#### Village of Elk Grove Village NPDES Permit No. ILR40 0334

# ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY 2017-2018 ANNUAL FACILITY INSPECTION REPORT ATTACHMENTS NPDES PERMIT FOR STORM WATER DISCHARGES FROM MUNICIPAL SEPARATE STORM SEWER SYSTEMS (MS4) YEAR 15

#### A. CHANGES TO BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES

No changes occurred during 2017 – 2018 reporting cycle.

#### **B. STATUS OF COMPLIANCE WITH PERMIT CONDITIONS**

#### 1. Public Education and Outreach

#### **BMP A.1: Distributed Paper Material (Newsletter)**

The Village newsletter, *Elk Grove Villager*, contains periodic stormwater related articles throughout the given year to assist in Public Education. The Village used the newsletter this cycle to communicate various stormwater-related information to residents and business owners. See attached sample newsletters from March, May, June and September 2017. *Newsletters allow for "fair" access and are available to all in the community*.

#### **BMP A.3: Public Service Announcement (Cable TV)**

Two (2) separate Public Service Announcements were transmitted on the cable TV municipal access channel this reporting period and involved Public Works Staff (see attached screen shots). Cable TV is a "fair access" means for communicating with the public important stormwater-related matters.

#### **BMP A.6: Other Public Education (Village Website)**

An updated Storm Water specific section was added to the Village website during the Year 12 cycle and continues to be monitored and updated. This section of the website contains: information about motor oil's environmental impact and proper disposal methods, information regarding the storage and disposal of common household items that are harmful to our waterways and past NPDES Permits (see attached samples). The website is a "fair access" means for communicating with residents and businesses. If there is suitable information regarding the ever-changing climate and its effect on pollution prevention for waterways, it will get posted in the future.

#### 2. Public Participation/Involvement

#### BMP B.4: Public Hearing (Meeting)

Hosted a public meeting during the March 27, 2018 Village board Meeting. Village Trustees, Staff and attendees were educated and updated on the IEPA's National Pollutant Discharge Elimination Program (please see attached meeting agenda and presentation outline).

#### BMP B.7: Other Public Involvement (Cleanup Event; Tree Planting)

A local volunteer group, Friends of Critters, Salt Creek Watershed Network, hosted "Salt Creek Clean Up" day on June 3, 2017. A fall cleanup corresponding to leaf pickup was also emphasized in the fall of 2017 (see the attached September 2017 newsletter sample). The Village planted 650 trees during the past cycle.

#### 3. Illicit Discharge Detection & Elimination

#### **BMP C.1: Storm Sewer Map Preparation**

The Storm Sewer System is mapped and edits and revisions are made as needed when incorrect information is found (see attached copy dated 2/22/2018).

#### **BMP C.2: Regulatory Control Program (Ordinance)**

The Ordinance was reviewed and no revisions were deemed necessary.

BMP C.3: Detection/Elimination Prioritization Plan

**BMP C.4: Illicit Discharge Tracing Procedures** 

**BMP C.5: Illicit Source Removal Procedures** 

The joint approach by the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago (MWRD) and all departments of the Village has resulted in a comprehensive approach to detecting and eliminating illicit discharges. The Village responds with appropriate resources including a Hazardous Materials Team, trained Public Works personnel, Health Inspectors, and Community Development Inspectors depending on the situation. Some requests for assistance are generated from MWRD, and MWRD is notified and assistance requested as appropriate. The outfalls are checked minimally on a quarterly basis for debris and illicit discharges. Prior to forecasted major rain or snow melt events, the outfalls are checked for debris and illicit discharges as well in supplement to the quarterly checks.

#### BMP C.7: Visual Dry Weather Screening (Outfall Inspections)

The Village's GIS map containing Village outfall locations was updated. Outfall locations will be monitored during periods of dry weather and results/pictures of the area will be catalogued in the Village GIS system.

#### BMP C.10: Other Illicit Discharge Controls ("Drains to Waterways")

All frames and grates purchased by the Village are cast with "Drains to Waterways" text. Replacement of existing frames and grates continues as required, typically during the Street Maintenance program and as part of storm sewer repairs based on complaints.

#### BMP C.10: Other Illicit Discharge Controls (Visual Monitoring Inspections)

During the previous reporting cycle, the Village established a new water monitoring program. During the Fall of 2017 the Village will begin collected water samples, during a period of dry weather from Salt Creek, where the creek enters the Village limits at Arlington Heights Rd and exits the Village limits at Devon Ave. Water samples are tested for Total Nitrogen calculated Gas Diffusion, Total Oil & Grease SPE, Total Suspended Solids, Phosphate Total as P by Lachat, Fecal Coliform by Membrane Filter for Wastewater, and Chloride by IC. Records are stored in the Village's NPDES files.

#### 4. Construction Site Runoff Control

#### **BMP D.1: Regulatory Control Program (Ordinance)**

The new MWRD Watershed Management Ordinance became effective on May 1, 2014 and was amended on July 10, 2014. This ordinance, along with Village Ordinance 8-12-9: Soil Erosion and Sedimentation Control, is used to enforce soil erosion and sediment control requirements with developments.

#### **BMP D.2: Erosion and Sediment Control BMPs**

Construction Permits require that an appropriate SWPPP be developed. These requirements are enforced during the site plan review process.

#### **BMP D.4: Site Plan Review Procedures**

Site plans are reviewed for SWPPP and erosion control during the plan review process.

#### **BMP D.6: Site Inspection/Enforcement Procedures**

All sites inspected as required for compliance.

#### 5. Post-Construction Runoff Control

#### **BMP E.2: Regulatory Control Program**

Post construction BMPs are installed, regulated and inspected per MWRDs Watershed Management Ordinance.

#### BMP E.3: Long Term O&M Procedures

All known BMPs were inspected as needed. Inspection of erosion control measures were completed, no maintenance was required during the reporting period. MWRD Ordinance requires all property owners performing a development to have a Long Term O&M Procedural Plan.

#### **BMP E.4: Pre-Construction Review of BMP Designs**

Reviewed plans and suggested inclusion of BMP designs where appropriate and when required by MWRDs Watershed Management Ordinance.

#### **BMP E.5: Site Inspections During Construction**

Inspected BMPs during construction to ensure compliance with approved plans along with required weekly inspecting and inspections after ½ inch of rain fall.

#### 6. Pollution Prevention/Good Housekeeping

#### **BMP F.1: Employee Training Program**

Two employees received Green Infrastructure for MS4 Communities training from DuPage County (agenda and certificate attached). Appropriate Police, Fire, and Public Works personnel have received at a minimum Hazardous Materials Awareness training performed by certified trainers from the Fire Department in past cycles.

#### **BMP F.2: Inspection and Maintenance Program**

Over 170 catch basins, inlets, and storm sewer mains were cleaned, repaired or rebuilt. Over 7,500 linear feet of various sized storm sewer pipe were cleaned of debris. The debris was removed primarily by vacuum truck and disposed of as non-toxic debris.

Street sweeping of all Village streets was accomplished three times for the business park and four times for the residential area during the reporting period. Over 3,000 miles of street gutters/curbs were swept during the reporting period. Debris generated from those activities was disposed of as non-toxic debris.

#### **BMP F.3: Municipal Operation Storm Water Control**

Debris was removed from storm grates as conditions dictated. Deicing materials are stored in a permanent structure. All fertilizers, pesticides, or other chemicals are stored indoors.

#### **BMP F.4: Municipal Operations Waste Disposal**

During the reporting period; all non-toxic debris generated by municipal operations such as storm sewer cleaning, and similar activities was removed and disposed of by a contractual service. The Village Fleet Services stored lubricants in a waste oil tank and they were picked up by a licensed waste hauler. Coolant waste is stored in barrels and picked up by a licensed recycler. Street sweeping debris was disposed of by the Village's Solid Waste Hauler.

#### BMP F.5: Flood Management/Assessment Guidelines

The Village is part of the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) and focuses Village resources on the reduction of flooding throughout the Village. The Village continues to make a concentrated effort to keep all drains and waterways open throughout the duration of heavy rainfalls. During the 2017

reporting period the Village continued to remove and reconstruct culverts underneath roadways as needed.

#### **BMP F.6: Other Municipal Operations Controls**

During the reporting period, municipal vehicles were routinely washed at wash stations, the triple basins were cleaned as required.

#### C. INFORMATION COLLECTED & MONITORING DATA

See attachment from PDC Laboratories

The U.S. Census Bureau Quick Facts for the Village of Elk Grove Village demographics is attached. Some extracted data is below:

2014 Estimated Population	<i>33,379</i>
Poverty Percentage	6.1%
White (not Hisp.) Pop. Percentage	77.5%
Hispanic Pop. Percentage	9.5%
Asian Pop. Percentage	10.1%
Black Pop. Percentage	1.4%
Misc. Pop. Percentage	1.5%

#### D. Summary of planned activities for the 2017-2018 reporting period

Best Management Practice	Planned Activity	Timeline
BMP A.1	Publish storm water quality content in the Village Newsletters	Summer and Fall 2018
BMP A.3	Broadcast a Public Service Announcement on the cable TV municipal access channel.	Throughout the 2018 - 2019 reporting cycle.
BMP A.6	Update storm water quality content on the Village Website.	Routine checks of content throughout the 2018 – 2019 reporting period.
BMP B.4	Schedule a public hearing	Winter of 2018
BMP B.7	Meet with and assist groups as needed.	Summer of 2018
BMP C.1	Continue to edit the Storm Sewer System atlas as improvements are made and revisions are needed when incorrect information is found.	Routine checks of content throughout the 2018 – 2019 reporting period.
BMP C.2	Review the ordinance for changes	Winter 2018 – 2019
BMP C.3, BMP C.4, BMP C.5	Continue the joint approach by the MWRD and all departments of the Village to detect and eliminate illicit discharges when detected	Continue to coordinate and meet with appropriate MWRD staff throughout the 2018 – 2019 reporting period.
BMP C.10	Replace frames & grates with ones cast with "Drains to Waterways" text as required.  Continue to monitor and sample at locations upstream and downstream along Salt Creek.	Continued monitoring of grates throughout the 2018 – 2019 reporting period. Collect samples in Spring and Fal 2018.
BMP D.1	Review and change as necessary in conjunction with the Watershed Management Ordinance by MWRD	Winter 2018 – 2019
BMP D.2	Require appropriate SWPPPs as a requirement of the Construction Permits when appropriate.	Throughout the 2018 – 2019 reporting period.

BMP D.4	Review site plans for SWPPP & erosion control plans.	Throughout the 2018 – 2019 reporting period.
BMP D.6	MWRD and property owners inspect all sites as required for compliance	Throughout the 2018 – 2019 reporting period.
BMP E.2	Encourage installation of post construction BMPs on sites greater than 1 acre where practical.	Throughout the 2018 – 2019 reporting period.
BMP E.3	Inspect all known BMPs as needed.	Throughout the 2018 – 2019 reporting period.
BMP E.4	Review plans and suggested inclusion of BMP designs where appropriate.	Throughout the 2018 – 2019 reporting period.
BMP E.5	Inspect BMPs during construction to ensure compliance with approved plans.	Throughout the 2018 – 2019 reporting period.
BMP F.1	Train appropriate Village personnel in Hazardous Materials Awareness.	Throughout the 2018 – 2019 reporting period.
BMP F.2.1	Repair, rebuild, and clean catch basins, inlets, and storm sewer mains.	Throughout the 2018 – 2019 reporting period.
BMP F.2.2	Street sweep Village streets as needed	Scheduled cleaning in the Summer Fall and late Winter of 2018 – 2019. Additional sweeping as needed.
BMP F.3	Remove debris from storm grates as conditions dictate. Continue to store deicing materials and any chemicals in proper locations.	Routine checks of grates condition throughout the 2018 – 2019 reporting period.
BMP F.4	Proper continued disposal of Municipal Waste.	Throughout the 2018 – 2019 reporting period as needed.
BMP F.5	Continued participation in the NFIP, flood reduction infrastructure improvements, and ensure open waterways and drains during heavy periods of rain.	Routine checks of water ways during heavy periods of rain throughout the 2018 - 2019 reporting period.
BMP F.6	Clean municipal vehicles at wash stations and clean triple basins as needed.	Throughout the 2018 – 2019 reporting period as needed.

#### E. NOTICE OF RELIANCE ON ANOTHER GOVERNMENT ENTITY

The Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago responds and assists with the detection and elimination of illicit discharges. The MWRDGC is a special district recognized under the laws of the State of Illinois with authority to enforce Ordinances. The District enforces <u>Appendix A – Discharges To Waterways</u> of their sewage and waste control ordinance and the Watershed Management Ordinance.

#### F. CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS PAID BY THE VILLAGE OF ELK GROVE VILLAGE

Over the last year the Public Works Department has implanted the design and construction of the clearing of 27.7 acres along 11 miles of drainage channels in the business park to minimize flooding, over 10 miles of Village road rehabilitated, 12 rail road spur crossing replacements, the removal and replacement of 7,900 feet of water main, and the renovation of the Public Works Fleet Facility.



## ELK GROVE MARCH 2017 ISSUE

Lineup

#### LOCAL BUSINESSES SUPPORT VETERANS

The Village would like to thank the following local businesses who made generous contributions in support of improving the accessibility for our local veterans at the VFW Hall:

- Northstar Foods
- Comcast
- Wintrust Bank
- Southeast Construction & Performance Auto Center Action Electric Masonry
- Hanover Displays
- Medical Center Dental Associates

- Duratrack
- A.J.R Industries
- Sonic Mfg Corporation
- Phoenix Binding Corp.
- Chicago Waterjet, Inc.
- Capitol Glass & Architectural Metals
- O'Hare Mechanical Contractors
- Bella's
- Johnson Insurance Agency
- Gerard Printing Company

The Village truly appreciates the support of these businesses as we work as acommunity to take care of our local veterans. To contribute, please call the Village 847-357-4030 or drop a check off at the Administration counter on the 2nd floor of Village Hall.

#### VILLAGE HOSTS FIRST EARTH DAY RECYCLING EVENT!

Elk Grove Village, in partnership with Elk Grove High School, is hosting its first Earth Day Recycling Event!

This event will focus on recycling opportunities for many materials that cannot be disposed of through residents' curbside refuse and recycling program.

Items collected will include:

- Motor Oil
- Anti-Freeze
- Paint (Latex or Oil)
- CFL Light Bulbs
- Batteries
- Clothing
- Bicvcles
- American Flags
- - Eyeglasses
  - Fire Extinguishers

#### Earth Day Recycling Event Saturday, April 22, 8am - 11am Elk Grove High School Parking Lot

This is a residential recycling event available to residents of SWANCC member communities; materials from businesses will not be accepted. The Village will continue hosting our annual Electronics Recycling and Document Destruction Event, which is scheduled for Saturday, June 3.

For more information, including details on accepted mateirals, who can participate, how to volunteer and an event map, please visit www. elkgrove.org/earthday

### Villager

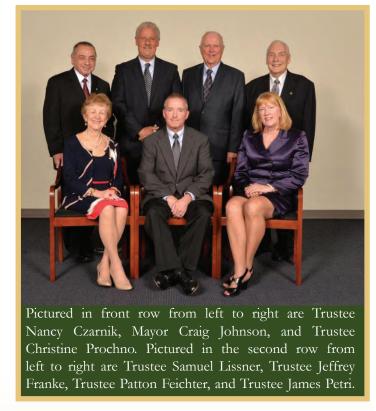
#### MESSAGE FROM THE BOARD

As spring approaches, we are looking forward to hosting the Village's first Earth Day Recycling event this year! This event will be in addition to our annual electronics recycling and document destruction event in June. The Earth Day Recycling Event will offer the opportunity to recycle all sorts of odds and ends that can't be disposed of in the curbside waste and recycling program, such as motor oil, CFL bulbs and Fire Extinguishers. You can find a list of accepted items on Page 1. We hope you'll join us in celebrating earth day--if you're interested in volunteering, please visit <a href="https://www.elkgrove.org/earthday">www.elkgrove.org/earthday</a> to find out more!

Spring means that road construction in the Village will be starting soon! In 2017 the Village will complete curb and sidewalk rehabilitation, pavement patching, and resurfacing along 7.8 miles of residential and business park streets. You can find a complete list on Page 6. Construction should begin in May and will be completed by September 2017.

Vehicle sticker season is also approaching. As part of our efforts to provide exceptional customer service, the Village has implemented a new software system for vehicle licensing, as well as an updated application. You can preview the new form on our website under the "Forms and Applications" link. As this is the first year with the new form and new system, we ask for your patience as our staff may need additional time to process your transaction and ensure its accuracy. You can find more information and tips for avoiding the line on Page 9.

Another of our customer service initiatives is the new "My Elk Grove Village" service request system introduced late last year, which offers an enhanced service for requesting services and sending inquiries to the Village. Residents can use the "My Elk Grove Village" system through the Village website, Facebook page, or by downloading an application on their smartphone. As our staff and residents become accustomed to the system, we've identified a few tips that can help you enter your request quickly and receive a prompt response. Please check out these tips and learn more about the service request system on Page 12.



You may have noticed that there is also another car raffle in the Village! Following the success of last year's 60th Anniversary Car Raffle, which raised funds for civic organizations, Castle Chevrolet generously donated a 2017 Chevy Corvette to be raffled off this year! Proceeds will support much needed improvements at the local VFW Hall. The Village would like to especially acknowledge those businesses (listed on Page 1) who made a donation in support of this cause. More information on the car raffle can be found on page 4.

As always, there are many exciting things going on in the Village this year! We hope you'll take a few minutes to browse through the newsletter to learn about some of the upcoming events and activities, such as spring cleaning assistance, blood drives, the Hometown Parade, college scholarships, early voting and much more, which may be of interest to you or your friends and neighbors.

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



#### ELK GROVE YOUTH COMMITTEE SCHOLARSHIPS

The Elk Grove Youth Committee, in partnership with the Village of Elk Grove and the Elk Grove Parks Foundation, will be issuing three (3) \$1,000 scholarship awards; two (2) by the Village and one (1) by the Parks Foundation to recognize High School Seniors for their outstanding leadership, community participation, and service in the community.

Applications are available in the high school College & Career Center offices and also on the Village website at <a href="https://www.elkgrove.org/scholarships">www.elkgrove.org/scholarships</a>.

Please see application for details. Completed applications must be submitted to Village Hall (Administration Counter) no later than May 5, 2017. Winners will be notified by May 31, 2017. Questions? Please call 847-357-4030.



#### NEED ASSISTANCE WITH SPRING CLEANING? VOLUNTEERS ARE AVAILABLE!



Time to start thinking about yardwork that will need to be done to get ready for summer. Elk Grove High School is once again planning a "Clean Up" for seniors or disabled residents that are no longer able to handle the work themselves.

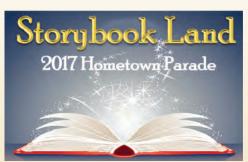
They are offering: flowerbed clean up, trimming of bushes, washing first floor windows and other small outside jobs. They will be working on Thursday, April 20th throughout the Village.

If you are interested please contact the Community Service Office at 847-

357-4121 for a brief information gathering interview.

#### SAVE THE DATE FOR THE 2017 HOMETOWN PARADE!

Please save the date and join us in celebrating the 2017 Hometown Parade! On Saturday, June 17, 2017. This year's parade theme is "Storybook Land". Come out and help us bring our favorite stories to life from classic tales such as Alice in Wonderland, Pinocchio, and Beauty and the Beast to today's modern day classics such as Where the Wild Things Are, Charlotte's Web, and Harry Potter.



#### 2017 Hometown Parade

Saturday, June 17, 2017

Find out more about the parade, including how you can sign up to participate, online at <a href="https://www.elkgrove.org/parade">www.elkgrove.org/parade</a>.

#### EARLY VOTING - MARCH 20 - APRIL 3

The local Consolidated Election is on April 4, 2017. The Consolidated Election will include elections for Village, Township, Park District, Library, Elementary and High School Districts and Community College District positions.

Early Voting will be conducted at the Elk Grove Village Hall from Monday, March 20, 2017 through Monday, April 3, 2017. Early Voting hours are Monday – Saturday from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Questions may be directed to the Village Clerk's Office at 847-357-4040.





Raffle Grand Prize: 2017 Chevy Corvette

**Donated By:** 





\$10 per ticket or 3 for \$20

Proceeds benefit building an elevator at the Elk Grove Village VFW Post #9284

Drawing to be held at the Mid Summer Classic Concert July 25, 2017 at the Elk Grove Village Hall 901 Wellington Avenue, Elk Grove Village

Buy Tickets Online at CCCEG.OTG





#### PACE BUS ROUTES CONVERSION TO POSTED STOP ONLY

Pace is in the process of converting all of its bus routes to a posted-stops-only operation, in which riders will only be able to get on and off at posted bus stop signs. The conversion process involves selecting stops (maximizing safety, ease of access, and bus operational efficiency), installing signs with the updated Pace logo, and informing stakeholders about where boarding and alighting can take place. All routes will be converted by 2017.

Riders of every Pace route will be notified when the route you ride is being converted to a postedstops-only operation, with an effective date of that change. When the conversion is announced, the printed and online version of bus schedules will contain a 'posted stops only' notation (pictured right). Furthermore, riders will receive an on-board handout, well in advance of the conversion date, to inform them of the date of the change, and the location of every bus stop along the route.



Riders looking to stay informed should sign up for e-mail alerts or join Pace on Facebook and Twitter. You can find out more on the Pace website at <u>Pacebus.com</u>.

#### RECYCLE OFTEN, RECYCLE RIGHT

You may be filling your recycling toter every week--but have you considered whether you're recycling the right things? Village recycling is collected in a single stream container, which means all recyclables go into one bin, whether they are paper, glass, plastic or aluminum. With so many types of plastics, containers, and other materials, it can be difficult to know what belongs in the recycling bin, and when people guess, they aren't always guessing right. Currently the Village's recycling contamination rate is 25%, which means that we're guessing wrong a lot!

In order to have a successful recycling program it's important to get the right things into the recycling bin. To do that, there are three basic rules to make sure you Recycle Often, Recycle Right:



#### CALL OR CLICK BEFORE YOU DIG

Planting a tree? Planning a home improvement? Installing a fence or deck? Here's what you need to know first: Whether you are planning to do it yourself or hire a professional, smart digging means calling JULIE at 811 or visiting illinois1call.com before each job.





illinois1call.com

JULIE is the Joint Utility

Locate Information Exchange which notifies utilities in the area where digging will be done. The utilities then locate any of their lines which may interfere with the digging. You must call at least two working days before you dig!

The chart on the left shows the colors used by these utilities which may help you determine whom to call for more information about the little flags in your yard.



### Villager

#### 2017 STREET MAINTENANCE PROGRAM

The Village's 2017 Street Maintenance Program consists of curb and sidewalk rehabilitation, pavement patching, and resurfacing along 7.8 miles of residential and business park streets as noted below. Construction on the roadways listed below should begin in May and will be completed by September 2017.



#### Residential Streets to be Resurfaced:

- Alabama Drive, Virginia to Florida
- Arkansas Drive, Nerge to Florida
- Carolina Drive, Wisconsin to Missouri
- Crest Avenue, E Elk Grove Blvd to Laurel
- Fairfield Circle, Ruskin to End of Street
- Florida Lane, Virginia to Virginia
- Fox Run Drive, University to University
- · Georgia Drive, Virginia to Florida
- Hampshire Drive, Gibson to Vermont
- Jackson Circle, Mississippi to End of Street
- Joplin Circle, Missouri to End of Street
- Kentucky Lane, Tennessee to Arkansas
- Louisiana Drive, Tennessee to Tennessee
- Memphis Circle, Tennessee to End of Street

#### Business Park Streets to be Resurfaced:

- American Lane, Pan Am Blvd to E Devon Ave
- Delta Lane, Pan Am Blvd to E Devon Ave
- Fargo Avenue, Tonne Rd to Lively Blvd
- Howard Street, Lively Blvd to End of Street
- Turner Avenue, S Arlington Heights Rd to E Devon Ave

- Mississippi Lane, Arkansas to Arkansas
- Missouri Drive, Virginia to Wisconsin
- Mobile Circle, Alabama to End of Street
- Orleans Court, Louisiana to End of Street
- Potomac Lane, Hampshire to Gibson
- Red Fox Lane, Fox Run to Fox Run
- Richmond Court, Virginia to End of Street
- Stanford Circle, Ruskin to End of Street
- Tennessee Lane, Arkansas to Arkansas
- Verde Lane, Crest Ave to Love
- Virginia Drive, Florida to Meacham
- Winston Drive, Beisner Rd to Cosman
- Wisconsin Lane, Nerge Rd to Virginia



Road construction takes place in several phases. The initial phase of the project replaces deteriorated curb, sidewalk, and storm sewer structures. The second phase involves milling the pavement surface and patching severe pavement cracks. The final phase is placing the new asphalt surface layer.

Just prior to laying this final asphalt layer, the street will be sprayed with a tack coat. Fresh oil signs will be posted during this phase so residents are reminded to travel slowly on the tack-coated surface.

To receive updated project information to your inbox, please sign up for construction updates on the Village website at <a href="https://www.elkgrove.org/stayconnected">www.elkgrove.org/stayconnected</a>.

#### The Village of Elk Grove & Elk Grove Park District Proudly Present "UNITY WITHIN THE COMMUNITY" MID-SUMMER CLASSICS CONCERT SERIES

#### FOUR ON THE 4TH - TUES, JULY 4, 5:30 PM AT ROTARY GREEN

...over 50 million records sold worldwide...over 30 Billboard hits...over 3 hours of Classic chart toppers

THE GUESS WHO, APPROX 7:45PM- "Shakin' All Over", "These Eyes", "Laughing", "Undun", "No Time", "American Woman", "Hand Me Down World", "Share The Land", and more

MITCH RYDER, APPROX 7:00PM - "Devil With A Blue Dress On", "Good Golly Miss Molly", "Sock It To Me-Baby", "CC Rider"

ORLEANS, APPROX 6:15PM - "Dancin' In The Moonlight", "Dance With Me", "Still The One", "Love Takes Time", "Time Passes On"

AMBROSIA, APPROX 5:30PM - "How Much I Feel", "Biggest Part Of Me", "I Just Can't Let Go", "You're The Only Woman" (You & I)



#### CREEDENCE CLEARWATER REVISITED - TUES, JULY 11, 7:30 P.M.

Creedence Clearwater Revival founding members, Stu Cook and Doug "Cosmo" Clifford have been on quite a ride. Over 47 years ago, Creedence Clearwater Revival headlined at the Woodstock Music Festival. That year, 3 of their albums were top 10 on the rock music charts and the group had 4 top 3 singles. Following their induction into the Rock & Roll Hall of Fame, Cosmo and Stu launched their Creedence Clearwater Revisited project in 1995, to again perform live in concert the touchstones of a generation.



#### RODNEY ATKINS - TUESDAY, JULY 18, 7:30 P.M.

Atkins' first album included the #4 hit "Honesty (Write Me a List)". The first two singles off his second album, "If You're Going Through Hell (Before The Devil Even Knows)" and "Watching You" were ranked as the top country songs of 2006 and 2007. The album produced two more #1 singles in "These Are My People" and "Cleaning This Gun (Come On In Boy)". It's America (2009) included the # 1 single "It's America" and the top 5 hit "Farmer's Daughter". Take a Back Road (2011) produced his sixth # 1 in its title track.



#### KOOL & THE GANG - TUESDAY, JULY 25, 7:30 P.M.

Kool & The Gang has sold over 70 million albums and influenced the music of three generations. Songs like "Celebration", "Cherish', "Get Down On it", "Jungle Boogie", "Ladies Night", "Summer Madness", and "Fresh",

earned them 2 Grammy Awards, 7 American Music Awards, 25 Top Ten R&B hits, 9 Top Ten Pop hits, and 31 gold and platinum albums. Kool & The Gang has performed for the past 45 years and their bulletproof funk and jazzy arrangements have made them the most sampled band of all time.



Free Concert Series July 4 at Rotary Green, 164 Lions Dr, east of Lions Park July 11, 18 & 25 on the Village Green, 901 Wellington Ave



#### PACE DIAL-A-RIDE ANSWERS FROM RECENT Q&A SESSION



Pace provides curb-to-curb Dial-A-Ride bus service to Elk Grove residents Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and Saturday from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Fares for a one-way trip are \$1.30 per person, with a discounted fare of \$.65 for senior citizens (ages 65 or older) and disabled residents. To schedule a pickup or for more information, please call (847) 299-6212.

Pace representatives recently came out for a Q & A session at the Sheila Ray Center. Check out these list of questions answered at the January meeting:

#### How long does it take for a Pace Dial-A-Ride bus to arrive?

Pace Dial-A-Ride delivers rides within one-hour of a call from residents with a 95% success rate.

#### How do I report an issue with service or staff for the Pace Dial-A-Ride Program?

Please report any issues to Pace Passenger Services at 847-364-7223 or <u>passenger.services@pacebus.com</u> so that the issue can be looked into and addressed promptly.

#### Does the Dial-A-Ride service area for Elk Grove Village include the west side?

YES. Pace Dial-A-Ride service is offered throughout the Village, except to the industrial park.

#### What if I'm trying to get somewhere outside of the Village?

Riders can use Pace Dial-A-Ride to connect to a standard Pace bus stop. If you are trying to figure out how to reach a certain destination, Pace Passenger Services (847-364-7223) can help you identify the best connections and transfers to get there.

#### Do dispatchers use an electronic routing program?

Yes, dispatchers for Pace Dial-A-Ride use an electronic dispatch system.

#### How many Dial-A-Ride buses are supposed to be out in Elk Grove Village?

The Village contracts with Pace for Dial-A-Ride services based on the requirement that rides are available within one hour of a request and not based on the number of buses operating at any time.

#### Will the fare price be changing in the future?

Elk Grove Village supports the Pace Dial-A-Ride program and has no intention of raising the price for this service.

#### Can I use Ventra on Pace Dial-A-Ride?

No, it is not yet possible to use Ventra for Dial-a-Ride service.

#### I heard Pace Dial-a-Ride is changing providers—will there be a new number or any other changes to the service?

Beginning April 1, 2016, there will be a change to the vendor providing Pace Dial-A-Ride services based on a recent public bid of the contract. The service itself will operate exactly the same, using the same phone numbers and the same service expectations.

#### Will the new service provider mean a change to my driver or dispatcher too?

Pace does not control whether a service provider chooses to retain existing employees, or whether employees choose to apply to work for the new provider. If you want to support a driver or dispatcher during this transition, you can call Pace at 847-364-7223 to give a commendation.



#### 2017 – 2018 Vehicle Stickers due June 1

Vehicle stickers will be available for purchase on Monday, April 10, 2017. In our ongoing effort to provide exceptional customer service, the Village has implemented a new Vehicle License software system with an updated application. To preview the new form, please visit our website, <a href="https://www.elkgrove.org">www.elkgrove.org</a>, and click on Forms and Applications to preview the new Vehicle License Application.

During our first year of implementation, we anticipate needing additional time to process your transaction and ensure it is processed accurately. We kindly request your patience during your visit to renew your Vehicle License. To avoid waiting in line, residents and businesses are highly encouraged to renew by mail, or utilize the 24-hour drop box, located at Village Hall.

The fee schedule for vehicle stickers remains the same as last year:

Passenger Cars - \$25

Trucks - \$50 - \$155

Motorcycles - \$20 - \$25

Recreational Vehicle - \$30 Senior, Handicap, or Antique - \$3

Senior citizens 65 years and older, handicapped persons with a handicap plate or permanent placard registered to the vehicle owner, and disabled veterans can purchase vehicle stickers at the reduced rate of \$3.00 with proof of ownership of vehicle and age/disability (limit of two qualifying discounts per household per year). Stickers must be displayed in the lower right-hand corner of the windshield before June 1. Vehicles that do not have a sticker displayed by June 1, or within thirty days of purchase, and are registered or housed within Elk Grove Village are subject to citations and fines per Village Code 6-2-2.

Vehicle stickers can also be purchased in person at the Finance Department counter, Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m., and the first Saturday of every month from 9:00 a.m. until noon, excluding holiday weekends.

As a reminder, the Village no longer requires Pet Tags, as most animals have microchips and/or personal tags with their name, address and phone number.

#### CITIZEN'S FIRE ACADEMY

The Fire Department will be hosting its Citizen's Fire Academy for Elk Grove Village residents and Elk Grove business employees interested in learning more about the Fire Department and its operations.

This six-week program will take place on Thursday evenings from 6pm to 9pm at Fire Station #8, 1000 Oakton Street.

Topics to be covered include: Calling 911, Special Teams Operations, Fire Extinguisher Training, Auto Extrication, Hose Evolutions, Emergency Medical



Services/CPR, and Disaster Preparedness. Participants will tour the training tower, learn basic first aid skills, and use specialized tools and equipment to better understand the types of conditions encountered by firefighters. All students will also be fitted with a set of protective clothing to use during the course of the academy. The program will culminate with an evening of hands-on simulations.

The first session will be held on April 6. All participants must complete an application form and provide a release of liability prior to the start of class. Class size is very limited. To apply, contact the Fire Department Public Education Team at FireDepartment@elkgrove.org or call 847-734-8027.



#### DOOR TO DOOR SOLICITORS

All persons seeking to solicit within our Village, other than religious or political organizations that are protected under the First Amendment, are required to apply for a Certificate of Registration with the Village. This does not include people who are exclusively distributing flyers. Although the Village registers solicitors it does not endorse or support the company or product being solicited.

Village Ordinance requires the individual to apply with the Village Clerk's Office prior to doing any door-to-door business in the Village. The Village reviews the application and conducts a background check of each individual. Upon approval, the applicant is issued a Solicitor Identification Card, which must be visibly displayed at all times while soliciting in the Village. Identification cards include a photo of the solicitor, their name and permit expiration date. Additionally, picture ID cards for the current solicitors can be viewed on the Vilage website under the "Residents" tab and with the My Elk Grove Village mobile app (see page 12 for details). Uninvited solicitors or suspicious individuals should be reported immediately by calling 9-1-1.

No solicitor, whether registered with the Village or not, is permitted to engage in "soliciting" prior to 9 a.m. or after 8 p.m. Monday through Saturday, or at any time on Sundays or on a state or national holidays.

Residents may display a "No Solicitor Invited" sign upon or near the main entrance door of their residence as notice to any solicitor that the occupant does not wish to interact with the solicitor. "NO SOLICITORS INVITED" decals are available at the Village Clerk's Office. Please contact the Village Clerk at 847-357-4040 for further information.

## STAYCONNECTED



#### E-NOTIFICATIONS

Get the most complete and up-to-date news from the Village with notifications right to your inbox. You can choose to receive notifications on construction updates, community news, special events and our e-newsletter, which features a monthly round-up of the latest news!



#### **EMERGENCY ALERTS**

Get the most complete and up-to-date news from the Village with notifications when information is posted to our website. Sign up and choose to receive emails on construction, community news, special events or other categories.



#### **FACEBOOK**

Connect and interact with the Village on Facebook! Like our page to view pictures, news, events and more in your Facebook news feed.









#### BE SAFE, STAY SEEN--TIPS FOR PEDESTRIANS & CYCLISTS AT NIGHT



We've been experiencing some unseasonably warm weather, which is very inviting for both walking and cycling. While enjoying the warm weather, it is easy to forget that it still gets dark very early this time of year! Please consider these safety tips as you walk or cycle in the evening hours:

- Use Reflective Gear Wear reflective gear when out at night, this will help drivers see you and keep you safe. Reflective gear should be worn in as many places as possible--consider using tape on your shoes, hat or helmet and wearing a reflective vest or armband. If you are cycling, add reflective tape to your bike pedals to help draw attention to your movement.
- Use Lights Carry a flashlight, wear a blinking light, if you are biking use a bright white light on the front of your bike and a red light in the back.
- Know Your Route Stay on well-lit, low-traffic streets as much as possible while you are out. Plan your route before you head out so that you do not get stuck on a dark and potentially dangerous road.

#### 2017 BLOOD DRIVES AT VILLAGE HALL

The Village in partnership with Lifesource will be hosting several blood drives in 2017. Schedule an appointment at <a href="https://www.lifesource.org">www.lifesource.org</a> or by calling 877-543-3768. The drives will be held at Village Hall between 8 a.m. and 12 p.m. on the following dates:

April 1, 2017

July 29, 2017

November 4, 2017

#### RECYCLING CFL BULBS, BATTERIES & HOLIDAY LIGHTS AT VILLAGE HALL

The Community Development counter accepts CFL light bulbs, batteries, and holiday lights for recycling. Recently we have had items coming in damaged or not properly prepared, which can pose a hazard to residents and staff, as well as impact the efficiency of the recycling process. Please keep in mind the following guidelines when bringing in items:

Compact Fluorescent Light Bulbs (CFL's):

- Place bulbs in a zip-lock-type bag
- Please do not bring in broken bulbs. Broken bulbs cannot be accepted and should be disposed of in your household trash. For safety steps on cleaning up a broken CFL bulb, visit <a href="mailto:epa.gov/cflcleanup">epa.gov/cflcleanup</a>.
- LED light bulbs (commonly sold now) and incandescent bulbs are not accepted

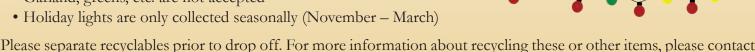
Household alkaline batteries (AA, AAA, C, D, 9V) and rechargeable (NiCd, NiMh, lithium ion, lithium polymer) batteries:

- Separate alkaline from rechargeable
- Tape contact points only on rechargeable batteries
- Do not place batteries in individual bags
- Please do not bring in batteries leaking acid
- Only residential batteries are accepted, not large quantities from businesses/institutions
- Car, marine or other liquid batteries are not accepted

#### Holiday Lights:

- Remove any clips, attachments, or decorations from the string of lights
- Garland, greens, etc. are not accepted





the Environmental Health Division at 847-357-4240 or visit the SWANCC website at www.swancc.org.



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# STAY IN TOUCH WITH "MY ELK GROVE VILLAGE" SERVICE REQUEST SYSTEM

My Elk Grove Village is your tool to stay in touch with the Village. This new system offers a simple way to submit issues, request services, comment to and receive updates from the Village. This service request system is for non-emergency requests and is only monitored during normal business hours.

Service requests are routed to the appropriate department for action based on the request submitted, such as "Street Light Out" or "Construction Concern". Village staff then respond and you can track the progress of requests on the Village website or mobile app, as well as receive e-mail updates.

#### Accessing the System

• Smartphone App - Download the "My Elk Grove Village" app from the App Store or Google Play Store. The smartphone app also offers additional tools, such as quick access to bill payment, construction updates, e-notifications, and answers to frequently asked questions on Village programs and services.



- Village Website -Visit www.elkgrove.org and click the "Contact Us" button.
- Facebook Click "Contact Us" on Village Facebook page (<u>www.facebook.com/elkgrovevillage</u>).

#### Submitting a Request

- Select a category for your request. Selecting a category helps us make sure the request gets to the right staff member. If you choose a general category, it may slow staff response time.
- Enter a location (if necessary). Enter an address or use a pin on the map to identify location, if needed. If reporting an issue without an exact address (such as an intersection), move the pin on the map to identify the correct location, the system will automatically fill in the closest address.
- **Describe your request** and fill in any additional fields, attach a photo if desired.
- · Click Submit.

#### Tips:

- Attach a photo of the issue if possible, it can speed the time to process your request.
- Do not put personal contact information into the request field, as it may be published on the Village website, instead, create an account to keep track of your requests and receive updates.
- Enable Location Services on your mobile device, and the app will automatically fill in your current address for reporting an issue.





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Village Hall is open 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday for payment of water bills, local fines, vehicle stickers and general Village information

In addition, the Finance counter is open on the first Saturday of each month from 9:00 a.m. to noon, and the Community Development counter is open on the first Saturday of the month of May through September from 9:00 a.m. to noon.

Village Board meetings are generally held on the second and fourth Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

#### ELK GROVE VILLAGE VOTED BEST CITY/TOWN TO LIVE

On Friday, April 28, the Daily Herald released the results of its annual Readers' Choice Awards, which allows thousands of readers to nominate and vote on the best of the suburbs in a variety of categories, from restuarants, to entertainment and more.

Elk Grove Village is proud to announce that our Village was voted the Best City/ Town to Live In by the Daily Herald Readers, receiving the top overall community award. A number of Village establishments were also recognized as part of the Readers' Choice Awards in various categories.

The Village is very gratified by this recognition, as we work hard to be the Exceptional Community, and to provide an Exceptional quality of life for our residents.

#### Local Businesses Support Veterans

The Village would like to thank the following local businesses who made generous contributions in support of installing an elevator for our local veterans at the VFW Hall:



- Northstar Foods, Inc.
- Wyndham Garden Hotel
- Comcast
- Wintrust Bank
- Southeast Construction & Masonry
- Lyons & Pinner Electric Companies
- Medical Center Dental Associates
- Red Caffeine
- Sonic Manufacturing Corporation
- Ali Yun Wali Allah Shia Islamic Center
- Phoenix Binding Corp.
- Chicago Waterjet, Inc.
- O'Hare Mechanical Contractors, Inc.
- Bella's
- Grove Memorial Chapel

- Forsythe Technology, Inc.
- DF Property Management, LLC
- Civiltech Engineeering, Inc.
- Martam Construction, Inc.
- Swallow Construction Corporation
- Hanover Displays, Inc.
- Johnny Rockets Fireworks
- Duratrack
- A.J.R Industries
- Performance Auto Center
- Andrea Koshaba, Thulin & Associates
- Capitol Glass & Architectural Metals
- Action Electric, Inc.
- Johnson Insurance Agency
- Gerard Printing Company

The Village truly appreciates the support of these businesses as we work as a community to take care of our local veterans.

To contribute, please call the Village 847-357-4030 or drop a check off at the Administration counter on the 2nd floor of Village Hall.

#### MESSAGE FROM THE BOARD

As excited as we always are to ring in a new year, we're always happier to see the summer weather finally returning to the community. The nicer weather means not only that we can finally enjoy a walk outside, but it also means we see more of our friends and neighbors, whether at the park, at a community event, or simply working out on the front lawn. Summer is made for enjoying all that our community has to offer, and we're pleased to have some great events in store for you again this year.

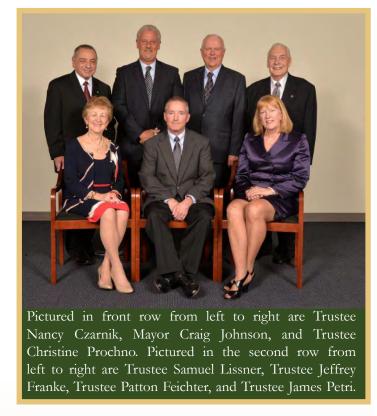
First, we wanted to thank our CERT members and others who volunteered to help run the Village's first Earth Day Recycling Event. With their help, the Village was able to recycle: 4,650 gallons of latex paint, 2,100 gallons of oilbased paint, 400 gallons of motor oil, 100 gallons of antifreeze, 500 CFL bulbs, and much more! Paint was by far the most popular item-- we collected 37 gallons of paint per minute! We understand that due to the popularity of the event some residents were not able to participate, and we look forward to setting up another event in the future to offer this unique new service to residents.

We have another recycling event coming up soon--June 4 is our annual Electronics Recycling & Document Destruction event, held at Fire Station 8 at 1000 Oakton. Details on this event can be found on page 3.

June is just around the corner and that means we're getting ready for the Hometown Parade! This year's theme is Storybook Land and we're excited to see all the creative entries for the annual parade. The parade will be on June 17 at a new time - 2:00 p.m. The parade will run the same route, on Elk Grove Boulevard from Tonne to Lions Drive, ending at the annual RotaryFest! Find more information about the parade And RotaryFest on page 4.

Summer also means the Elk Grove Farmers Market will be starting up again! Come out on Saturday mornings to the Village Green at 901 Wellington, near the clock tower to purchase fresh produce, breads, jams and other vendors while enjoying different entertainment every week. Check out page 5 for more information.

As always, we are looking forward to another exciting Mid-Summer Concert Series! You can find the lineup on page 9. For the first time, Friends of Cycling has offered to host



a FREE bike valet as part of the concert series. You can find out more about the hours on page 8.

Another exciting event is going to be Play, Picnic & Party on Sunday, July 16. Last year's joint Village/ Park District anniversary celebration was so popular, that we have decided to bring it back this year! Check out page 12 for more details on this familyfriendly event sponsored by the Village, Park District and Library.

Aside from events, with the warmer weather we often notice more airplane noise with the windows open and being outdoors more. You recently received a Suburban O'Hare Commission (SOC) newsletter detailing the weekly rotation for the second Fly Quiet Overnight Runway Rotation Test. Elk Grove Village continues to work on behalf of our residents to advocate for this and other Good Neighbor policies at O'Hare Airport. You can find out more about the test at <a href="https://www.airportprojects.net/">www.airportprojects.net/</a> flyquiettest.

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





#### Memorial Day Ceremony

Residents are invited to join in observance with the event at the 20th annual Memorial Day Ceremony hosted by Elk Grove Village, with the support of American Legion Post 216, VFW Post 9284 and its Ladies Auxiliary. The ceremony will be held indoors, rain or shine.

Memorial Day Ceremony Monday, May 29, 10:45 a.m. Elk Grove Park District Pavilion 1000 Wellington Avenue

The event will include Placing of Wreaths by community organizations, a flagfolding ceremony by the Police and Fire Honor Guard, as well as a gun salute and a performance by the Elk Grove Village Big Band. Refreshments will follow the ceremony.

If you have any questions, please contact the Village Clerk's Office at (847) 357-4040.

#### **ELECTRONICS RECYCLING & DOCUMENT DESTRUCTION EVENT**

On Saturday, June 4, the Village is hosting an Electronics Recycling and Document Destruction Event in conjunction with the Solid Waste Agency of Northern Cook County (SWANCC). Residents drive up in their vehicles and workers will unload paper documents and electronics.

#### Saturday, June 3, 9 am - Noon Fire Station 8, 1000 Oakton Street

#### Electronics Guidelines

Electronics, such as computers, cameras, power tools, printers, small home appliances and televisions (all types) are accepted. For a complete list, please visit the Village website: <a href="https://www.elkgrove.org/SWANCC">www.elkgrove.org/SWANCC</a>.

#### Document Destruction Guidelines

Residents are limited to six file-size boxes or paper shopping bags. Staples and paper clips are acceptable, but binders should be removed. Do not bring paper in plastic bags.

#### Who can Participate?

The event is open to Elk Grove residents and residents of other SWANCC communities. IDs will be checked for proof of residency. Materials from businesses, institutions or schools will not be accepted.

#### More Information

For more information about this event, or other electronics recycling events in the areas, visit <a href="www.elkgrove.org/">www.elkgrove.org/</a> <a href="www.elkgrove.org/">SWANCC</a> or contact the Village Manager's Office at 847-357-4010.

The event will proceed rain or shine, however in the event of severe weather conditions, the event may be canceled.

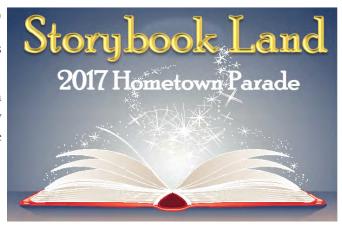
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#### HOMETOWN PARADE: STORYBOOK LAND

Please join us in celebrating the 2017 Hometown Parade! This year's parade theme is "Storybook Land".

Come out and help us bring our favorite stories to life from classic tales such as Alice in Wonderland, Pinocchio, and Beauty and the Beast to today's modern day classics such as Where the Wild Things Are, Charlotte's Web, and Harry Potter.

2017 Hometown Parade Saturday, June 17, 2017 at 2:00 p.m. Elk Grove Boulevard, Tonne to Lions Dr



Retired Elk Grove Police Chief Stephen Schmidt has been selected as the 2017 Grand Marshal, in honor of his many years of service both as Police Chief and as an active member of the Elk Grove community. Find out more about the parade, including how you can sign up to participate, online at <a href="https://www.elkgrove.org/parade">www.elkgrove.org/parade</a>.

#### ROTARYFEST 2017, JUNE 14 - JUNE 18

RotaryFest will kick off the summer season on Father's Day weekend, Wednesday, June 14 through Sunday, June 18. There will once again be a large carnival, entertainment, and a great selection of food. RotaryFest offers Free Parking, Free Admission, and a Smoke-Free Family Environment! Concerts will include:

School of Rock Rob Post Band 7th Heaven Cowboy Jukebox Suburban Cowboys

Exit 147

16 Candles

Recycle The Day
The Twisters
Hillbilly Rocksterz

Hillbilly Rockstarz

Hi Infidelity

The Fortunate Sons





In addition to the live music, you can enjoy a variety of carnival rides and games and sample a great selection of food! RotaryFest will also include the 4th Annual Elk Grove Rotary Club Car Show on Friday, June 16, from 7pm - 9pm

For more information, please visit www.elkgroverotaryfest.com.

#### HELP KEEP OUR STORM WATER CLEAN!

Storm water runoff is rainwater that runs off rooftops, lawns, driveways and streets in our community. As it flows, it picks up dirt, leaves and grass clippings, pesticides and fertilizers, oil, litter and other harmful contaminants. All of these pollutants are carried by storm water through storm drains into our creeks and rivers and ultimately into Lake Michigan.

There are simple ways that residents and businesses can all help in reducing the amount of these pollutants that



enter our creeks and rivers:

- Don't dump used motor oil, antifreeze, or other hazardous materials on the ground or into sewers. Recycling programs are available for these hazardous materials and many service stations accept motor oil for recycling.
- When cleaning your driveway, dock, or parking lots, use a broom instead of water and dispose of debris in the trash; not in the street or storm sewer.
- Don't dump branches, leaves or grass clippings along creek beds, in open ditches, or in the street.
- Minimize the use of herbicides, pesticides and fertilizers. Native plants lessen the need for herbicides.
- Pick up litter to prevent it from getting washed into the storm sewers and eventually into our waterways.
- Cover piles of dirt and wood mulch fand sweep up debris--don't wash it into the street.

For more information on how to help keep our storm water clean, contact the Public Works Department at 847-734-8800.

#### ELK GROVE FARMERS MARKET OPENS JUNE 3

The Elk Grove Farmers Market continues! The Elk Grove Farmers Market is dedicated to bringing residents and visitors alike a wonderful Saturday market with a tempting variety of fresh fruits, vegetables, spices, breads, drinks and much more.

Elk Grove Farmers Market Saturdays, 7:30am - 1pm June 3 - October 14

The Market is located at the Charles J. Zettek Municipal Complex parking lot (901 Wellington Ave.), adjacent to the Elk Grove Public Library and across the street from the Park District Pavilion.



Find information on weekly entertainment and special activities on the Farmers Market Facebook Page at <u>Facebook</u>. com/ElkGroveFarmersMarket

#### SALT CREEK CLEAN-UP

The Salt Creek Watershed Network is holding its annual Salt Creek Clean-Up and volunteers are needed to help restore Salt Creek to its natural state and keep this precious natural resource clean and attractive.



Saturday, June 3, 9:00 a.m. - Noon Elk Grove High School Parking Lot 500 W Elk Grove Boulevard

Over the past 23 years, this program has cleaned up 75 cubic yards of garbage from the creek, including bicycle and car parts, construction material and other debris.

Volunteers can meet at the Elk Grove High School parking lot at 9 a.m. For information, please contact Nick Nikola by email at <a href="mailto:creekguy@att.net">creekguy@att.net</a> or by phone at 847-828-1141.



Raffle Grand Prize: 2017 Chevy Corvette

**Donated By:** 



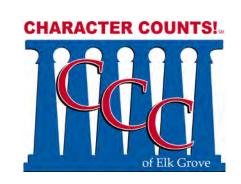


\$10 per ticket or 3 for \$20

Proceeds benefit building an elevator at the Elk Grove Village VFW Post #9284

Drawing to be held at the Mid Summer Classic Concert July 25, 2017 at the Elk Grove Village Hall 901 Wellington Avenue, Elk Grove Village

Buy Tickets Online at CCCeg.org





#### HOMEOWNERS BEWARE - EDUCATE AND PROTECT YOURSELF

One of the biggest responsibilities we face as homeowners is the maintenance and upkeep of our property and possessions. Significant financial expenditures come with such maintenance and often problems occur when you least expect or can afford them.

Unfortunately, unethical opportunists are out there looking to take advantage of those unfamiliar with the scope of work and how much money actually needs to be invested to resolve the issue.

The Village cannot protect homeowners from contractors who convince them to have unnecessary work done, or from contractors who charge an unreasonable amount of money for a particular type of work. However, we can offer some suggestions to help safeguard yourself.

If you have the need for maintenance work of any kind, be sure you make an informed decision when choosing a contractor:

- Talk to your friends and neighbors to see whom they may recommend, either to hire or to avoid.
- Get at least two or three quotes from different contractors.
- Call the Village (847-357-4220) to see if the contractor(s) you are considering have the appropriate business licenses and up to date credentials with the Village.
- Discuss the work to be done with your contractor and do not be afraid to ask questions.
- If something doesn't sound quite right or doesn't make sense, call the Department of Community Development at 847-357-4220. Our experienced building, engineering and health personnel will be happy to discuss your concerns.

#### **ELK GROVE VFW POST 9284**

Did you know that Elk Grove Village has its own Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) post? Post 9284, which has been a part of Elk Grove Village since 1964, works to foster camaraderie among United States veterans of overseas conflicts. It also works to advocate for veterans, as well as serve its local community. The non-profit organization is located at 400 E. Devon Ave., which is open daily to the public from 12:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. The local post can be reached by phone at (847) 439-9284.

Veterans who are interested in joining the Elk Grove Village post can either bring their DD214 to the post location or mail a copy of their DD214 to Attn: Marvin Zuege, 400 E. Devon Ave., Elk Grove Village, IL 60007. Post 9284 offers free membership to first year members.



In addition to serving veterans and the local community, the VFW owns and operates a bar at their post location, which is open during regular business hours (daily, 12:30 – 9:30 p.m.). Post 9284 also hosts a fish fry every Friday (11:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. for lunch and 5:30 – 9:00 p.m. for dinner). Both the bar and the weekly fish fry are open to the public. There is an upstairs banquet space that is available for rental. Inquiries can be directed to Marty Heidenreich or Carrie Havell at (847) 439-9284.

To learn more, visit the Elk Grove VFW Facebook page by searching "Elk Grove VFW Club 9284" on Facebook.

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#### MID-SUMMER CLASSICS CONCERT SERIES UPDATE

Elk Grove's 9th annual Mid-Summer Classics Concert Series will begin on July 4. For the safety, comfort and convenience of attendees, please remember that <u>the use of tables, tarps, blankets or construction tape are no longer permitted at the concerts</u>. Chairs and coolers are still welcome and encouraged.

The full concert lineup can be found on the opposite page. Information on parking, chair setup time, and other updates on the concerts will be posted on the Village website (<u>www.elkgrove.org/concerts</u>) as it becomes available. We hope to see you there!



#### Free Bike Valet at the Concert Series

Friends of Cycling in Elk Grove (FCEG) is offering a FREE Bike Valet at the Mid-Summer Classics Concert Series:

Take advantage of this convenient service and don't forget to wear

July 4 at Rotary Green 4pm - 20 minutes after fireworks July 11, 18 & 25 at Village Green

6pm - 20 minutes after concert

a helmet and reflective clothing and bring bike lights for the ride home! As a reminder, when cycling at night, Illinois requires a rear red reflector and white front light visible up to 500 feet.

Find out more at www.elkgrove.org/bikevalet.

#### TEST YOUR CYCLING SAFETY KNOWLEDGE!

National Bike Month is a celebration of cycling held every May. Elk Grove Village is a growing bike-friendly community and we encourage residents to dust off their bikes from the winter and get out and enjoy the beautiful spring weather!

As part of National Bike Month, the Village is proud to encourage safe and responsible cycling in the Village. Cyclists and motorists alike can test their safety knowledge online at <a href="https://www.bikesafetyquiz.com">www.bikesafetyquiz.com</a>.



#### EGTV Now on Roku!

Elk Grove Television has officially launched its channel on the Roku streaming service. Anyone who has a Roku TV or streaming appliance can simply search for "EGTV" in the channel search area of the Roku homepage and then add EGTV to their line-up.

The channel works just like the <u>egtv.viebit.com</u> on-demand page by featuring both live streaming of EGTV and on-demand videos of everything EGTV produces. The channel is free once the Roku appliance is purchased. Interested viewers can find out more about the Roku system by going to <u>www.roku.com</u>.



### The Village of Elk Grove & Elk Grove Park District Proudly Present MID-SUMMER CLASSICS CONCERT SERIES

FOUR ON THE 4TH - TUES, JULY 4, 5:30 P.M. AT ROTARY GREEN

THE GUESS WHO, APPROX 7:45PM - "Shakin' All Over", "These Eyes", "Laughing", "Undun", "No Time", "American Woman", and more.

MITCH RYDER, APPROX 7:00PM - "Devil With A Blue Dress On", "Good Golly Miss Molly", "Jenny Take A Ride!," "Sock It To Me-Baby"

ORLEANS, APPROX 6:15PM - "Dancin' In The Moonlight", "Dance With Me", "Still The One", "Love Takes Time", "Let There Be Music"

AMBROSIA, APPROX 5:30PM - "How Much I Feel", "Biggest Part Of Me", "You're The Only Woman" (You & I), "I Just Can't Let Go"



#### CREEDENCE CLEARWATER REVISITED - TUES, JULY 11, 7:30 P.M.

Creedence Clearwater Revival founding members, Stu Cook and Doug "Cosmo" Clifford have been on quite a ride. Over 47 years ago, Creedence Clearwater Revival headlined at the Woodstock Music Festival. That year, 3 of their albums were top 10 on the rock music charts and the group had 4 top 3 singles. Following their induction into the Rock & Roll Hall of Fame, Cosmo and Stu launched their Creedence Clearwater Revisited project in 1995, to again perform live in concert the touchstones of a generation.



#### RODNEY ATKINS - TUESDAY, JULY 18, 7:30 P.M.

Atkins' first album included the #4 hit "Honesty (Write Me a List)". The first two singles off his second album, "If You're Going Through Hell (Before the Devil Even Knows)" and "Watching You" were ranked as the top country songs of 2006 and 2007. The album produced two more #1 singles in "These Are My People" and "Cleaning This Gun (Come On In Boy)". It's America (2009) included the #1 single "It's America" and the top 5 hit "Farmer's Daughter". Take a Back Road (2011) produced his sixth #1 in its title track.



#### KOOL & THE GANG - TUESDAY, JULY 25, 7:30 P.M.

Kool & The Gang has sold over 70 million albums and influenced the music of three generations. Songs like "Celebration",

"Cherish', "Get Down On it", "Ladies Night", "Summer Madness", and "Fresh", earned them 2 Grammy Awards, 7 American Music Awards, 25 Top Ten R&B hits, 9 Top Ten Pop hits, and 31 gold and platinum albums. Kool & The Gang has performed for the past 45 years and their bulletproof funk and jazzy arrangements have made them the most sampled band of all time.



#### SPECIAL THANKS TO THE SUPPORTERS OF THIS FREE CONCERT SERIES:









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**Free Concert Series** 

July 4 at Rotary Green, 164 Lions Dr, east of Lions Park July 11, 18 & 25 on the Village Green, 901 Wellington Ave



### Villager

#### MAY IS MOTORCYCLE SAFETY MONTH

To see or not to see, that is the question. The roadways are clearing up, the sun is up longer, and the world is waking up from its winter hibernation. It is time to re-adjust our driving habits. Gone is the season of just seeing trucks and cars driving around the roadways of Elk Grove. Now we need to be aware and see the smaller two wheel varieties, motorcycles. The Harley, the Yamaha, the Suzuki, or the occasional Ural with a sidecar. Whatever the variety, we need to remind ourselves to remember to look for and see these vehicles.



#### Reminders for Drivers:

Please remember that motorcycles are a lot smaller than cars and can be difficult to see. Most are required to have a headlight on when the ignition is on. Some older models or custom models may not have this option.

A common occurrence in a motorcycle versus car crash is the car pulling out or turning in the path of the motorcycle. Often times the driver claims to have never seen the motorcycle. Before pulling out or turning take the time to look twice. Make sure to look for all types of vehicles on the roadway.

#### Reminders for Motorcycle Operators:

Remember your conspicuity! Conspicuity is the ability to be seen by others. Bright colors, retroreflective vests, modulating headlights, or just headlights. All of these help your ability to be seen by the rest of the motoring public.

Also, remember that the braking ability of a motorcycle is fundamentally different from the car you've been driving all winter. Many operators prefer to use the rear brake only. They falsely believe that using the front brake could increase the potential for flipping, and using just the rear brake is safer. When in fact the front brake is the primary brake of a motorcycle. Just think of what happens when you slow. Think how you weight shifts putting more weight on the front tire and less on the rear. If only the rear brake is used, the braking distance is drastically increased. To get the best braking out of a motorcycle remember to use proper combination braking using the front and rear brake.

Please travel safe and enjoy the spring and summer!



#### DISTRACTED DRIVING AWARENESS

May is also Distracted Driver Awareness Month, and any discussion of distracted driving must include scourge of our modern roadways: The Smart Phone.

In the information age we are all connected, and many seem to think that it is necessary to stay connected via cell, text or social media, even while driving. It is easy to forget that taking your eyes off the road to answer a text risks your own safety, as well as the safety of your passengers, pedestrians, and others on the roadway.

Illinois has enacted many laws in attempts to minimize distracted driving. The Illinois Vehicle Code prohibits a person from driving while using a hand-held electronic communication device. The goal is to keep eyes on the road and the mind mentally aware of our surroundings so crashes are minimized as much as possible.

Please take some time to review information about distracted driving at <a href="https://nhtsa.gov/risky-driving">nhtsa.gov/risky-driving</a>.



#### INTRODUCING PROPERTY SEARCH ON COMMUNITY PORTAL

With changes in technology progressing every day, Elk Grove Village continues to look for avenues to improve the ways in which it conducts business, both internally and externally. Recently, through its membership in the Geographic Information System (GIS) Consortium, Elk Grove Village launched the Community Portal tool on the Village website. Users can simply type in an Elk Grove Village address to experience the Community Portal.



Discover more about where you live and your community.

Community Portal links valuable, everyday information to a specific property address, using GIS. Users are able to easily explore property tax information, confirm garbage/recycling collection days, locate voting information and learn about local zoning and taxing districts. The Community Portal is a one-stop for property information that is easily accessible on the Village website 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

Users are encouraged to check back to the Village's Community Portal from time to time, as we expect to expand the data and information available.

Visit <u>www.elkgrove.org/CP</u> or click "Community Portal" in the Residents Tab of the Village website to get started on a Community Portal Property Search today.



### "My Elk Grove Village" Service Request System



#### REPORT ISSUES FASTER

See an issue? Snap a photo, report it to the Village, and receive updates from staff.



#### COMMUNICATE DIRECTLY

Comment on reported issues to request and provide any additional information.

My Elk Grove Village offers a simple way to submit issues, request services, comment to and receive updates from the Village. Connect with the Village today:

- Download the "My Elk Grove Village" app on your smartphone (apple or android)
- Click "Contact Us" on our website (<u>www.elkgrove.org/contactus</u>)
- Click "Contact Us" on our Facebook Page (<u>facebook.com/elkgrovevillage</u>)



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Village Hall is open 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday for payment of water bills, local fines, vehicle stickers and general Village information.

In addition, the Finance counter is open on the first Saturday of each month from 9:00 a.m. to noon, and the Community Development counter is open on the first Saturday of the month of May through September from 9:00 a.m. to noon.

Village Board meetings are generally held on the second and fourth Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

#### Play, Picnic & Party on Sunday, July 16



Enjoy an action-packed day with FREE activities for the whole family at this special event co-hosted by the Village, Park District and Library!

Play, Picnic & Party Sunday, July 16, Noon - 5pm Village Green, Pavilion & Library

This event began last year as part of the Village's 60th anniversary celebrations, but we enjoyed it so much that we decided to bring it back!

Visit the Village Green to eat a picnic lunch and explore touch-a-truck! Discover exciting activities on the Park District's Pavilion Fields. Stop by the Library for an ice-cream social, and paper rocket launch.

See Page 6 for more information on planned activities.

#### LOCAL BUSINESSES SUPPORT VETERANS

The Village thanks all the businesses who made generous contributions to support the community's efforts to install an elevator at the Elk Grove VFW Hall:

- Northstar Foods, Inc.
- DF Property Management, LLC
- Amita Health
- Wyndham Garden Hotel
- Comcast
- Wintrust Bank
- Southeast Construction & Masonry
- Lyons & Pinner Electric Companies
- Medical Center Dental Associates
- Red Caffeine
- Sonic Manufacturing Corporation
- Ali Yun Wali Allah Shia Islamic Center
- Phoenix Binding Corp.
- Chicago Waterjet, Inc.
- O'Hare Mechanical Contractors, Inc.
- Bella's
- Gerard Printing Company

- Forsythe Technology
- Gullo International Development Corp.
- Civiltech Engineering, Inc.
- Martam Construction, Inc.
- Swallow Construction Corporation
- Hanover Displays, Inc.
- Johnny Rockets Fireworks
- Duratrack
- Sebert Landscaping Company
- A.J.R. Industries
- Performance Auto Center
- Andrea Koshaba, Thulin & Associates
- Capitol Glass & Architectural Metals
- Action Electric, Inc.
- Grove Memorial Chapel
- Johnson Insurance Agency

To contribute, please call the Village 847-357-4030 or drop a check off at the Administration counter on the 2nd floor of Village Hall.

#### MESSAGE FROM THE BOARD

As residents know, summer is the busiest time for Village activities. We enjoy the opportunity to bring family and friends together to share all that this community has to offer.

Among our recent events was the annual Electronics Recycling and Document Destruction Event, hosted by the Village with the Solid Waste Agency of Northern Cook County (SWANCC). We want to thank our CERT members and others who volunteered to assist with this annual event. Thanks to the work of our volunteers and staff, we were able to serve almost 700 vehicles and collect over 48,000 lbs of electronics for recycling!

If you missed the recycling event, there is no need to wait until next year to get rid of that old TV! Village residents can recycle electronics for free at weekly drop-off locations in Hoffman Estates, Mount Prospect and Glenview. For more details, please see page 3.

We also want to thank all those who planned and participated in the annual Hometown Parade. We really enjoyed seeing all of the creative floats from the Storybook theme, it is always a pleasure to see how the efforts of the community come together to make a very special parade.

There are tons of events still to come! Don't forget, the Elk Grove Farmers Market continues all summer! Come out on Saturday mornings to the Village Green at 901 Wellington, near the clock tower to purchase fresh produce, breads, jams and check out other vendors while enjoying entertainment every week. Check out page 3 for more information.

As always, we are looking forward to another exciting Mid-Summer Concert Series! You can find the lineup on page 11. For the first time, Friends of Cycling has offered to host a FREE bike valet as part of the concert series. You can find out more about the hours on page 10.

Another exciting event is going to be Play, Picnic & Party on Sunday, July 16. Last year's joint Village/Park District anniversary celebration was so popular, that we have decided to bring it back this year! Check out page 6 for more details on this family-friendly event sponsored by the Village, Park District and Library.

We are also very excited about kicking off our long-range infrastructure plan, Elk Grove 2025: Reinvesting for the



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

Future. The kick-off for the program was at the June 15 ground-breaking for the improvements and renovations to the Biesterfield Public Works Facility. The upgrades to this facility, along with the many infrastructure projects planned over the next 8 years, are setting the stage for the continued growth and success of our community. You can read about the groundbreaking on page 4, learn about residential infrastructure projects planned for 2017 on page 5, and about business infrastructure projects planned for 2017 on page 13.

If you're planning improvements of your own or considering some home maintenance, don't miss the tips for home renovations on page 7 or details on property maintenance requirements on page 8. As always, please feel free to call the Community Development Department at 847-357-4220 with questions on these topics.

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



#### OKTOBERFEST SAVE THE DATE

Save the date for the Village's 2nd annual Oktoberfest! Enjoy German food, music and beer, and much more at this fall celebration. Entertainment will include Phenix Band on Friday night and Paloma on Saturday night.

Friday & Saturday, Sept. 29-30, 2017 6:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m. Rotary Green, 164 Lions Drive

Planning is ongoing to make this event even better than last year! More details will be posted as they become available at <a href="www.elkgrove.org/">www.elkgrove.org/</a>
Oktoberfest.





#### ELK GROVE FARMERS MARKET

The Elk Grove Farmers Market is dedicated to bringing residents and visitors alike a wonderful Saturday market with a tempting variety of fresh fruits, vegetables, spices, breads, drinks and much more.

Elk Grove Farmers Market Saturdays, 7:30am - 1pm June 3 - October 14

The Market is located at the Charles J. Zettek Municipal Complex parking lot (901 Wellington Ave.), adjacent to the Elk Grove Public Library and across the street from the Park District Pavilion.

Find information on weekly entertainment and special activities on

the Farmers Market Facebook Page at Facebook.com/ElkGroveFarmersMarket.

#### FREE ELECTRONICS DROP-OFF LOCATIONS!

Did you know Village residents can recycle electronics at several permanent drop-off locations provided through the Solid Waste Agency of Northern Cook County (SWANCC)?

The following locations, some open year-round, are also **FREE** and often require **NO WAITING** to dispose of your electronics!

Hoffman Estates Village Hall, 1900 Hassell Road Mondays: 10:00 am - 12:00 pm, April - November Only

Mount Prospect Public Works, 1700 W Central Road Wednesdays: 10:00 am - 12:00 pm, April - October Only

**Glenview Transfer Station**, 1151 N River Road Saturdays: 9:00 am - 11:30 am, Open Year-Round



Permanent locations will be closed on holidays, as posted at <u>www.swancc.org</u>, where you can also find details on these drop-off locations and accepted materials.



#### GROUNDBREAKING KICKS OFF ELK GROVE 2025 CONSTRUCTION

On Thursday, June 15, Elk Grove Village broke ground on renovations and additions to the Public Works Biesterfield Facility. This groundbreaking marked the commencement of the Elk Grove 2025 Long-Range Infrastructure Plan.

The planned work, comprising a multi-purpose Public Works Biesterfield Facility, includes a complete façade overhaul of the existing building; interior renovations to the existing building to improve operations; the addition of a salt barn to serve the western portion of the



community; additional storage space; landscape enhancements; parking lot rehabilitation; and the creation of a small nursery.

Earlier this year, the Mayor and Board of Trustees established Elk Grove 2025 to meet the Village's needs today and well into our future. This long-rage capital plan includes public facility improvements, road improvements, streetscaping, bicycle/pedestrian projects, and drainage projects.

The upgrades to this Public Works facility, along with the many infrastructure projects planned over the next 8 years, are setting the stage for the continued growth and success of our community. For more information, please visit <a href="https://www.elkgrove.org/2025">www.elkgrove.org/2025</a>.

#### RUMOR VS. FACT: ELK GROVE 2025

- **RUMOR:** The Village has forced Berthold's Nursery to vacate their property and close their business.
- FACT: The sale of Berthold's Nursery was a mutually agreed upon transaction, which was beneficial to both parties. Both the Village and the owners of Berthold's Nursery were extremely satisified with the outcome of the agreement.
- RUMOR: The Village has no good reason to sell Fire Station #8 on Oakton.
- **FACT:** The sale of Fire Station #8 is anticipated to tie into a larger redevelopment. This proposed redevelopment, information on which will be shared as it becomes available, provides an opportunity for the Village to consider combining Fire Station #9 on Greenleaf and Fire Station #8 on Oakton into a new, consolidated Fire Station. This consolidation will not only allow for improved operations, but will save money long-term on maintenance and upkeep costs.

The value of the land under Fire Station #8 alone is almost equal to its original construction cost approximately 20 years ago, without considering the value of the facility, which will be taken into account in the sale price. Additionally, the Village is saving money that would otherwise have to be reinvested into Station #9, which is over 45 years old, has reached the end of its design life, and is generally manned by one (1) engine and only three (3) staff. This consolidation will also return two properties to the tax roll.



#### 2017 RESIDENTIAL INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENTS

The following residential infrastructure improvements are scheduled for construction this summer. The projects represent the first stages of the Village's long-range capital plan Elk Grove 2025: Investing for the Future. The Department of Public Works will oversee each project and strives to minimize any inconvenience to the public. We thank you in advance for your patience and understanding during these important improvements.

Details for each of these projects will be posted on the Village's website. Project updates will be posted on the website throughout the duration of the projects; you may also sign up for construction e-notifications by visiting the following link: <a href="https://www.elkgrove.org/enotify">www.elkgrove.org/enotify</a>.

#### Clearmont Drive and Cypress Lane Water Main Replacement

The Village will be replacing the existing water main along Clearmont Drive from Westview Drive to Cypress Lane and along Cypress Lane from Walnut Lane to Reverend Morrison Boulevard. The project includes the installation of a new 12" water main, residential service connections, pavement patching, and landscape restoration. The project is anticipated to begin construction later this summer. Please check the Village website for a schedule of temporary road closures during construction of these improvements.

#### **Brick Crosswalk Reconstruction**

This summer, the existing brick paver crosswalks will be removed and replaced at the following locations: the intersections at Wellington Avenue and Somerset Lane, Wellington Avenue and Berkenshire Lane, Cosman Road and Chelmsford Lane, and both Cosman Road crossings north of Chelmsford. All crosswalks will be reconstructed with new concrete base and bricks. Please check the Village's website for a schedule of temporary lane restrictions during construction.

#### Leicester Road Reconstruction - Biesterfield Rd to Wellington Ave

Leicester Road from Biesterfield Road to Wellington Avenue will be reconstructed this summer. The project is anticipated to begin in early July and be completed by mid-November. The project includes full depth pavement removal and replacement, curb, sidewalk and driveway apron removal and replacement, new water main installation, repairs to the existing storm sewer system and landscaping restoration. The work will be staged to ensure access to Alexian Brothers Medical Center and residential properties remains available throughout the duration of the project. Traffic detour signage will be posted to assist motorists around the work. Temporary road closures will be posted on the Village website.

#### Bike with the Mayor - Saturday, July 22

Join Mayor Craig B. Johnson and Friends of Cycling in Elk Grove (FCEG) on a family-friendly bike ride around Elk Grove Village! The Mayor will lead cyclists of all ages on a 5 mile bike ride through the Village. The ride will start and end at the Elk Grove Historical Museum parking lot, 399 Biesterfield Road. This is a FREE event. A helmet is required to participate. Regsiter at <a href="https://www.elkgrove.org/bikewithmayor">www.elkgrove.org/bikewithmayor</a>.

9 a.m. to 10 a.m.: Registration and Bike Safety Checks

10 a.m. to 11 a.m.: Bike with the Mayor

11 a.m. to 12 a.m.: Refreshments and Games

Bike with the Mayor is organized by the Friends of Cycling in Elk Grove (FCEG) and the Elk Grove Park District, with assistance from the Elk Grove Village Police Department.

# Play, Picnic & Party

#### FREE activities will include:

Eurobungy

**Zipline** 

Touch-A-Truck

K-9 Demonstrations

Mini Golf

Giant Slide

Obstacle Course

Super Splash Glide

**Glitter Tattoos** 

**Balloon Artist** 

**Bounce House** 

Bubbles

Spikeball

**Arts & Crafts** 

Paper Rocket Launch

**Speed Stacking Cups** 

## Find an updated activity list and interactive event map at: <a href="https://www.elkgrove.org/play">www.elkgrove.org/play</a>



# Play, Picnic & Party on Sunday, July 16th!

Time: Noon - 5pm

**Location: Village Green (901 Wellington)** 

Pavilion (1000 Wellington)
Library (1001 Welllington

Enjoy an action-packed day for the whole family with this special event co-hosted by the Village, Park District and Library!

Visit the Village Green to eat a picnic lunch, explore touch-a-truck, and enjoy a giant slide, glitter tattoos and balloon animals!

Discover exciting recreational activities on the Park District's Pavilion Fields and enjoy a concert by Spoken Four at 3pm!

Stop by the Library for an ice-cream social, craft activities, paper rocket launch, and a pet adoption event!

Bring a picnic lunch or buy food at Family-Friendly Prices:

Hot dog, Chips & Drink - \$2.00 Hamburger, Chips & Drink - \$2.50

Bike valet will be available courtesy of Friends of Elk Grove Cycling.

The Event will take place rain or shine!

We recommend families attend together since some activities require a signed waiver to participate. Please note: activities and performances may be scheduled to change.



#### HOME RENOVATIONS

Thinking of renovating your house but not sure where to start? Below are steps to help guide you through the process.:

**Step 1 - Make a list!** Write down your ideas and goals for your home. You may also want to draw out plans to get a visual idea of the renovation. Ask yourself: How do I want my house to look? Which rooms would I like to renovate first?

**Step 2 - Hire your contractor!** If you need help with the renovations, your next step is to find professional contractors to do the work. Hiring



a professional contractor is of utmost importance in order to protect your peace of mind and your renovation. Use online resources and reviews or ask your neighbors to see if they can refer you to a trustworthy contractor. A minimum of three bids are recommended to compare price and scope of work along with references to ensure quality. Be leery of deals that sound too good to be true and always ask questions.

**Step 3 - Get Permits!** Once you have chosen your contractor, it is important that a construction permit is obtained from the Village. Be sure to have the contractor apply for all applicable building and/or engineering permits with the Village. Once permits are acquired, inspections will be performed by the Village to ensure the renovations are compliant with current codes, standards, and restoration practices. Ask questions and maintain open communication with your contractor and Village inspectors. At the end of your project, be sure to get a waiver of lien from the contractor as proof of payment in full.

Following these three easy steps will help to make your projects a positive experience. Please contact the Community Development Department at 847-357-4220 with questions on permitting or inspections.

#### COOKOUTS ARE FUN IF DONE SAFELY

Hot dogs and burgers cooked on the grill are tastes hard to beat. The Elk Grove Village Fire Department reminds you that outdoor cooking can also lead to tragedy when carelessness causes serious burns. Use common sense and remember to cook safely:

- Be cautious with charcoal lighter fluid, use it on coals only before the fire is lit. If you try to make a fire bigger by adding more fluid, the heat of the coals can ignite the stream of liquid and burn back into the can, causing it to explode in your hands.
- Never use gasoline to start or freshen a fire. Gasoline is explosive and much too dangerous to use on grills.
- Place grills where they will not tip over or ignite objects above them. Do not use on balconies or under awnings.
- Never use a grill inside. The carbon monoxide produced by charcoal can be dangerous in an enclosed space.
- Have a container of water or garden hose ready to extinguish a fire.
- Keep children away from fires and grills. They may try to climb on the grill to see what is cooking.
- If outdoor cooking burns anyone, cool the burn with water immediately. Cover the burn with a clean cloth and seek emergency help. Call the Elk Grove Village Fire Department at 911.
- Always soak coals after cooking. Coals that have not been soaked can re-light a day later.
- Keep damp or wet coals in a well-ventilated area. During the drying process, spontaneous combustion can occur in confined areas. If a bag of charcoal gets wet, leave it outside, away from the house.



# RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY MAINTENANCE INSPECTION PROGRAM IS UNDERWAY

Village Inspectors have begun conducting inspections in your neighborhood to ensure properties are maintained to the standards set forth in the code. Inspections are conducted from the sidewalk, adjacent streets or from the property itself where permission is granted.



Want to make sure your home is up to code? Here's a handy list!

Address Numbers should be seen from the street, numerals or letters shall be 4 in. high x 0.5 in. wide.
Exterior Surfaces must be free of holes and rotting materials, properly painted, and water proofed.
Doors must be in good condition and weather-tight.
Windows & Frames should be free of cracks or holes, must be in good condition and weather-tight.
Roofs should not have missing shingles, signs of sagging, or any defect that allows water to leak through.
Gutters must be in good condition, anchored to the roof with leaders and downspouts properly connected, and free of obstruction.
Accessory Structures such as decks, sheds, detached garages, fences, porches, pools and retaining walls must be structurally sound and in good condition.
Trees and Bushes cannot overhang the public sidewalk.
Driveways and walkways must be kept in good condition, no severe cracks, deterioration or settlement that might create a tripping hazard.
Brick Veneer must be structurally sound and have no missing bricks, mortar or excessive cracks.
Right-Of-Way Obstructions are not permitted on your property with the exception of mailboxes.

## GARBAGE CAN ETIQUETTE

Garbage, refuse or recycling containers and lawn waste bags are to be placed out for pick up no earlier than 6:00 p.m. on the day prior to the scheduled pick-up, and must be removed by 7:00 p.m. the day of pick-up. Cans awaiting collection are to be placed at the curb of the residential property, not in the street. Garbage stored or placed for pick-up must be arranged in a way that it cannot be blown or scattered by the wind. Cans may only be stored on the side or rear of the home; the front of the garage is not an approved storage area.



## WATER SUPPLY CONSUMER CONFIDENCE REPORT

Each year public service water suppliers issue a report known as the Consumer Confidence Report (CCR). The CCR contains information regarding the public service water supplier's water sources (i.e., rivers, lakes, reservoirs, or aquifers) any detected contaminants, compliance and educational information.

Elk Grove Village's 2016 Consumer Confidence Report is now available and can be viewed by going to the following web address: <a href="www.elkgrove.org/2016WaterReport">www.elkgrove.org/2016WaterReport</a>.



Raffle Grand Prize: 2017 Chevy Corvette

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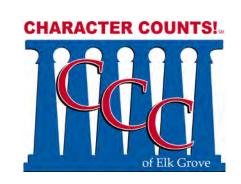


\$10 per ticket or 3 for \$20

Proceeds benefit building an elevator at the Elk Grove Village VFW Post #9284

Drawing to be held at the Mid Summer Classic Concert July 25, 2017 at the Elk Grove Village Hall 901 Wellington Avenue, Elk Grove Village

Buy Tickets Online at CCCeg.org





## MID-SUMMER CLASSICS CONCERT SERIES UPDATE

Elk Grove's 9th annual Mid-Summer Classics Concert Series will begin on July 4. For the safety, comfort and convenience of attendees, please remember that <u>the use of tables</u>, <u>tarps</u>, <u>blankets or construction tape are no longer permitted at the concerts</u>. Chairs and coolers are still welcome and encouraged.

The full concert lineup can be found on the opposite page. Information on parking, chair setup time, and other updates on the concerts will be posted on the Village website (<a href="www.elkgrove.org/concerts">www.elkgrove.org/concerts</a>) as it becomes available. We hope to see you there!

## FREE BIKE VALET AT THE CONCERT SERIES

Friends of Cycling in Elk Grove (FCEG) is offering a FREE Bike Valet at the Mid-Summer Classics Concert Series. Take advantage of this convenient service and don't forget to wear a helmet and reflective clothing and bring bike lights for the ride home!

July 4 at Rotary Green 4pm - 20 minutes after fireworks

July 11, 18 & 25 at Village Green 6pm - 20 minutes after concert

As a reminder, when cycling at night, Illinois requires a rear red reflector and white front light visible up to 500 feet.

Find out more at www.elkgrove.org/bikevalet.



### NATIONAL SAFETY AWARENESS MONTH

In honor of National Safety Awareness Month, we invite residents and visitors to join in the mindful practice of safety. When you routinely think of safety, it becomes a priority rather than an afterthought. The Elk Grove Village Police Department offers the following tips to help safeguard your home and reduce its vulnerability to burglary:

- Lock all exterior doors in your home when you are away or at home. Keep sliding patio doors locked.
- Invest in a quality deadbolt lock set for front and back doors.
- Lock windows and secure them in their track so they don't slide up. Pin-locks can accomplish this task.
- Close your garage door if you are not working outside.
- Lock doors to your vehicles; keep items of value out of sight. Do not leave your car running unattended.
- Secure your vehicle and home keys inside the home rather than leaving them in the car or garage.
- Trim bushes so they do not block visibility of windows from the street allowing a burglar to remain un-detected.
- Keep bushes trimmed on your backyard fence line so neighbors can help watch the back of your home.
- Use outdoor lighting in front and back. Consider motion activated lighting for additional emphasis.
- Install an alarm/camera system for added security.

Please report any and all suspicious activity or people that you see in your neighborhood. Do not hesitate to call 911 for a police response. For any additional questions feel free to call Crime Prevention at (847) 357-4152.

# The Village of Elk Grove & Elk Grove Park District Proudly Present MID-SUMMER CLASSICS CONCERT SERIES

FOUR ON THE 4TH - TUES, JULY 4, 5:30 P.M. AT ROTARY GREEN

THE GUESS WHO, APPROX 7:45PM - "Shakin' All Over", "These Eyes", "Laughing", "Undun", "No Time", "American Woman", and more.

MITCH RYDER, APPROX 7:00PM - "Devil With A Blue Dress On", "Good Golly Miss Molly", "Jenny Take A Ride!," "Sock It To Me-Baby"

ORLEANS, APPROX 6:15PM - "Dancin' In The Moonlight", "Dance With Me", "Still The One", "Love Takes Time", "Let There Be Music"

AMBROSIA, APPROX 5:30PM - "How Much I Feel", "Biggest Part Of Me", "You're The Only Woman" (You & I), "I Just Can't Let Go"



## CREEDENCE CLEARWATER REVISITED - TUES, JULY 11, 7:30 P.M.

Creedence Clearwater Revival founding members, Stu Cook and Doug "Cosmo" Clifford have been on quite a ride. Over 47 years ago, Creedence Clearwater Revival headlined at the Woodstock Music Festival. That year, 3 of their albums were top 10 on the rock music charts and the group had 4 top 3 singles. Following their induction into the Rock & Roll Hall of Fame, Cosmo and Stu launched their Creedence Clearwater Revisited project in 1995, to again perform live in concert the touchstones of a generation.



## RODNEY ATKINS - TUESDAY, JULY 18, 7:30 P.M.

Atkins' first album included the #4 hit "Honesty (Write Me a List)". The first two singles off his second album, "If You're Going Through Hell (Before the Devil Even Knows)" and "Watching You" were ranked as the top country songs of 2006 and 2007. The album produced two more #1 singles in "These Are My People" and "Cleaning This Gun (Come On In Boy)". It's America (2009) included the #1 single "It's America" and the top 5 hit "Farmer's Daughter". Take a Back Road (2011) produced his sixth #1 in its title track.



## KOOL & THE GANG - TUESDAY, JULY 25, 7:30 P.M.

Kool & The Gang has sold over 70 million albums and influenced the music of three generations. Songs like "Celebration",

"Cherish', "Get Down On it", "Ladies Night", "Summer Madness", and "Fresh", earned them 2 Grammy Awards, 7 American Music Awards, 25 Top Ten R&B hits, 9 Top Ten Pop hits, and 31 gold and platinum albums. Kool & The Gang has performed for the past 45 years and their bulletproof funk and jazzy arrangements have made them the most sampled band of all time.



## SPECIAL THANKS TO THE SUPPORTERS OF THIS FREE CONCERT SERIES:









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**Free Concert Series** 

July 4 at Rotary Green, 164 Lions Dr, east of Lions Park July 11, 18 & 25 on the Village Green, 901 Wellington Ave

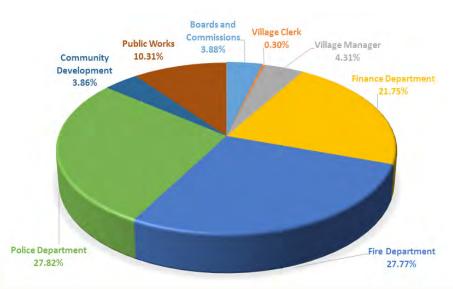


## VILLAGE BOARD APPROVES FISCAL YEAR 2018 BUDGET

On April 26, 2016, the Mayor and Village Board approved the Fiscal Year 2018 Budget in the total amount of \$135,971,206. The General Fund budget, which contains most of the Village's traditional services such as Fire, Police and Public Works, was approved at \$65,984,110.

is experiencing Grove Village continued financial progress stability through an increase of business development activity. The 2016 industrial vacancy rate stands at an uprecendent low of 3.98%. As a result, the General Fund has experienced positive balances for the past several years. This is predominately resulting from rising sales taxes as well as building permit fees. In January 2017, the Village issued industrial building permits for new construction in excess of \$100 million in value. Over 175,982 square feet of industrial space is currently under construction with another 1.5 million square feet planned for construction starting in the spring of 2017.

## **FISCAL YEAR 2018 OPERATIONAL EXPENDITURES**



After having celebrated its 60th birthday, the Village Board is planning for the future with a new capital program entitled: "Elk Grove 2025." This program is an 8-year, \$100 million capital investment program designed to prepare the community for its next 60 years. The Elk Grove 2025 Program involves repurposing Fire Stations and Public Works facilities as well as rehabilitating streets, improving residential corridors, replacing public sidewalk, enhancing pedestrian mobility, adding roadway lighting, facilitating storm water drainage and similar items.

The Village continually explores innovative methods of delivering services in a cost effective manner. In keeping with the Village's commitment to high and consistent standards, the Fiscal Year 2018 Budget was guided by the goal of enhancing customer service for both residents and the Village's business park.

## NEW GRANT PROGRAM FOR DISABLED HOMEOWNERS

The North West Housing Partnership has announced a new home accessibility program for homeowners in Cook, DuPage and Kane counties. This program is funded by the Illinois Housing Development Authority (IHDA) to help homeowners address long over-due home accessibility issues that affect the health or safety of their families.

Low Income Homeowners may qualify for a grant up to \$25,000 in home modification, performed by professional contractors. The Grant is Forgivable after 5 years.

Examples of eligible improvements include: grab bars, chair lift, handicap accessible showers, lowering cabinets, widening doorways, ramps, and walk-in shower.

Households must meet income and other eligibility guidelines. Call 847-969-0561 or visit <u>www.nwhp.net</u> for more details and to see if you qualify.





# ELK GROVE Business Matters

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Village Board meetings are generally held on the second and fourth Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

# 2017 BUSINESS INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

The following business infrastructure improvements are scheduled for construction this summer. The projects represent the first stages of the Village's long-range capital plan Elk Grove 2025: Investing for the Future. Details for each project will be posted on the Village's website.

The Department of Public Works will oversee each project and strives to minimize any inconvenience to the public. We thank you in advance for your patience and understanding during these important improvements.

### 2017 Rail Crossing Improvements

The Village will rehabilitate 12 railroad crossings within the Business Park this summer. The rail crossings scheduled for improvement include Greenleaf Avenue, Lunt Avenue, Pratt Boulevard (east and west of Busse Road), Arthur Avenue and seven railroad crossings along Lively Boulevard between Devon Avenue and Landmeier Road.



These proposed railroad improvements will consist of the removal and replacement of the existing rail ties and ballast, rails, and rubber or concrete panel interface with full depth asphalt crossing. The rail crossing construction will take place this summer and will require the complete closure of each crossing for approximately one to two weeks. The crossing improvements will be staged to ensure that no two adjacent streets are closed at the same time. Traffic detour signage will be posted to assist motorists around the project sites. Please check the Village website for a schedule of temporary road closures during construction of these improvements.



## Ditch Improvements - Bennet Road

This project will consist of tree clearing operations and re-establishing the flow and the installation of new continuous welded line within the ditch north of Bennet Road. The project will begin later this summer. Affected businesses will be notified in advance of work beginning in their area.

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# Business Matters

## BUSINESS INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENTS, CONT.

## Ditch Clearing - Tonne Road to Busse Road

This project consists of 18.9 acres of tree clearing along ditch banks, landscape restoration, and all incidental and collateral work necessary to complete the improvement. The area that will be cleared is within the Business Park boundary of Tonne Road to the west, Landmeier Road to the north, Busse Road to the east and Devon Avenue to the south. The project is anticipated to begin construction later this summer.

## Crossen Avenue Water Main Replacement

The Village will be replacing the existing water main along Crossen Avenue from Brummel Street to just north of Oakton Street. The project includes the installation of a new 16" water main, fire hydrants, pavement patching, curb removal, and landscape restoration. The project is anticipated to begin construction later this summer. Temporary road closures will be posted on the Village website.

Updates will be posted on the website throughout the duration of the projects; you may also sign up for construction e-notifications by visiting the following link: www.elkgrove.org/enotify.



## VILLAGE HOSTS BUSINESS LEADERS FORUM

The Village is excited to continue developing the recently formed Business Leaders Forum and invites local businesses to consider joining.



The BLF is a collaboration between the Village and the business community to leverage the collective business expertise and resources present in the community.

With business occupancies at an all-time high, the Village developed the BLF concept to ensure that business owners and operators have the tools they need to accelerate the growth of their companies. The BLF creates a safe environment where professionals at all levels of their development can learn from one another and from outside experts on current trends in business. The BLF is unique in that it is a public private partnership where knowledge is transformed into action.

#### The BLF Strives to:

- Foster collaboration and alignment between the Village and the business community
- Enhance communication between the Village and business community
- Grow local ventures by adding value and supporting a culture of innovation and learning

The BLF has a full schedule of networking and knowledge sharing events planned for 2017.

If you are a current business owner or an aspiring local entrepreneur and are interested in participating, contact Josh Grodzin, Director of Business Development and Marketing at 847-357-4005 or igrodzin@elkgrove.org.

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Today, YOU can rent and use desk space, private offices, conference rooms, pop-up showrooms, classrooms, or other outstanding facilities at 75 Turner Avenue, off of Devon Avenue and Arlington Heights Road in Elk Grove Village.

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## VILLAGE WELCOMES NEW BUSINESSES

Earlier this month, Village officials attended ribbon-cutting ceremonies to welcome two new businesses into the community:



### MC Machinery Systems, Inc.

MC Machinery Systems, a subsidiary of the Mitsubishi Corporation, held a ribbon cutting for their new North MC American Headquarters at 85 Northwest Point Blvd. MC Machinery is a manufacturer of metalworking and metal fabrication machines They built a state of the art facility in less than a year. Village officials attended the ribbon cutting and toured the new 176,000 square foot facility.

The facility includes large equipment showrooms, which look out onto I-90, traning facilities to help customers learn how to use the machines, a call center for customer support, office space and storage for replacement parts. This new facility will be home to 225 employees.

#### Mixx Hair Salon

Mixx Hair Salon held its ribbon-cutting and grand opening for their new Elk Grove Village location on Thursday, June 1. This new salon "mixes" the talent of two Elk Grove salons in one location.

Mixx Hair Salon is located at 53 Turner Avenue in a 1400 squre foot space with a 10 station salon and color bar.

We are always excited to welcome new businesses to the Village, and just as eager to support our existing businesses. We encourage residents to join us in supporting local businesses, old and new, as a vital part of our community!





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# ELK GROVE COMMUNITY RAISES OVER \$175,000 TO INSTALL ELEVATOR AT LOCAL VFW HALL



On Veterans Day last year, the Village, in partnership with the Community Character Coalition, announced the Vette for Vets Car Raffle, a fundraising effort to install a much-needed elevator at the Elk Grove VFW Hall. The fund raising goal was set at \$150,000, which was the estimated cost of this accessibility upgrade for local veterans. We are proud to announce that the community exceeded the goal in support of our local veterans!

On Tuesday, August 15, 2017, The Village Board and Community Character Coalition of Elk Grove presented a check for \$178,953.58 to members of VFW Post 9284 Veterans. These funds include not only money raised from the Vette for Vets raffle (see page 4) but also many generous donations from the Elk Grove business community.

Mayor Craig Johnson reached out to many local businesses, and who dug deep when they heard what the fundraising was for and sent in \$85,000 in donations.

The Village sincerely thanks Castle Chevrolet North, the Community Character Coalition, as well as the many local businesses who made generous contributions to support our local veterans.

## **OKTOBERFEST TICKETS NOW ON SALE!**

Enjoy German food, music and beer at this second annual fall celebration! Admission is free of charge. Advanced food and drink tickets can be purchased online for 20% off until September 26, 2017 at www.elkgrove.org/Oktoberfest.



Friday & Saturday, Sept. 29-30, 2017 6:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m. Rotary Green, 164 Lions Drive

Thank you to the Elk Grove Rotary Club for their assistance in running the event.

More information is available on page 12.

# Villager

## MESSAGE FROM THE BOARD

As summer comes to an end, we are proud to say that we've had another spectacular season of community events!

Thousands attended the concert series this July, which featured Ambrosia, Orleans, Mitch Ryder, The Guess Who, Rodney Atkins, Creedence Clearwater Revisited, and Kool & the Gang. We are able to keep this annual concert series free to attend, due in part to the unique partnership and support of the Elk Grove Park District, the Elk Grove Public Library, Elk Grove High School and our corporate sponsors. Their generous support helps the Village set the standard for the highest quality in community entertainment. Additionally, the concert series would not be possible without our volunteer CERT members, who help maintain a safe and family-friendly environment for concert goers. Thank you to all of our partners and volunteers in helping us put on another great concert series!

This summer's concert series was extra special, because it coincided with a community effort to raise funds to install an elevator at the Elk Grove VFW Hall. We are so proud to be part of a community that supports our veterans, and came together to raise over \$175,000, exceeding the goal for the elevator project. We would especially like to recognize Castle Chevrolet North, whose donation of a Corvette for the Vette for Vets Raffle made this project possible, to the Community Character Coalition, who did all the hard work of running the raffle, and to the many local businesses who made generous contributions in support of our local veterans. You can read more about the fundraising efforts on page 1 and about the raffle on page 4.

In addition to the concert series, the Village, Park District and Library co-hosted the 2nd annual "Play, Picnic & Party" family-friendly celebration, which was attended and enjoyed by many residents.

While summer may be ending, we still have more events planned. The Village's 2nd annual Oktoberfest will take place on September 29 & 30. We've been working hard to make some adjustments to this year's event, to make it even better than last year! More information on Oktoberfest, including ticket pre-sales can be found on page 12.

With the school year underway, the Village wants to remind motorists to be aware of pedestrians and cyclists



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

in crosswalks, and remember that school zone speed limits are now in effect. Additionally, in honor of National Preparedness Month, you can find some back to school preparedness tips on page 5.

Fall is just around the corner, and that means it will soon be time for our 2017 Fall Leaf Collection Program! Please remember that it is important not to rake your leaves in the street until the afternoon prior to your collection date. Leaves raked into the street too early can cause drainage issues for your entire subdivision. A list of program guidelines and a schedule for your leaf collection dates can be found on page 8.

If you know someone who may need help raking their leaves or doing other chores outside the house, Elk Grove High School students are once again offering to provide these services to those that are not able to do it themselves with their Fall Clean Up program. More information on this program can be found on page 3.

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



## FIRE DEPARTMENT OPEN HOUSE

The Elk Grove Fire Department will host its annual open house on Sunday, October 15 at Fire Station 7 on Biesterfield Rd., adjacent to the Village Hall.

Residents are invited to check out the Fire and EMS apparatus on display and watch live demonstrations by firefighters. Kids will enjoy a kids firefighter challenge, an inflatable fire safety house, photo booth, and a fire pole!

# Sunday, October 15, 1 p.m. - 4 p.m. Fire Station 7 at 101 Biesterfield Road

The Elk Grove Police Department will hold K-9 demonstrations and have a squad car available for kids to explore. Representatives from NICOR gas, Northwest Central Dispatch, and Alexian Brothers Hospital will also be on hand to answer questions and hand out information.

We hope you and your family will be able to stop by and learn more about your local fire department and fire safety!



# BE SAFE, STAY SEEN--TIPS FOR PEDESTRIANS & CYCLISTS AT NIGHT

As the end of summer approaches, it's important to remember that even though the weather is great for walking and cycling, it starts to get dark earlier each day!

Please consider these safety tips as you walk or cycle in the evening hours:

- Use Reflective Gear Wear reflective gear when out at night, this will help drivers see you and keep you safe. Reflective gear should be worn in as many places as possible-consider using tape on your shoes, hat or helmet and wearing a reflective vest or armband. If you are cycling, add reflective tape to your bike pedals to help draw attention to your movement.
- Use Lights Carry a flashlight and wear a blinking light. If you are biking use a bright white light on the front of your bike and a red light in the back.
- Know Your Route Stay on well-lit, low-traffic streets as much as possible while you are out. Plan your route before you head out so that you do not get stuck on a dark and potentially dangerous road.



Elk Grove High School is once again offering the Fall Clean Up program. Students are volunteering to do lawn clean up, flowerbed clean up, leaf raking and window washing for those who are not able to do it themselves.

The first 24 respondents will be provided a 45-minute time slot to complete the requested tasks on Friday, October 27. For further information and to schedule an appointment call Community Services at 847-357-4120.







## BLOOD DRIVE AT VILLAGE HALL

The Village has partnered with Lifesource to host several blood drives in 2017. The last blood drive of 2017 will be held on Saturday, November 4, at Village Hall between 8 a.m. and 12 p.m.

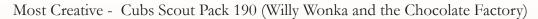
Schedule an appointment at www.lifesource.org or by calling 877-543-3768.

### 2017 Hometown Parade

On Saturday June 17, 2017, Elk Grove Village held its annual Hometown Parade with the theme "Storybook Land". We appreciate all the enthusiasm and dedication that was put into the parade by all participants. As you can see from the Village's float (pictured right), we really got into the spirit of the theme this year!

Thank you to everyone who participated and helped plan this great event and congratulations to the winners of the 2017 Hometown Parade Awards:

Spirit Award - Girl Scout Service Unit 406 (Dr. Seuss, Peter Pan, 101 Dalmatians)



Best Theme - Elk Grove Village Public Library (Harry Potter)

Congratulations, and we look forward to seeing your efforts next year!



## ELK GROVE RESIDENT WINS VETTE FOR VETS CAR RAFFLE

Elk Grove Village wrapped up its 9th annual "Unity Within The Community" Mid-Summer Classics Concert Series with a performance by Kool & the Gang on the Village Green.

During the concert, Robert "Kool" Bell, drew the winning ticket belonging to Elk Grove resident Gary Spragg. Gary joined Kool & the Gang on stage and was played off to their classic hit "Celebration".



The "Vette for Vets" Car Raffle raised money to construct a much needed elevator at the Elk Grove VFW Hall (see page 1). The raffle would not have been possible without the generosity of Joe Castelbuono, Tony Castelbuono and Bob Politza, the owners of Castle Chevrolet North, who donated the Corvette to help support local veterans. The Village sincerely thanks Castle Chevrolet North for donating the Corvette and the Community Character Coalition of Elk Grove for running the raffle.

Congratulations to Gary Spragg, who drove away from the Castle Chevrolet North on Arlington Heights Road in a brand new 2017 Chevy Corvette!



## INCLUDE EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS IN BACK-TO-SCHOOL PLANS

As families begin the new academic year, the Illinois Emergency Management Agency (IEMA) and local Emergency Management Agencies across the state are encouraging parents to include emergency preparedness in their back-to-school plans.

## Back-to-School Planning Tips:

- Find out where children will be taken in the event of an evacuation during school hours.
- Ensure your current emergency contact information is on file at your child's school.
- Pre-authorize a friend or relative to pick up your children in an emergency and make sure the school ready. Illinois gov knows who that designated person is.
- Teach children with cell phones about 'Text First, Talk Later.' Short, simple text messages, such as "R U OK?" and "I'm OK," are more likely to get through than a phone call if phone service is disrupted following an emergency. As phone congestion eases, you can follow up with a phone call to relay more information.

Students headed off to college also need to be prepared for emergencies. Many college campuses offer email and text messages to alert students of potential dangers, such as severe weather and other threats. In addition, make sure your child knows the emergency plans for their dorm or apartment building.

Additional preparedness information is available on the Ready Illinois website at www.ready.illinois.gov.





#### E-NOTIFICATIONS

Get the most complete and up-to-date news from the Village with notifications right to your inbox. You can choose to receive notifications on construction updates, community news, special events and our e-newsletter, which features a monthly round-up of the latest news!



#### EMERGENCY ALERTS

Get the most complete and up-to-date news from the Village with notifications when information is posted to our website. Sign up and choose to receive emails on construction, community news, special events or other categories.



#### FACEBOOK

Connect and interact with the Village on Facebook! Like our page to view pictures, news, events and more in your Facebook news feed.









# My Elk Grove Village Service Request System



## REPORT ISSUES QUICKLY

See an issue? Snap a photo, report it to the Village, and get updates from staff.



## COMMUNICATE DIRECTLY

Make comments on issues to provide more information or ask questions.

## CRIME FREE HOUSING PROGRAM

The Crime Free Housing Renewal Licenses are due for renewal as of September 30, 2017. Renewal applications for the 2017/2018 licensing year will be mailed on September 1, 2017. The Crime Free Housing program fosters a partnership between property owners, managers, agents, and the Village.

The Elk Grove Village Crime Free Housing Program is designed to enable tenants, owners, and managers of rental properties to reduce unsuitable activities on their property, which influence resident's quality of life. Single-family rental properties and multi-housing residential properties are included in this program.

The program has three requirements:

- 1. Annual license fee with the submission of a rental application, which identifies those responsible for the property and tenants;
- 2. Property inspection at the rental property; and
- 3. Attendance at a Crime Free Housing Seminar, a training program taught by the Police and Community Development Inspection Departments.

The Village is confident that among the many benefits we will see are: improved personal safety for tenants and landlords; a stable and more satisfied tenant base keeping property values up; and an increased demand for quality rental units.

For more information regarding this program or to download an application for your rental property, please visit <u>www.elkgrove.org/crimefree</u>. General information about the Crime Free Housing program is also available by calling Officer Ed Thomas at 847-357-4151.





## ELK GROVE FIRE DEPARTMENT RECOGNIZED BY FLIGHT FOR LIFE

On July 20, 2017, the Elk Grove Village Fire Department was recognized by Flight For Life Transport System with the 2016 Scene Call of the Year Award. This award recognizes the advanced accident scene management and decision making skills that enabled first responders to quickly determine that air medical transport was necessary to provide the patient with the best chances for a positive outcome.

This recognition was received for work on a single vehicle crash with a very complicated and extensive extrication - from both the underside



and roof of the vehicle - that required extreme accuracy and communication to maintain the safety of the entrapped patient. This call illustrated the overall importance of critical thinking and decision-making with the ability to think outside the box, teamwork, communication, situational awareness, use of resources, training, scene coordination and management.

The actions of all involved, including the Elk Grove Village Fire Department, Arlington Heights Fire Department, Northwest Central Dispatch Center, Illinois State Police, Elk Grove Village Police, Cook County Sheriff's Police, Cook County Forest Preserve Police, and Flight For Life personnel, provided this patient the best chance for survival and recovery.

## **OUTDOOR FIREPLACE SAFETY**

Outdoor Fireplaces are permitted for use in Elk Grove Village subject to the following requirements, which ensure that fires are enjoyed safely and responsibly:

- All units must be assembled according to the manufacturers requirements (lid and screen must be in place).
- When in use, the unit shall be placed on a noncombustible surface and positioned away from any structure or combustible object.
- Only seasoned hard woods shall be used. Rubbish, refuse, yard waste and the like shall not be burned.
- Fires must be maintained at a reasonable size. Smoke emitted from the outdoor fireplace shall not infringe on any neighbor's health, safety, comfort, or quiet enjoyment of his residence.
- Fires must be attended to by an adult at all times and shall be immediately and completely extinguished when finished.
- Outdoor fireplaces shall not be utilized during periods of high wind velocity.
- A portable fire extinguisher, water pail, or connected garden hose shall be kept near the fireplace while in use.
- Any fire which is deemed a nuisance or a hazard by the Elk Grove Village Fire or Police Department must be extinguished upon request.



# Villager

## 2017 FALL LEAF COLLECTION PROGRAM

During the months of October and November, the Village offers residents convenient disposal of their Fall leaves through the Public Works Department. The Village is divided into sections, and each section receives four (4) leaf collection dates. The scheduled collection dates and a map depicting the Village sections are shown below. If you choose to bag your leaves, the normal rules for yard waste disposal will apply. Only paper yard waste bags or refuse cans may be used; no plastic bags will be accepted. One yard waste sticker is required for each bag or can.

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., or check the Village website at <a href="www.elkgrove.org/leaves">www.elkgrove.org/leaves</a> for more information. Please make sure to comply with these important program regulations:

- Only rake leaves into the street. Grass, branches and yard waste can damage equipment and will not be collected.
- Leaves should be raked into the street after 3:00 p.m. the day before collection and before 7:00 a.m. the day of collection.
- Leaves should be placed in a continuous row on the pavement 2 feet from the curb.
- Parking in the street will be prohibited on the day of collection from 7:00 a.m. until the leaves are removed.
- No leaves are to be placed 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.
- In the event of rain, you should still place your leaves in the street on your scheduled date. Leaves will be collected as soon as possible after the scheduled date.
- In the event of snow, leaf pickup will be rescheduled for another day.

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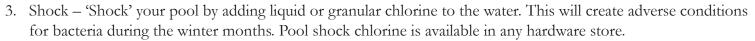


## POOL WINTERIZING TIPS

Did you know it is not necessary to drain your swimming pool to make it winterready? Follow the steps below to ensure your pool is kept at optimal condition for next year's swimming season!

- 1. Clean Clean and vacuum your pool to remove debris, leaves, and dirt.
- 2. Check Water pH Levels Recommended water parameters of acidity, alkalinity, and hardness are as follows:

pH: 7.2 – 7.6 A Alkalinity: 80 – 120 ppm Calcium Hardness: 180 – 220 ppm



- 4. Remove and Drain Remove and drain pipes, equipment and accessories. Store them in a dry, room temperature location to prevent cracking.
- 5. Cover Install properly fitted cover to ensure no sagging. This will prevent standing water on top of cover and keep debris from going into the pool.
- 6. Secure Pool Barriers Required pool barriers must be maintained during the off-season.

## FREE ELECTRONICS RECYCLING!

Did you know Village residents can recycle electronics at several permanent drop-off locations provided through the Solid Waste Agency of Northern Cook County (SWANCC)?

The following locations, some open year-round, are also **FREE** and often require **NO WAITING** to dispose of your electronics!

Hoffman Estates Village Hall, 1900 Hassell Road Mondays: 10:00am - 12:00pm, April - November Only

Mount Prospect Public Works, 1700 W Central Road Wednesdays: 10:00am - 12:00pm, April - October Only

**Glenview Transfer Station**, 1151 N River Road Saturdays: 9:00am - 11:30am, Open Year-Round

Permanent locations will be closed on holidays, as posted at <a href="https://www.swancc.org">www.swancc.org</a>, where you can also find details on these dropoff locations and accepted materials.





## HALLOWEEN TRICK-OR-TREATING HOURS

Trick or Treating is permitted in the Village on October 31 from 1:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Before your children haunt the neighborhood, please check out some tips for a safe and happy halloween on the Village website at <a href="https://www.elkgrove.org/halloween">www.elkgrove.org/halloween</a>.

# It's time to get back to the basics of good recycling.

The fact is that some recycling actions make a bigger impact than others. So please remember these three basic rules the next time you recycle:



Recycle all empty plastic bottles, cans, paper and cardboard.



Keep food and liquid out of your recycling.



**Empty recyclables directly into your cart.**NO bagged recyclables.
Return plastic bags to
a local grocer.

You'd be amazed by how big of an impact just following these simple rules can have!

# Identify the myths of recycling and become an expert.



While all bottles, cans, and containers should be clean, dry, and free of most food waste before you place them in your recycling container – they don't need to be spotless. The goal is to make sure

they are clean enough to avoid contaminating other materials, like paper. Try using a spatula to scrape cans and jars, or using a small amount of water and shake to remove most residue.

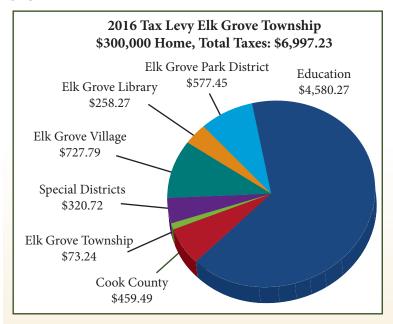


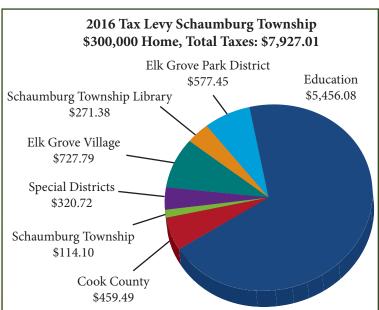
## WHERE YOUR PROPERTY TAX DOLLARS GO

Over the past several years, the Village of Elk Grove has focused on reducing expenditures while continuing to deliver the highest quality services to our residents and businesses. The 2016 property tax levy (taxes payable in 2017) approved by the Village Board includes a slight decrease to the general fund levy. The Village tax rate continues to be a small portion of the overall tax rate.

Property tax bills are comprised of multiple government agencies, each of which establishes their own tax levy. Overall, the Village comprises approximately 10% of a typical resident's property tax bill, with 65-70% of the bill going toward school districts. The remainder of the property tax bill is made up by Cook County, townships and special taxing districts.

Residents and businesses in Elk Grove Village once again experienced the lowest combined property tax rate in northwest Cook County by an average of nearly \$1,131 lower compared to comparable communities for the most recent property tax bills.





#### How Does the Village Use Property Tax Dollars?

The property taxes collected by the Village are used to help fund five primary areas: General Fund, Police and Fire Pension Funds, Social Security/Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund, and the Debt Service Fund. The table below illustrates how the 10% portion of a typical property tax bill received by the Village is utilized:

Service Area	Proportion of the Village's 10% share of the overall Property Tax (\$727.79)	Uses of the Property Tax Revenue Received
Police and Fire Pension Funds, Social Security, and Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund	\$318.70 (43.79%)	Police and fire pension funds are mandated by the State of Illinois to provide retirement benefits to police and fire personnel. Also included are funds for the payment of the Village's share of Social Security taxes and non-union pension costs.
General Fund	\$251.31 (34.53%)	General operations, including police and fire services, road maintenance, and snow removal.
Debt Service Fund	\$157.78 (21.68%)	Covers principle and interest payments on the Village's outstanding bonds.
Total	\$727.79 (100%)	

## SCREEN SHOT – PSA (for Leaf Collection) (From Elk Grove Village cable station)



# SCREEN SHOT – PSA (for MS4) (From Elk Grove Village cable station)





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## STORMWATER MANAGEMENT

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#### What is Stormwater?

The United States Environmental Protection Agency defines stormwater as a runoff generated when precipitation from rain and snow melt events flows over land or impervious surfaces and does not percolate into the ground. As the runoff flows over the land or impervious surfaces (paved streets, parking lots, and building rooftops), it accumulates debris, chemicals, sediment or other pollutants that could adversely affect water quality if the runoff is discharged untreated. The primary method to control stormwater discharges is the use of best management practices (BMPs).

## Stormwater Reports

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## You Can Help the Village Maintain Safe Stormwater!

Would you go to the beach and dump a gallon of oil or paint in to the water? How about a shovel full of dog poop? Well if you dump waste oil, paint, pet waste into the storm drain by your home you are doing the same thing. What goes into the storm drain by your house goes directly into the local ponds and streams; it does not go to a treatment plant.

Call the Public Works Department for information on where to dispose of waste oil and paint, and clean up after your pet.

Clean Water Begins at Home - Click to Find Out More

Is your automobile leaking fluid?



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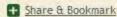
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## NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES)

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## NOI

Notice of Intent (NOI) for New or Renewal General Permit for Discharges from Small Municipal Separate Storm Sewer Systems - MS4's

2013 NOI (Current)

## **Facility Inspection Reports**

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## Clean Water Begins in Your Home



Most households have at least one spot where those containers of leftover household products, like pesticides, solvents, old medicines and batteries end up, hopefully safely out of reach of children and pets.

Most people realize that these products can lose their effectiveness in a few months or years, but what many people don't know is how to get rid of all that unwanted and often dangerous stuff.

Sometimes you even inherit waste from previous homeowners who didn't take the time to clean it up. Those old containers are rusting away silently; sooner or later they might begin to leak.

An even worse problem occurs when these products are dumped into sinks or storm drains, or on the ground, where they will eventually end up in lakes, rivers and groundwater- and our drinking water!

## **Tips for Storage and Disposal:**

- Be aware of household products that can be harmful to humans, pets and the environment. The words "danger", "caution", "warning" or "toxic" indicate that you need to be particularly careful how you use and dispose of the product. Read and follow label directions carefully for usage and disposal.
- Less is Better. Reduce waste and save money by purchasing only the materials you need. Choose less toxic alternatives when possible.
- Store Properly. Keep unused products in their original containers with labels intact. Select cool, dry storage areas safely away from kids, pets and wildlife. Mark with the date opened and use or dispose of by the expiration date, if noted on label. Store products in plastic bins or trays to contain any spills.
- **Disposal is Key**. Never dump motor oil, chemicals or any other toxic materials down the drain, into septic systems or on the ground.

Contact the Elk Grove Village Public Works Department at (847) 734-8800

to find out the time and location of upcoming collections in Cook or DuPage Counties.

## When Cars Leak Fluids, Our Water Is Affected

#### How serious is an oil leak?

- It only takes one gallon of used motor oil to pollute a million gallons of fresh water. That's an entire year's supply of drinking water for 50 people.
- If you have to add a quart of oil a month to replace that which has leaked, in four months you will have left enough contamination on the ground to pollute a million gallons of fresh water.
- If your neighbor dumps his used oil down the drain after changing it himself, he has done the equivalent of ruining a year's supply of drinking water for 50 of your friends and relatives.

#### What is the problem?

- The current No. 1 water pollution problem comes from nonpoint source pollution.
- Nonpoint source pollution means the pollutants come from several sources instead on one discharge point.
- Nonpoint pollution occurs away from water ways; therefore, many people do not realize they are contributing to water pollution.
- Cars leak fluid such as oil or antifreeze on the pavement.
- Property owners do not follow directions and put too much fertilizer on their lawns.
- People wash their cars in their driveways or on the street.
- Pet owners do not pick up and properly dispose of their pets' waste.
- The rainwater will wash the pollutants into storm sewers.
- The pollution will be carried untreated to the nearest body of water.

#### What can I do?

- Check your car or truck for drips and oil leak regularly and fix them properly.
- Keep your vehicle tuned to reduce oil use.
- Use ground cloths or dip pans under your vehicle if you have leaks or are doing engine work.
- Clean up spills immediately (you can use kitty litter or sand to soak up the liquid) and properly dispose of cleanup materials.
- Collect all used oil in containers with tight-fitting lids, such as old plastic jugs.
- Do not mix waste oil with gasoline, solvents or other engine fluids. This contaminates the oil, which otherwise may be reused. Also, mixing may form a more hazardous chemical.
- Never dump motor oil, antifreeze, transmission fluid or other engine fluids into road gutters, down the storm drain or catch basin, on the ground or into a ditch.
- Recycle used motor oil. The electricity expended to retrieve one gallon of virgin oil from the ground is enough to run the average household for almost 24 hours.
- Many auto supply stores, car care centers and gas station will accept used oil and send it to an oil recycler free of charge.

#### Where can I get more information?

For more information on places you can take your used motor oil for recycling, contact your local service station or hazardous waste collection center. You may also contact **Elk Grove Village** Public Works.

Village of Elk Grove Public Works

847-734-8800



# AGENDA REGULAR VILLAGE BOARD MEETING

March 27, 2018 7:00 PM

- 1. CALL TO ORDER
- 2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
  INVOCATION (PASTOR ISAAC SIPRIAN, FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH)
- 3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF MARCH 13, 2018
- 4. MAYOR & BOARD OF TRUSTEES' REPORT
- 5. ACCOUNTS PAYABLE WARRANT: MARCH 27, 2018 \$588,879.25
- 6. CONSENT AGENDA
  - a. Consideration of a request from Mikerphone Brewery located at 121 Garlisch Drive to waive the fees associated for a temporary Class D liquor license (\$2,100) and any additional fees required for the Smells Like a Beer Fest on April 28, 2018.
    - (Mikerphone Brewery is partnering with the Village to raise funds at their annual charity craft beer festival at 121 Garlisch Drive on April 28, 2018. (The proceeds from this event will help fund the Elk Grove Youth Committee Scholarship Program.)
  - b. Consideration to renew a professional service contract to Lauterbach & Amen, LLP of Naperville, IL to perform the Village's annual audit in an amount not to exceed \$34,750.
    - (This renewal extends the contract with Lauterbach & Amen, LLP to audit the financial statements for the fiscal year ending April 30, 2018 with the option to renew for three subsequent years.

(This second year represents a 1.9% increase from the previous year.

(Lauterbach & Amen, LLP audits many municipalities with personnel specializing in governmental accounting. They have demonstrated their commitment by providing a high level of quality service with technically competent personnel.

(Their expertise is critical for the adoption of new accounting pronouncements issued by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB).

(Adequate funds are budgeted in the FY 2018-19 budget.

(The Library will retain the same auditor as the Village under a separate contract.

(The Director of Finance recommends approval.)

c. Consideration to award a contract with Americana Landscape Group, Inc. of Elgin, IL, for the 2018 Parkway Restoration contract in the amount of \$43,845.00 from the Public Works Land & Forestry and Water & Sewer budgets.

(On Thursday, March 1, 2018, the Village opened sealed bids for the Parkway Restoration contract. Four (4) contractors obtained bids and four (4) bids were submitted.

(This contract provides the turf restoration of damaged parkways throughout the Village including site preparation, topsoil and watering.

(The initial term of the contract is from April 1, 2018 through March 31, 2019, with the option of four (4) annual renewals in one-year increments through March 31, 2023.

(The lowest responsive and responsible bid was received from Americana Landscape Group, Inc. of Elgin, IL in the amount of \$43,845.00.

(Funds for the project have been allocated in the Public Works Land & Forestry and Water & Sewer accounts.

(The Director of Public Works recommends approval.)

d. Consideration to award a contract to Peters & Associates of Oakbrook Terrace, IL for the purchase of a HP/Nimble Storage Area Network (SAN) appliance in an amount not to exceed \$52,059.

(The Village of Elk Grove's oldest Storage Area Network (SAN) is scheduled to be replaced given that it will no longer be supported after August 2018.

(Like most organizations, the Village's data retention requirements have increased significantly in the past several years.

(The Information Technology staff researched available technologies for meeting our disk storage requirements and identified HP's Nimble solution as the SAN of choice.

(The Village's IT staff solicited three (3) proposals for the replacement SAN and determined that Peters & Associates submitted the most cost-effective proposal.

(The Director of Information Technology recommends approval.)

e. To authorize a professional services contract to Esscoe, Inc. of Lake Zurich, IL to install video security equipment around the exterior of the Municipal Building Complex in the amount of \$131,587 from the Capital Replacement Fund.

(The security cameras that provide coverage around the Municipal Building Complex have become obsolete.

(In addition, the security coverage around many of the Village Hall entrances is inadequate.

(Addressing these deficiencies will provide both increased security of Village assets and a means for Village personnel to better identify the individuals involved in damage to or theft of these assets.

(Taken together, the Municipal Complex parking lot and entrances comprise Phase II of our access control/video security initiative.

(Given their role as a leader in the local video surveillance marketplace as well as their work on Phase I of our video security project, Esscoe, Inc. of Lake Zurich, IL is the preferred vendor to implement the hardware and software required for Phase II.

(The design and proposal provided by Esscoe for Phase II of the project reflects their many years of video surveillance experience as well as their strong knowledge of our facility and environment.

(The Director of Information Technology recommends approval.)

f. Consideration to commit to the purchase of Bulk Rock Salt through the State of Illinois Joint Purchase Contract for the purchase of 2,400 tons of Bulk Rock Salt for the 2018-19 winter season at a maximum cost of \$51.62 per ton to be paid from the FY 2019 Budget in an amount not to exceed \$148,665.60.

(Illinois Central Management Services (CMS) is currently preparing bids for the FY 2019 Road Salt Joint Purchasing Program.

(The Village's current contract with CMS allows for the renewal of the contract for next winter at a cost not to exceed ten percent (10%) over our current cost of \$46.93 per ton.

(The CMS contract allows for the purchase of 80 to 120 percent of the designated tonnage.

(The Village intends to order 2,400 tons of Bulk Rock Salt in FY 2019.

(Adequate funds are budgeted in the FY 2019 proposed budget.

(The Director of Public Works recommends approval.)

g. Consideration to award a contract to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder, Arrow Road Construction for the 2018 Business Park Street Rehabilitation Project in the amount of \$742,598.15 from the BLF Fund.

(On Thursday, March 15, 2018, the Village opened sealed bids for the 2018 Business Park Street Rehabilitation Project.

(Six (6) contractors obtained bid documents and four (4) submitted bids.

(The lowest responsive and responsible bid was received from Arrow Road Construction Company of Mount Prospect, IL.

(Funds for the project have been allocated in the BLF budget.

(The Director of Public Works recommends approval.)

h. Consideration to award a contract to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder, Arrow Road Construction Company of Mount Prospect, IL for the 2018 MFT Hot-Mix Asphalt Resurfacing Contract in the amount of \$958,710.67 from the Motor Fuel Tax Fund (MFT).

(On Thursday, March 15, 2018, the Village opened sealed bids for the 2018 MFT Hot-Mix Asphalt Resurfacing Contract.

(Five (5) contractors obtained bid documents and three (3) submitted bids.

(The lowest responsive and responsible bid was received from Arrow Road Construction Company of Mount Prospect, IL.

(The Director of Public Works recommends approval.)

i. Consideration to approve the third quarter financial report ending January 31, 2018.

(As part of the new financial software system, staff has created quarterly financial reports comparing year to date numbers to the prior year.

(The Director of Finance recommends approval.)

j. Consideration of a request to hold a Public Hearing before the Plan Commission to

consider a Petition submitted by McDonald's USA, LLC for a Resubdivision and Special Use Permit to operate a drive-thru restaurant at 901 Meacham.

(The purpose of the Resubdivision and Special Use Permit is to create an outlot in the existing shopping center and operate a drive-thru restaurant. (A date for the Public Hearing has not been established.)

k. Consideration of a request to hold a Public Hearing before the Plan Commission to consider a Petition submitted by CN Group 228 to Rezone the property at 228 E Devon from R-1 to B-3.

(The purpose of the rezoning is to operate a specialty van dealership. (A date for the Public Hearing has not been established.)

1. Consideration to adopt Resolution No. 15-18 authorizing the Mayor and Village Clerk to execute a Farmers Market License Agreement between the Village of Elk Grove Village and Elk Grove Farmers Market, NFP.

(This agreement allows for a Farmers Market to be held in the parking lot of the Municipal Complex on Saturdays from June 2, 2018 through October 27, 2018.)

m. Consideration to adopt Resolution No. 16-18 (attached) authorizing the Mayor to execute a Letter of Receipt stipulating the terms of an agreement for an application seeking a Cook County Class 6B Property Tax Exemption status pursuant to the Cook County Real Property Classification Ordinance as amended February 15, 2006 for certain real estate located at 825 Nicholas Blvd.

(The Law Offices of Sarnoff & Baccash, on behalf of Source United LLC, (Applicant) is seeking a Cook County Class 6B property tax exemption for 825 Nicholas Blvd. (The Applicant intends to purchase the vacant property and use it for design, machining and manufacturing of industrial parts.

(The Applicant currently leases space at 689 Chase Avenue in Elk Grove Village. Due to business expansion, Source United will occupy the 34,200 square foot building moving its operation including all ten employees with an additional ten hires over the next three years.

(The Applicant intends on spending \$100,000 to \$150,000 improve the building. Improvements include; façade, landscaping and signage improvements, parking lot repairs, interior build out and landscaping.

(The eligibility requirements for 6B status are new construction, substantial renovation or buildings that have been vacant for a period of time.

(This site qualifies as it involves vacancy for less than twenty-four (24) months with a purchase for value, and significant rehabilitation.

(Property approved for Class 6B status allows the owner of the property to have the assessment level lowered for a period of twelve years. The assessment schedule is 10% of fair market value for ten years then 15% in the eleventh year and 20% in the twelfth year. Industrial property is currently assessed at 25% of fair market value in Cook County. (Upon approval, the Director of Business Development and Marketing will issue a Letter of Receipt to the Applicant. The Letter of Receipt will allow the Applicant to file an

application with Cook County. Final approval is at the discretion of the Village Board and contingent with the Applicant completing the improvements stated in their application. (The Director of Business Development and Marketing recommends issuing a Letter of Receipt.)

#### 7. REGULAR AGENDA

a. Consideration to concur with prior authorization of a request from Brennan Investment Group for sign variations at the Elk Grove Technology Park.

(Variations are necessary to allow signage in excess of forty five (45) square feet and banner signs attached to free standing fencing.

(The proposed signage is needed to promote the development of the facility and attract tenants/buyers.

(The Director of Community Development recommends approval.)

- 8. PLAN COMMISSION Village Manager Rummel
- 9. ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS Village Manager Rummel
  - a. ZBA Docket 18-3 A Public Hearing for a variation of the Elk Grove Zoning Ordinance 2410 as it pertains to permitted locations of fences in residential zoning districts for property located at 1450 James Way. (PH 04-12-2018)
- 10. YOUTH COMMITTEE Trustee Franke
- 11. BUSINESS LEADERS FORUMS Trustee Petri
- 12. CABLE TELEVISION COMMITTEE Trustee Lissner
- 13. HEALTH & COMMUNITY SERVICES Trustee Czarnik
- 14. INFORMATION COMMITTEE Trustee Lissner
- 15. RECYCLING & WASTE COMMITTEE Trustee Feichter
- 16. PARADE COMMITTEE Trustee Czarnik
- 17. PERSONNEL COMMITTEE Trustee Franke
- 18. JUDICIARY, PLANNING AND ZONING COMMITTEE Trustee Prochno
  - a. Telecommunication Facilities
- 19. CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS COMMITTEE Trustee Czarnik
  - a. Village MS4 National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NDPES) Permit Program

update.

- **20. AIRPORT UPDATE**
- 21. MID-SUMMER CLASSICS CONCERT SERIES UPDATE Mayor Johnson
- 22. SPECIAL EVENTS COMMITTEE Mayor Johnson
- 23. LIQUOR COMMISSION Mayor Johnson
- 24. REPORT FROM VILLAGE MANAGER
- 25. REPORT FROM VILLAGE CLERK
- **26. UNFINISHED BUSINESS**
- **27. NEW BUSINESS**
- 28. PUBLIC COMMENT
- 29. ADJOURNMENT

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act and other applicable Federal and State laws, the meeting will be accessible to individuals with disabilities. Persons requiring auxiliary aids and/or services should contact the Village Clerk, preferably no later than five days before the meeting.

## A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND VILLAGE CLERK TO EXECUTE A FARMERS MARKET LICENSE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE VILLAGE OF ELK GROVE VILLAGE AND ELK GROVE FARMERS MARKET, NFP

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Board of Trustees of the Village of Elk Grove Village, Counties of Cook and DuPage, State of Illinois as follows:

Section 1: That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized to sign the attached document marked:

#### FARMERS MARKET LICENSE AGREEMENT

a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof as if fully set forth and the Village Clerk is authorized to attest said documents upon the signature of the Mayor.

Section 2: That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval according to law.

	VOTE: AYES:	NAYS:	ABSENT:	
	PASSED this	day of		2018.
	APPROVED this	day of		2018.
		APPRO	VED:	
		•	raig B. Johnson f Elk Grove Villa	ıge
ATTEST:				
 Loretta M	. Murphy, Village Cler	·k		

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#### FARMERS MARKET LICENSE AGREEMENT

This Agreement is made as of this _	day of		_, 2018 by a	ind between
the Village of Elk Grove Village, an Illinois	s Municipal	Corporation (the	"Village"),	and Elk
Grove Farmers Market, NFP (the "Licenses	e").			

- A. The Village is the Owner of the premises as set forth on attached Exhibit "A" and hereinafter referred to as ("the premises").
- B. The Village has agreed to license the premises upon the terms and conditions provided herein.
- C. This document constitutes a license and is not an easement or lease. Nothing in this License Agreement or the subsequent dealings between the Village and Licensee shall constitute or be interpreted as a grant of any property interest from the Village to the Licensee in the premises.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing recitals, this License is made upon the following express covenants and agreements, each of which is made a condition hereof:

- 1. <u>License Premises</u> The Village hereby grants a revocable license to use the premises at the location depicted on the drawing attached hereto and incorporated herein as Exhibit "A". The premises shall be used solely by the Licensee for purposes of operating a Farmers Market in strict conformance with the terms and conditions of this License Agreement.
- 2. <u>Term</u> The term of this License Agreement shall commence on **June 2**, **2018** and shall expire on **October 27**, **2018** (hereinafter the "market season").
- 3. <u>Use of the License Premises</u> Licensee may use the licensed premises solely for: setting up; maintaining; operating, and taking down a Farmers Market. Said Farmers Market will require a minimum of three (3) bona fide vendors selling agriculturally grown produce (fruits, vegetables, berries, meats, eggs, or cheeses) at the Farmers Market at every market event. The Licensee may set up and maintain the Farmers Market from the hours of 6:30 AM to 2:00 PM on Saturdays during the market season. Commercial sales by vendors at the Farmers Market may take place between the hours of 7:30 AM and 1:00 PM.
- 4. Hold Harmless and Insurance The Licensee shall carry insurance during the entire term hereof insuring Licensee, and insuring, as additional named insurance, the Village and its officers, appointees, agents, employees and affiliated entities as their interests may appear, with comprehensive public liability insurance, (including the broader extended liability endorsement) during the entire term hereof, with terms and companies satisfactory to the Village, with limits not less than \$1,000,000 combined single limit per occurrence for personal injury and property damage with a general aggregate of not less than \$2,000,000. The insurance shall cover all of the Licensee's use of the premises as authorized by this agreement.

Licensee, to the greatest extent permitted under Illinois Law, shall defend, hold harmless and indemnify the Licensor, its officers, appointees, agents, employees and affiliated entities for any and all claims, actions, causes of action, demands, injuries, damages, costs including reasonable attorney's fees resulting from the Licensee and its vendees operation of the Farmers Market and possession of the licensed premises only up to the maximum level of insurance provided under the terms of the insurance policy for the benefit of the Licensee and the Village.

Licensee shall, prior to the commencement of the Agreement term, furnish to the Village certificates of evidence of such coverage, which certificate shall state that such insurance coverage may not be changed or cancelled without thirty (30) days written notice to the Village.

- 5. Market Manager –The Village will require an on-site "Market Manager". The Market Manager or his/her designee shall be in attendance at all times during set up, operation, and take down of the Farmers Market. If the Market Manager appoints a designee to manage the Farmers Market, said Market Manager will notify the Village in writing of the identity of that person in charge 48 hours prior to the start of that week's Farmers Market.
- 6. <u>Electricity/Shelter</u> Electrical power will be available in the designated Market area as depicted on the attached Exhibit "A", however; the Village will not supply extension cords for the use of said electrical power. The Village will not be responsible for providing tents or shelter to the Market Vendors or the Market Manager.
- 7. <u>Trash Removal</u> The Licensee shall provide refuse containers for the deposit of trash and shall exercise all reasonable efforts with its vendors and customers to clear refuse and debris from the premises and have it deposited in the refuse containers. Licensee shall arrange for removal of the refuse, debris and other trash from the refuse containers at the expense of Licensee.
- 8. <u>Parking</u> The Village shall have no obligation to secure private parking for the Licensee, Market Vendors or Market Customers.
- 9. Signage and Marketing The Village agrees to allow directional and informational event signage to be displayed around the Market grounds, with the exception of parkways, only on the Saturdays of the Market and said signs shall be removed by the close of each Market event. All promotional and marketing material will require advance review and approval by the Village.
- 10. <u>Alterations and Additions</u> The Licensee shall make no alteration, addition, improvement or change in or to the Village premises except the installation of temporary tents and other structures. No gaskets for tents shall be installed on paved surfaces, nor shall any permanent or temporary markings be left on said paved surfaces. Any and all special events to be conducted in addition to the Farmers Market will require advance notification and approval by the Village.

- 11. <u>Compliance with Laws and Ordinances</u> The Licensee shall comply with all laws, ordinances and requirements of the State and Village. Market Vendors will need to comply with all food safety laws.
- 12. Waiver Risk of Laws To the greatest extent permitted under Illinois law, neither the Village nor any of its officers, appointees, agents, employees, member's affiliated entities shall be liable for any accident, injury or death, loss or damage resulting in any person or properties sustained by the Licensee or the Licensee's agents, employees/invitees, or anyone claiming by or through the Licensee or any vendor or customer on the licensed premises without limitation, for the criminal acts of third parties. The Village shall have no obligation to provide security services, traffic direction, or other Police services beyond the typical police service provided to every resident and business in the Village. All property of the Licensee or Licensee agents, employees and/or invitees, anyone claiming by or through the License or any user of the licensed premises shall be at the risk of the Licensee or such other person, and the Village shall not be liable for any damages thereto, including without limitation theft or vandalism of any vehicle or property at the licensed premises unless the property damages are the result of the sole negligence of the Village and not subject to an existing privilege or immunity. Nothing in this License Agreement shall be interpreted to waive any immunities or privileges provided to the Village as an Illinois Municipal Corporation under Illinois law, such privileges and immunities being specifically reserved by the Licensor in all circumstances.
- 13. <u>Proceeds and Costs</u> The Licensee will donate all proceeds of the Farmers Market to an Elk Grove Food Pantry as determined by the Village. The Licensee will be responsible for all costs associated with the operation and management of the Farmers Market, including record keeping costs, record storage costs, and taxes. If the Village requests a full accounting of the Farmers Market, Licensee will be required to provide said information within a reasonable time frame.

VILLAGE OF ELK GROVE VILLAGE	ELK GROVE FARMERS MARKET, NFP		
By: Mayor Craig B. Johnson	By: Connie Groat		
ATTEST:			
Loretta M. Murphy, Village Clerk			

RESOL	UTION	NO.

A RESOLUTION DETERMINING THE APPROPRIATENESS FOR CLASS 6B STATUS PURSUANT TO THE COOK COUNTY REAL PROPERTY CLASSIFICATION ORDINANCE AS AMENDED JULY 17, 2013 FOR CERTAIN REAL ESTATE LOCATED AT 825 NICHOLAS BOULEVARD, ELK GROVE VILLAGE, ILLINOIS

WHEREAS, the Village of Elk Grove Village desires to promote the development of industry in the Village of Elk Grove; and

WHEREAS, the Cook County Assessor is operating under an ordinance enacted by the Cook County Board of Commissioners, and amended from time to time, the most recent amendment becoming effective as of July 17, 2013, which has instituted a program to encourage industrial and commercial development in Cook County known as the Cook County Real Property Classification Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, in the case of abandoned property, if the municipality or the Mayor and Board of Trustees, finds that special circumstances justify finding that the property is "abandoned" for purpose of Class 6B, even though it has been vacant and unused for less than 24 months, that finding, along with the specification of the circumstances, shall be included in the resolution or ordinance supporting and consenting to the Class 6B application. Such resolution or ordinance shall be filed with the eligibility application. If the ordinance or resolution is that of a municipality, the approval of the Board of Commissioners of Cook County is required to validate such shortened period of qualifying abandonment, and a resolution to that effect shall be included with the Class 6B eligibility application filed with the Assessor; and

WHEREAS, the Petitioner has applied for or is applying for Class 6B property status pursuant to said aforementioned ordinance for certain real estate located at 825 Nicholas Boulevard, in the Village of Elk Grove Village, Cook County, Illinois, with the Property Index Numbers 08-26-309-006-0000 and 08-26-309-012-0000, and has proven to this Board that such incentive provided for in said ordinance is necessary for development to occur on this specific real estate.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and Board of Trustees of the Village of Elk Grove Village, Counties of Cook and DuPage, Illinois:

Section 1: That the request of the Petitioner to have certain real estate located at 825 Nicholas Boulevard, Elk Grove Village, Cook County, Illinois, identified by Property Index Numbers 08-26-309-006-0000 and 08-26-309-012-0000, declared eligible for Class 6B special circumstances status pursuant to the Cook County Real Property Classification Ordinance as amended July 17, 2013, is hereby granted in that this Board and the Village of Elk Grove Village, Illinois, has determined that the incentive provided by the said Class 6B Tax Incentive Ordinance is necessary for the said development to occur on the subject property, legally described as follows:

LOT 10 IN CENTEX INDUSTRIAL PARK NORTH UNIT 2 A SUBDIVISION OF PART OF LOTS 2 AND 4 OF THE ESTATE OF HENRY LANDMEIER BEING A PART OF SECTIONS 26 AND 35, TOWNSHIP 41 NORTH, RANGE 11 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

LOT 11 IN CENTEX INDUSTRIAL PARK NORTH UNIT 3 A RESUBDIVISION OF PART OF LOT 2 IN THE SUBDIVISION OF THE ESTATE OF HENRY LANDMEIER BEING A PART OF SECTIONS 26 AND 35, TOWNSHIP 41 NORTH, RANGE 11 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, IN COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

Section 2: That the Special Circumstances as outlined by the petitioner are attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and made a part thereof.

Section 3: That the Village of Elk Grove Village, Illinois hereby supports and consents to the Class 6B Application and approves the classification of the subject property as Class 6B property pursuant to the Cook County Real Property Classification Ordinance and the Class 6B tax incentives shall apply to the property identified as Permanent Real Estate Index Numbers 08-26-309-006-0000 and 08-26-309-012-0000.

Section 4: That the Mayor and Village Clerk are hereby authorized to sign any necessary documents to implement this Resolution subject to the petitioner completing the following conditions within twelve months of closing:

a. New façade,

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- b. Landscaping and signage improvements;
- c. Parking lot repairs; and
- d. Interior build out.

Section 5: That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval according to law.

VOTE: AYES: NA	YS: ABSENT:
PASSED this day of	2018.
APPROVED thisd	ay of2018.
	APPROVED:
	Mayor Craig B. Johnson Village of Elk Grove Village
ATTEST:	
Loretta M. Murphy, Village Clerk	

# Exhibit "A"

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# Special circumstances requested by Source United Properties, LLC 825 Nicholas Blvd., Elk Grove Village, Illinois (PINs: 08-26-309-006/-012)

Source United Properties, LLC ("Applicant"), is requesting a Resolution in support and consent of a Class 6b Incentive on the above-referenced property based on occupation of an abandoned property that has been vacant for less than 24 continuous months with a purchase for value, special circumstances and substantial rehabilitation. The Applicant plans on purchasing the subject property and its related entity, Source United, LLC, plans on occupying the entire facility for its use consisting of the equipment design, machining, metal fabrication and custom equipment design and build of products used in the industrial market.

The subject property consists of an approximately 34,200 square foot site with a roughly 10,000 square foot building that has been vacant and unused since June 30, 2017. The property is in need of substantial rehabilitation. Therefore, the Applicant plans to invest approximately \$100,000 to \$150,000 to immediately rehabilitate the subject property. Based on initial inspections these improvements will be to install a new loading dock drive apron and parking lot drive apron per Elk Grove Village standards, install new exterior lighting, install a new dock awning, clean and tuckpoint the exterior brick as necessary, update the façade, update the landscaping, install a new wall mounted backlit sign, install a new overhead door, repair the parking lot and add a new exterior concrete pad as well as to complete other general maintenance.

The Applicant also plans on completing additional interior improvements, however, these exact improvements are not known at this time. Please note that all of the rehabilitation costs could significantly vary depending on a variety of factors such as market variances. Further inspections of the subject property may require additional improvements. The rehabilitation will create approximately 10 to 20 construction jobs.

Source United, LLC currently leases approximately 6,000 square feet in a building in Elk Grove Village located at 689 Chase Ave. and has 10 (8 full-time; 2 part-time) employees at that site. Source United, LLC's business is growing and it needs to expand its operation as soon as possible. Therefore, Source United, LLC plans to move its entire operation to the subject property and bring all of its employees to the same and plans on adding approximately 10 new employees within the first 3 years at the property. Additionally, Source United, LLC will look to hire all qualified Elk Grove Village residents for future hires.

Elk Grove Village can also expect that Source United, LLC and its employees will continue to invest commercially back into the community by visiting local establishments such as restaurants, gas stations, grocery stores and more. In addition, Elk Grove Village can expect that Source United, LLC will continue to attract business and various customers to the Village in the course of its operations.

Based on our research and the additional costs that must be incurred to rehabilitate the building in order for this to be a successful endeavor, the Applicant must possess a Class 6b Incentive to complete the substantial rehabilitation thereof and to successfully operate the property. It is for these reasons that it is necessary to grant the Applicant a Resolution in support and consent of a Class 6b Incentive for the subject property based on occupation of an abandoned property that has been vacant for less than 24 continuous months with a purchase for value, special circumstances and substantial rehabilitation.

# **NPDES**

As an operator of a regulated small municipal separate storm sewer systems (MS4), we are required to obtain annual National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NDPES) permit coverage.

The goal of the program is to eliminate pollutants from entering storm sewer systems and depositing into our streams and creeks. Waterways in the Village include Salt Creek, Higgins Creek and tributary to Willow Creek.

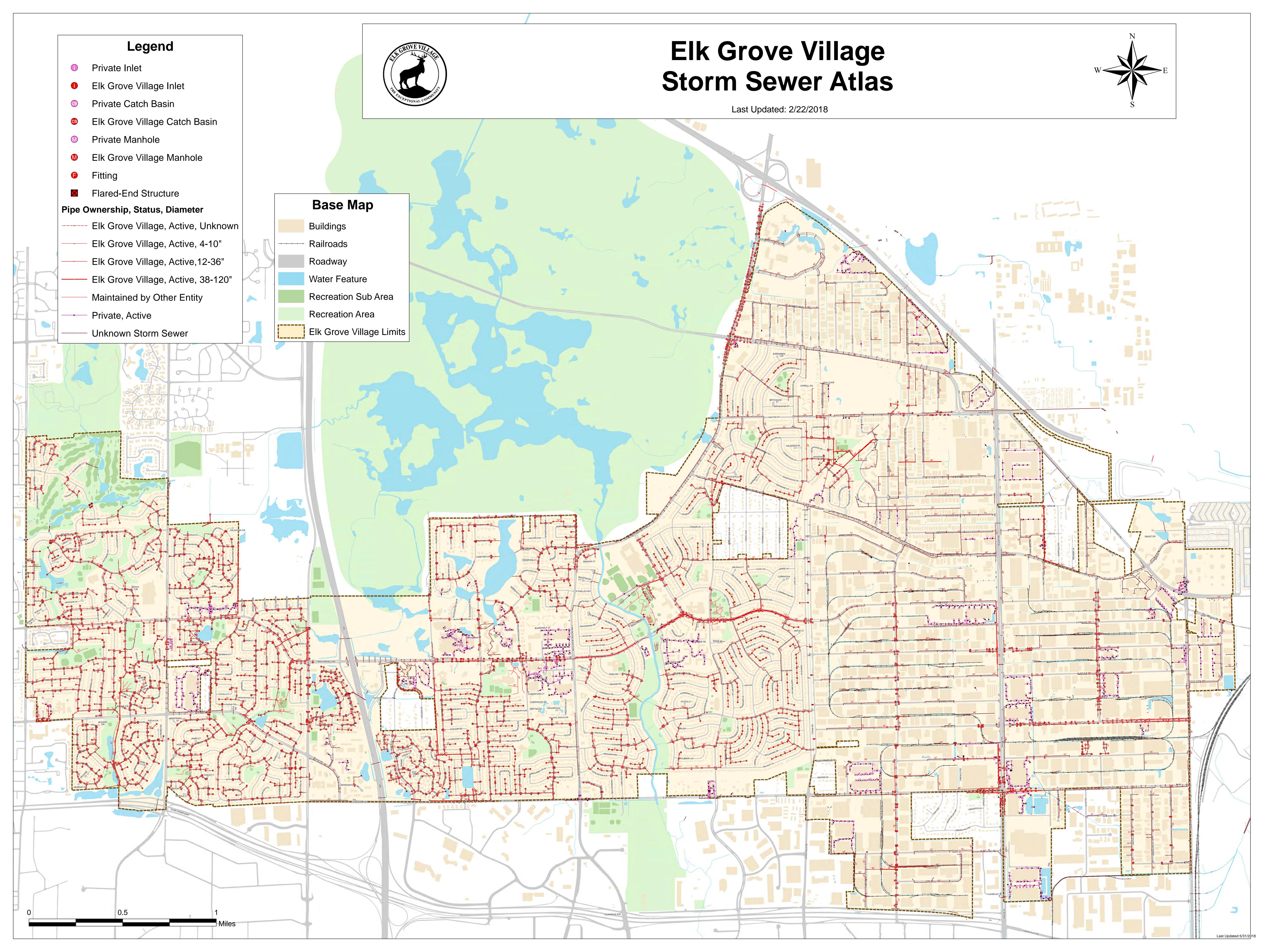
As part of the NPDES permit process we complete and submit a report to the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency. The report outlines our efforts across six areas to help reduce and eliminate storm water pollutants. The six areas are:

- Public Education and Outreach
- Public Participation/Involvement
- Illicit Discharge Detection and Elimination
- Construction Site Runoff Control
- Post-Construction Runoff Control
- Pollution Prevention/Good Housekeeping for Municipal Operations

Some examples of last year's efforts include:

- Posting information in the Village newsletter & on the Village website
- Public service announcements airing on Channel 6
- Community involvement in the Salt Creek cleanup
- Routine illicit discharge checks of the Village storm sewer system
- EGV 2025 building design incorporated detention facilities to settle out pollutants
- Construction best management practices and site checks
- Street sweeping and storm sewer structure cleaning

The Village intends to file its next annual report in May.



# SALT CREEK CLEAN-UP

The Salt Creek Watershed Network is holding its annual Salt Creek Clean-Up and volunteers are needed to help restore Salt Creek to its natural state and keep this precious natural resource clean and attractive.



# Saturday, June 3, 9:00 a.m. - Noon Elk Grove High School Parking Lot 500 W Elk Grove Boulevard

Over the past 23 years, this program has cleaned up 75 cubic yards of garbage from the creek, including bicycle and car parts, construction material and other debris.

Volunteers can meet at the Elk Grove High School parking lot at 9 a.m. For information, please contact Nick Nikola by email at <a href="mailto:creekguy@att.net">creekguy@att.net</a> or by phone at 847-828-1141.



# PDC Laboratories, Inc.

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#### SAMPLE RECEIPT ACKNOWLEDGMENT

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Report To:

Bryan Grippo
 Elk Grove Water Department
 600 Landmeier Rd
 Elk Grove, Il 60007

Date Received: 10/11/17 09:45

Expected Date Due: 10/23/17 17:00

We have received the sample(s) listed below and are proceeding with these analyses Please notify your Project Manager below if you have any questions or corrections

PDC Lab #	Sample Description	Elk Grove SW	1	Elk	Grove SW	
7101877-01	Arlington Heights Rd SW	Sampled 10/11/17 07:50				
05-PO4 total-P	Coliform	Fecal MF	Solids-TSS		Total Nitrogen calc GD	
7101877-02	Devon Avenue SW Samp	led 10/11/17 07:30				
05-PO4 total-P	Coliform	Fecal MF	Solids-TSS		Total Nitrogen calc GD	
PDC Laboratories, Inc. 7101877-01 Arlington Heights Rd SW Sampled 10/11/17 07:50						
300.0 Cl	NO3 + NO	)2	O&G SPE		TKN GD	
7101877-02 Devon Avenue SW Sampled 10/11/17 07:30						
300.0 Cl	NO3 + NO	02	O&G SPE		TKN GD	
Analysis groups included in this work order  Total Nitrogen calc GD						
TKN GD	NO3 + NO2					
Samples Rec	reived at: 15.6°t Custody Seals	s No Containers Intac	ct Yes	COC/Labels Agree	Yes Received On Ice	Yes





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# **AGENDA**

7:30 A.M. – 8:00 A.M.	CHECK IN & BREAKFAST
8:00 A.M. – 8:05 A.M.	INTRODUCTION  Jim Zay, Chairman, DuPage County Stormwater Management Committee
8:05 A.M. – 8:55 A.M.	GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE LESSONS FROM CENTRAL NEW YORK Adam Woodburn, Onondaga County, NY
8:55 A.M. – 9:30 A.M.	GOSHEN, INDIANA'S EXPERIENCES WITH PERMEABLE PAVERS Jason Kauffman, City of Goshen, IN
9:30 A.M. – 9:45 A.M.	<b>GEO-SYNTHETIC BASICS FOR PERMEABLE INSTALLS</b> Dan Salsinger, Hanes Geo Components
9:45 A.M. – 9:55 A.M.	BREAK
9:55 A.M. – 10:45 A.M.	LESSONS LEARNED FROM INSPECTING PERMEABLE GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS  John Thomas, City of Carmel, IN
10:45 A.M. – 11:35 A.M.	GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE, GREEN JOBS & COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT  Madison Quinn, Onondaga County, NY
11:35 A.M. – 11:45 A.M.	DUPAGE COUNTY STORMWATER MANAGEMENT WRAP UP Sarah Hunn, DuPage County Stormwater Management

# SPEAKER BIOS

#### ADAM WOODBURN

Program Coordinator for Stormwater Management, Department of Water Environment Protection, Onondaga County, NY

Adam is a Registered Landscape Architect and a certified arborist with the International Society of Arboriculture with 14 years of professional experience in New York and Colorado. Over the last few of years Adam's career has focused on Stormwater Management, including public outreach and education, Stormwater and Green Infrastructure; program management, design, construction inspection and maintenance.

Adam has experience working on complex projects that have required coordination, review, and permitting at the federal, state and local levels. Adam has taken on many roles and responsibilities including; preparing for and holding client and public meetings, report and grant writing, planning studies, presentations, estimating, contract documents, and construction inspection and administration.

Adam earned his Bachelor's degree in Landscape Architecture from the State University of New York College of Environmental Sciences and Forestry. Adam lives in Syracuse, NY with his wife Jessica and two sons Evan (5) and Reid (4).

### JASON KAUFFMAN

Stormwater Coordinator, City of Goshen, IN

Jason is the Stormwater Coordinator for the City of Goshen located in northern Indiana, and he manages the day-to-day MS4 program for the City. Additionally, he works with three other MS4 communities as part of the Greater Elkhart County Stormwater Partnership to implement a stormwater program to benefit all those who live and work in Elkhart County. He has 11 years of experience working in the stormwater field, ranging from reviewing and inspecting erosion and sediment control plans on construction sites, to illicit discharge detection and elimination, and public education.

# DAN SALSINGER, CPESC, CISEC

Sales Representative, Hanes Geo Components

Dan Salsinger is a local sales representative for Hanes Geo Components, a supplier of storm water practices, textiles, bioengineering tools and erosion and sediment control products. Dan is based in Elmhurst, IL.

## JOHN THOMAS, P.E., LEED AP

Stormwater Administrator, City of Carmel, IN

John is the Stormwater Administrator for the City of Carmel, IN. He is a Certified Professional in Erosion and Sediment Control, a Certified Professional in Municipal Stormwater Management, and was the 2016 recipient of the INAFSM Excellence in Stormwater Management Award. He majored in Environmental Management at Indiana University and has worked in the stormwater field for over 10 years in both the public and private sectors.

#### **MADISON QUINN**

Project Coordinator for Save the Rain Program, Department of Water Environment Protection, Onondaga County, NY

Madison currently serves as Project Coordinator for the Save the Rain Program at the Onondaga County Department of Water Environment Protection (WEP). She coordinates the Save the Rain, Connect the Drops, and Block Litter education and outreach programs, engaging a variety of stakeholders, including residents, businesses, students and policymakers. Madison has served as project manager for a variety of projects, including an EPA sponsored integrated planning project as well as the development of a combined sewer overflow public notification website. Madison also curates the vast array of open source content on the Save the Rain website (savetherain.us). Previously, Madison worked as Public Information Specialist for Onondaga County WEP and as a Program Coordinator at the Onondaga County Executive's Office.

Madison earned a Master of Public Administration degree from the Maxwell School of Syracuse University and a Bachelor of Science degree in Environmental Science & Policy from Clarkson University. She also volunteers with several organizations. Madison serves as Chair Emeritus on the board of 40 Below, a young professionals' organization for Central New York, and volunteers on the Publications, Website, Public Outreach and Young Professionals committees of the New York Water Environment Association (NYWEA).

#### SARAH HUNN, P.E.

# Chief Engineer, DuPage County Stormwater Management

Sarah Hunn is the Chief Engineer for DuPage County Stormwater Management. Sarah started her career at the Illinois Department of Transportation and has worked for DuPage County Stormwater Management for the past 12 years. Sarah currently manages Stormwater Planning, Flood Control Operations and Floodplain Mapping for DuPage County. In addition to her professional work, she is active in the Illinois Association for Floodplain and Stormwater Management and Engineers without Borders. She holds a B.S. degree in Civil Engineering from Michigan Technological University.



Brian Southey

For successful completion in attending:

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November 29, 2017

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