

VILLAGE OF FOREST VIEW

NEWSLETTER



2020



VIEW POINTS

FROM THE DESK OF THE PRESIDENT

In these trying times, I pray that all residents and businesses in Forest View are safe and remain healthy. No one could have ever imagined that 2020 would have been this bad. Be assured that the Village Staff and myself are working very hard to keep all residents informed and most importantly, safe. We will get through this together and be stronger for it. If at all possible in the summer of 2021, we will gather at a Town Picnic and celebrate.

Thank you,

Lawrence Powell



FROM THE VILLAGE OFFICE...

SALUTE TO OUR HEROES



Not only on Veteran's Day in November, but each and every day, we would like to salute all our active, inactive, and retired military residents who have so bravely served our nation!



FLU VACCINES

The Stickney Public Health District offers influenza vaccinations during business hours to all residents (the Village of Forest View is part of Stickney Township so residents are eligible for all Stickney Township services and programs). Vaccinations are available for \$20.00; senior citizens, they will work with your Medicare plan. The nearest clinic is at 6721 W. 40th Street, Stickney. Please call for additional information, the telephone number for that location is 708-788-9100.

Vaccinations are available while supplies last.

Stickney Township Websites:

www.townshipofstickney.org

www.stickneypublichealthdistrict.org

PLEASE NOTE: The Village Office will be closed on Thursday, November 26th and Friday, November 27th for the Thanksgiving holiday.

U.S. Census Bureau Undertaking Field Operations to Finish Count

On August 11, the U.S. Census Bureau began a widespread effort to contact residents who have yet to respond to the Census. While this effort is underway, households can still fill out the 2020 Census independent of the Census Bureau's follow-up. Households can respond to the Census by phone or online.

English: 844-330-2020 Spanish: 844-468-2020

Online: my2020census.gov

Field data collection and self-response opportunities will end on September 30, 2020.

Stickney Township Office on Aging

Stickney Township Office on Aging serves as the designated Aging and Disability Resource Center for those living within Stickney Township. Help is available to those wanting assistance with benefit eligibility and application assistance for various benefit programs. Stickney Township Office on Aging staff have the resources to assist and connect you to all of the services you may need to address your financial and emotional well-being. For assistance or further information please contact Stickney Township at 708-636-8850.





TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2020

Election Day Voting – A registered voter of Forest View may vote on **Tuesday, November 3rd** at the VILLAGE HALL in the Art Treckler Room located on the second floor. Hours are 6:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Early Voting – For your convenience, any registered voter may cast a ballot at any one of the Cook County Clerk's early voting sites from **Monday, October 19th through Monday, November 2nd**. The Lyons Village Hall (708-442-4500) and the Brookfield Village Hall (708-485-7344) will both be open for Early Voting.

Register to Vote – You can register to vote at All Early Voting Sites. You can also register to vote online at the Clerk's website or download registration forms from the Clerk's website and register through the mail. Note: Any voter who needs to register for the first time or file an address change must present two (2) forms of ID, one of which shows the voter's current address.

Vote by Mail – Any registered suburban Cook County voter with a driver's license, state ID or social security number on file may request a mail ballot using an online application on the Clerk's website. The Clerk's Office will send a paper ballot to the mailing address you designate in your application. A mail ballot application can also be downloaded on the Clerk's website or can be picked-up at the Village Office, completed, and sent to the Clerk's Office. Apply as early as possible to make sure you receive your ballot in the mail in time to vote.

For additional voting information, go to the Clerk's website at www.cookcountyclerk.com or call the Clerk's Office at 312-603-0906

BUILDING PERMITS

You will be fined \$100.00 plus double the cost of the Building Permit if you start work without obtaining a Building Permit. NO EXCEPTIONS.



A building permit must be obtained prior to the construction, alteration/remodel or repair of any house/property whether doing the work yourself or by a contractor. Permits are needed for, but not limited to, the following: alterations involving moving or adding walls, basement finish-out, electrical and plumbing work, HVAC work, shed, fence, deck, patio, roof, driveway, window replacement, siding, solar panels, swimming pool. **If you're not sure if a permit is required, please call the Village Office at 708-788-3429.** Some building permits require a fee, however for many projects, there is no fee at all for the permit.

Permits are required to ensure that the work adheres to Forest View Building Codes. Also permits can guarantee that a contractor is insured and bonded and the homeowner is protected from fraud.

PLEASE NOTE: The issuance of the Building Permit may take up to ten business days depending on the size and scope of the project, and after your contractor's insurance company provides the necessary documents, that includes the Certificate of Insurance, Endorsement and Surety Bond.



SMP Consumer Fraud Alert: COVID-19

As the number of people and communities affected by the COVID-19 pandemic grows, so do the scams associated with it. Scammers use public health emergencies as opportunities for new fraud schemes, and because older adults are at greater risk for serious illness from COVID-19, they may target older populations.

There is currently no FDA-approved vaccine for COVID-19 and although there may be treatments for symptoms, there is no “cure.” However, scammers often use fear-based tactics to convince people that a vaccine or cure is now being offered.

It’s also important to remember that although the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and other public health officials may contact you if they believe you may have been exposed to the virus, they will not need to ask you for insurance or financial information.

The Senior Medicare Patrol (SMP) recommends that Medicare beneficiaries:

- Contact your own doctor if you are experiencing potential symptoms of COVID-19.
- Do not give out your Medicare number, Social Security number, or personal information in response to unsolicited calls, texts, emails, home visits, or booths at health fairs and other public venues. If your personal information is compromised, it may be used in other fraud schemes as well.
- Be suspicious of anyone going door-to-door to offer free coronavirus or COVID-19 testing, supplies, or treatments.
- Carefully review your Medicare Summary Notice (MSN) or Explanation of Benefits (EOB), looking for errors or claims for products or services that weren’t received.
- Follow the instructions of your state or local government for other actions you should be taking in response to COVID-19.
- Contact your local SMP for help. SMPs empower and assist Medicare beneficiaries, their families, and caregivers to prevent, detect, and report health care fraud, errors, and abuse.

The Senior Medicare Patrol (SMP) is ready to provide you with the information you need to PROTECT yourself from Medicare fraud, errors, and abuse; DETECT potential fraud, errors, and abuse; and REPORT your concerns. SMPs help educate and empower Medicare beneficiaries in the fight against health care fraud. Your SMP can help you with your questions, concerns, or complaints about potential fraud and abuse issues. It also provides information and educational presentations. To locate your local Senior Medicare Patrol, call 1-877-808-2468 or visit www.smpresource.org.



Now Available in Burbank: COVID-19 Drive-Up Testing and Services

As of Monday, May 4, 2020, Pillars Community Health and Stickney Public Health District are offering drive-up testing for coronavirus (COVID-19) in Burbank. Limited tests available; **appointment required**; please call 708-PILLARS (708-745-5277) and follow the prompts.

Who is eligible? Testing is available on a first-come, first served basis to anyone with symptoms of COVID-19; anyone with a known exposure to COVID-19 (have been in contact with someone who tested positive for COVID-19); or asymptomatic, high-risk patients, first responders, health care workers, or essential workers who wish to be tested. **You do NOT have to be an existing Pillars Community Health patient or a Stickney Township resident.** Insurance will be billed; if you do not have insurance, please call us to discuss options.

Appointment time slots:

- Mondays, 9 am-12:30 pm
- Wednesdays, 1 pm-4 pm
- Fridays, 9 am-12:30 pm

Pillars Community Health provides health, social and educational services including Medical, Dental, Mental Health and Addictions, Domestic and Sexual Violence, and more. We envision communities where all people have equal access to the care they need, when they need it. Learn more at www.PillarsCommunityHealth.org, or call 708-745-5277.

Stickney Public Health District has been providing public health and health care to the residents of Stickney Township since 1946. The Health District is committed to the health of all residents of Stickney Township, so that all community members have the opportunity to thrive. See www.StickneyPublicHealthDistrict.org.

ComEd financial assistance

August 4, 2020

STAYING SAFE & KEEPING THE LIGHTS ON

As the economy reopens, ComEd understands some of you may continue to experience financial hardship. We can help find a financial assistance solution that's right for you.

- **ComEd CARE Customer Hardship Grants.** Residential customers facing financial hardship may be eligible to receive one-time CARE grants from ComEd to help them get back on their feet.
- **ComEd Bill Payment Assistance Program.** A one-time bill assistance credit of up to \$500 is available this year for income eligible households with a past-due balance. Learn more about eligibility requirements and how to apply at ComEd.com/BillAssistance.
- **Flexible, Extended Payment Arrangements.** For a limited time, residential customers may be eligible for a flexible payment arrangement with a down payment on the past-due amount and the accumulated balance spread over up to 18 months. Those facing financial hardship and income eligible households may be eligible for a flexible payment arrangement that spreads past-due balances over a period of up to 24 months with no down payment.

Get complete details now!

ComEd.com/Support

1-800-EDISON 1 (1-800-334-7661)

- **State and Federal Financial Energy Assistance.** Qualifying income eligible households may also benefit from Illinois' Percentage of Income Payment Plan (PIPP) and the federal Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP), both of which provide valuable financial assistance to help pay energy bills.

Contact your local action agency today!

HelpIllinoisFamilies.com

877-411-WARM

Text Telephone (TTY) is available at 800-785-6055

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Jesse White Announces Expired Driver's Licenses and ID Cards Extended Until Feb. 1, 2021

White continues to encourage online services

Illinois Secretary of State Jesse White announced that expiration dates for driver's licenses and ID cards have been extended an additional three months – from Nov. 1, 2020, until Feb. 1, 2021. This new Feb. 1 extension also includes those who have October, November, December and January expiration dates. As a result, expired driver's licenses and ID cards will remain valid until Feb. 1, 2021, so customers do not need to rush into Driver Services facilities during the pandemic.

“Extending expiration dates until February 1 means people with an expired driver's license and ID card do not need to visit a Driver Services facility immediately,” said White. “During this pandemic, we continue to think creatively to serve the public as efficiently as possible, while making public health and safety our top priority.”

License plates stickers remain extended until Nov. 1, 2020, as they can easily be renewed online.

White continues to urge the public to consider using online services when possible instead of visiting a facility due to heavy customer volume. Customers who can conduct business online may go to www.cyberdriveillinois.com to take advantage of online services – such as renewing license plate stickers, obtaining a duplicate driver's license or ID card, obtaining a driving record abstract or renewing a standard driver's license through the Safe Driver renewal program – from the comfort of their own home. People who conduct online transactions will avoid waiting in line at a facility.

White noted that online transactions continue to rise, with an increase of 84 percent in online license plate sticker renewals when compared to the same period in 2019.

Month/Year	Online License Plate Sticker Renewals
June 1 – Sept. 20, 2020	1,201,659 (84 percent increase)
June 1 – Sept. 20, 2019	654,596

White recently extended the driver's license expiration date by one year for qualified drivers age 75 and older. The new expiration date is their birthday in 2021.

For those customers who must visit a facility, face masks are required. In addition, customers are asked to be patient due to heavy volume and to be prepared to wait outside in various types of weather. This is due to social distancing, which limits the number of people inside a facility at one time.

For more information, visit www.cyberdriveillinois.com.

PUBLIC WORKS

FALLING LEAVES

When you start raking those colorful leaves, please refrain from raking them into the street. Public Works already has a difficult time keeping the leaves that naturally fall into the street from entering sewer intake basins. As you may have noticed, when intake grates and basins become clogged, localized street flooding occurs.



For new residents, leaves are to be placed in paper yard waste bags or garbage cans with a “Compost Only” sticker affixed to it. “Compost Only” stickers are available at the Village Office at no charge. Place full bags or garbage cans at the curb for Wednesday morning pickup.

We ask for your support by not raking the leaves into the street, and when possible, to rake the leaves out of the gutters as you're cleaning your yard.

RESIDENTS WITH LAWN SERVICE:

Please make sure your landscaping company does NOT blow the leaves into the street.

Please advise your landscaper to place leaves in a garbage can with a Compost Sticker (available at the Village Office free of charge) affixed to the can or to bag the leaves in paper yard waste bags.

Friendly Reminder

If Groot forgets to stop by your home on pick up day, please call them at
888-485-0900

You will be added to the schedule.

Compost

11-25-20 Last Day For Pick-Up

POLICE DEPARTMENT

DOG OWNERSHIP



We would like to take this opportunity to remind all residents that per Village Code all dogs must be

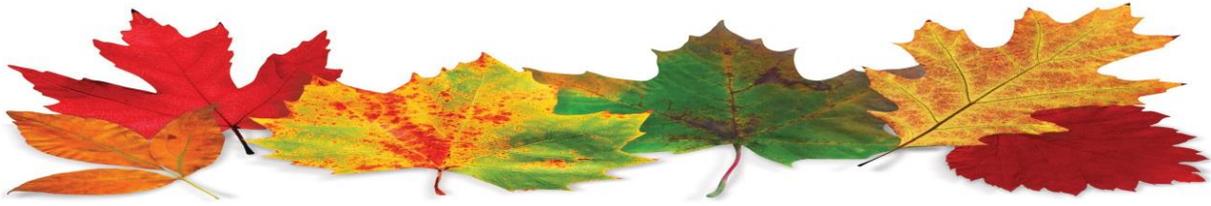
licensed ANNUALLY (in the month of June each year) with the Village Office and wear an up-to-date dog identification tag. To obtain a license, owners must show proof of a current rabies vaccination. Please remember that no more than three (3) dogs are allowed per residence. If a dog in in your future plans, registration must occur within 30 days after acquiring, maintaining or harboring new dog. Failure to abide by Village Code will result in penalty for being in violation.



SNOW REMOVAL PARKING BAN

And looking a little further down the road.....Please remember that the snow removal parking ban and towing ordinance is in effect when a snow fall of 2 inches or more occurs. Cars in violation of this ban will be ticketed and towed. NO EXCEPTIONS!! Any questions contact Police Department at non-emergency number 708-788-0318.

*Happy
Thanksgiving*



Fall Greetings from the Desk of Fire Chief Tom Heller

Happy Fall everyone, it's that time of year again. This fall is different than in the past, with many changes due to COVID-19. I hope everyone is staying safe and following CDC guidelines.

The National Fire Protection Association announced "[Serve Up Fire Safety in the Kitchen](#)" as the theme for Fire Prevention Week, October 4-10, 2020. While cooking, there are some things we should do to make the kitchen a safer place. I would like to share some of the tips that the NFPA has recommended.

Cooking Safety

Cooking brings family and friends together, provides an outlet for creativity and can be relaxing. But did you know that cooking fires are the number one cause of home fires and home injuries? By following a few safety tips, you can prevent these fires.

Cooking with Caution

- Be on alert! If you are sleepy or have consumed alcohol don't use the stove or stovetop.
- Stay in the kitchen while you are frying, boiling, grilling, or broiling food. If you leave the kitchen for even a short period of time, turn off the stove.
- If you are simmering, baking, or roasting food, check it regularly, remain in the home while food is cooking, and use a timer to remind you that you are cooking.
- Keep anything that can catch fire - oven mitts, wooden utensils, food packaging, towels or curtains - away from your stovetop.

Small (grease) Cooking Fire

- On the stovetop, smother the flames by sliding a lid over the pan and turning off the burner. Leave the pan covered until it is completely cooled.
- For an oven fire, turn off the heat and keep the door closed.

If you have any doubt about fighting a small fire ...

- Just get out! When you leave, close the door behind you to help contain the fire.
- Call 9-1-1 from outside of the home.

Cooking and Kids

- Have a "kid - free zone" of at least 3 feet around the stove and areas where hot food or drinks are prepared or carried.

Facts:

- The leading cause of fires in the kitchen is unattended cooking.
- Most cooking fires in the home involve the kitchen stove.

If you have any questions or concerns feel free to contact the station, we are here to help you.

Happy Halloween everyone.



Once again, the Forest View Fire Department wants to make sure you have a working smoke detector AND carbon monoxide detector.

Smoke detectors and carbon monoxide detectors are required by law. At a minimum, we recommend detectors that have 10-year lithium batteries. Hardwired, interconnected devices are the best solution. Every house is different, but you should have both detectors on every floor of your home.

A home without working detectors could cost you your life. Why not make sure your home is safe and get some today!



Just a reminder that Daylight Savings Time ends at 2:00 A.M. on Sunday, November 1st. Please remember to turn your clocks back one hour. Change your clocks...Change your smoke detector & carbon monoxide batteries!



SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2020
Noon – 7:00 p.m.



Due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, Door to Door Trick-or-Treating **is not** recommended this year, but Trick or Treating will be allowed in the Village Limits.

However, if you choose to allow your children to Trick or Treat on Saturday October 31, 2020, the Trick or Treat hours are Noon until 7:00 p.m.

Some residents may have a sign on their front door that either welcomes Trick or Treaters or requests that you do not Trick or Treat at their home this year.

These signs are available at the Village Hall or Police Department for residents to pick up and use on Halloween.

HALLOWEEN SAFETY TIPS

- Always use common sense
- Young children should always Trick or Treat with an adult
- Never Trick or Treat alone
- Plan your entire route and make sure your family knows what it is
- Wear a flame-retardant costume
- Have your parents check your candy
- Be careful of strangers
- Accept treats only in the doorway, NEVER go inside the house
- Walk on sidewalks, Do not run
- Cross the street at the corner or crosswalk
- Look both ways before crossing the street
- Carry a flashlight

Do not hesitate to contact the Police Department at 708-788-0318, or if emergency dial 9-1-1, of any suspicious activity.

**TRICK
-OR-
TREATERS**

WELCOME!



**FACE COVERING
REQUIRED FOR CANDY!**



NO



**TRICK
-OR-
TREATERS**

please!

**HAVE A SAFE &
HAPPY HALLOWEEN!
SEE YOU NEXT YEAR**



BOARD BRIEFS



**** The Board meets in the Municipal Building on the second and fourth Tuesday of the month and the meetings begin at 7:00 P.M and are open to the public.****

June 23, 2020

Held Virtually on Zoom Due To COVID-19

There was a motion to authorize Police Chief Wiseman to purchase five (5) Dell OEM Latitude Rugged 5424 Backlit Laptop Keyboards from Current Technologies in an amount not to exceed \$800.00.

Police Chief Wiseman, informed the Village Board of the resignation of Part-Time Police Officer Brian D. Kuratko from the Forest View Police Department.

Village Administrator Masciola stated that the 45th Street Reconstruction Project is progressing. The final asphalt lift will be complete in the next two weeks. The parkway areas are being prepared for sod.

Fire Chief Heller provided an update on the new engine. The mechanic has completed most of the work with a few minor items left to complete. The stickers and labeling will be completed soon. Our firefighters have been driving the engine. The engine should be ready for the front line by the middle of July.

Home School PTA had dropped off snacks for the Police and Fire Departments as a thank you for their service. Chief Heller would like to say thank you to Home School and the PTA for their kindness.

July 14, 2020

Village Administrator Masciola spoke regarding implementing a preventative maintenance contract for the HVAC equipment that serves both the Municipal Building and Fire House. Village Administrator Masciola is recommending that we award the preventative maintenance contract for the HVAC Equipment to Air Comfort Corporation in an amount not to exceed \$6,560.00 for 2020, \$6,560.00 for 2021, and \$6,560.00 for 2022.

Superintendent of Public Works & Water O'Donohue spoke regarding the approval to hire Bluders Tree Service to remove eleven parkway trees and trim two parkway trees. We have received four quotes, Bluders offered the lowest quote of \$6,500.00. Public Works will plant trees this fall to replace the trees taken out.

Police Chief Wiseman spoke regarding the related equipment needed and the required fiber optic line for the Police and Fire Department's continued transition into the 9-1-1 Joint Dispatch with Justice Police Department. With the fiber optic line, the Justice P.D. dispatch will be able to contact our F.D. personnel when they are using their portable radios at a scene. Other uses include the Justice P.D. dispatch to remotely open P.D/F.D. doors, video monitoring, and activate the tornado siren.

Village President Powell requested a motion to appoint Daniel Mulica as a part-time police officer.

Regarding the 45th Street Reconstruction Project, the final lift of asphalt was completed on June 23, 2020. Pavement striping was completed on July 6, 2020. There will be some changes with the pavement striping. Sod will be placed once the weather has cooled down.

Selden Fox auditors started their field work on July 6, 2020.

Police Chief Wiseman stated there was a double shooting on July 13, 2020 involving two vehicles at 47th & Central. A 17-year-old juvenile was shot four times and transported to Loyola Hospital. MCAT is involved with this ongoing investigation.

Fire Chief Heller stated that on July 1, 2020 we had a house fire. The crew was able to extinguish the fire quickly. Assistance was provided from Riverside, McCook, Stickney and Summit Fire Departments.

Fire Chief Heller mentioned that Engine 812 should be in service next week as our front-line engine.

July 28, 2020

Village Administrator Masciola, requested the approval of Ordinance 20-06 to amend Section 9-3-2 Stop Streets to add stop signs at Wenonah and 46th Street, stopping traffic in both east and west directions.

Fire Chief Heller, requested the official appointment of Mike Schwerin and Jillian Halley as Part-Time Firefighter/Paramedics to the Forest View Fire Department.

Police Chief Wiseman informed the Village Board of the resignation of Full-Time Police Officer Ryan Wagner from the Forest View Police Department.

Village Administrator Masciola spoke with John Graham, the manager / owner of BP Amoco regarding the purchase of the property east of the gas station. There is a preliminary plan to install nine new pumps on that property and expand their store. This project is not expected to start until 2021.

Resurfacing of Central Avenue from 47th to 53rd streets has been completed. This was an IDOT project.

Village Administrator Masciola stated that we are close to issuing a Building Permit for the Old Dominion Dock Expansion Project which is valued at \$12.3 million. The permit fee will be approximately \$37,100. Since 2017, Old Dominion has made improvements totaling \$ 20.6 million on their property.

We have received preliminary plans from Best Food Services, Inc. for a solar panel project. This project will cost approximately \$ 346,000.00.

Superintendent Water & Public Works O'Donohue stated that Bluders Tree Service has completed cutting down eleven trees and sculpting thirteen trees. Public Works restored the parkways with dirt and grass seed. There will be a list of trees to vote on for future planting in the Village.

Fire Chief Heller stated Engine #812 is in service.

August 18, 2020

Village Administrator Masciola spoke regarding the proposed traffic signal at Central Avenue and 49th Street. He has been working with FedEx and IDOT regarding the proposed traffic signal.

Village Administrator Masciola spoke regarding Legal Nonconforming Buildings in the Village. There are several homes that have two or more units that have existed for many years. In addition to those, there are several homes that have been renovated and may have multiple families. Village Attorney Murphey will obtain tax numbers for the properties discussed. He will request the legal description for these properties from the Title Company.

Superintendent of Water & Public Works O'Donohue spoke regarding the request to replant twelve trees in the Village. He discussed a few tree options the residents will be able to choose from. After requesting a few quotes, Brian David's Landscaping offered the best pricing for installation and a one-year guarantee.

Village Administrator Masciola stated that the Old Dominion Dock Expansion Building Permit was issued to D.F. Chase Construction on August 6, 2020. They are planning to be under roof before the winter.

The Army Corp of Engineers and MWRD are rehabilitating the Lyons levee on the west side of the Des Plaines River. The top of the berms will be the same height on both sides.

A second submittal for the commercial development at 4609 & 4615 S. Harlem Avenue was received and reviewed. A Demolition Permit for the two-story building was issued on August 17, 2020.

Police Chief Wiseman and Village Administrator Masciola attended the first meeting for the Southwest Cook County consolidated dispatch. This is the group for our future 911 calls. The final approval of the ETSB is anticipated on September 15, 2020 by the State. If approved, the transfer over to the new dispatch system will follow in the coming months.

On July 31, 2020, the Village received notification that the Grant Application that was submitted under the FEMA Assistance to Firefighters Grants was approved. The Grant is \$98,000 dollars for Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA). The Village's share for the SCBA will be approximately \$4,666 dollars.

On Monday August 10, 2020, a storm came through town at approximately 4:00 p.m. Every block experienced tree damage. One tree completely

uprooted. Public Works spent three days cleaning up after the storm. Superintendent O'Donohue thanked the Fire Department Personnel for their assistance with the storm clean up.

A Trustee mentioned what a great job the Fire Department did during a call involving a gentleman using a backhoe to move mulch. He raised the backhoe up into the Com Ed powerlines. Com Ed was called and the backhoe was de-energized.

Fire Chief Heller stated that the flag is flown at half-staff to honor COVID-19 victims as requested by the governor.

August 25, 2020

Village Administrator Masciola spoke regarding a Zoning Variation request to allow a backyard, side lot line fence to extend in a front yard direction past the rear original building line of the principal residential structure to the front building line at 4603 S. Wenonah Avenue.

Village Administrator Masciola spoke regarding the Non-FOP Employee Salary Ordinance.

Superintendent of Public Works and Water O'Donohue, requested authorization to remove six (6) parkway trees, trim five (5) parkway trees and nine (9) stump removals at various locations throughout the Village.

Village Administrator Masciola stated that the demolition of the two-story building and shed at 4609 & 4615 Harlem has started and the majority of the demolition has already been completed. Plans have been submitted for the redevelopment of 4609 & 4615 Harlem. The plans have been forwarded to FSCI for review.

We are reviewing a potential Grant Application from Cook County under the Corona Virus Relief Funds Act. The Village potentially could be eligible for funds in an amount of \$ 115,000 dollars under the Cares Act Funding. We will need to approve an Intergovernmental Agreement with Cook County and file a notice of intent by September 30, 2020 to apply for this potential Grant Reimbursement.

A resident wanted to thank our Police and Fire Departments for keeping our Village safe.

September 8, 2020

The Cook County Coronavirus Relief Fund Intergovernmental and Subrecipient Agreement was approved.

Village Administrator Masciola spoke regarding a submittal to FEMA for reimbursement of our COVID-19 expenses.

The Electrical Permit was issued to Apex Oil. The project is valued over \$100,000 dollars with a \$1,500 Permit Fee.

Superintendent Water & Public Works O'Donohue spoke regarding the water main break under 45th Street near Oak Park Avenue on September 2nd. While under repair, we were notified of another water main break on Canal Bank Road. We lost approximately one hundred thousand gallons of water in a couple of hours.

Trees have been ordered. We are looking to plant in late October to early November.

