

The *Rose* CLIPPINGS

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The Village of La Grange Park



President's Corner

As we leave 2014 behind us, I'd like to pause and reflect on the many accomplishments of the past year. Great communities like ours don't happen by accident – they require thoughtful planning. Each year, the Village Board gathers for a strategic planning workshop to review and discuss key issues in depth. This year's focus was on Village priorities and included a comprehensive SWOT analysis to identify the Village's Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities and Threats. The session concluded with the Village Board identifying a list of Village priorities and ranking them according to importance. Collectively, the Village Board identified five priorities for our community: (1) Maintain Fiscal Responsibility with Sound Budget Practices; (2) Improve and Maintain Infrastructure and Roads; (3) Maintain and Communicate Good Government Practices and Services; (4) Maintain Public Services Through Safe Practices and Proper Equipment; and (5) Attract, Retain and Expand Business.



One of the primary challenges for the Village in 2015 and beyond is to continue repairing and replacing our aging roads, water and sewer infrastructure. The Village Board and management staff are actively planning for the capital needs of the Village. A five year capital plan is included with each annual budget and the Village continues to aggressively pursue grant opportunities to supplement our ability to fund projects. I encourage

you to review the Village's capital plan and annual budget by visiting the Village's website (www.lagrangepark.org).

In October, the Village refinanced our 2006 sewer bonds. The resulting savings of over \$420,000 in interest costs will allow us to invest more in continued sewer improvements. As part of the bond refunding process, the Village had to go through the credit rating process. Standard & Poor's (S&P) rated us a AA+. This is an increase over our 2006 rating and it's just one notch below AAA, which is the highest possible score. Our AA+ rating is a reflection of the Village's history of strong financial management.

The Village's electrical aggregation program ended in September of this year. Over the course of two years, participating residential and small business customers saved over \$1.35 million in electrical costs. The average individual household saved over \$300. Because the Village selected a supplier that provided 50% green energy and we reduced CO2 emissions by over 17,000 tons.

In 2014 we also issued a record number of building permits – over 1,000! With these permits came a record number of new residents moving into the Village. Both of these factors are indications that not only is La Grange Park a desirable place for new families to live, but that our existing residents are choosing to reinvest in their homes rather than to move to newer or larger homes elsewhere.

Throughout this coming year, I invite residents new and old to stay involved with Village happenings through the Village website, E-Briefs and Village meetings and events. I wish you all the best in the year ahead and hope to see you around town. As always, please feel free to contact me at any time.

President James F. Discipio



Personnel Changes



New Police Chief Appointed

On November 25th, after a thorough recruitment process, the Village Board appointed Edward E. Rompa to serve as the Village's new Police Chief. Mr. Rompa has served the La Grange Park Police Department since 1999. He served as the Commander of the Police Department, since 2005. Prior to that, Mr. Rompa served as a Sergeant, Officer in Charge, Detective and as a Police Officer. Mr. Rompa is a graduate of the Staff and Command School of Northwestern University, and the Management of Small Law Enforcement Agency Program of the Southern Police Institute, University of Louisville. Mr. Rompa has a Bachelor of Arts from the University of St. Francis with a degree in Leisure Studies with a concentration in Public and Commercial Recreation. While many of our residents already know Mr. Rompa, please join the Village in congratulating him on his new appointment as Chief of Police.

New Probationary Police Officer

In October, Guadalupe Gonzales joined the Village as a new probationary police officer. Officer Gonzales recently graduated from the Cook County Sheriff's Department Training Academy and began her field training in La Grange Park in December. Please join us in welcoming Officer Gonzales to the Village.



Legislative Update

Illinois will have a new Governor in 2015 – Bruce Rauner – but towns across the state will face many of the same challenges as in past years. Municipalities are hard-pressed to fund services while special interests working in Springfield make it more and more difficult to meet those challenges. The Illinois Legislature's recently concluded veto session after the Nov. 4 election highlighted some of those obstacles.

The Illinois Senate approved House Bill 5485. Firefighter unions worked over the last year to enact this bill that will provide them unprecedented input on staffing and hiring issues. HB 5485 passed the Senate, 42-11, Nov. 20, as the unions continued their lobbying effort which started last spring. The legislation now goes to Governor Quinn, who has indicated he will sign it before he leaves office.

There was some action in the veto session that will help municipalities. For instance, the General Assembly overrode the Governor's veto of HB 3796, a bill designed to help local government deal with "nuisance" requests for documents under the state's Freedom of Information Act. Under Public Act 98-1129, municipalities, park districts and other agencies may charge fees more reflective of actual costs when requesters seek more than 50 pages of documents.

In other action, the House voted to make permanent same-day voter registration in Illinois, despite its shaky test run Nov. 4. Besides allowing people to register and vote at polling places, the bill would extend early voting, as well as make it easier for college students to vote. The legislation passed, 70-44. The Senate would still have to act on the same-day registration bill, which it is expected to do in early January, before it can be sent to Gov. Pat Quinn, who has indicated he will sign it if it gets to his desk.

Cook County To Relocate Sheriff's Vehicle Maintenance Facility to La Grange Park

The Village has worked with Cook County officials over the last few months to mitigate the impact of a plan to move a Sheriff's vehicle service facility to the Highway Department facility at 901 West 26th Street. The proposal called for maintaining the Sheriff's vehicle fleet, as well as outfitting newly purchased squad cars for service.

After learning of the proposal in August, President Discipio and Village officials contacted La Grange Park's new County Commissioner, Elizabeth Doody Gorman, to arrange a meeting with representatives of Sheriff Tom Dart and County Board President Toni Preckwinkle. A meeting in September and follow up conversations have resulted in a tentative commitment to keep Sheriff vehicles from using residential streets, including Newberry and Beach Avenues, to access the facility.

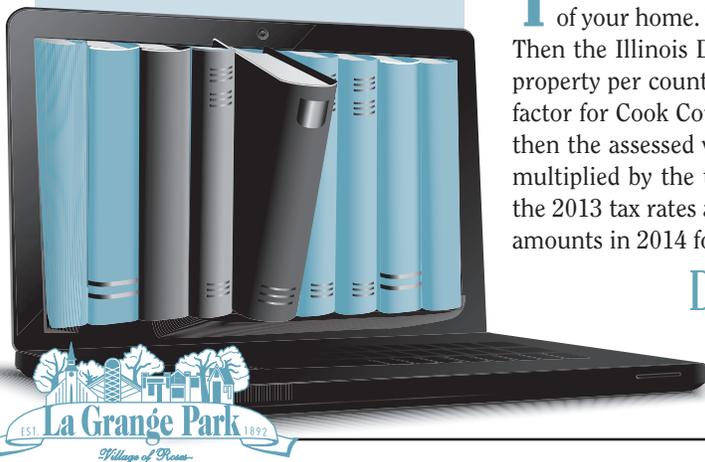
In addition, County officials have committed to installing an 8-foot high privacy fencing, landscaping and a security gate at the facility. They have also indicated they will remove trailers and containers that have been stored there. The Highway Department will continue to maintain light operations, including winter plowing and salting.

The plan requires zoning approval from the Village. Residents with questions are encouraged to contact the County at: cookcounty.board@cookcountyil.gov.



La Grange Park Public Library News

The La Grange Park Public Library received a \$50,000 legislative grant thanks to State Rep. La Shawn Ford (D-Oak Park). The Library is using this grant to update technology, create a more comfortable, inviting space in the Library, and make access to professional services even easier. The Library installed new furniture and replaced the public access computers on the ground floor with laptops in early December, completing the first phase of the improvements. In the coming months, the Library will also reconfigure its professional reference and readers' advisory services. Reference staff will be available to patrons as soon as they walk into the building. Their proximity to the library's adult fiction collection, as well as the Library's collection of readers' advisory resources, means that it will be easier than ever to get a recommendation for that next great read. Sign up for the Library's e-newsletter at www.lplibrary.org or follow us on Facebook and twitter (@lplibrary) for updates on this and news on all library programs and events.



La Grange Park Property Tax Summary

Each year, we include summaries of property tax information in the winter edition of the "Rose Clippings." We hope you find this information helpful in interpreting the property taxes you pay.

The Village's share of your total property tax bill is 10.7% or 9.2%, depending on the school district. The Village continues to strive to provide outstanding value for your money by keeping streets and public areas neat and well-maintained, providing police and fire protection, providing reliable water and sewer service, protecting the residential and commercial structures of our community, and doing all of it as efficiently as possible.

The majority of your property tax bill, approximately 63%-69% supports the grade schools and high schools. Not including the schools, the three remaining local institutions – the La Grange Park Public Library, the Community Park District, and the Village, comprise a combined total of approximately 17% - 20% of your total tax bill.

Total Tax Levy:

The 2013 total tax rate per \$100 of Equalized Assessed Valuation (EAV), which was payable in 2014, was 9.831 for properties in School District 102 and 11.488 for properties in School District 95. Please refer to the included chart for the tax rate history.

	TOTAL PROPERTY TAX RATES IF YOU LIVE IN SCHOOL DISTRICT 102	TOTAL PROPERTY TAX RATES IF YOU LIVE IN SCHOOL DISTRICT 95
2003 Tax Year	7.982	7.985
2004 Tax Year	8.059	8.067
2005 Tax Year	7.122	7.482
2006 Tax Year	7.311	8.105
2007 Tax Year	7.105	8.038
2008 Tax Year	6.712	8.160
2009 Tax Year	6.608	8.195
2010 Tax Year	6.663	8.226
2011 Tax Year	8.160	9.696
2012 Tax Year	9.076	10.714
2013 Tax Year	9.831	11.488

While we will not know the total 2014 property tax rate until next summer, the Village of La Grange Park approved an ordinance in November that authorized the 2014 Village tax levy (collected in 2015), which is our portion of the total real estate tax. Tax caps will scale back the initial levy request and we estimate the actual real estate tax extension to be \$3,396,500. This is a 1.7% increase over the 2013 extension.

How Your Property Tax Bill is Calculated

To determine how much your property tax bill will be, you first need to know the assessed value of your home. In Cook County, residential property is assessed at 10% of its fair market value. Then the Illinois Department of Revenue applies an equalization factor to the assessed value of property per county to ensure equitable assessment across individual counties. The equalization factor for Cook County for the 2013 tax year was 2.6621. So, if you own a home worth \$350,000, then the assessed value will be $[350,000 \times .10 \times 2.6621]$, or \$93,174. This assessed value is then multiplied by the tax rate for your property's particular location to get the total tax bill. Using the 2013 tax rates as listed above, a property with an assessed value of \$93,174 paid the following amounts in 2014 for the 2013 tax year (prior to any exemptions):

District 102

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District 95

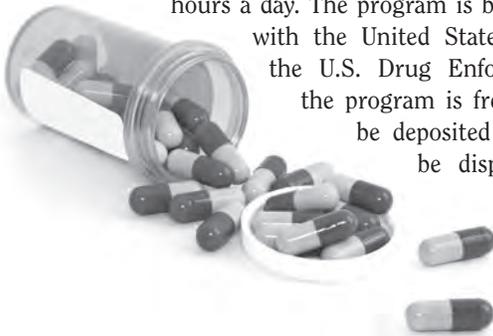
$$\begin{aligned} &\$93,174 \times .11488 = \\ &\$10,704 \end{aligned}$$

Are You Willing to Help a Neighbor in Need?

Winter can be a particularly challenging time for some of our elderly and disabled residents. Are you willing to help out a neighbor in need with some occasional snow shoveling or snow blowing? Please consider signing up for our H.E.L.P. program. The program matches community volunteers with residents in need of assistance. It began several years ago as a way to provide help to the many elderly residents who call the Village each year needing help with basic indoor or outdoor household chores. When someone who needs help with tasks, like mowing, snow removal, brush clearing, etc., the Village provides them the list of individuals who have indicated a willingness to be contacted and have signed up for the HELP program. The residents needing assistance contact the volunteers directly and oftentimes work out a nominal payment that will be given to the "volunteers" for their service. To sign up visit the Village website (www.lagrangepark.org) or call Village Hall at (708) 354-0225.

Safely Dispose of Your Old Prescription Drugs

The La Grange Park Police Department has installed a surplus pharmaceutical disposal box in the lobby of the Village Hall. Unwanted or expired prescription drugs may be safely disposed of by residents 24 hours a day. The program is being conducted in cooperation with the United States Department of Justice and the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration, and the program is free. Needles and sharps cannot be deposited into the container and must be disposed of in accordance with customary procedures outlined by health care professionals. Medications need to be disposed of using zip lock baggies.



Christmas Tree Disposal

Allied Waste will pick up Christmas Trees (no artificial trees) on your regular garbage day during the first two weeks of January. All trees must be free of ornaments, garland, lights, tinsel, etc. Trees should be placed in the parkway next to your garbage with the trunk facing the street. No sticker is required. Wreaths, garland, and natural décor will not be picked up. Residents should contact Allied Waste at (708) 345-7050 with any questions about tree pickup or holiday service.



Village Seeking Residents for Neighborhood Watch Program

La Grange Park has approximately 20 block captains signed up for our Neighborhood Watch program and we have decided to open up the program to all La Grange Park residents. The block captains attend meetings twice a year (Fall/Winter and Spring/Summer) and this past meeting we were fortunate to have two guest speakers. One from the Attorney General's office, and the other from the Cook County State's Attorney's office. They spoke to our block captains about internet and phone scams as well as fraud and identity theft. Their information was very helpful and very informative. We have invited both of them back for our Spring/Summer meeting which will be held on April 1st at 7:00 p.m. in the Village Board room. We encourage all residents to attend to hear both of them speak about fraud and other topics, and also receive hand-outs that are very beneficial on how to protect yourself. Being part of the Neighborhood Watch program keeps you informed of what is happening in your community and tips on how to protect yourself and your neighbors. If you need any additional information or have any questions please contact Jackie Viecelel at (708)352-7711 ext. 204 or email at JViecelel@lagrangepark.org

WINTER SAFETY REMINDERS

Now that we are in the midst of winter snow season, we at the Village would like to take this opportunity to remind you of how you can help keep yourself and your neighbors safe when winter weather sets in. We plow the streets when we expect snowfall to exceed two inches (2"). Salting will be performed during plowing operations on a limited, as needed basis.

By following just a few simple rules, you can make our job and your neighborhood safer.

Rule #1 Remove your vehicles from public streets when the forecast is for two inches of snow or more. Having vehicles in the road makes it harder for our drivers to thoroughly clean the streets and endangers their safety by forcing them to zigzag across slippery roads, increasing the probability of accidents. The Village tickets violators!

Rule #3 Do not shovel or blow snow into public streets. This not only defeats the purpose of our plowing, but causes unsafe conditions for all drivers. All shoveled or blown snow should be piled in your yard or parkway. Violators may be ticketed.

Rule #5 It is the responsibility of each homeowner/business owner to keep the sidewalk and walkways in front of his/her address shoveled and cleared of ice.

Rule #2 If possible, please avoid driving during heavy snowstorms. Our primary purpose is to clear streets for emergency vehicles. The less traffic there is, the faster and more efficiently our drivers can clear the streets.

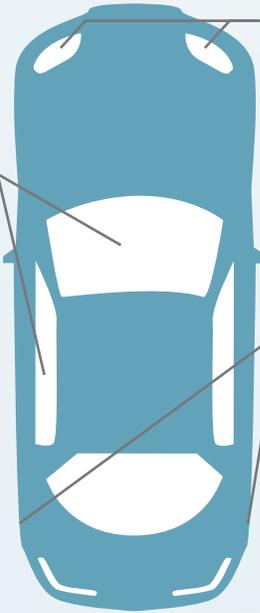
Rule #4 Drive cautiously. If you must be out, please use extreme caution. Drive slowly and watch at intersections. Don't follow our plows too closely. Leave plenty of extra room between cars and brake slowly. Use extreme caution in passing our plowing and salting equipment.

Prepare Yourself & Your Vehicle

Thoroughly scrape the windows and brush snow off your entire car, including the roof. Visibility is critical, and flying chunks of snow and ice pose a danger. Think of those driving behind you.

- When starting out on slippery roads, go easy on the gas to avoid wheel spin. If you have an automatic transmission that allows second-gear starts, select that gear for better traction.

- Unless you're driving an older car without antilock brakes, in an emergency use steady pressure and let your cars antilock brakes do the work. Almost every modern car has ABS, but check your owner's manual or ask your mechanic if you're not sure. In some very icy conditions, even ABS may not help; you're along for the ride until you regain traction.



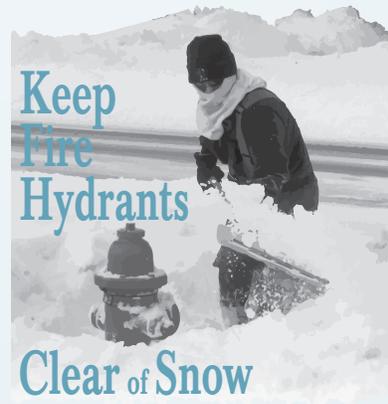
- Make sure your headlights are on. They not only provide you with better visibility, but help others see you too.

- Reduce your speed to lessen the likelihood of a skid. Avoid any sudden inputs to the steering, throttle, or brakes. Use lower gears when decelerating, to allow the engine to slow the car. Envision you are driving with an open cup of hot coffee in your lap.

- Keep in mind that all-wheel and four-wheel-drive systems provide extra traction while accelerating, but they can't help much with stopping and turning.

- Make sure your car is prepared for the conditions (check your battery, antifreeze, windshield wiper fluid, windshield wipers, headlights, tires).

Keep Fire Hydrants Clear of Snow



All of our Village fire engines carry water to help firefighters start extinguishing fires, but that water supply is limited. In most cases, firefighters only have a few minutes to get additional water from fire hydrants. As such, it is important to be able to find fire hydrants quickly, even during snow storms. As such, La Grange Park Firefighters ask that you "Adopt-a-Hydrant" near your home, and help clear snow from around it when needed. Firefighters, and your neighbors, will greatly appreciate it!

Winter Fire Safety Precautions

- Keep anything that can burn away from heating sources, such as fireplaces, furnaces, water heaters, and space heaters.
- Plug heat producing appliances such as space heaters directly into receptacles, without using an extension cord, and do not plug multiple types of appliances into the same receptacle.
- Have your furnace, fireplace and chimney inspected every year. Also, have your fireplace chimney cleaned each year to prevent a dangerous build-up of creosote inside of it.
- When disposing of fireplace ashes, keep them in a tightly sealed metal container, outside and away from the side of your home.
- Make sure you have smoke detectors throughout your home, on every level, near and in sleeping areas, and test them regularly to make sure they work.
- Make sure you also have at least one carbon monoxide alarm in or near sleeping areas, should dangerous levels build-up while you are asleep. Carbon monoxide is produced any time by fuel burning appliances, but emergencies related to such can also be more common during winter months.



SNOW BLOWING

- Do not blow snow into the street. Blow onto your parkway or yard.
- Keep hydrants visible and clear of snow piles.
- Keep the area in front of your mailboxes as clear of snow as possible.
- Keep your sidewalk/walkway clear of snow.

For further information, contact the La Grange Park Bureau of Fire Prevention, or the La Grange Park Building Department at 708-354-0225.

Village Board Highlights

The Board of Trustees conducted the following business during the months of September, October, and November:

- Obtained the approval for the purchase of two 2014 Chevrolet Caprice vehicles for the Police Department
- Accepted a proposal for professional services by GovHR USA to engage in the recruitment and selection of an Executive Director / Director for consolidated dispatch for the Villages of La Grange Park, La Grange and Western Springs
- Approved a resolution accepting the proposal of Homer Industries LLC for the disposal of leaves in the amount of \$25.00 per bucket and authorized the Village President to execute the necessary contract documents
- Accepted a quote from Ward Door Specialists in the amount of \$13,550 and authorized the installation of a new ADA compliant front door at Village Hall
- Appointment of a new member to the Youth Commission
- Proclamation – National Assisted Living Week 2014 “The Magic of Music” September 7 – 13, 2014
- Approved Chapman and Butler LLP as bond counsel to assist with the refunding of the 2006 sewer bonds and authorized the Village Manager to sign an engagement letter
- Proclamation for Fire Prevention Week October 5 – 11, 2014
- Proclamation Saluting Auxiliary Police Officer Joseph Vikidel
- Proclamation for the month of October La Grange Park Woman’s Club month
- Granted an exception to the nuisance regulations contained in Section 93.04.C.5 of the Village Municipal Code, for the purpose of allowing a night playoff game at Nazareth’s Valenta Stadium
- Approve an Ordinance Amending the “La Grange Park Municipal Code” as Amended (vehicle code violations)
- Approved a Resolution authorizing the execution of a Health Inspection Services Agreement with the County of Cook, and authorizing the Village President to execute the necessary contract documents
- Approved a Resolution establishing a Village Debt Policy
- Accepted the lowest responsible bid and awarded a contract not to exceed \$40,000 to Winkler Tree Service and authorized the Village President to execute the necessary contract documents
- Approved an alternate bid proposal obtained by Ace Hardware from Pavement Systems Inc. for asphalt paving of the alleyway south of Ace Hardware, in the not to exceed amount of \$5,822.00
- Approved an Ordinance authorizing and providing for the issuance of not to exceed \$3,940,000 General Obligation Refunding Bonds (Alternate Revenue Source), Series 2014, of the Village, for the purpose of refunding certain outstanding sewerage alternate bonds, prescribing all the details of said bonds and providing for the imposition of taxes to pay the same, and for the collection, segregation and distribution of the revenues of the sewerage system operated by said Village
- Moved that the President and Village Board of Trustees estimate that the amount necessary to be raised from the 2014 property tax levy for the 2014/15 fiscal year is \$3,503,980; which amount is less than 5% greater than the amount of taxes extended for 2013
- Approved a Resolution No. 14-24, which allows for the Adopting of the Cook County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan – Volume 1 and the Village of La Grange Park’s portion of Volume 2
- Approved a Resolution Approving the 2015 Meeting Dates
- Appointed Edward Rompa as Chief of the La Grange Park Police Department, effective November 26, 2014
- Approved an Ordinance Amending the “La Grange Park Zoning Code” as Amended (medical cannabis dispensing organizations)
- Authorized the payment of \$11,495 to HD Supply Waterworks, Ltd.
- Approved an Ordinance Providing for the Annual Tax Levy for the Village of La Grange Park, Cook County, Illinois, for Fiscal Year Beginning May 1, 2014 and Ending April 1, 2015.
- Approved an Ordinance Providing for specific reductions of the 2014 Property Tax Levy pursuant to the property tax extension limitation law
- Proclamation National Drunk and Drugged Driving (3D) prevention month December 2014

Community Park District

New Executive Director Appointed

An exhaustive search by the Community Park District Board of Commissioners and assisted by the Illinois Association of Park Districts, Mr. Aleks Briedis has been appointed Community Park District Executive Director. The search began in October 2014 after the previous Executive Director, Roy Cripe, announced his retirement.

Aleks, comes to La Grange Park after serving for a year and a half with the Wheeling Park District as Recreation Supervisor and fourteen years as Executive Director for the Rifle, Colorado Parks and Recreation Department. In Rifle, Aleks took the department from a one person, \$77,000 operation to a six person, \$2.7 million department. His experience in construction, and his proven organizational skills made Aleks’s candidacy the top choice of the Park Board. He holds a Bachelor’s Degree in Parks and Recreation Administration from the University of Illinois. He is the father of twin girls and lives in Villa Park.

While Aleks’s first official day on the job was January 5th he spent time with the Park District Staff in December to better prepare himself for the job. He said that he will use his first six months introducing himself to La Grange Park while learning to get a feel for the parks and recreational needs of the community.

Memorial Park Progress

Ground breaking for the over \$800,000 renovation of Memorial Park is expected to begin in April of this year, weather permitting. Following the demolition of the existing field house, erecting the new family sized picnic shelter is expected to break ground as soon as the ground thaws this spring. The actual cost of the shelter is not known at this writing but Park District architects predict a range of \$207,000 to over \$300,000, depending upon the number of add-ons that can be accepted.

Phase two of the Memorial Park Project includes a sand/water playground, a bocce ball and bags court, outdoor fitness equipment and re-landscaping in the south west corner of the park. Depending upon budget, other renovations within the park will be completed. Special provisions will be taken to run all programs at Memorial Park as usual, including the Wednesday Night Under the Stars program.

Forest Road Spur to Salt Creek Trail

Unavoidable delay has pushed this long awaited improvement to spring, 2015. Bicyclist and hikers who use the Forest Preserve District of Cook County’s Salt Creek Trail will benefit when a limestone screenings path replaces the existing bare ground path. This project will be completed with help from a \$4,300 grant from Commonwealth Edison’s Green Region grant program. The total cost of the renovation is expected to cost about \$12,000.

Memorial Park Ice Rink News

The Community Park District will try again this year to provide an outdoor ice rink in Memorial Park right behind the La Grange Park Library. Weather conditions notwithstanding, the facility is open seven days a week until 10:00 PM.

A minimum of 4” of ice is needed before opening the facility. Typically, it takes three or more continuous below zero weather days to freeze the water to that thickness. Ice thickness reports will be posted as conditions change on the Park District website; www.cpdllgp.org and the Park District’s hot line; 708-354-4580 ext. 300. In addition, a green flag will be hung from the Oak Street side of the ice rink to signal when the ice is ready for use. A red flag indicates that the ice is too thin. While there is very little danger of drowning, the underlying plastic liner that holds the water will tear should a skater’s blades break through the ice. This in turn could cause the facility to be closed for repair. Therefore, all skaters are strongly urged to stay off the ice until the green flag appears.

The Community Park District again extends a sincere thank you to the La Grange Park Fire Department for its volunteers who lend a hand grooming the ice.



Don’t Forget to “Spring” Ahead!

Daylight Savings Time will begin on Sunday, March 8 at 2:00 a.m. “Spring” your clocks forward at that time!





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VILLAGE HALL

Monday through Friday 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

LOST & FOUND

From time to time the Village of La Grange Park maintains a gathering of lost and found items. To reclaim any items left behind at Village Hall, call (708) 354-0225, ext. 102.

VILLAGE HOLIDAYS

Just a reminder that Village offices will be closed for the following holidays:

Monday, February 16 - Presidents Day
Friday, April 3 at Noon – Good Friday
The Police and Fire Departments will remain open