurt (www.foreveryogurt.com) – Coming soon to 900 Milwaukee Avenue at the Lincolnshire Commons Retail Center. The store will feature a wide selection of yogurt flavors.

NantPharma (www.nantpharma.com) - A company specializing in the development and manufacturing of pharmaceutical products, has moved to the office building at 250 Parkway Drive, in the CityPark Retail Center.

The Fresh Market (www.thefreshmarket.com) - A gourmet grocery store chain, is scheduled to open for business in Lincolnshire on June 19, 2013. The store is located at 475 Milwaukee Avenue, at the northeast corner of Milwaukee Avenue and Half Day Road. Please check the Fresh Market website for store hours and other information.

Join the Lincolnshire Community Association

Bringing Our Community Together



You are invited to be a part of the Lincolnshire Community Association (LCA). The LCA is a volunteer organization responsible for planning, coordinating and hosting community events like the Village's annual Fourth of July Celebration, Boo Bash, and Holiday Tree Lighting.

Consider being a part of the club and joining the Lincolnshire Community Association (LCA). The LCA is going digital. Join us and keep up to date at www.lincolnshirecommunity.org. Contact Stephanie Hooper, Communications Director, stephaniethooper@gmail.com.



Emerald Ash Borer Update

Emerald Ash Borer is still present in the Village. If left untreated, these pests will kill all ash trees within the next five to ten years. The EAB is an exotic beetle whose larvae eat the inside of the tree and destroy the systems transporting water and nutrients in the tree. The Village has a prioritization plan which calls for the treatment of high value trees. In most other areas, the Village plans to pro-actively plant trees while acknowledging infected trees will eventually need to be removed. The Village's EAB plan calls for the treatment or removal and replacement to occur over the next five years. Residents will be notified by mail of any trees located in the parkway designated for removal. Additionally, if you wish to get information on EAB treatment costs at reduced Village rates, please contact Brad Woodbury, Assistant to the Director of Public Works at 847.913.2361 or bwoodb@village.lincolnshire.il.us.

Help Plan Balzer Park Improvements

As part of its regular Park Rehabilitation and Improvement Program, the Village is scheduled to replace the playground equipment at Balzer Park. Residents are invited to provide input on possible improvements to Balzer Park. On Monday, June 17, 2013 at 6:00 p.m. the Lincolnshire Park Board is scheduled to meet at Balzer Park to discuss possible improvements and receive resident input. Balzer Park is located at 30 Windsor Drive. For more information on the Balzer Park Improvement Project, contact Brad Woodbury, Assistant to the Director of Public Works at 847.913.2361 or bwoodb@village.lincolnshire.il.us.

It's Tick Season!

The summer weather brings ticks out. Be on the watch for these little bugs. There are two types of ticks in our area, the American dog tick (wood tick) and the deer tick (black-legged tick).

To avoid ticks:

- Keep grass near playground equipment short.
- Minimize wood piles in your yard.
- Avoid tick habitat by staying on trails when in forest preserves and parks.
- Wear light colored, protective clothing.
- Apply insect repellent containing DEET primarily to clothes.
- Walk in the center of trails so plants do not brush against you.
- Inspect yourself, children and other family members every 2-3 hours for ticks.
- If your pets spend time outdoors, regularly check them for ticks too.

For more information about ticks go to the Lake County Health Department's Web site at: www.lakecountyl.gov/health.



Lincolnshire Community Nursery School Celebrates 40 Year Anniversary

Lincolnshire Community Nursery School (LCNS) is celebrating its 40th year anniversary this year. Save the date of Sunday, September 22, 2013 to reminisce with current and former teachers and classmates. Contact Amy Morrissey with pictures and stories of your favorite memories of LCNS. 847.945.1450 or director@lcns.org.



Removing a Tree

Remember to call for a Permit

Village Code requires a tree removal permit or written Village authorization prior to the removal of any tree located within Village limits, regardless of the tree's condition.

The Process for obtaining a removal permit or authorization is as follows:

1. Contact Brad Woodbury, Assistant to the Director of Public Works at 847.913.2361 or bwoodb@village.lincolshire.il.us to provide him with your name, address, and phone number, as well as the general location of the tree and why you want to remove it.

2. Allow three working days for the Village to inspect the tree.

3. If the subject tree is found to be dead, irreversibly declining, hazardous, or detracting from the health of other more valuable trees, the Village will grant written authorization for tree removal and waive the permit fee.

4. If the subject tree is healthy, and needs to be removed to accommodate an addition to an existing house, the construction of a new house, or to create a rear yard lawn area, a tree removal permit fee is required. A permit fee of \$50.00 must be paid to the Village prior to issuance of the removal permit. The Village requires replacement of any healthy trees removed. In addition to the permit fee, the Village also requires a cash bond, to insure the tree replacements are made. Once the permit fee and cash bond are paid, a removal permit will be issued. The permit holder then has the option of planting the required replacement trees and being refunded the cash bond, or allowing the cash bond to be placed in the Village's tree bank, where it will be used to plant trees on public property throughout the Village.

5. Tree removal permits and authorizations expire and become null and void if the removal is not completed within one year from the date of permit issuance. If the permit expires, a new permit will be required prior to any tree removal taking place.



Village Tree Inventory Completed

The Davey Resource Group of Kent, Ohio completed a GIS based public tree inventory earlier this spring. The crews recorded data using both (GIS) and (GPS) technology, which provides valuable information such as species, size, condition and recommended maintenance. The inventory compiled data on a total of 5,016 sites. Davey crews worked 10 hour days, 6 days a week and completed the work in just four weeks. Currently, Davey is in the process of finalizing all of the data to be delivered to the Village within the next month. This information will be critical in helping the Village to determine if changes need to be made to the current tree maintenance plan and give the Village a clear direction moving forward. Please contact Chris Fisher, Village Arborist at 847.913.2365 or cfishe@village.lincolshire.il.us with any questions about the inventory.

MapOffice™: An Interactive Portal for Exploring Your Property and Community

Have you been to the Village Maps section of the website? There are many new features providing ways for residents to learn more about our community. Many of our enhancements use MapOffice™, an easy-to-use interactive online map, which provides much greater detail about Lincolnshire than sites such as Google™ or Bing™ Maps. We invite you to explore:

- My Lincolnshire Property Search: Enter your address and click Find to open an interactive map of your property with details such as your refuse and recycling pickup days, school districts, zoning, and more.
- Interactive Bicycling and Hiking Map: Looking for a fun way to explore our community? Check out the hiking and biking trails throughout the Village. Zoom in to find free parking as well as how to use the trails to get to local amenities without driving.
- MapOffice™ also offers a number of tools for your use, including the ability to measure distances and areas, create your own maps with the Markup tool, and simultaneously view the map along with Google™ Street View and Bing™ Maps Bird's eye view.

We invite you to explore all that this online resource has to offer. For questions, contact the Village's GIS specialist, Amy Roust, at aroust@mgpinc.com.



BMW Golf Championship Tournament Planned for Conway Farms - September 9 - 15, 2013 Riverwoods Road & Everett Road Impacted

The BMW Golf Championship, scheduled for September 9 - 15, 2013, will be held at the Conway Farms Golf Club in Lake Forest. Golfers, golf fans, and media are expected to descend on Conway Farms during this major tournament event. To accommodate tournament traffic, tournament organizers plan to close Riverwoods Road at Everett Road during the event. This road closure will affect local traffic in Lincolnshire. Local access to North Park will be only from the south. As the tournament date nears and exact details regarding road closures is known, the Village will post updated information on its website and send out information via its electronic newsletter. Check for details or to subscribe to the Village's e-newsletter visit www.village.lincolnshire.il.us.

**See insert for more information
on great summer events!**

JUNE

June 20

•Scams, Fraud and Identity Theft Seminar 11:30 a.m. at Eddie Merlot's Restaurant

June 20

•Flood Hazard Mitigation Plan Meeting 7:00 p.m. at Village Hall Board Room

JULY

July 3 & 4

•Red, White & Boom at Spring Lake Park (see flyer insert for details)



July 26 - 28

•Taste of Lincolnshire on the Village Green (see flyer insert for details)

AUGUST

August 6

•National Night Out 5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. at North Park



August 17 & 18

•Lincolnshire Art Festival on the Village Green (see flyer insert for details)

August 17

•Rivershire Park Work Day 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

August 19

•Greater Lincolnshire Chamber of Commerce 2013 Golf Outing at the Arboretum Club in Buffalo Grove visit www.lincolnshirechamber.org for details.

August 25

•10th Anniversary Celebration of North Park (see flyer insert for details).

NATIONAL NIGHT OUT 2013

The Lincolnshire Police Department invites the community to join us for our 2nd annual "National Night Out" on Tuesday, August 6, 2013 from 5:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at North Park. National Night Out, 'America's Night Out Against Crime,' was introduced by the National Association of Town Watch, a nonprofit, crime prevention organization and is held on the first Tuesday in August each year. National Night Out is designed to:

- Heighten crime and drug prevention awareness;
- Generate support for, and participation in, local anticrime programs;
- Strengthen neighborhood spirit and police-community partnerships; and
- Send a message to criminals letting them know that neighborhoods are organized and fighting back.

The Police Department is planning another "festival-like" atmosphere this year and has invited many public safety partners to join us.

- The Lincolnshire-Riverwoods Fire Protection District will have fire trucks and equipment on display.
- The Lake County Sheriff's Police will provide K-9 demonstrations
- The Flight for Life helicopter, will make an early appearance again this year.
- The Police Department will have squad cars on display for children to climb in and out of, and see the equipment used by Police Officers everyday.
- A "CSI" display will be set up where children will be taught how to dust for fingerprints and "lift" them for preservation as "evidence."
- Footprint casting demonstrations will also be performed.



- A crime prevention booth will be available with lots of information on how to protect your families against crime.
- Child "DNA kits" for dissemination to interested parents.

Come and join your public safety friends for a fun-filled night out!

Rivershire Park Volunteer Work Day

The Village seeks volunteers to participate in a work day at Rivershire Park on Saturday, August 17, 2013 from 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Work includes removal of invasive plant species such as buckthorn from an area surrounding the future parking lot and trail access point for the site. Volunteers are to meet at 9:00 a.m. at the Rivershire Building located at 45 Londonderry Lane.

If you would like to participate in this work day please contact Brad Woodbury, Assistant to the Director of Public Works at 847.913.2361



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