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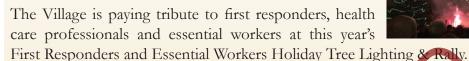
VILLAGE ANNOUNCES ADDITIONAL ECONOMIC RELIEF FOR RESIDENTS

Amid forecasts that the effects of the coronavirus pandemic will continue into the winter, Mayor Craig Johnson and the Village Board announced their intention to provide a second round of economic relief to residents in the form of a \$200 water bill credit at their Board Meeting on October 27.

"We know that every resident has been impacted by the physical and economic devastation that the coronavirus pandemic has brought to communities throughout the country. Elk Grove Village is no exception," said Mayor Johnson. "But we're doing everything we can to lessen those impacts. We're very pleased to be able to ease some of the financial burden on Elk Grove families in the months to come."

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FIRST RESPONDER & ESSENTIAL WORKER HOLIDAY TREE LIGHTING & RALLY





The Holiday Tree Lighting & Rally, will take place on the Village Green on Friday, November 27 at 5:30 pm, and will feature many of the traditional components of the Village's annual tree lighting ceremony, including an appearance by Santa Claus, who will be on hand to safely pass out candy canes to children.

This year's rally will also include a special light display and fireworks in the colors of red, blue, white, and green—colors that represent first responders, health care professionals and essential workers in our community. Additionally, the traditional holiday fireworks display will welcome Santa Claus to the rally.

Mayor Johnson said that event staff will work to ensure that the event can take place safely. All attendees and event staff will be required to wear masks at all times during the rally and this requirement will be enforced at entries to the event site.

Thank you to PPE Global Health in the Elk Grove Town Center for donating supplies to support the First Responder & Essential Worker Holiday Tree Lighting & Rally. The Village would also like to thank Gatwood Crane Services Inc. for providing their services to move the Holiday Tree.

For more information, please visit the Village website at www.elkgrove.org/treelighting.

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MESSAGE FROM THE BOARD

As the fall season continues and we reflect on this unprecedented year, it is difficult to believe how much we have overcome as a community.

Amid forecasts that the effects of the coronavirus pandemic will continue into the winter, we are pleased to provide a second round of economic relief to residents in the form of a \$200 water bill credit in early 2021. The Village will send a letter with details on the coronavirus economic relief to all residents in the coming weeks. For additional information about the second coronavirus relief package, please see page 1.

Although this has been a challenging year, it is important to remain positive and support those on the front lines. To support first responders, health care professionals and essential workers, the Village is hosting a First Responders and Essential Workers Holiday Tree Lighting & Rally. The Holiday Tree Lighting & Rally, will take place on the Village Green on Friday, November 27 at 5:30 pm, and will feature many of the traditional components of the Village's annual tree lighting ceremony. For additional guidelines and details about this event, please see page 1.

With the fall season come falling leaves! The final round of leaf pick up begins on November 16 and ends on November 25. For those who have leaves after their collection, the Village offers two leaf disposal locations; one at the James P. Petri Public Works Facility at 450 E. Devon, and the other at the Public Works Biesterfield Facility at 1635 Biesterfield Road. For more information, please see page 5.

The fall season also brings us Thanksgiving festivities! For a safe and enjoyable Thanksgiving celebration, please make sure to keep gatherings small, maintain social distancing, and wear face coverings. For additional safety guidelines during the holidays, please visit the CDC website at www.cdc.gov.

For your convenience over the holiday, the Police Department has waived overnight parking restrictions from November 25- November 30. More information about parking during Thanksgiving can be found on page 5.

This year Village Hall is once again a drop-off location for Toys for Tots! Residents can drop-off new and unwrapped toys through December 4. See more information on page 8.



Pictured in front row from left to right are Trustee Nancy Czarnik, Mayor Craig Johnson, and Trustee Christine Prochno. Pictured in the second row from left to right are Trustee Jeffrey Franke, Trustee Stephen Schmidt, Trustee Samuel Lissner, and Trustee Patton Feichter.

This time of year many residents prepare for the holidays with decorations and displays! If you come across non-working or holiday lights you no longer need, please recycle them through the Holiday Light Recycling Program. Residents can drop off holiday lights and extension cords now through March 2021.

Before recycling your holiday lights, consider using them to decorate your home and entering the Holiday House Decorating Contest! The Leo and Lions Clubs are holding this contest for residents during the month of December. The Leo and Lions Clubs are looking for the best use of creativity, color, lights, originality, or theme. Information about the categories and entering the contest can be found on page 8.

The Village uses various forms of communications with the community to keep residents up to date on recent news and upcoming events. Make sure to follow our Facebook pages, Twitter accounts, and sign up for Nextdoor! Information on where to connect with us can be found on page 7.

Residents are always invited to share thoughts, concerns, or questions by clicking "Contact Us" on the Village website (www.elkgrove.org).



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The Village Board will vote to approve the relief package at its November Board Meeting. Following approval of the package, the credit will be applied to residents' January and February water bills. Because the average residential water bill in Elk Grove Village is \$84, it is likely most customers will be able to take advantage of the credit for at least two or three billing cycles.

Landlords who pay the water bill for properties will be required to pass the savings on to their tenants. Condo associations will also be required to pass these savings on to their unit owners through future assessment fees.

"For us, it was important to have the credits available for residents as soon as January, when most residents also are expecting higher credit card bills after the holidays," said Johnson. "We're able to extend this relief to residents because, despite the economic fallout from the coronavirus, the Village remains on solid financial footing. We're also able to provide the relief because it's simply the right thing to do."

Last March, the Village provided a \$3.2 million relief package to residents and local businesses. That package included a similar \$200 water bill credit and the waiving of certain business and license fees.

This latest round of relief will amount to \$3 million, bringing the total amount of economic relief provided to Elk Grove Village families and businesses during the coronavirus pandemic to \$6.2 million.

The Village will send a letter with details on the coronavirus economic relief to all residents in the coming weeks. Additionally, information about the \$200 credit will be included along with the water bill in which the credit is applied, in January or February 2021.

RECENT MAILERS, NOT FROM THE VILLAGE OR MAYOR

In the recent weeks, there have been numerous anonymous mailers that have been distributed throughout the community. The Village of Elk Grove **is not affiliated** in any way with these robocalls or mailers and has no control over them. The Village takes great pride in being non-partisan governmental entity.

The Village of Elk Grove does not involve itself in political activities, such as the kind included in the robocalls and mailers. If anyone has any questions or concerns about the recent robocalls or mailings, please call Mayor Craig Johnson directly at (847) 437-8226.

Official communications from the Village typically includes the official Village logo, shown on the right, and will always clearly state that it is sent by the Village of Elk Grove. The most common form of communication published and administered by the Village is this newsletter, which is distributed on a monthly basis. Other official Village information and communication will generally be printed on Village letterhead and will include contact information for the Village.

If you ever have a question about information that you believe was sent by the Village, you can always contact the Village directly at 847-439-3900.



Elk Grove Village Official Logo

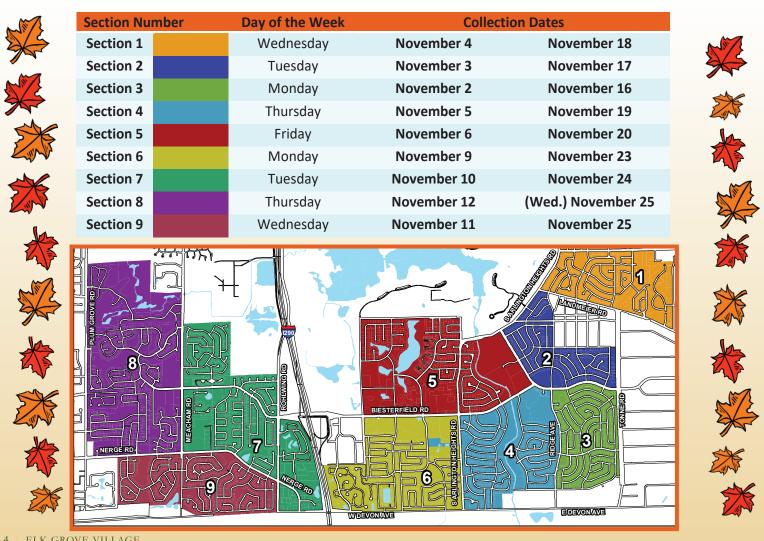
FALL LEAF COLLECTION

During the months of October and November, the Public Works Department offers residents convenient disposal of their fall leaves. Elk Grove Village is divided into nine (9) collection sections and each section receives four (4) leaf collection dates. The upcoming collection dates and a map depicting the section numbers are shown below. Program Rules:

- Leaves should be raked into the street after 3 p.m. the day before collection or before 7 a.m. on the day of collection.
- Only rake leaves into the street. Grass, branches, and others yard waste can damage equipment.
- Place leaves in a continuous row on the pavement 2 feet from the curb.
- Do not place leaves on state or county roadways, nor on the following Village streets: Tonne Road, Elk Grove Boulevard, Rev. Morrison Boulevard, J.F. Kennedy Boulevard, Biesterfield Road, and Wise Road. Residents along these streets are asked to place leaves in the parkway.
- In the event of rain, you should still place your leaves in the street on your scheduled date as leaves will be collected as soon as possible after that time.
- Parking in the street will be prohibited on the day of collection from 7 a.m. until the leaves are removed.

In the event of snow, leaf pickup will be rescheduled for another day. Also, any leaves that are placed on the street and not picked up by the initial collection will eventually be collected by crews at a later date.

If you have any questions about the program, please call Public Works at (847) 734-8800 Monday through Friday between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. For more information, visit www.elkgrove.org/leaves.





LEAF DISPOSAL LOCATIONS

The Village would like to thank residents for their participation in the 2020 Fall Leaf Collection program. The final round of leaf pick up begins on November 16 and ends on November 25. For residents who still have leaves after their final collection date, the Village offers you the ability to dispose of them in dumpsters placed at two convenient locations:



James P. Petri Public Works Facility
450 E. Devon Avenue
Now-December 11



Public Works Biesterfield Facility

1635 Biesterfield Road

Now-December 11



Leaves should be placed in a yard waste collection bag, a landscape waste sticker is NOT required. Please note that plastic bags are not allowed. The dumpsters are for leaves only, yard waste and garbage is not permitted. Should you have any questions or experience any problems with the program, please call the Public Works Department at 847-734-8800 Monday through Friday between 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.



PRESCRIPTION DRUG DROP-BOX

As part of the Elk Grove Village Cares Program, the Village installed a Prescription Drug Drop-off Box in the Police Department lobby (901 Wellington Ave) in an effort to prevent the misuse and abuse of prescription drugs. Since its installation in 2019, the collection box has been emptied 21 times and 29 bags of prescription drugs have been disposed of safely. This collection box is the 2nd most useed drug box in Cook County! We would like to thank our residents for your efforts to keep prescription drugs from being misused or polluting our water.

The collection box is available 24 hours a day. Please remember that needles, sharps or liquids are not accepted through the collection box. Have a question on where to dispose of something? Call 847-439-3900.

HOLIDAY LIGHTS RECYCLING

The Village is accepting unused and non-working holiday string lights and extension cords as part of the SWANCC Holiday Lights Recycling Program. SWANCC and participating communities have partnered with Elgin Recycling Inc. to recycle the lights and cords.



Community Development Counter Village Hall, 901 Wellington Ave. Monday - Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.



Residents can drop off holiday lights and extension cords now through March 31, 2021. The Village cannot accept garland, live greens, wreaths, or other non-recyclable materials. Call 847-357-4220 for more information.

OVERNIGHT PARKING RESTRICTIONS WAIVED FOR THANKSGIVING

The overnight parking restrictions will be waived for Thanksgiving starting Wednesday (11/25) at 2:00 am through Monday (11/30) at 6:00 am. Residents do not need to request to park their vehicles overnight on Village streets during these days.

Please remember that residential street parking is prohibited if there is more than 2 inches of snow on the ground or if the Village is expecting snow.

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OUTDOOR FIRE PIT SAFETY

Crisp fall evenings are perfect for a warm mug of hot cocoa or apple cider while sitting around a backyard fire pit. To make sure your outdoor experience remains a safe one, here are a few safety tips:

- •Use only seasoned hardwoods do not burn rubbish, refuse, or yard waste.
- •Recreational fires must be contained within a manufactured fireplace/pit less than 30 inches in diameter, which is at least 25 feet away from all structures. Make sure the lid and screen are in place.
- •Always have a portable fire extinguisher, pail of water, or connected garden hose nearby. When finished, make sure to completely extinguish the fire.
- •Outdoor fireplaces must be attended by an adult at all times never let children or pets get too close to the fire.

All outdoor fires must be maintained at a reasonable size and any smoke emitted must not interfere with any neighbor's health, safety, or comfort. Any fire which is deemed a nuisance or a hazard by the Elk Grove Village Fire or Police Departments must be extinguished upon request.



ELK GROVE VILLAGE COMPLETES ROHLWING ROAD CORRIDOR ENHANCEMENTS

The Village is pleased to announce the completion of the newly enhanced Rohlwing Road Corridor. Rohlwing Road is a prominent corridor that provides travel through the center of the Village, access to Busse Woods, and serves as a gateway to surrounding communities in the Northwest Suburbs.

The beautification of the Rohlwing Road Corridor included curb and street rehabilitation, new landscaped medians with trees and plantings, and various crosswalk improvements. These enhancements were designed to enhance the character of the roadway, by providing safety through proactive design, a positive environmental impact, and an aesthetically pleasing driving experience.

As part of the State Capital Bill passed in 2019, State Senator Laura Murphy assisted the Village in securing funding to complete this corridor beautification project. With assistance from State Senator Laura Murphy, the Village secured a \$500,000 grant from the Illinois Department of Commerce & Economic Opportunity (DCEO) to fund the construction of these enhancements, for the benefit of both local and regional passengers.

Prior to the enhancements, the concrete in the median was deteriorating, causing debris and weeds to proliferate along the corridor. As part of the project, the deteriorated median was replaced with trees, ornamental shrubs, perennials, and sod, creating an improved aesthetic appearance. Irrigation systems were installed to ensure healthy and vigorous growth of the new plants and trees. The replacement of concrete median surface with landscaping reduces storm water runoff, improves water quality and promotes positive air quality by absorbing carbon dioxide and generating oxygen. Additionally, the plants and trees will buffer traffic noise levels for the surrounding residential homes adjacent to Rohlwing Road.

The enriched aesthetics and improvements to the corridor were designed to reduce distractions which cause motorists to drive more slowly. Streets lined with trees and landscaping provide many benefits beyond the view. The presence of trees and landscaping on the corridor improves air quality, reduces noise, and provides a traffic calming effect.





YARD WASTE COLLECTION ENDS DECEMBER 15

As a friendly reminder, yard waste collection ends on December 15. Yard waste collection takes place the same day as homeowner's garbage collection date.

SIMPLE RECYCLING PROGRAM

Have you tried the Village's free textile recycling program? Simply fill up the orange bag with old clothing and household items and place it at the curb on your regular waste and recycling collection day.

In the first month, 20,852 pounds of materials, or over 10 tons of textile items were diverted from landfills through the Simple Recycling program.



Residents can participate in this program by following 3 simple steps:

- 1. Place unwanted textile items in the orange bag provided by Simple Recycling.
- 2. On your regular garbage collection day, place the bag on your curbside by 7:00am.
- 3. Simple Recycling Drivers will pick up the bag and leave replacement bags behind.

For additional information about the program including getting additional bags and reporting missed collection, please visit www.simplerecycling.com or call 866-835-5068.

CONNECT WITH US!

The Village of Elk Grove uses social media networking as another resource for communicating with residents about recent news and upcoming events. Please visit our social media pages and connect with us to receive updates and information.



Like us on Facebook!

Elk Grove Village: facebook.com/elkgrovevillage

EGV Police Department: <u>facebook.com/EGVPD</u>

EGV Fire Department: facebook.com/ElkGroveVillageFire

Elk Grove Television: facebook.com/EGTV6



Follow us on Twitter!

Elk Grove Village: @EGVBusinessPark (twitter.com/EGVBusinessPark)

EGV Police Department: @EGVPD (twitter.com/EGVPD)

EGTV Channel 6: @EGTV Channel 6 (twitter.com/EGTV6)

★ Nextdoor

The Village posts information on Nextdoor, a social networking service for neighborhoods. Nextdoor requires users to create an account with their name and address to receive notifications and updates (<u>www.nextdoor.com</u>).

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WATER METER UPGRADE PROGRAM

The Village's Water Meter Upgrade program is underway for residential, commercial, and industrial properties. If you are a resident and haven't had your water meter upgraded, please schedule an appointment by calling (866) 931-2199 or go online to www.schedulemymeter.com. During the appointment, a plumber will need to enter the resident's home to upgrade the water meter. The plumbers are screened each day following CDC guidelines, will be maintaining social distancing, and wearing proper personal protective equipment. However, a resident can place their water meter upgrade



on hold by notifying the call center so the upgrade can be scheduled at a later date.

Please visit <u>elkgrove.org/watermeter</u> or call Utility Billing at 847-357-4000 for more information regarding this program.

HOLIDAY HOUSE DECORATING CONTEST



This year's Elk Grove Village Holiday House Decorating Contest is brought to you by the Elk Grove Leo & Lions Clubs and the Village of Elk Grove.

Residents can enter the contest by providing their full name, address, email address, and phone number to lionbarbara@comcast.net no later than Wednesday, December 9.

Judging will take place between Saturday, December 12 and Saturday, December 19.

The Leos and Lions will be looking for the best use of creativity, color, lights, originality, or theme. All entries will be judged for each category:

Best Overall Holiday Decorations used on a Apartment or Condo

Best Overall Holiday Decorations used on a House

Best Creative use of Decorations

Best Theme Display

The four winners will be recognized during an upcoming Village Board meeting.

TOYS FOR TOTS 2020 CAMPAIGN

Village Hall is once again a drop-off location for Toys for Tots! The mission of the U.S. Marine Corps Reserve Toys for Tots program is to collect new, unwrapped toys each year, and distribute those toys as holiday gifts to less fortunate children in communities across the nation.

You are invited to join the campaign by dropping off a new and unwrapped toy by December 4 at Village Hall (901 Wellington Ave). We thank you for your generosity during the holiday season!





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Photographed from left to right: Elk Grove High School Principal Paul Kelly, Trustee Chris Prochno, Elk Grove High School Associate Principal Kyle Burritt, Mayor Craig Johnson, Trustee Nancy Czarnik, and Trustee Pat Feichter

On October 22, Elk Grove Village and Elk Grove High School officials announced that the Village has provided a second \$100,000 grant to the District 214 Education Foundation to assist in the modernization and expansion of Elk Grove High School's fabrication lab, which students use to learn about the machinery used in today's manufacturing sector.

Last year's grant provided seed money to jumpstart the renovation effort. The new grant will be used to build a new advanced manufacturing lab and purchase high tech manufacturing equipment such as lathes and mills which students can use to learn how to work with metal, wood and other materials. Several "mini mills" will also be purchased to give more students access to the equipment.

The grant comes at a time when the popularity of Elk Grove High School's Career Pathways vocational education program is surging.

"For us, the grant could not come at a better time. Just as employers see a growing demand for trained, capable and experienced workers, we're seeing growing demand among our students for instruction that gives them hands-on, applicable experience operating high tech manufacturing equipment," said Kyle Burritt, Elk Grove High School Associate Principal. "We're pleased that the Village is investing in our students and even more pleased that the grant will support the growth of these programs well into the future."

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Business Matters

VILLAGE SUPPORTS EXPANDED MANUFACTURING EDUCATION AT ELK GROVE HIGH SCHOOL WITH SECOND \$100,000 GRANT CONT.

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Village officials say the grant, which was approved by the Village Board last month, demonstrates the Village's commitment to partnering with Elk Grove High School to strengthen the local workforce through technical and vocational education.

"With this grant, we're supporting the growing need in the workforce for employees with hands-on manufacturing experience. With more than 400 manufacturers in Elk Grove Village that employ thousands of people, we're doing everything we can to provide them with a well-educated talent pool right here in the same community that they call home," said Elk Grove Village Mayor Craig Johnson. "This grant also helps students get a head start on careers in manufacturing, technology, robotics and other sectors that rely on a highly-skilled workforce to thrive."

Elk Grove Village Mayor Craig Johnson, Trustee Prochno, Trustee Czarnik and Trustee Feichter presented a \$100,000 check to school officials and also joined District 214 Superintendent Dr. Dave Schuler, Elk Grove High School principal Paul Kelly, faculty and students for a tour of the lab.

ENCLAVE LEARNING & EARNING CENTER LAUNCHES MASTER CLASSES FEATURING EXEMPLARY WOMEN IN THE WORKPLACE

Elk Grove Village Mayor Craig Johnson participated in Enclave's 38th masterclass and bestowed Leslie Munger with the first Exemplary Woman of 2020 award for years of leadership in the private and public sectors and for her ongoing support of entrepreneurs and the overall economic health and well-being of Elk Grove Village and the entire O'Hare region. Leslie Munger, former Illinois Deputy Governor and Comptroller kicked off "Making A Point" lecture series, illuminating the pandemic's adverse impact on women in the work force.

Munger's lecture, entitled, "Wanted: More, More, More Women in Leadership Roles for Public and Private Sectors," addressed the impact the COVID-19 pandemic has had on women in the workforce and illuminated on how women in management and leadership positions can play a critical role in rebuilding local, regional, national and global economies.

The launch of the "Making A Point" masterclass series came as Enclave marks the third anniversary of the opening of its 15,000 square-foot "Learning & Earning Center" at 75 Turner Avenue in Elk Grove Village.

PARTICIPATE IN A VIRTUAL PROGRESSIVE NETWORKING EVENT!



The GOA is connecting with other Chambers of Commerce in the Chicago region for a virtual progressive networking event. This is a networking format where each guest will be moved through a number of online break out rooms to network with different groups of professionals. This is a great way to meet a lot of people, while also getting to know them past the introduction. This event is open to other Chambers, so register today to guarantee your spot! For information about this event and how to register, please visit www.thegoa.com.



SHOWCASE YOUR BUSINESS WITH A VISIT FROM THE VILLAGE

Elk Grove Village Trustees and staff are looking to connect with Elk Grove businesses through our program.

We make it easy to connect with Village leadership by coming to your location for an introduction and tour. Pick a time that works for you and together we will discover new ways to support your business and help your team thrive!

To schedule your visit, contact Nick Radcliffe, Senior Management Analyst, Business Development and Marketing at 847-357-4013 or by email at <u>nradcliffe@elkgrove.org</u>.



Business Ambassador visit at Miracapo Pizza



Business Ambassador visit at Zip Dee



Business Ambassador visit at White Racker



Business Ambassador visit at Waterline Renewal Technologies

MEET YOUR ELK GROVE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT TEAM!

Josh Grodzin, CecD - Director Business Development and Marketing

With over 20 years of experience in economic development, Josh Grodzin is Elk Grove's leader of business development and marketing. He works side-by-side with businesses looking to expand in, or relocate to, the Village.

Contact Josh at 847-357-4005 or <u>igrodzin@elkgrove.org</u>.

Nick Radcliffe - Senior Management Analyst

Nick assists with coordinating all aspects of the Village's business retention and attraction program, including public relations, branding and marketing, coordination of business development resources, and working with other public sector agencies.

Contact Nick at 847-357-4013 or NRadcliffe@elkgrove.org.

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SCHEDULE YOUR WATER METER UPGRADE APPOINTMENT

At this time, the Village's Water Meter Upgrade is underway for industrial and commercial buildings. If you're a business owner or operator and you haven't scheduled your water meter upgrade, please call 866-931-2199 or go online at www.schedulemymeter.com to schedule your appointment. Online scheduling is not available for commercial meters larger than 2" as these will require a pre-inspection survey prior to replacement. During the appointment, a plumber will



need to enter the business to upgrade the water meter. The plumbers are screened each day following CDC guidelines, will be maintaining social distancing, and be wearing proper personal protective equipment.

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STRICTLY BUSINESS PODCAST

The Village's Strictly Business Podcast is the official podcast of the nation's largest industrial park. Hosted by Josh Grodzin, the podcast shares news and information about the Village's diverse business community, highlighting the people and companies that make, invest and live in Elk Grove Village.

Ask local manufacturers what keeps them up at night and you'll likely hear: "workforce development."



Kathleen Burley, Executive Director of GCAMP—the Golden Corridor Advanced Manufacturing Partnership—sat down with "Strictly Business" host Josh Grodzin for a thought-provoking discussion about the pressing need to fill manufacturing jobs as workers retire. That includes efforts to "lift up manufacturing and make people understand what it truly is right now."

Visit <u>www.egvbizhub.com</u> to listen, or search for Elk Grove Village to download the podcast from the Apple iTunes store. Send comments or feedback to <u>strictlybizpodcast@gmail.com</u>.

