

VILLAGE OF DEERFIELD

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MEETING SCHEDULE

Meeting times/dates subject to change
For a complete list of meetings, please visit
www.deerfield.il.us

July

Board of Trustees

July 1 & 15, 7:30 p.m.

Plan Commission

July 11 & 25, 7:30 p.m.

Appearance Review Commission

July 22, 7:30 p.m.

August

Board of Trustees

August 5 & 19, 7:30 p.m.

Plan Commission

August 8 & 22, 7:30 p.m.

Fine Arts Commission

August 19, 6 p.m.

Appearance Review Commission

August 26, 7:30 p.m.

Reminder: Non-emergency Village offices will be closed on Thursday, July 4, due to the Independence Day holiday.

Have a happy and safe Fourth of July!

D-TALES

Your Municipal News Source

DEERFIELD FAMILY DAYS BACK FOR ANOTHER BLAST

Deerfield Family Days will kick off another two days of fun on July 3 and 4. Join family and friends for a holiday filled with excitement and entertainment!

The spectacular fireworks show will be held Wednesday, July 3, at Brickyards Park with live entertainment, games and rides. The gates will open at 5 p.m., and food and drink concessions will be available for purchase.

On Thursday, July 4, head on over to the festivities at Jewett Park starting at 8 a.m. including a pancake breakfast, dog show, flower show and a variety of games. Visit Maplewood Park for the Rotary Club race, registration starting at 7:15 a.m. The parade starts at noon and will travel from Deerspring Pool, west on Deerfield Road, north on Waukegan Road, west onto Hazel and will end on Park Avenue.

Funding for Family Days comes from the generous support of many Deerfield residents and corporate sponsors. Please consider making a donation at the event.

See page 10 for more details and a complete schedule of events!

For more information, contact Justin Keenan at 847.719.7462.

SAVE THE DATE FOR HARVEST FEST - SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

Save the date for the Village's annual Harvest Fest, in partnership with the DBR Chamber of Commerce. Visit Deerfield Road and Park Avenue on Saturday, September 28 from 5:30-9 p.m. for a day of live music, entertainment, food, beverages and fun.

For more information, contact Kylie Cerk, Communications Specialist, at 847.719.7404 or kcerk@deerfield.il.us.

DEERFIELD FARMERS MARKET CELEBRATES 25 YEARS

The Deerfield Farmers Market opened again for the season on Saturday, June 15 and is celebrating 25 years of food, friends and fun!

Located at the northwest corner of Deerfield Road and Robert York Avenue (Metra Commuter Lot), the Market will be open every Saturday through October 12 from 7 a.m.-12:30 p.m.



Come visit new vendors selling products including Asian produce, smoked fish and spreads, single-origin coffee, artisan skin care and bath products and much more.

Check out the Farmers Market's updated website page at www.deerfield.il.us/301/Farmers-Market to see what's new and to get the full week-by-week schedule of special events and vendor appearances. You can also follow them on Facebook at [Facebook.com/deerfieldfarmersmarketIL](https://www.facebook.com/deerfieldfarmersmarketIL).

For questions and more information, contact the Market at farmersmarket@deerfield.il.us or call 847.719.7400.

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“GREEN UP” YOUR PARKWAY WITH THE 50/50 TREE PROGRAM

The Deerfield Public Works Department offers a 50/50 program that allows residents to pay 50% of the cost for a new parkway tree (plus the \$80 planting fee) while the Village pays the remaining 50%.

Only one tree is eligible per residence, but you may purchase additional trees at full cost.

Your tree is guaranteed for one year and will be planted for you in the fall by the Public Works Department. Trees will be planted in the parkway only and cannot be planted on private property - this program is for residential properties only. Watch your tree next summer and if you notice any problems, give us call.

The application for the program is available in person or online at www.deerfield.il.us. After making your tree selection, fill out our Tree Order Form and return it to us with a check in the proper amount. The deadline for ordering trees is August 30.

To learn more about the program and to see which trees are available for planting, visit www.deerfield.il.us or contact Public Works at 847.317.7245.

SIGN UP FOR TEXT & EMAIL UPDATES FROM THE VILLAGE

Have you ever wondered how your neighbors stay in the know about Village

news? The Village website’s Notify Me feature allows residents to sign up to get up-to-date notices on Village news, events, meetings, construction projects and more.

Sign up to receive updates from the Village by clicking on the “Notify Me” button on the homepage at www.deerfield.il.us. Follow these instructions to register:

- Enter your email address and click the “Sign In” button.
- For mobile alerts, click the box allowing you to receive text messages and enter your full ten digit mobile phone number.
- When you find a topic of interest, subscribe by clicking the buttons next to the item - an envelope for email and a cell phone for text alerts.
- You will be prompted to confirm your subscription via email. Click the confirmation link sent to your inbox.
- Please remember to set your spam blocker to allow mail from listserv@civicplus.com.

Please note that you can also sign up to receive these alerts in addition to emergency alerts by filling out a form in person at Village Hall.

Notify Me categories currently include:

- Village News
- Farmers Market
- Water Reclamation Facility Updates

Other categories available for email sign-up include:

- Construction Project Blogs
- Bid Postings

- Village Job Opportunities
- Board and Commission Agendas

After registering online at www.deerfield.il.us and choosing the kind of information to receive, an email, text message or both will be sent each time new information is published on the website.

For more information about Notify Me, contact Communications Specialist Kylie Cerk at 847.719.7404 or kcerk@deerfield.il.us.

REMEMBER TO LEASH AND CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR DOGS

All dogs in the Village are required to be leashed. Also, remember to be courteous to your neighbors by disposing of your pet’s waste appropriately and in your own garbage receptacle.

According to Village Code, no owner of any dog shall permit the dog to be at large or confine the dog in a manner that it can escape and be at large, unless the dog is securely confined upon a leash of sufficient strength not more than three feet and accompanied by an able bodied person capable of controlling the actions of the dog under any circumstance.

Any person, firm or corporation in violation shall be fined not less than \$10 for the first offense; shall not be fined less than \$25 for the second offense; and shall not be fined less than \$50 for the third offense and all subsequent offenses in a one-year period.

For more information, view the Deerfield Municipal Code at www.deerfield.il.us.

REPORT A COMED POWER OUTAGE USING YOUR MOBILE DEVICE

TEXT “OUT”: Subscribers to Outage Alerts can quickly report an outage by texting “OUT” to 26633 (COMED). You will also receive notifications when an outage has been reported at your address and get ongoing updates as the status of your outage changes. Enroll by texting ‘ADD OUTAGE’ to 26633. You will instantly receive a text message confirming your enrollment. Report your outage by texting ‘OUT’ to 26633. You will receive a text to confirm if you have a PARTIAL outage (i.e. flickering lights) or a FULL outage. After you confirm your outage is PARTIAL or FULL, your outage is reported. Receive your outage status on demand at any time by texting ‘STAT’ to 26633. You may unsubscribe from Outage Alerts at any time by texting ‘STOP’ to 26633.

REPORT IN APP: Use the free ComEd Mobile App to quickly report an outage from an Apple iPhone® or Android™ device. The app will also provide notifications as the outage status is updated.



LEAVE FIREWORKS TO THE PROFESSIONALS

With the warm weather and family events, the Fourth of July should be a fun time with great memories, but please remember that the use of fireworks in Deerfield is significantly restricted by Village ordinance.

The best way to protect your family is to not use any fireworks at home; instead, attend public fireworks displays and leave the lighting to the professionals.

Each July 4th, thousands of people nationwide, most often children and teens, are injured while using consumer fireworks.

Moreover, there are many people, including our veterans, that are alarmed by unexpected fireworks – especially the ones they don't know are coming. They prepare themselves for our Independence Day celebrations, but unexpected fireworks can trigger a PTSD reaction.

Stay safe this year and join us at our Deerfield Family Days fireworks on July 3 at Brickyards Park. 🌀

WATCH OUT FOR SCAMS

Spring and summer weather often brings an increase in reports of scams and ruse burglaries. Ruse burglaries often begin with the offenders creating an excuse to enter the victim's home. The offenders claim to be a utility worker, village employee or a contractor who then enters the home using the ruse of checking something (water pressure, fuses, pipes). While one offender keeps the homeowner occupied, one or more additional offenders enter the home undetected and commit a burglary.

If you are approached by someone purporting to be a worker needing to enter your house, do not let them in without first contacting the utility company, Village or the police. By requesting identification from the worker, you may prevent yourself from becoming a victim by showing the offender that you are alert to the possibility that they are not who they claim to be.

Additionally, avoid home repair scams by never allowing someone to perform driveway sealing or other repairs on the spot. Residents are advised to not let transient workers perform repair work without providing a business card, allowing you to check on the reputation of the business.

If ever in doubt, or if the person is persistent in entering your home, close and lock your door and call 9-1-1 immediately. The Police Department would rather investigate an innocent misunderstanding than have a victim of this type of crime. 🌀

KEEP YOUR DOGS COOL THIS SUMMER

Every year, dogs suffer and die when their guardians make the mistake of leaving them in a parked car – even for “just a minute” – while they run an errand.

Parked cars are deathtraps for dogs; on a 78-degree day, the temperature inside a parked car can soar to between 100 and 120 degrees in just minutes, and on a 90-degree day, the interior temperature can reach as high as 160 degrees in less than 10 minutes.

Animals can sustain brain damage or die from heatstroke in just 15 minutes. Beating the heat is challenging for dogs because they can only cool themselves by panting and by sweating through their paw pads.

If you see a dog left alone in a hot car, take down the car's color, model, make and license plate number and call 9-1-1. If possible, have someone keep an eye on the dog until help arrives. 🌀

DEERFIELD CURFEW LAW

Our curfew ordinance was created for the safety of minors as well as to maintain the quality of life throughout Deerfield.

It is applicable to those ages 17 and under during the following times:

- Sunday-Thursday: 11 p.m.- 6 a.m.
- Friday-Saturday: 12 a.m. - 6 a.m.

Illinois State law provides that drivers under 18 may not operate a motor vehicle between the hours of 10 p.m. and 6 a.m., Sunday through Thursday, and between 11 p.m. and 6 a.m., Friday and Saturday. Curfew applies year-round, including holidays.

During allowed driving times, the number of passengers is limited to one person under age 20, unless the additional passenger is a sibling, step-sibling, child or step-child of the driver.

Exemptions in the law allow new drivers to drive to and from employment or school-sanctioned activities outside the restricted times. Underage drivers convicted of violating the driving curfew may have their driver's license suspended. 🌀

OVERNIGHT PARKING PROHIBITED

By Village Ordinance, vehicles are not allowed to park on the street between the hours of 2 a.m. and 6 a.m. This ordinance helps to reduce crime and improve the overall safety and appearance of our community.

If you require an exception, call the Deerfield Police non-emergency number, 847.945.8636, before 2 a.m. and be prepared to provide the license plates of the effected vehicles.

POLICE & FIRE DEPARTMENT 2019 BLOOD DRIVE SCHEDULE

We have developed an annual schedule for blood drives, all taking place in the Robert Franz Room of Deerfield Village Hall (850 Waukegan Road) from noon to 6 p.m.

The remaining dates for 2019 are August 9 and November 1.

For questions, contact Mary Anne Glowacz at mglowacz@deerfield.il.us or 847.794.7501. 🌀



REGISTER FOR ROAD CONSTRUCTION UPDATES

Village staff maintains active blogs and e-Newsletters during construction projects to keep residents impacted by the work up to date on construction-related activities. These blogs and notifications can be sent to residents via email, text message or both, but residents need to register to receive them.

To register, visit www.deerfield.il.us, click on the “Notify Me” button on the homepage and complete the following:

1. Enter your email and/or cell phone number at the top of the page.
2. Scroll down to “Blog.”
3. Find “2019 Street Rehab Project” or other projects of interest.
4. Click the envelope icon for email and/or the cell phone icon for text message.
5. Once registered, you will be required to confirm your email/phone number. Look out for confirmation emails or texts, and check your spam folder if you did not receive one.

For more information on road construction projects, visit the Village’s website or contact the Engineering Department at 847.317.2490 or engineering@deerfield.il.us.

2019 STREET REHABILITATION PROJECT UPDATE

The Village of Deerfield 2019 Street Rehabilitation Project is currently underway. Work started in April and includes nineteen streets within the Village.

The following roads are associated with this year’s project:

Birchwood Ave. from Central Ave. to Rosewood Ave. and from Lake Cook Rd. to Laurel Ave.; Castlewood Ave. from Montgomery Rd. to Cranshire Ct.; Chatham Cir.; Cranshire Ct.; Peartree Rd.; Montgomery Dr. from the south limits to the concrete pavement; Village Green; Berkeley Ct.; Wilmot Rd. from Greenwood

Ave. to North Ave.; Hawthorne Pl.; Oakwood Pl.; Woodbine Ct.; Woodland Dr. from Stratford Rd. to Wilmot Rd.; Meadow Ln.; Rosemary Ter.; Essex Ct. west of Warrington Rd.; Warrington Rd. from Deerfield Rd. to Woodvale Ave.; Warwick Ave. near Blackthorn Ln. (drainage improvements); and Margate Ter. from Oxford Rd. to Kenton Rd.

Work along Castlewood Ln., Cranshire Ct., and Montgomery Dr. began in April and is near completion. To date, the contractor has completed the installation of underground utilities, curbs, sidewalks and the asphalt base for the roadway.

On Warrington Rd., the contractor has completed new storm sewer from Warwick Rd. north to the creek, which is designed to alleviate localized flooding of homes in this area. Currently, the contractor is working on concrete replacement and pavement removal and replacement are to follow.

Construction on Birchwood Ave. and Meadow Ln. is anticipated to start this summer. Work on the remaining locations will begin shortly, and all locations will be completed by Thanksgiving. Thank you for your continued patience, and remember to drive safely through construction zones.

Updates on this project will be shared at www.deerfield.il.us/Blog.aspx?CID=5. You can sign up to receive email and/or text message updates on the project.

WOODLAND SUBDIVISION WATER MAIN IMPROVEMENTS

As part of the Village’s ongoing water distribution system improvements, we initiated the execution of the Woodland Subdivision Water Main Improvement Project this spring. This project will replace the aging water main in the Woodland Subdivision, in the northwest part of the Village, on Woodland Dr., Oakwood Pl., Hawthorne Pl. and Woodbine Ct.

This work began in early June with the installation of new water main and is anticipated to be complete by September. Once the water main improvements are completed, the contractor will begin work on roadways per the 2019 Street Rehabilitation Project.

Updates on this project will be shared at www.deerfield.il.us/Blog.aspx?CID=6. You can sign up to receive email and/or text message updates on the project.

GREENWOOD AVENUE INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

In early 2017, the Village secured Federal funding through the Illinois Department of Transportation for the reconstruction and resurfacing of Greenwood Ave.

The project scope, split in two sections by the Metra tracks, is to install new water main and fully reconstruct the roadway east of the Metra tracks. On the west side of the tracks, the contractor will repair underground and concrete appurtenances as necessary and will resurface the roadway from Chestnut St. to Wilmot Rd.

Due to the required work between Chestnut Rd. and Waukegan Rd., a full closure of Greenwood Ave. between these streets is necessary. This closure, as well as the corresponding detour route via Hazel Ave., was implemented in the middle of June.

Shortly after the closure was installed, the contractor began water main installation within this section of roadway. The full closure, and the associated work, is anticipated to be complete by mid-August before schools are back in session. Work on the west side of the Metra tracks is anticipated to begin in early July. All work is scheduled to be completed by October 31.

Updates on this project will be shared at www.deerfield.il.us/Blog.aspx?CID=8. You can sign up to receive email and/or text message updates on the project.



VILLAGE OF DEERFIELD

ANNUAL DRINKING WATER QUALITY REPORT VILLAGE OF DEERFIELD, ILLINOIS 2018

This information is being published in accordance with the 1996 Safe Drinking Water Act, as directed by the United States Environmental Protection Agency.

INTRODUCTION TO WATER QUALITY REPORT

We are once again pleased and proud to present to you the Annual Water Quality Report. This Consumer Confidence Report (CCR) is designed to inform you about the water we deliver to you every day. Our goal is to provide you with a safe and dependable supply of drinking water. The Village is committed to ensuring the quality and delivery of your water. We hope you find this information useful. If you have any questions about this report or water quality, contact Derek Gehrke, Responsible Operator In Charge, at 847.317.7245 or publicworks@deerfield.il.us or visit www.deerfield.il.us.

We are also pleased to report that the drinking water provided by the Village meets or exceeds all State of Illinois and United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) regulations and that we are not operating under any variance or exemption from the established drinking water regulations or standards. Opportunities for participation in the decision-making process that affects drinking water quality are also available at the Deerfield Village Board meetings on the first and third Mondays of every month. 

ABOUT THE DATA

On the following pages you will find information regarding:

Organic Carbon – The percentage of Total Organic Carbon (TOC) removal was measured each month, and the system met all TOC removal requirements set, unless a TOC violation is noted in the violations section.

Turbidity (NTU) – Turbidity is a measure of the cloudiness of the water. It is monitored because it is a good indicator of water quality and the effectiveness of the filtration and disinfectants.

Sodium – There is no State or Federal maximum contaminant level (MCL) for sodium. Monitoring is performed to provide information to consumers and health officials that are concerned about sodium intake due to dietary precautions. Those on a sodium-restricted diet should consult a physician about the level of sodium in the water.

Lead & Copper – The Village continues to be in compliance with regulations for lead and copper control. (See *Lead and Copper Explanation*).

Unregulated Contaminants – An MCL for this has not been established by either State or Federal regulations, nor has mandatory health effects language. The purpose for

monitoring this is to assist the U.S. EPA in determining the occurrence of unregulated contaminants in drinking water and whether future regulation is warranted.

In addition to the above-mentioned tests, Deerfield continuously monitors and tests your water through our water control system as well as with weekly physical samples. These samples are submitted to the Central Lake County Joint Action Water Agency, an EPA certified laboratory, for analysis. This ensures a rapid response should there ever be a problem.

GENERAL INFORMATION

The sources of drinking water (both tap and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it can dissolve naturally occurring minerals and radioactive material and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity. Possible contaminants consist of:

Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations and wildlife.

Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals, which can be naturally

occurring or result from urban storm water runoff, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining or farming.

Pesticides and herbicides, which may come from sources such as agriculture, urban storm water runoff and residential uses.

Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban storm water runoff and septic systems.

Radioactive contaminants, which may be naturally occurring or the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.

To ensure that tap water is safe to drink, EPA prescribes regulations that limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. FDA regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water, which must provide the same protection to ensure public health.

Contaminants monitoring results

The Village of Deerfield and City of Highland Park routinely monitor for contaminants in your drinking water according to Federal and State laws. 

2018 WATER QUALITY DATA - JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31, 2018

Containment (units)	EPA MCLG	EPA MCL	High-Level Found	Range of Detection	Violation	Date of Sample	Typical Source of Contamination
Microbial Contaminants							
Turbidity (%<0.3 NTU)*	n/a	0.3 NTU	100%	n/a	NO	2018	Soil runoff
Turbidity (1.0 NTU)*	n/a	1 NTU	0.076 NTU	n/a	NO	2018	Soil runoff
Inorganic Contaminants							
Barium (ppm)*	2	2	.019	.019-.019	NO	2018	Discharge from drilling wastes, metal refineries, erosion of natural deposits.
Fluoride (ppm)*	4	4	.762	.762-.762	NO	2018	Erosion of natural deposits; water additive that promotes strong teeth; discharge from fertilizer/aluminum factories.
Sodium (ppm)*	n/a	n/a	11	11-11	NO	2018	Erosion of natural deposits; Used as water softener.
Disinfection / Disinfection By-products							
Chlorine (ppm)	4	4	1	.88-1.20	NO	2018	Water additive used to control microbes.
Total Haloacetic Acids [HAAS] (ppb)	n/a	60	20	11.7-23.9	NO	2018	By-product of drinking water chlorination.
THM [Total Trihalomethanes] (ppb)	n/a	80	40	25.8-41.1	NO	2018	By-product of drinking water chlorination.
Additional Unregulated Contaminants							
In an effort to ensure the safest water possible, the State has required us to monitor some contaminants not required by Federal regulations. Of those contaminants, only the ones listed below were found in your water.							
Sulfate (ppm)*	n/a	100	23.0	23.0 - 23.0	NO	2018	Erosion of natural deposits.
Chloride	n/a	n/a	16	16-16	NO	2018	
Calcium	n/a	n/a	32	32-32	NO	2018	
Magnesium	n/a	n/a	11	11-11	NO	2018	
Hardness Total (ppm)(as CaCo3)	n/a	n/a	130	130-130	NO	2018	Erosion of natural minerals.
Alkalinity	n/a	n/a	110	110-110	NO	2018	Erosion of natural deposits.
Total Dissolved Solids	n/a	n/a	150	150-150	NO	2018	Inorganic salts; dissolved organic matter; sewage; urban and agricultural run-off; industrial wastewater; water treatment process chemicals; hardware used to distribute water.

LEAD AND COPPER - JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31, 2018

Lead MCLG	Lead Action Level (AL)	Lead 90th %-tile	# Sites Over Lead AL	Copper MCLG	Copper Action Level (AL)	Copper 90th %-tile	# Sites Over Copper AL	Likely Source of Contamination
0	15 ppb	0 ppb	0	1.3 ppm	1.3 ppm	0.127 ppm	0	Corrosion; erosion

*Reported by the City of Highland Park

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LEAD AND COPPER TESTING

The IEPA lead and copper testing program began in 1992. Due to consistent low concentration levels of lead and copper, the Village has been placed on a reduced testing cycle by the IEPA and is only required to test every three years. Currently, a round of testing consists of 30 samples. Our most recent round of lead and copper testing took place in 2018 and Deerfield remains in compliance so as to continue with the IEPA-mandated reduced lead and copper testing cycle. Our next round of testing will occur in 2021.

The Village is in full compliance with all State and Federal regulations governing the control of lead and copper within public drinking water supplies. If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. The Village is responsible for providing high-quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When water has been sitting for several hours, minimize potential for lead exposure by flushing the tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. Those concerned about lead in water, may wish to have their water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 800.426.4791 or at www.epa.gov/safewater/lead. 

DEFINITIONS

In the previous tables you will find many terms and abbreviations with which you may not be familiar. To help you better understand these terms, we have provided the following definitions:

ppm - Parts per million or milligrams per liter (mg/L) – or one ounce per 7,350 gallons of water.

ppb - Parts per billion or micrograms per liter (mcg/L) – or one ounce per 7,350,000 gallons of water.

ppt - Parts per trillion or nanograms per liter (nanograms/L) – or one ounce per 7,350,000,000 gallons of water.

NTU - Nephelometric Turbidity Unit; used to measure the cloudiness in drinking water.

% < 0.3 NTU - Percent samples less than 0.3 NTU.

Mrem/yr - Millirems per year, used to measure radiation absorbed by the body.

pCi/l - Picocuries per liter; used to measure radioactivity.

pos/mo - Number of positives per month.

AL - Action Level or the concentration of a contaminant that, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.

TT - Treatment Technique or a required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.

MCL - Maximum Contaminant Level or the highest level of a contaminant allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible, using the best available treatment technology.

MCLG - Maximum Contaminant Level Goal or the level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.

n/a - Not applicable. 

LAKE MICHIGAN: OUR WATER SOURCE

The Village of Deerfield purchases all of its water from the City of Highland Park. Highland Park draws its raw water from a 54-inch intake pipe located a mile off shore in Lake Michigan at a depth of approximately 30 feet. In addition, there are two smaller pipes used as secondary intakes, which are 16 and 20 inches in diameter.

Lake Michigan, like the other Great Lakes, was formed as glaciers retreated north during the last ice age. Lake Michigan is the largest lake completely within the United States at 118 miles wide and 307 miles long. Lake Michigan averages 279 feet in depth and reaches 925 feet at its deepest point. The lake's drainage basin, which is approximately twice as large as its 22,300 square miles of surface water, includes portions of Illinois, Indiana, Michigan and Wisconsin. The Great Lakes are among the world's most valuable sources of fresh surface water. Almost half of all the liquid fresh water in the world is found in the Great Lakes. Most of the world's surface fresh water is locked away in the ice caps around the North and South Poles, which makes us appreciate the Great Lakes that much more.

All sources of drinking water, including Lake Michigan, are subject to potential contamination by items that are naturally occurring or man made. Those elements may be microbes, organic or inorganic chemicals or radioactive materials. All drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants.

The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that the water poses a health risk. Susceptibility is defined as the likelihood for the source water of a public water system to be contaminated at concentrations that would pose a concern. 

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OUR WATER SOURCE CONTINUED

The Illinois EPA (IEPA) considers all surface sources of the community water supply to be susceptible to potential pollution problems. The very nature of surface water allows contaminants to migrate into the intake with no protection, only dilution, hence the reason for mandatory treatment for all surface water supplies in Illinois.

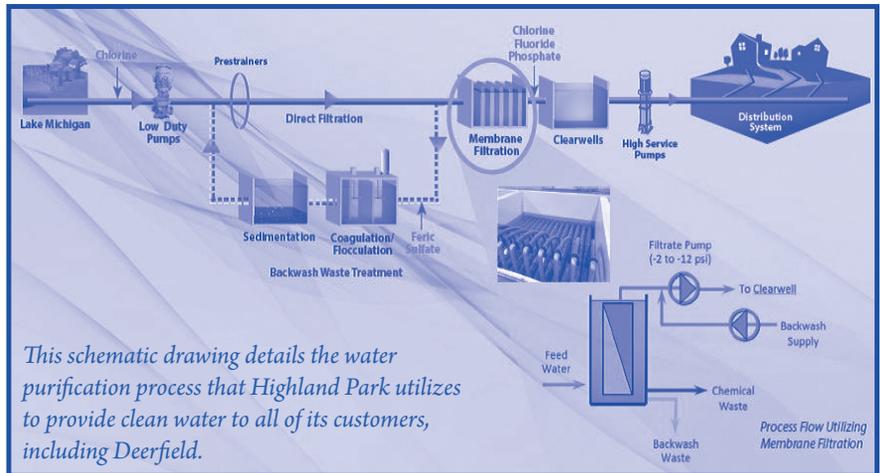
As previously mentioned, Highland Park has three intake lines. The 54-inch intake pipe is normally used alone with the two smaller intakes used to augment high demand or during maintenance of the 54-inch pipe. As these are closer to the shore, they have a greater susceptibility to be influenced by potential sources of contamination. However, regardless of which lines are used, the finished water leaving the Highland Park Water Plant always meets or exceeds all IEPA and EPA regulations.

More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 800.426.4791. To access the Highland Park Water Assessment Summary, visit: www.epa.state.il.us/cgi-bin/wp/swap-fact-sheets.pl?rm=show_facility_detail&facility_number=0970500&cws=y.

TOP 10 WAYS TO CONSERVE WATER

Conserving water is easy if you follow these helpful tips:

1. Test for a leaking toilet by adding food coloring to the tank. If any color appears in the bowl after 30 minutes, your toilet is leaking. Leaking toilets can waste thousands of gallons of water. Flush as soon as the test is done, since food coloring may stain the tank.



2. Use water-conserving plumbing fixtures and water-flow restrictors on sinks and showers. Bathroom facilities typically constitute 75% of the water used in homes.

3. Run your dishwasher and washing machine when you have a full load.

4. Take a short shower instead of a bath. A bath uses 30 to 50 gallons of water. Showers use about a gallon of water per minute.

5. Store drinking water in the refrigerator instead of letting the tap run every time you want a glass of cool water.

6. Never put water down the drain when there may be another use for it such as watering a plant or garden, or doing housework.

7. Be conscientious of the amount of water you use when running your garbage disposal. Have your food scraps cut into small pieces so they can be disposed of quickly, minimizing the amount of time you need to run the faucet.

8. For landscaping and gardens, choose plants that are native to the area in which you live or plants that are drought resistant. Native plants are accustomed to the natural amount of precipitation that occurs in the area where they are found and normally

do not require any additional watering. Group plants together based on similar watering needs.

9. Water your lawn and/or garden during the coolest part of the day to minimize evaporation. Apply water slowly, exactly where it is needed. Position sprinklers so that water lands on the lawn and shrubs, not on paved areas. Keep in mind that sprinkling restrictions are in place from May 15 - September 15.

10. Use a bucket of water and a spray head on the hose to wash your car. A running hose can waste hundreds of gallons of water in the time it takes to wash a car. ♻️

SPECIAL INFORMATION

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water. Immunocompromised individuals, such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by cryptosporidium and other microbial contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 800.426.4791. ♻️



The following is a synopsis of actions taken by the Village Board since the last issue of D-Tales. For complete sets of minutes for Village Board meetings or to watch meetings on demand, please visit the Village's website at www.deerfield.il.us.

VILLAGE BOARD ACTION

- Authorized award of 2019 Crack Sealing Contract
- Authorized award of Construction Contract for the Chlorine Panel Replacement Project
- Approved resolution authorizing release of Closed Session minutes
- Approved ordinance authorizing a special use for a personal fitness training center in suite 27 at the 444 Lake Cook Road Building B in the Industraplex Planned Unit Development (Cornerstone Mixed Martial Arts LLC)
- Approved resolution adopting the revised GIS Consortium membership agreement
- Approved resolution authorizing closure of a portion of Waukegan Rd. for the 4th of July Parade
- Approved ordinance authorizing an amendment to a special use to permit the construction of an addition, façade improvements, and a new sign at Caruso Middle School
- Approved ordinance authorizing an amendment to a special use to permit the construction of an addition, façade improvements, and a new sign at Shepard Middle School

AWARDS AND PROCLAMATIONS

- Proclaimed May 6, 2019, Deerfield Cyclery Day
- Proclaimed May 6-10, 2019, Public Service Week
- Proclaimed May 19-25, 2019, National Public Works Week
- Recognized Rich DeVroeg for 25 Years of Service
- Awarded Matthew Kroscher, 2019 IHSA Boys State Champion in Boys Gymnastics for Vault and Still Rings
- Awarded Jacob Simon, 2019 Best Actor "Broadway in Chicago" Illinois High School Musical Theatre Awards
- Awarded Sam Liokumovich, 2019 IHSA Class 3A State Champion Shot Put
- Recognized Mary Anne Glowacz for 25 Years of Service
- Proclaimed June 7, 2019, National Gun Violence Awareness Day
- Proclaimed June 10, 2019, the 100th Anniversary of Illinois being the first state to ratify the 19th Amendment

COMMUNITYCALENDAR



DEERFIELD PARK DISTRICT

Summer Camps

Summer Camps run weekly all summer long! Check out a wide variety of camps to fill your child's whole summer or just specific weeks. Visit deerfieldparks.org or stop by the Park District today!

Mark Your Calendar

- July 12-14 - COHO Swim Team Summer Classic Meet at Deerspring Pool
- July 7, 14, 21 & 28 - Summer Sampler Concerts at Mitchell Park
- July 10, 17, 24 & 31 - Eat to the Beat Concerts at Jewett Park
- August 3 - Dive-In Theater at Mitchell Pool
- August 4 & 11 - Summer Sampler Concerts at Mitchell Park
- August 5-9 & August 12-16 - Extra Added Attraction summer camp programs at JPCC
- August 21, 22 & 24 - Deerfield Family Theater Auditions for Annie
- August 25 - Walk, Ride & Roll at Jaycee, Mitchell, Maplewood, Jewett & Deerspring Parks
- August 29 - COHO Swim Team fall try-

outs at Sachs Recreation Center

For more information or to register for Park District programs, call 847.945.0650 or visit www.deerfieldparks.org.

DEERFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY

All Library programs are free and open to the public. Register in advance by phone at 847.945.3311, online at deerfieldlibrary.org or in person at 920 Waukegan Road.

Picnic Stories

Thursdays, July 11-August 1, 12 p.m., Drop-in

Bring a bag lunch and enjoy stories for the whole family in the Library.

Read Without Boundaries Summer Edition

Ongoing until Saturday, August 31
Join our year-long reading challenge, with fun themes and prizes. Check in at the Adult Services desk for details.

Stuffed Animal Pet Show

July 8, 10:30 a.m., Ages 4-7 with caregiver
Bring your favorite stuffed animal for

pampering, stories, crafts and then star together in the Pet Show. One animal per child.

Play in a Day

July 17, 6 p.m., Grades 6-12

The mission, write, direct, and perform a play in just two hours!

Sensory Friendly Family Film, Trolls

July 25, 3:30 p.m., Drop-in

Families and children of all abilities will enjoy the movie with lights turned up, sound turned down, and option to move and sing during the movie.

Baby and Toddler Prom

July 27, 10:45 a.m., Children up to age 2 with caregiver

We'll dance and play, and you'll even have a prom picture taken with your little one, so dress up!

iPhone 101

July 31, 7 p.m.

We'll go over the basics as well as a number of your iPhone's unique features.

Hamilton Sing-along

August 2, 6:15 p.m., All Ages

Lead a song, belt every line from the audience, or just sit back and enjoy the show.

Game Night @ Warehouse Eatery

August 29, 7 p.m., Adults only

Choose from classic games like Monopoly or Clue, or try one of our modern games like Catan or Pandemic. Appetizers served and prizes awarded.

For more information and a full listing of events, please visit www.deerfieldlibrary.org.

WEST DEERFIELD TOWNSHIP

Township Board meetings will be held at 7 p.m., July 16 and August 20, at the Township Offices (601 Deerfield Road).

For more information, visit www.westdeerfieldtownship.org.



COMMUNITYINFO

TOUR THE DEERFIELD HISTORIC VILLAGE

The Deerfield Area Historical Society hosts free tours of the Deerfield Historic Village (450 Kipling Place), on Sundays from 2-4 p.m., June through September.

Visit the oldest building in Lake County, the Caspar Ott log house, pre-Civil War era houses, a carriage house and a one-room schoolhouse that has been a favorite with children for many years. Admission is free.



DEERFIELD AREA HISTORICAL SOCIETY FALL FESTIVAL - SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

Mark your calendars for the Historical Society's Fall Festival on Sunday, September 8, from noon-4 p.m. at the Deerfield Historic Village.

The event will feature tours of the Village, craft demonstrations, historic games, antique cars, farm animals, music and food vendors.

The Historical Society, a donor supported, independent nonprofit organization, maintains the Historic Village. As a non-profit organization, all of the Society's services are made possible by membership dues and donations.

For more information call 847.948.0680, visit www.deerfieldhistoricalsociety.org or www.facebook.com/deerfieldhistory/.

UPCOMING EVENTS @ PTC



The Patty Turner Center (PTC) is a Deerfield Park District Program for Adult Enrichment in partnership with the Village of Deerfield.

The PTC is located in Deerfield on Elm Street and offers a wide variety of programs, events and excursions for older, active adults.

If you are interested in becoming a member or would like further information about our programs or services listed below, please call the Patty Turner Center at 847.940.4010 or visit our website at www.pattyturnercenter.org. We look forward to hearing from you soon!

- July 8 – Low Vision Group
- July 9 – Men's Club: Susan Benjamin presents Andrew Lloyd Webber: Musical Prodigy; Women's Club: "Little Black Dress" with Leslie Goddard
- July 10 – ACES Caregivers' Support Group; PTC Excursion: "The Wizard of Oz"
- July 16 – Men's Club: "News & Views" with Lynne Samuels
- July 18 – "Shake Rattle and Mix" 50's Theme-Dinner Dance with The Original Rockin' Fendershirts
- July 24 – ACES Caregivers' Support Group
- July 25 – "Drive-In, Dine-In" Movie for Members BBQ Grille
- July 26 – "Friday with Friends" Summertime BBQ with the Northshore Senior Stompers
- July 30 – Men's Club: "History of Chicago Cable Cars with speaker Greg Borzo
- July 31 – PTC Excursion: "A Day at Arlington Park" Racetrack
- Aug. 12 – Illinois Secretary of State Super Seniors Day
- Aug. 13 – Men's Club: History and Political speaker Gary Midkiff; Women's Club: "Hedy Lamarr" with Annette Bochenek
- Aug. 14 – ACES Caregivers' Support Group
- Aug. 16 – PTC Excursion: Cantigny Park & McCormick House Tour
- Aug. 21 – "Big Band Night" Live Concert with the Big Band Sound of Deerfield
- Aug. 28 – ACES Caregivers' Support Group
- Aug. 29 – "Drive-In, Dine-In" Movie for Members BBQ
- Sept. 8 – PTC Excursion: Chicago Cubs vs. Milwaukee Brewers at Miller Park

DBR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AWARDS SCHOLARSHIPS

The Deerfield Bannockburn Riverwoods (DBR) Chamber of Commerce Scholarship Foundation is pleased to announce the awarding of the 2019 DBR Chamber of Commerce college scholarship to Lauren Siegel and the DBR Chamber of Commerce/Deerfield Bank & Trust college scholarship to Mirella Strieleman. Both of the scholarship recipients are outstanding local students who have shown exceptional leadership.

The DBR Chamber of Commerce Scholarship Foundation is a nonprofit volunteer organization that provides financial assistance to help students in the 60015 zip code and family members of employees pursue a higher education.

The DBR Chamber of Commerce organized the scholarship program in 2002 and has awarded over \$100,000 in college scholarships. Donations to the DBR Chamber of Commerce Dollars for Scholars can be sent to the DBR Chamber of Commerce, 405 Lake Cook Road, Suite A201, Deerfield, IL 60015 or you can contact the Chamber at 847.945.4660 and email at info@dbrchamber.com.

WASTE MANAGEMENT SERVICE - WEEK OF JULY 4

Since July 4 falls on a Thursday this year, Waste Management service will proceed as normal with collection on Tuesday for those north of Deerfield Road and collection on Wednesday for those south of Deerfield Road.

Per Village ordinance, refuse and recycling carts can be set out as early as sundown the day before collection, no later than 7 a.m. the day of collection and no later than 6:30 a.m. on Deerfield and Waukegan Roads.



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DEERFIELD FAMILY DAYS JULY 3 & JULY 4, 2019



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CELEBRATE FIREWORKS, FOOD AND FUN
WITH FAMILY AND FRIENDS!

WEDNESDAY, JULY 3RD – BRICKYARDS PARK

5:00 p.m.	GATES OPEN: Concession sales begin (food and soft drinks available).
5:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.	Carnival Games, Inflatables & Rides by Playground Games!
6:00 p.m.	Enjoy live entertainment by Energy Productions!
7:00 p.m.	Raising of the Flag by the American Legion and singing of the National Anthem.
Dusk	FIREWORKS: A spectacular show!

July 3 Unlimited Ride Wrist Bands (Not valid on July 4) – \$10

FREE ADMISSION - NO PETS ALLOWED IN THE PARK
NO SPARKLERS ALLOWED - NO OPEN CONTAINERS OF ALCOHOL

THURSDAY, JULY 4TH – JEWETT PARK

8:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.	Pancake Breakfast: Hosted by the First Presbyterian Church of Deerfield - Youth Group, Jewett Park Grounds.
8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.	Family Days Bazaar: Jewett Park Grounds.
8:00 a.m.	Deerfield Rotary Club 10k Race & 5K Walk/Run: Registration from 7:15 a.m.-7:45 a.m. New race route starting at Maplewood Park!
8:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.	Bike Parade: Rosemary & Deerfield Parking Lot at 9:00 a.m. (bikes must be pre-decorated)
8:45 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.	Dog Show: BYOD - Bring your own Dog!
10:00 a.m. to Noon	Energy Productions provides live entertainment.
10:00 a.m. to 3 p.m.	Carnival Games.
10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.	Rides, Petting Zoo, Pony Rides, Corporate Booths and Concessions: Jewett Park.
11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.	Flower Show: Submit flowers for judging between 8:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m., Oak Room, Jewett Park Community Center.
Noon	SPECTACULAR PARADE <i>Parade Route: Deerspring Pool to Waukegan Road, Waukegan Road to Hazel Avenue, ending at Jewett Park</i>
1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.	Free Swimming for everyone at Deerspring Pool and Mitchell Pool.



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July 4 Unlimited Ride Wrist Bands (Cash Only) – \$15

THANK YOU TO ALL FAMILY DAYS SPONSORS!

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL:

JUSTIN KEENAN, ASSISTANT TO THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS & ENGINEERING,
AT 847.719.7462

OR

VISIT WWW.DEERFIELD.IL.US/FAMILYDAYS



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VEHICLE STICKERS

Vehicle stickers must be displayed by **July 1!** Contact the Finance Department at 847.945.5000 for more information.



VILLAGENOTES

STAY
IN TOWN
FOR FAMILY DAYS
July 3 & July 4

REDUCE, REUSE AND RECYCLE REMINDERS

REDUCE MOSQUITOES

The South Lake Mosquito Abatement District offers the following tips to defend your home and garden from mosquitoes and West Nile Virus. Practice the following tips every week:

- Report water standing more than 3 days at www.clarkeportal.com or 800.942.2555.
- Tip and toss free-standing containers such as flowerpot saucers, watering cans and buckets.
- Empty water that collects in folds of tarps used to cover woodpiles, boats, etc.
- Position corrugated drain pipes to ensure drainage or dump out water.



REUSE RAIN WATER

Many gallons of water run right off your roof and into storm sewers. If you have a large garden or do a lot of lawn sprinkling, your summer water bill can run into the hundreds of dollars. A one-time investment in a rain barrel allows you to catch and use free rainwater for years.

WHAT NOT TO RECYCLE

It has been reported that higher percentages of non-recyclable materials are

being found at processing plants. Some of the most common contaminants to avoid recycling include:

- Plastic bags
- Pizza boxes
- Bubble wrap and shrink wrap
- Electrical cords, string and rope, rubber and plastic hose and clothing
- Propane tanks, batteries and electronic waste
- Medical equipment and devices

LANDSCAPE WASTE STICKERS

The cost of landscape waste stickers is \$2.88 each. Stickers may be purchased at Village Hall, Jewel, Walgreens, Heinen's and Craftwood Lumber. Residents north of Deerfield Road will have yard waste collected on Tuesdays; those south of Deerfield Road will have collection on Wednesdays. Yard waste must be placed in a 30-gallon paper bag and placed at the curb with a sticker affixed for collection.

A sticker is also required for each bundle not exceeding 4 feet in length, 30 inches in circumference and 50 pounds in weight. Collection runs through December 15.

Contact the Finance Department at 847.945.5000 for more information.

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