VILLAGE OF

FOREST PARK

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2022

INFORMATION CALENDAR

Special Events

Village Services

Important Phone Numbers

Village Officials

Rules and Regulations

Regional Services/Officials

Forest Park Village Hall
Municipal Building
517 Des Plaines Ave.
Forest Park, IL 60130
(708) 366-2323

Village Hall offices are
open the following hours:
M-F: 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Closed Weekends

All events subject to change or cancellation.

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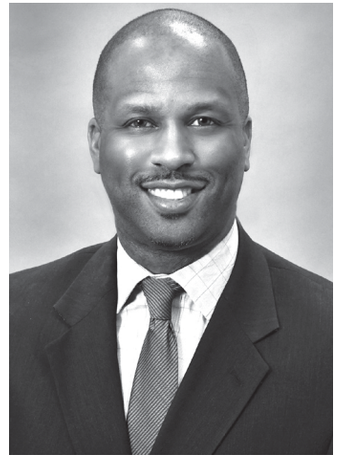

A Letter from Mayor Hoskins

Dear Friends and Neighbors,

As we enter 2022, let us reflect on some of the things that make Forest Park such a special community, namely, residents, businesses, and dedicated village employees.

We have incredible residents who go above and beyond by volunteering. Volunteer groups and activities include: 209 Scholarship Fund, Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts, Forest Park Theater Group (Shakespeare in The Park), Spontaneous Trash Collection, Planting Flowers in Medians, Community Garden, the annual No Gloves 16" Softball Tournament, Forest Park Youth Soccer, Arts Alliance, League of Women Voters, American Legion, Kiwanis, Historical Society, and the Juneteenth Family Pool Party.

Our village has a thriving small business community, and together we've created an environment that attracts new businesses. Welcome to White Crane, Mr. Beef, Foundry, Chipotle, Play It Again Sports, and Table & Lain.

Finally, on behalf of the Village Council of Forest Park, thank you to our first responders who keep Forest Park safe and attractive to new businesses. Congratulations to newly appointed Police Chief Ken Gross, and to recently promoted employees Deputy Police Chief Chris Chin, Lt. Tim Adams, Sgt. Lauren Battistoni, Deputy Fire Chief Mark Maylath, Fire Lt. Lindsey Hankus, and Public Works Director Sal Stella.

Very truly yours,

Rory E. Hoskins, Mayor

P.S. Please continue to stay safe, vaccinate yourselves, and encourage others to get vaccinated.

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Public Health & Safety Director
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Parking Regulations

Overnight Parking

On-street parking is prohibited in the Village of Forest Park from 2:00 a.m. to 5 a.m. All vehicles must be parked legally on private property, or residents may purchase a permit to park their vehicle in a night-only or 24-hour parking space in municipal lots.

Residents whose overnight guests need to park on the street may call (708) 366-7272 between the hours of 8:00 p.m. and 2:00 a.m. or go online at forestpark.net for permission.

Parking Permits

To obtain a permit to park either at night only or 24 hours a day in a municipal lot, visit or call Village Hall at (708) 366-2323 or purchase online at forestpark.net. Proof of residency required. (O-33-07, 6-4-4-C)

Abandoned Vehicles

Any vehicle in disrepair, parked in view, and not moved for seven days will be ticketed, and then towed. The owner will be cited.

Vehicle Registration

Local

All Forest Park residents must promptly register their vehicles with the Village by purchasing a vehicle sticker by April 1 of each year or upon moving into the Village. To purchase a sticker, visit Village Hall with proof of residency and the title or state registration for each vehicle.

The owner of any vehicle that is regularly housed or frequently parking in the Village must also purchase and display a vehicle sticker as outlined by Village ordinance. (6-2-1A2)

State

If you are new to Illinois, you must register your vehicles with the nearest Secretary of State vehicle service office, where you may also obtain an Illinois drivers license. To locate the nearest office, visit cyberdriveillinois.com or call (800) 252-8980.

Voter Registration

Residents may register to vote online at www.ova.elections.il.gov or at the Village Clerk's office during regular business hours. Two forms of identification are required.

Pets

Licenses

Within 10 days of obtaining a dog or cat, purchase a license by visiting the Village Hall with proof of current rabies inoculation. Licenses are $10. (5-1-3)

Rules

Pets must be leashed when not on private property. Each dwelling is allowed 3 dogs and/or cats. Please clean up! (5-1-5, 5-1-4, 5-1-7B)

Parks

Pets are allowed in the Village-owned dog park, located on the southeast corner of Circle and Lehmer. Dog Park permits are required and available at Village Hall in the Clerk's office. (5-1-11)

Garbage/Refuse/Yard Waste/Recycling

Regular Household Refuse

Large blue trash toters with lids are provided to each homeowner to dispose of household garbage. Trash pickup is on Thursdays throughout the entire Village. If you determine you need more than one blue trash toter for household waste, please call Republic Services at (708) 345-7050.

Bulk Items

Lids on trash toters must be closed. Large items that do not fit in the toters may be placed in the alley after 6 p.m. Wednesday for pickup Thursday, or you may call Republic Services at (708) 345-7050 for a special pickup.

Yard Waste

Place yard waste in brown bags or in 32 gallon garbage cans marked "YARD WASTE" or marked with a large red "X" for pickup Thursdays from the beginning of April to the end of November. "YARD WASTE" labels are available at Village Hall, free of charge. During the fall, tree leaves may be raked into the street near the curb for pickup during the week.

Recycling

Do not recycle plastic shopping bags. Large rolling recycling toters are available by calling Republic Services at (708) 345-7050. Recycling is picked up on Thursdays.

Tree Limbs

Brush and branches should be placed in the parkway (between the sidewalk and street) for pickup. The Forestry Department picks up branches every Friday. Harlem Avenue homeowners should call the village at (708) 366-2323 or email us at publicworks@forestpark.net or alley pickup.

Electronics Recycling & Hazardous Waste

Visit hazardouswasteexperts.com or call (888) 681-8923 or earth911.com, avarecycling.com

Forest Park Chamber Of Commerce

exploreforestpark.com

(708) 366-2543

The Forest Park Chamber of Commerce is dedicated to the continued growth and revitalization of Forest Park's business districts, as well as the enhancement of the quality of life for both residents and businesses. Organized since 1912, the Chamber operates under the leadership of a board of directors comprised of a group of local business people, civic leaders and community-minded individuals working together to promote business and a sense of community.

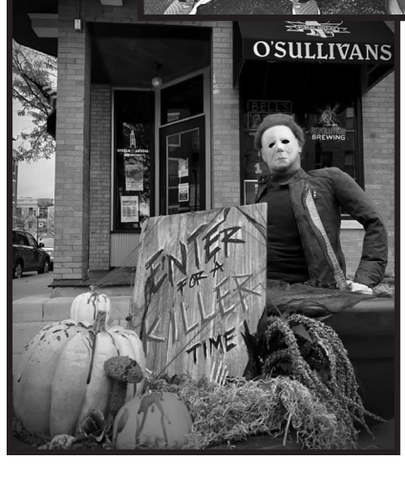
Located in the Forest Park National Bank at 7331 W. Roosevelt Road in Forest Park, the Chamber office provides information to new and prospective residents and businesses, and answers questions about Forest Park and member businesses.

Social events and programs held throughout the year include monthly luncheons, Wine Walk & Shop, St. Patrick's Day Parade, Holiday Walk, Annual Meeting/ Pride Awards, Çasket Races and Zombie Pub Crawl.

The Chamber also co-sponsors the annual Bob Haeger All School Picnic and holiday decorations on Madison Street, as well as the Forest Park Community Guide that is delivered to all residents and distributed throughout the year.

The Chamber monthly general meeting/luncheon is open to anyone wishing to attend. This is a networking event that is held at different locations every month for $15 per person. For more information, or to find out the location, contact the Chamber.

Investment in the Forest Park Chamber of Commerce & Development partners you with a comprehensive group of member-businesses and residents who want to be involved, stay informed, and work together to cultivate a favorable environment in which business, government, and the community at-large can interact. Increased exposure, networking opportunities, referrals and the opportunity for active involvement are just some of the benefits of Chamber membership.



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Zoning and Building Regulations

Title 9

Building permits are required before undertaking most construction projects in your home and on your property. Building permits ensure that the construction conforms to zoning and building codes. When you apply for a permit, please remember to provide a current Plat of Survey with all permit applications and your contractors' information.

To obtain building permits or to obtain additional information about these and related code concerns, visit Village Hall (517 Des Plaines Avenue), the Village website (forestpark.net) or phone the Department of Public Health and Safety at (708) 615-6276.

Remember, it is state law to call J.U.L.I.E. at 1-800-892-0123 or 811 48 hours before you excavate or dig. Visit illinois1call.com for more information.

Housing and Rental Regulations

Title 8

Residential properties are subject to the Village's Housing Code and Property Maintenance Standards. Among the various requirements that people should be aware of are the following:

- Landlords are required to provide 68°F heat to all rooms in a dwelling September 15 through June 1. (8-5-4B5)

- Maximum occupancy is based upon room sizes. A bedroom must be at least 70 square feet in size to be legally occupied. For more than one person to occupy a bedroom area, at least 50 square feet of floor space must be provided in a bedroom area per person. (8-5-6)

If you have specific questions about housing and/or property maintenance standards, visit or phone the Department of Public Health and Safety at (708) 615-6276, or go to the Village website at forestpark.net.

Home Based Business

The Village of Forest Park has zoning regulations for home-based businesses. If you intend to operate a business from your home, you should contact the Village Clerk's Office to make certain that your intended business activities are permitted. Additionally, an inspection of the premises is required prior to the granting or approval of any
home-based business license.

PROPERTY MAINTENANCE STANDARDS

All buildings and properties in the Village of Forest Park must be maintained in good condition. If a violation is found or reported to the Department of Public Health and Safety, inspectors will make the property owner(s) aware of any code deficiencies. Time will be given in order to correct the noted problems. If corrective actions are not taken, the owner(s) will be issued citations.

Some of the frequently noted problems are:

- All properties must be maintained free from weeds or grass growth in excess of 10 inches.

- All garbage and refuse must be kept in covered garbage receptacles at all times.

- All exterior surfaces, including siding, gutters, downspouts, chimneys, windows, window frames and handrails shall be maintained in good condition. Rotten or decayed wood must be replaced. Peeling, flaking and chipped paint must be eliminated.

- All properties must display address numbers on both the street and alley side of the property. This helps emergency personnel locate your property as quickly as possible.

Federal Offices

Dick Durbin, democrat
230 S. Dearborn St., Ste. 3892
Chicago, IL 60604
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website: durbin.senate.gov

Tammy Duckworth, democrat
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Chicago, IL 60604
phone (312) 886-3506 fax (312) 886-2117
website: duckworth.senate.gov

Danny Davis, democrat,
7th Congressional District
2815 W. Fifth Ave.
Chicago, IL 60612
phone (773) 533-7520 fax (844) 274-0426
website: davis.house.gov

Internal Revenue Service
For tax and other questions, call (800) 829-1040 or visit irs.gov

Immigration Services Call the Immigration and Naturalization Services at (800) 375-5283 or visit uscis.gov.

Cook County Commissioner

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Chicago, IL 60707
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brandon.johnson@cookcountyil.gov

State Offices

Illinois Secretary of State Driver Services:
To locate the facility nearest you, check cyberdriveillinois.com or call (800) 252-8980.

Illinois Attorney General's Office and Consumer Fraud Division:
Phone (800) 386-5438
website: illinoisattorneygeneral.gov

Illinois Department of Transportation:
(847) 705-4000 or to report road hazards using a cellular phone, dial *999.
website: dot.state.il.us.

State Legislators

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JANUARY 2022

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
December 2021 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	**February 2022** S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28				VILLAGE HALL CLOSED DECEMBER 31ST	**1** NEW YEAR'S DAY
2	**3** Plan Commission 7pm Village Hall	**4** Auxiliary Police 7pm Village Hall	**5** Arts Alliance 7pm TBA	Garbage Pickup **6** Diversity Commission 7pm Village Hall CHRISTMAS ARMENIAN ORTHODOX CHRISTIAN	**7** CHRISTMAS EASTERN CHRISTIAN	**8**
9	**10** Village Council Meeting 7pm Village Hall BODHI DAY BUDDHIST	**11** Chamber Networking Lunch Neighborhood Watch 7pm Village Hall	**12** Local Adjudication 5pm Village Hall	Garbage Pickup **13** District 91 6:30pm FP Middle School Recreation Board 7pm Village Hall	**14**	**15**
16	**17** Library Board 7pm Library VILLAGE HALL CLOSED DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. DAY	**18** Zoning Board Of Appeals 7pm Village Hall WORLD RELIGION DAY Bahá'í	**19**	Garbage Pickup **20** Fire & Police Commission 5pm Village Hall Safety & Traffic Commission 7pm Village Hall	**21**	**22**
23	**24** Village Council Meeting 7pm Village Hall	**25**	**26** Environmental Control Commission 7pm Local Adjudication 8:30am Village Hall	Garbage Pickup **27** UN HOLOCAUST MEMORIAL DAY	**28**	**29**
30	**31**					

Howard R. Mohr
Community Center
7640 Jackson Blvd. • Forest Park, Illinois 60130

The Community Center, named for the late state senator and former Forest Park Mayor, is owned and operated by the Village of Forest Park.

Examples of Community Center programs include:

- Forest Park Senior Citizen Club
- Senior Weekly and Extended Trips
- Door to Door Transportation, by Appointment, on weekdays in Forest Park and a 2 Mile Radius outside Village Borders. Cost is $1.00 one way or $2.00 round trip
- Senior Transportation to Grocery/Shopping on Mondays and Thursdays
- Monthly Senior Bingo and Movie
- Discounted Pace Bus and Taxi Coupon Books
- Free Tax Help for Seniors, February through April
- AARP 55 Alive Driving Course
- State of Illinois Mobile Driving Service
- Super Senior Day-Illinois Secretary of State
- Driver's Review Classes
- Cindy Lyons Health Fair
- Lifeline Testing
- Elder Law Seminar
- Financial and Informational Seminars
- Clubhouse Daycare Program for Children Attending
- FP Public Schools,Grades First through Sixth
- Youth Open Recreation Night
- Easter Eggstravaganza
- Young Gourmet Class
- Ribfest
- Groovn' in the Grove
- Senior New Year's Eve Party
- Youth Dodgeball nights
- Food Pantry
- Benefit Access Program Filing

DATES:

- Senior Citizen Club – Every Tuesday 8:30am to 1:00pm
- Recreation Night – Every Wednesday October thru May
- Senior Movie – The second Thursday of each month
- Senior Bingo – The 4th Thursday of each month
- Girls Night
- Boyz Night
- Easter Eggstravaganza
- Young Gourmets
- Groov'n in the Grove – June 15th , July 20th and August 17th
- Ribfest – Sept. 11th
- Cindy Lyons Health Fair
- Senior New Year's Party – December 31st

All events subject to change or cancellation.

Black History Month FEBRUARY 2022

All events subject to change or cancellation.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Auxiliary Police 7pm Village Hall NATIONAL FREEDOM DAY	2 Arts Alliance 7pm TBA GROUNDHOG DAY	Garbage Pickup 3 Diversity Commission 7pm Village Hall	4	5
6	7 Plan Commission 7pm Village Hall	8 Chamber Networking Breakfast Neighborhood Watch 7pm Village Hall	9 Local Adjudication 5pm Village Hall	Garbage Pickup 10 District 91 6:30pm FP Middle School Recreation Board 7pm Village Hall	11	12 LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY
13	14 Village Council Meeting 7pm Village Hall VALENTINES DAY	15 SUSAN B. ANTHONY DAY	FULL MOON 16	Garbage Pickup 17 Fire & Police Commission 5pm Village Hall Safety & Traffic Commission 7pm Village Hall	18	19
20 WORLD DAY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE	21 VILLAGE HALL CLOSED PRESIDENTS DAY	22 Zoning Board Of Appeals 7pm Village Hall WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY	23 Local Adjudication 8:30am Village Hall Environmental Control Commission 7pm	Garbage Pickup 24	25	26
27	28 Village Council Meeting 7pm Village Hall					

January 2022

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FOREST PARK
PUBLIC LIBRARY

Board Members

Lin Beribak

Brooke Sievers

James Pekoll

Keary Bramwell

Ayanna Brown

Eboni Murray

Hours

Monday: 9 am - 9pm

Tuesday: 9 am - 9 pm

Wednesday: 9 am - 9 pm

Thursday: 9 am - 9 pm

Friday: 9 am - 6 pm

Saturday: 9 am - 5 pm

Sunday: 1 pm - 5 pm

EVERYONE IS WELCOME

7555 Jackson Blvd 708-366-7171 fppl.org askus@fppl.org

Women's History Month MARCH 2022

All events subject to change or cancellation.

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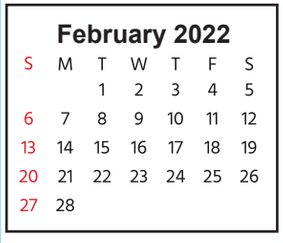		1 Auxiliary Police 7pm Village Hall	2 Arts Alliance 7pm TBA ASH WEDNESDAY	Garbage Pickup 3 Diversity Commission 7pm Village Hall	4	5 St. Pat's Parade 1pm
6	7 Plan Commission 7pm Village Hall	8 Chamber Networking Lunch Neighborhood Watch 7pm Village Hall INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY	9 Local Adjudication 5pm Village Hall	Garbage Pickup 10 District 91 6:30pm FP Middle School Recreation Board 7pm Village Hall	11	12
13 DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME BEGINS. CHANGE YOUR CLOCKS & SMOKE DETECTOR BATTERIES	14 Village Council Meeting 7pm Village Hall	15	16	Garbage Pickup 17 Fire & Police Commission 5pm Village Hall Safety & Traffic Commission 7pm Village Hall ST. PATRICKS DAY	FULL MOON 18	19
20 SPRING BEGINS	21 Library Board 7pm Library Zoning Board Of Appeals 7pm Village Hall	22	23 Local Adjudication 8:30am Village Hall Environmental Control Commission 7pm	Garbage Pickup 24	25	26
27	28 Village Council Meeting 7pm Village Hall	29	30	Garbage Pickup 31 Vehicle Stickers Expire CESAR CHAVEZ DAY		

February 2022

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Forest Park Outdoor Regulations

Sprinkling regulations:

From May 15 to September 15, village ordinance requires that lawn sprinkling is permitted for residences with an odd numbered street address on odd numbered calendar days and those with an even numbered street address on even numbered calendar days before noon and after 6:00 PM only.

Outdoor grilling:

Grills must be placed on non-combustible surfaces at ground level and are not allowed on balconies. (5-2-11)

Yard waste reminder:

Place yard waste in brown bags or in garbage cans marked "yard waste" or marked with a large red "X" for alley pickup Thursday mornings from the beginning of April to the end of November. Refrain from raking grass clippings into street, as debris will clog sewer drains.

Garage Sales: (3-5-1A)

Garage, yard, and estate sales are regulated, and a permit must be obtained from Village Hall before the sale. Permits for garage and yard sales are $10. Permits for estate sales are $25. (Yard sales in back yard only).

Garage sale signs must be located entirely on the premises where the sale is to be conducted. Any signs placed illegally or on public rights-of-way will be removed and citations issued.

Genocide Awareness Month APRIL 2022

All events subject to change or cancellation.

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March 2022 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	**May 2022** S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31				**1**	**2** FIRST OF RAMADAN BEGINS AT SUNDOWN
3 FIRST OF RAMADAN	**4** Plan Commission 7pm Village Hall	**5** Auxiliary Police 7pm Village Hall	**6** Arts Alliance 7pm TBA	Garbage Pickup **7** Diversity Commission 7pm Village Hall	**8**	**9** Egg Hunt Park District
10 PALM SUNDAY	**11** Village Council Meeting 7pm Village Hall	**12** Chamber Networking Lunch Neighborhood Watch 7pm Village Hall	**13** Local Adjudication 5pm Village Hall	Garbage Pickup **14** District 91 6:30pm FP Middle School Recreation Board 7pm Village Hall HOLY THURSDAY	**15** PASSOVER BEGINS AT SUNDOWN GOOD FRIDAY	FULL MOON **16** PASSOVER
17 EASTER	**18** Library Board 7pm Library Zoning Board Of Appeals 7pm Village Hall	**19**	**20**	Garbage Pickup **21** Fire & Police Commission 5pm Village Hall Safety & Traffic Commission 7pm Village Hall	**22** EARTH DAY	**23** Chamber of Commerce Wine Walk & Shop
24 EASTERN ORTHODOX EASTER ARMENIAN MARTYRS' DAY	**25** Village Council Meeting 7pm Village Hall	**26**	**27** Local Adjudication 8:30am Village Hall Environmental Control Commission 7pm ADMINISTRATIVE PROFRESSIONALS DAY	Garbage Pickup **28** HOLOCAUST REMEMBRANCE DAY	**29** ARBOR DAY	**30**

Utility Providers

Natural gas: Nicor, a subsidiary of NiGas, is currently the only provider. Call (888) 642-6748 or nicorgas.com.

Electricity: Commonwealth Edison,
Call (800) 334-7661 or comed.com.

Water/Sewer: Contact the Water Department at (708) 366-2323 or at waterdept@forestpark.net for information.

J.U.L.I.E.: Joint Utility Location Information For Excavators. Call before you dig...it's FREE! 811

Tree Plantings

The Village plants trees in the parkways to replace those that have been removed due to death, disease, infestation or risk to public safety. Tree replacement is based on a variety of factors including existing tree spacing (stumps included), utilities and sight-lines on the parkway. If a new tree can be accommodated, it will be planted during a future planting season. Tree species and size are determined by Village staff to increase diversity.

Sal Stella
Director of Public Works

TREE CITY USA®

National Public Works Week May 15-21

Leaf Pickup Oct. 1 - Dec. 1

REMINDER

Please Obey
Snow Routes
After 2" Of Snow!

Asian Pacific Heritage Month MAY 2022

All events subject to change or cancellation.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 MAY DAY INTERNATIONAL WORKER'S DAY	**2** Plan Commission 7pm Village Hall	**3** Auxiliary Police 7pm Village Hall WORLD PRESS FREEDOM DAY NATIONAL TEACHER DAY	**4** Arts Alliance 7pm TBA	Garbage Pickup **5** Diversity Commission 7pm Village Hall CINCO DE MAYO	**6** NATIONAL NURSES DAY	**7**
8 MOTHER'S DAY	**9** Village Council Meeting 7pm Village Hall	**10** Neighborhood Watch 7pm Village Hall	**11** Chamber Annual Meeting Local Adjudication 5pm Village Hall	**12** Garbage Pickup District 91 7pm Administration Office Recreation Board 7pm Village Hall	**13**	**14**
15	FULL MOON **16** Library Board 7pm Library Zoning Board Of Appeals 7pm Village Hall	**17**	**18**	Garbage Pickup **19** Fire & Police Commission 5pm Village Hall Safety & Traffic Commission 7pm Village Hall	**20**	**21** ARMED FORCES DAY
22	**23** Village Council Meeting 7pm Village Hall DECLARATION OF THE Báb Bahá'í	**24**	**25** Local Adjudication 8:30am Village Hall Environmental Control Commission 7pm	Garbage Pickup **26**	**27**	**28** Aquatic Center Opens Park District
29	**30** VILLAGE HALL CLOSED MEMORIAL DAY	**31**				

April 2022

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June 2022

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Forest Park Fire Department
Non-Emergency (708) 366-1234
Fire Safety Tips

Candle Safety:

* Never leave burning candles unattended. Extinguish all candles before going to sleep or leaving the room.
* Keep candles at least three feet from anything that can burn.
* Place candles where they will not be knocked down or blown over and out of reach of pets and young children.

Smoke Detectors:

* Install smoke detectors on every level of your home and inside all sleeping areas.
* Test every detector at least once a month. [See owner's manual for location of the test button.]
* Keep smoke detectors dust free. Replace batteries with new ones twice a year or sooner if the detector makes a chirping sound. Change batteries when you change your clocks (March 13th & November 6th).
* Never disable or remove smoke detector batteries.

Fire Extinguishers:

* Fire extinguishers should be mounted in the kitchen, garage, and workshop.
* Purchase an ABC type extinguisher for extinguishing all types of fires.
* Learn how to use your fire extinguisher before there is an emergency.
* Remember, use an extinguisher on small fires only. If there is a large fire, get out immediately and call 911 from another location.

A Reminder About Fireworks:

* Most fireworks are illegal to purchase or detonate in Illinois.
* Sparklers and small legal explosives should be used with care.

Furnace/Space Heaters:

* Install and maintain heating equipment correctly. Have your furnace inspected by a professional prior to the start of every heating season.
* Don't store newspapers, rags, or other combustible materials near a furnace, water heater, space heater, etc.
* Don't leave space heaters operating when you're not in the room.
* Keep space heaters at least three feet away from anything that might burn, including the wall.
* Don't use extension cords with electric space heaters. The high amount of current they require could melt the cord and start a fire.

LGBTQ Pride Month

JUNE 2022

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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5	**6** Plan Commission 7pm Village Hall	**7** Auxiliary Police 7pm Village Hall	**8** Local Adjudication 5pm Village Hall	Garbage Pickup **9** Recreation Board 7pm Village Hall	**10**	**11**
12	**13** Village Council Meeting 7pm Village Hall	FULL MOON **14** Chamber Networking Lunch Neighborhood Watch 7pm Village Hall FLAG DAY	**15**	Garbage Pickup **16** Fire & Police Commission 5pm Village Hall Safety & Traffic Commission 7pm Village Hall	**17**	**18** Juneteenth Family Pool Party Park District
19 JUNETEENTH FATHER'S DAY	**20** VILLAGE HALL CLOSED Library Board 7pm Library Zoning Board Of Appeals 7pm Village Hall	**21** SUMMER BEGINS	**22** Local Adjudication 8:30am Village Hall Environmental Control Commission 7pm	Garbage Pickup **23**	**24**	**25**
26 ANNIVERSARY OF LEGALIZATION OF SAME-SEX MARRIAGE IN U.S.	**27** Village Council Meeting 7pm Village Hall	**28** GUBERNATORIAL PRIMARY ELECTION	**29**	Garbage Pickup **30**		

VILLAGE OF FOREST PARK

COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS

VILLAGE OF FOREST PARK

BIG CITY ACCESS

SMALL TOWN CHARM

STREET INDEX

ADAMS	ST.	S	500
BELOIT	AVE.	W	7500
BELVIDERE	AVE.	W	7350
BERGMAN	CT.	S	250
BROWN	AVE.	N	200
BURKHARDT	CT.	W	7450
CIRCLE	AVE.	W	7300
EISENHOWER	EXPY.	S	700
DES PLAINES	AVE.	W	7800
DIXON	ST.	S	100
DUNLOP	AVE.	W	7650
ELGIN	AVE.	W	7250
FERDINAND	AVE.	W	7500
FILLMORE	ST.	S	1100
FIRST	AVE.	W	8400
FRANKLIN	ST.	S	50
GROVE	LN.	S	600
HANNAH	AVE.	W	7400
HARLEM	AVE.	W	7200
HARRISON	ST.	S	800
HARVARD	ST.	S	1000
JACKSON	BLVD.	S	600
LATHROP	AVE.	W	7600
LEHMER	ST.	S	700
LEXINGTON	ST.	S	900
LINCOLN	CT.	S	250
MADISION	ST.	S	400
MARENGO	AVE.	W	7300
MONROE	ST.	S	450
POLK	ST.	S	950
RANDOLPH	ST.	S	200
ROCKFORD	AVE.	W	7550
ROOSEVELT	RD.	S	1200
TAYLOR	ST.	S	1050
THOMAS	AVE.	W	7450
TROOST	AVE.	W	7750
VAN BUREN	ST.	S	700W
WARREN	AVE.	S	350
WASHINGTON	ST.	S	300
WILCOX	ST.	S	550
YORK	ST.	S	850
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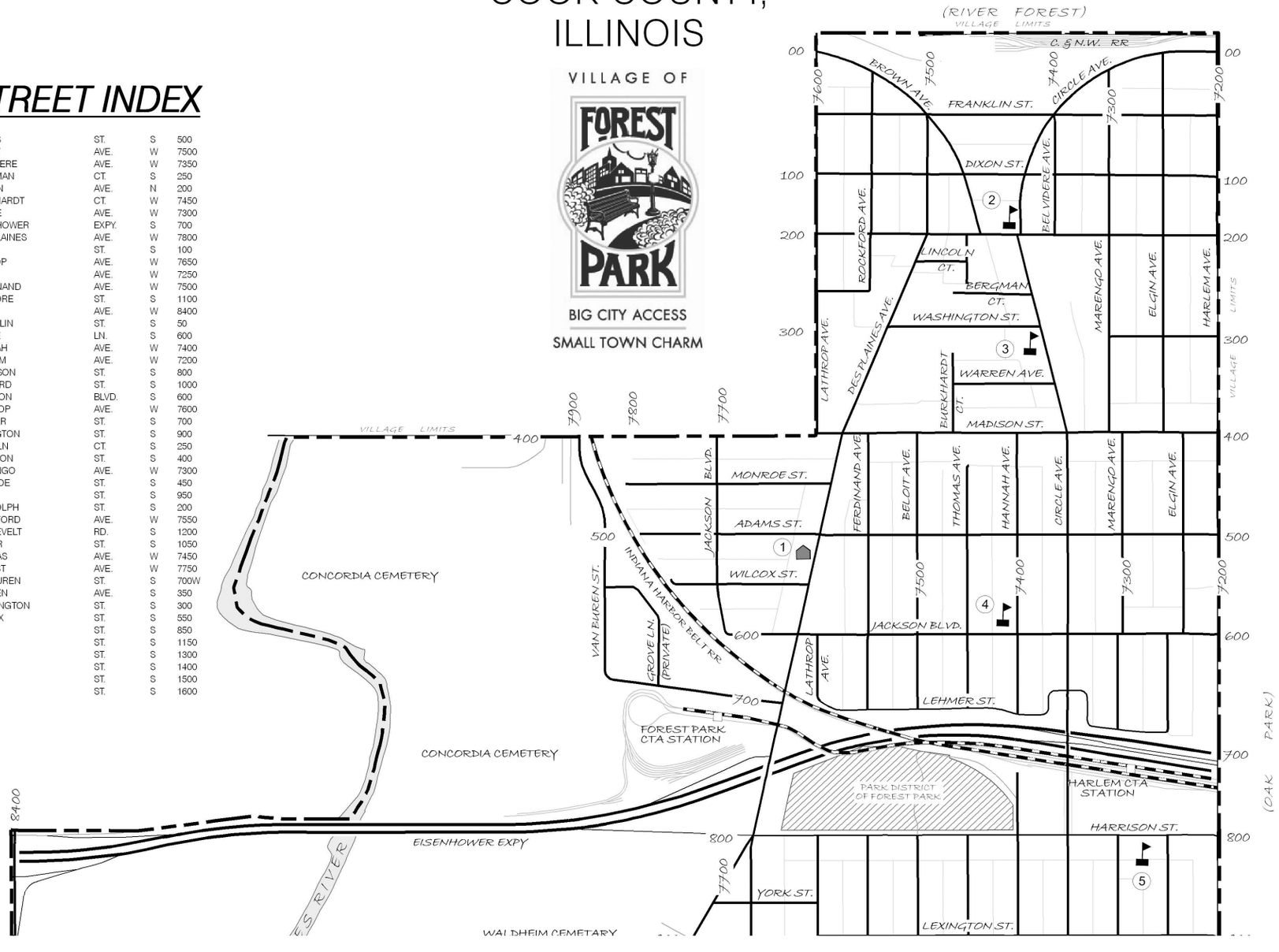

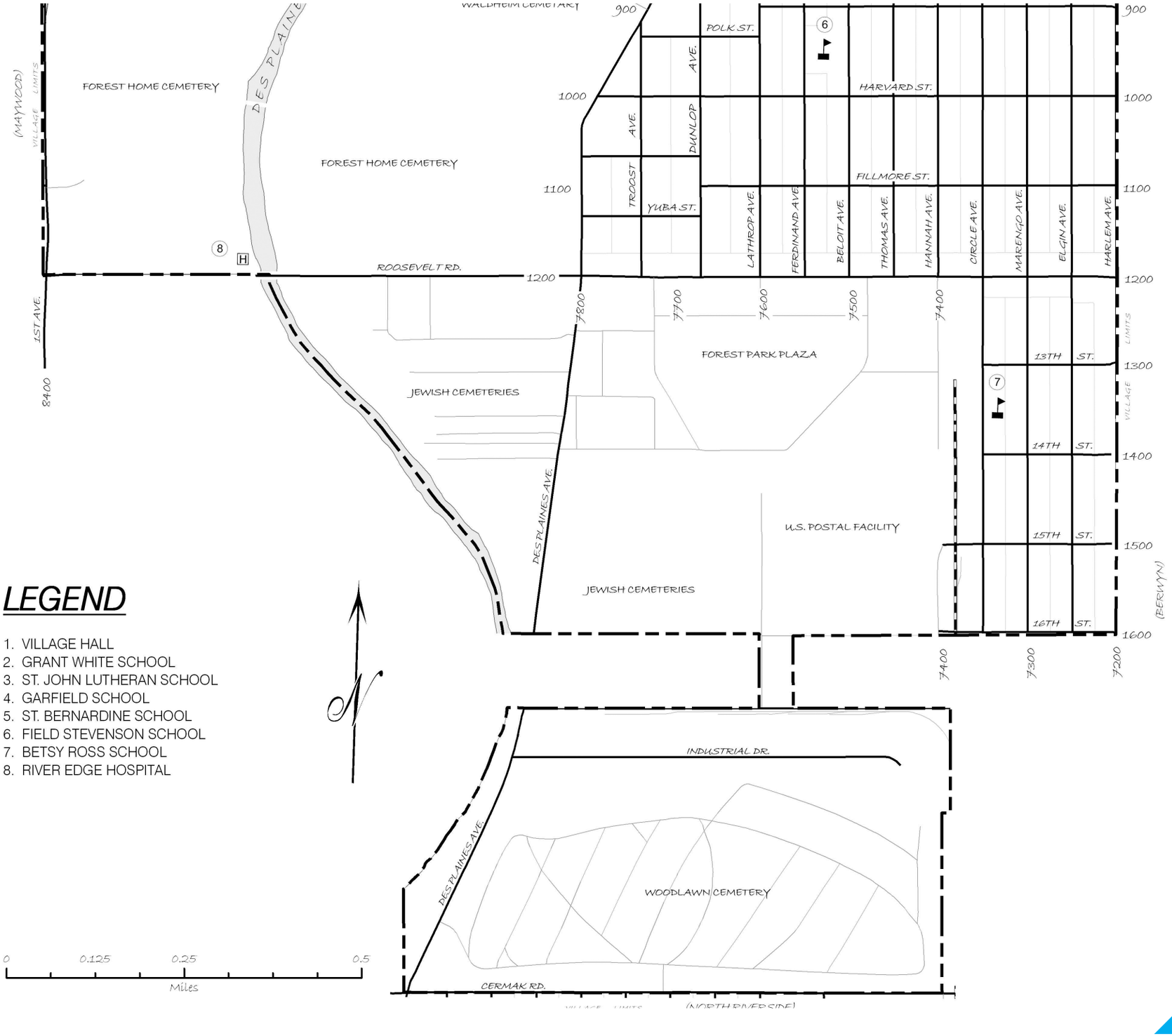

LEGEND

1. VILLAGE HALL
2. GRANT WHITE SCHOOL
3. ST. JOHN LUTHERAN SCHOOL
4. GARFIELD SCHOOL
5. ST. BERNARDINE SCHOOL
6. FIELD STEVENSON SCHOOL
7. BETSY ROSS SCHOOL
8. RIVER EDGE HOSPITAL

Park District of Forest Park

7501 Harrison St. (708) 366-7500

pdofp.org

The Forest Park Aquatic Center can be reached at 488-0664. The center features two flume slides, two drop slides, a diving board, a play structure, lap lanes and a zero-depth shallow end. It is surrounded by landscaped sun decks, with a nearby concession stand, sand play area and spray park. The Park District offers many classes, including cooking, dance, fitness, art, music and sports. There are also basketball leagues for men, boys and girls. For information on Youth Soccer, visit FPYSA.org.

All events subject to change or cancellation.

Come check us out at 7329 Harrison Street at the Roos Recreation Center which features:

- Fitness room with cardio and strength equipment
- Full-size gymnasium
- Walking Track
- Locker rooms with showers
- Multi-purpose classroom

Memberships starting as low as $0.27/day!

Park Board Members:

Cathleen McDermott: President
John Doss: Vice President / Treasurer
Roy Sansone: Commissioner
Kristen Marie Lyons: Commissioner
Timothy Gillian: Commissioner

Board meetings:
Third Thursday of each month at 6:00 p.m.

JULY 2022

All events subject to change or cancellation.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2
3	4 4th of July Celebration Park District VILLAGE HALL CLOSED INDEPENDENCE DAY	5 Plan Commission 7pm Village Hall Auxiliary Police 7pm Village Hall	6 Arts Alliance 7pm TBA	7 Diversity Commission 7pm Village Hall	Garbage Pickup 8	9
10	11 Village Council Meeting 7pm Village Hall	12 Chamber Networking Breakfast Neighborhood Watch 7pm Village Hall	13 Local Adjudication 5pm Village Hall	Garbage Pickup 14 Recreation Board 7pm Village Hall	15	16
17	18 Library Board 7pm Library Zoning Board Of Appeals 7pm Village Hall	19	20	Garbage Pickup 21 Fire & Police Commission 5pm Village Hall Safety & Traffic Commission 7pm Village Hall	22	23
24 31 No Glove Nationals Softball Tournament Park District	25 Village Council Meeting 7pm Village Hall	26 AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT (ADA) DAY	27 Local Adjudication 8:30am Village Hall Environmental Control Commission 7pm	Garbage Pickup 28 No Glove Nationals Softball Tournament Park District	29 No Glove Nationals Softball Tournament Park District	30 No Glove Nationals Softball Tournament Park District

June 2022

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August 2022

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FOREST PARK POLICE

911

FIRE FOREST PARK DEPT.

YOUR CONNECTION TO POLICE, FIRE & MEDICAL NEEDS

911 – Just for emergencies? Not anymore!

If you need a Police Officer or Fire Fighter/Medic FOR ANY REASON, just pick up the phone and call 911.

It's no longer just for emergencies.

Administrative questions concerning parking tickets, copies of reports, etc., can be addressed by calling:

Police 708-366-2425 Parking Records 708-366-7272 Fire 708-366-1234

This message brought to you by Mayor Hoskins' Office of Public Affairs.

VILLAGE OF FOREST PARK

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SMALL TOWN CHARM

AUGUST 2022

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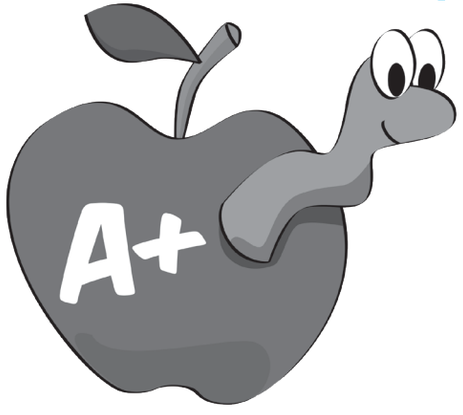
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Plan Commission 7pm Village Hall	**2** Auxiliary Police 7pm Village Hall	**3** Arts Alliance 7pm TBA	Garbage Pickup **4** Diversity Commission 7pm Village Hall	**5**	**6**
7 ASHURA	**8** Village Council Meeting 7pm Village Hall	**9** Neighborhood Watch 7pm Village Hall	**10** Local Adjudication 5pm Village Hall	Garbage Pickup **11** FULL MOON Recreation Board 7pm Village Hall	**12** INTERNATIONAL YOUTH DAY	**13**
14	**15** Library Board 7pm Library Zoning Board Of Appeals 7pm Village Hall	**16**	**17**	Garbage Pickup **18** Fire & Police Commission 5pm Village Hall Safety & Traffic Commission 7pm Village Hall	**19**	**20**
21	**22** Village Council Meeting 7pm Village Hall	**23** INTERNATIONAL DAY OF REMEMBRANCE OF SLAVE TRADE AND ITS ABOLITION	**24** Local Adjudication 8:30am Village Hall	Garbage Pickup **25**	**26** WOMEN'S EQUALITY DAY	**27** Forest Park Arts Alliance Garage Galleries 2-7pm
28	**29**	**30**	**31**	**July 2022** S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	**September 2022** S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30	25

Forest Park Elementary School District 91

fpsd91.org



District 91 Offices:

(708) 366-5700 424 Des Plaines Avenue, Forest Park, IL 60130

Primary Schools:

Betsy Ross School (Grades: SK - 1-2)	(708) 366-7498 1315 S. Marengo Ave.,
Garfield School (Grades: Preschool, Early Childhood, SK - 1-2)	(708) 366-6945 543 Hannah Ave.

Intermediate Schools:

Field-Stevenson School (Grades: 3-4-5)	(708) 366-5703 925 Beloit Ave.
Grant-White School (Grades: 3-4-5)	(708) 366-5704 147 Circle Ave.

Middle School:

Forest Park Middle School (Grades: 6-7-8)	(708) 366-5742 925 Beloit Ave.

Preschool screenings to evaluate children's development physically and mentally before they enter school are available by calling the elementary school district office.

Registration Procedures:

Parents of new students should contact school district offices to register and should be prepared to submit proof of residency.

Forest Park Elementary School District 91

Appointed officials:
Elizabeth Alvarez, PhD.
Superintendent

Edward Brophy
Assistant Superintendent of Operations

Elected Board Members:

Kyra Tyler: President
Shannon Wood: Vice President
Monique Cotton: Secretary
Katherine Valleau: Member
L'erin Cross: Member
John Lyons: Member
Steven Rummel: Member

Hispanic Heritage Month 9-15 to 10-15

SEPTEMBER 2022

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
August 2022 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	October 2022 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31			1 Garbage Pickup Diversity Commission 7pm Village Hall	2	3
4	5 VILLAGE HALL CLOSED LABOR DAY INTERNATIONAL DAY OF CHARITY	6 Auxiliary Police 7pm Village Hall Plan Commission 7pm Village Hall	7 Local Adjudication 5pm Village Hall Arts Alliance 6:30pm TBA	8 Recreation Board 7pm Village Hall INTERNATIONAL LITERACY DAY	9 Garbage Pickup	10 FULL MOON Ribfest Picnic Grove
11 PATRIOT DAY GRANDPARENTS DAY	12 Village Council Meeting 7pm Village Hall	13 Neighborhood Watch 7pm Village Hall Chamber Networking Lunch	14	15 Garbage Pickup Fire & Police Commission 5pm Village Hall Safety & Traffic Commission 7pm Village Hall	16	17 CONSTITUTION DAY CITIZENSHIP DAY
18	19 Library Board 7pm Library Zoning Board Of Appeals 7pm Village Hall	20	21 Local Adjudication 8:30am Village Hall Environmental Control Commission 7pm	22 Garbage Pickup FALL BEGINS	23	24
25 ROSH HASHANAH BEGINS AT SUNDOWN	26 Village Council Meeting 7pm Village Hall ROSH HASHANAH	27	28	29 Garbage Pickup	30	

Fall In Forest Park

Leaf Pickup

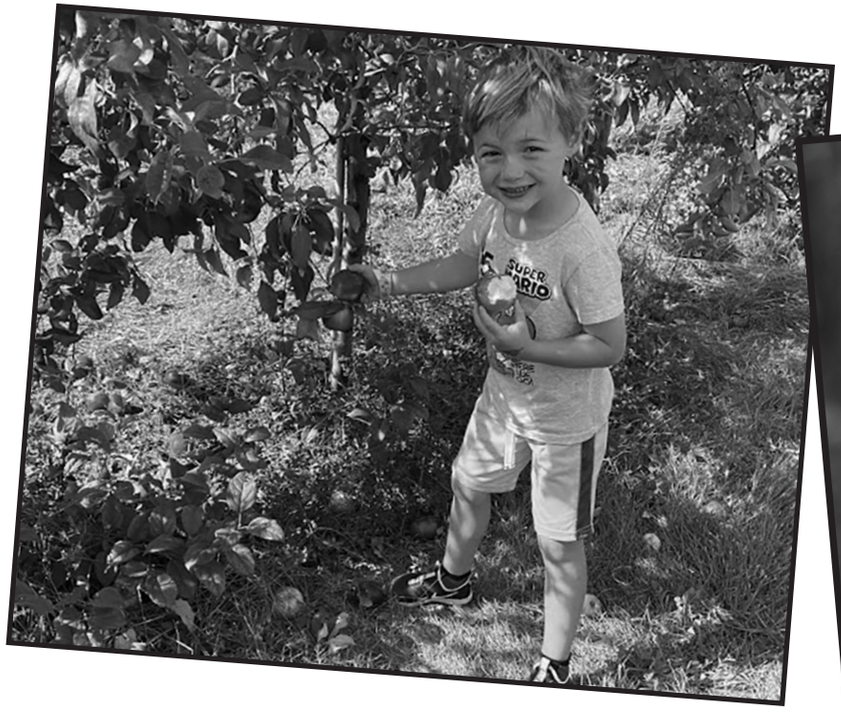
Clean, loose, unbagged leaves can be raked into the street and will be picked up throughout the week during the fall only. No garden material is to be raked into the street. Call the Clerk's office at (708) 366-2323 or view map at forestpark.net for your area's pickup day.

Safety Tip

Parking over dry leaves can be very dangerous. Car fires are common when heat from engines or exhaust components ignite piles of leaves under cars.

Door-To-Door Trick-Or-Treat Hours

Hours: 3:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. on Halloween



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OCTOBER 2022

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2 MAHATMA GANDHI'S BIRTHDAY	**3** Plan Commission 7pm Village Hall	**4** Auxiliary Police 7pm Village Hall YOM KIPPUR BEGINS AT SUNDOWN	**5** Arts Alliance 7pm TBA WORLD TEACHER'S DAY YOM KIPPUR	Garbage Pickup **6** Diversity Commission 7pm Village Hall	**7**	**8**
FULL MOON **9**	**10** VILLAGE HALL CLOSED COLUMBUS DAY INDIGENOUS PEOPLE'S DAY	**11** Chamber Networking Lunch Neighborhood Watch 7pm Village Hall Village Council Meeting 7pm Village Hall	**12** Local Adjudication 5pm Village Hall	Garbage Pickup **13** Recreation Board 7pm Village Hall	**14**	**15**
16 NATIONAL BOSSES DAY	**17** Library Board 7pm Library Zoning Board Of Appeals 7pm Village Hall	**18**	**19**	Garbage Pickup **20** Fire & Police Commission 5pm Village Hall Safety & Traffic Commission 7pm Village Hall	**21**	**22** Casket Races & Trick-or-Treat On Madison St.
23	Village Council Meeting 7pm Village Hall **24** DIWALI HINDU UNITED NATIONS DAY	**25**	**26** Local Adjudication 8:30am Village Hall Environmental Control Commission 7pm	Garbage Pickup **27**	**28**	**29**
30	Trick-or-Treat Hours 3:00 p.m. - 7:30pm **31** HALLOWEEN					

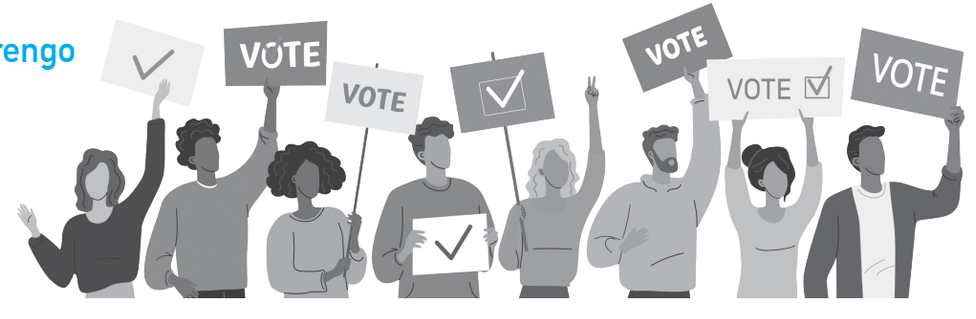
Voting Information

Residents may register to vote online at www.ova.elections.il.gov or at Village Hall, 517 Des Plaines Ave. during regular business hours. Voter registration is also available with vehicle and drivers license services. If you have moved, it is important that you re-register, as you must vote at the precinct you live in. Issues and elective offices vary from area to area, and you will not be able to vote for Forest Park officials or for local school issues if you are not registered to vote as a resident of Forest Park.

Forest Park is located in Proviso Township, which is divided into precincts. All polling places in Forest Park are accessible to the disabled. You may request a mail-in ballot by contacting the Cook County Clerk's Office at (312) 603-0906; visiting the Maybrook Cook County Clerk facility at 1500 Maybrook; writing the Elections Department, 69 W. Washington Street, Chicago; downloading an application request form online via the Clerk's election website, www.cookcountyclerk.com; or requesting a mail ballot application from the Village Clerk's office at 517 Des Plaines Ave. in Forest Park.

Check your voter registration card for your precinct number.
The following are polling places in Forest Park:

Precinct 61, 62	Grant White School	147 Circle Ave.
Precinct 65, 67	Garfield School	543 Hannah Ave.
Precinct 66, 68	Forest Park Community Center	7640 Jackson
Precinct 72	Recreation Building #4	7501 Harrison
Precinct 73, 74, 8	Field Stevenson School	925 Beloit
Precinct 76	Betsy Ross School	1315 Marengo



Voter polling places are always subject to change by the County.

To verify your polling place, call the County at (312) 603-5656 or Village Hall at (708) 366-2323 or visit cookcountyclerk.com.

National Adoption Month

NOVEMBER 2022

Native American Heritage Month

All events subject to change or cancellation.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Auxiliary Police 7pm Village Hall ALL SAINTS DAY	2 Arts Alliance 7pm TBA ALL SOULS DAY	Garbage Pickup 3 Diversity Commission 7pm Village Hall	4	5 Chamber of Commerce Wine Walk & Shop
6 DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ENDS. CHANGE YOUR CLOCKS & SMOKE DETECTOR BATTERIES	7 Plan Commission 7pm Village Hall	FULL MOON 8 Chamber Networking Lunch Neighborhood Watch 7pm Village Hall ELECTION DAY	9 Local Adjudication 5pm Village Hall	Garbage Pickup 10 Recreation Board 7pm Village Hall	11 VILLAGE HALL CLOSED VETERANS DAY	12
13	14 Village Council Meeting 7pm Village Hall	15	16 INTERNATIONAL DAY FOR TOLERANCE	Garbage Pickup 17 Fire & Police Commission 5pm Village Hall Safety & Traffic Commission 7pm Village Hall	18	19
20	21 Library Board 7pm Library Zoning Board Of Appeals 7pm Village Hall	22	23 Local Adjudication 8:30am Village Hall Environmental Control Commission 7pm	24 VILLAGE HALL CLOSED THANKSGIVING	Garbage Pickup 25 VILLAGE HALL CLOSED	26
27 ADVENT BEGINS	28 Village Council Meeting 7pm Village Hall	29	30	**October 2022** S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	**December 2022** S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	31

Snow Removal and Parking

Forest Park's snow removal policy is as follows: Snow will be plowed and roads salted first on the main streets, such as Circle Avenue, Madison Street and Jackson Boulevard immediately following a snowfall. After those streets have been cleared, less traveled residential streets will be plowed and/or salted. After all streets have been cleared, each alley will be plowed once (only once to avoid plowing-in parked vehicles). All Municipal parking lots will be plowed and salted after alleys. Finally, sidewalks throughout the Village will be cleared. Sidewalks will only be cleared if there is a minimum of three (3) inches of snow, and no more than nine (9) inches. Watch for posted signage to move your vehicle from municipal parking lots for snow clearance.

Snow routes go into effect when there is two (2) inches of snow on the ground; snow routes are on the same side of the street as the street lights. Each street has two (2) posted signs. Snow routes remain in effect until 48 hours after a snow event ends. Vehicles found in violation of the snow routes will be ticketed and towed at the owner's expense.

Christmas Tree Disposal

Discarded Christmas trees may be placed on the parkway (the grassy area between the sidewalk and street) for pickup. Please make sure tree is free from all lights and decorations. There are no specific dates or days of the week designated for pickup. Please do not put trees in plastic bags.

Please use caution with live trees indoors. The trees can become dry and pose a fire hazard.

Be especially careful of pets or small children because they can accidentally unplug holiday lights, causing a spark that could set the tree on fire. Do not use a flame near trees.

DECEMBER 2022

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
November 2022 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30	January 2023 S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31			Garbage Pickup **1** Diversity Commission 7pm Village Hall WORLD AIDS DAY	**2** Holiday Walk Madison St. 6 - 9pm	**3**
4	**5** Plan Commission 7pm Village Hall	**6** Auxiliary Police 7pm Village Hall	FULL MOON **7** Local Adjudication 5pm Village Hall PEARL HARBOR REMEMBRANCE DAY	Garbage Pickup **8** Recreation Board 7pm Village Hall	**9**	**10**
11	**12**	**13** Chamber Networking Lunch Neighborhood Watch 7pm Village Hall	**14** Local Adjudication 8:30am Village Hall	Garbage Pickup **15** Fire & Police Commission 5pm Village Hall Safety & Traffic Commission 7pm Village Hall BILL OF RIGHTS DAY	**16**	**17**
18 HANUKKAH BEGINS AT SUNDOWN	**19** Library Board 7pm Library Village Council Meeting 7pm Village Hall HANUKKAH	**20** Zoning Board Of Appeals 7pm Village Hall	**21** WINTER BEGINS	Garbage Pickup **22**	**23**	**24** CHRISTMAS EVE
25 CHRISTMAS	**26** VILLAGE HALL CLOSED KWANZAA BEGINS	**27**	**28** Environmental Control Commission (EEC) 7pm	**29** WOUNDED KNEE DAY	Garbage Pickup **30**	**31** NEW YEAR'S EVE

Michael A. Corrigan
Supervisor

Visit Us On The Web
www.provisotownship.com

Main Office: 708-449-4300

Assessors Office: 708-449-4304

Clerks Office: 708-449-4303

General Assist: 708-449-4302

Transportation: 708-344-7430

Senior Services: 708-449-4307

Handyman: 708-547-4001

4565 Harrison St.
Hillside, IL 60162
Phone: 708-449-4300
Fax: 708-202-1265

Monday thru Friday
8:30 AM - 4:30 PM

Find Us On Facebook

Emergency Medical Services

Dial 911 for medical emergencies!

Nearby Hospitals:

West Suburban Medical Center
(708) 383-6200
Erie at Austin, Oak Park
westsubmc.com

Rush Oak Park Hospital
(708) 383-9300
520 S. Maple, Oak Park
roph.org

Loyola University Medical Center
(708) 216-9000
2160 S. 1st Avenue, Maywood
loyolamedicine.org

MacNeal Memorial Hospital
(708) 783-9100
3249 Oak Park Avenue, Berwyn
macnealhospital.org

Riveredge Hospital
(708) 771-7000
8311 Roosevelt Road, Forest Park
riveredgehospital.com

Poison Control

800-222-1222

First aid classes are available for large and small groups from many hospitals and doctors. Contact your doctor or one of the above hospitals for information or go to poison.org.

Illinois Poison Center (312) 906-6136
illinoispoisoncenter.org

For specific directions for taking transit from on location to another, call

1-888-YOUR-CTA

METRA metrarail.com

The Metra rail line is a system of high-speed trains that run on traditional rails. The Metra system connects outlying suburbs to downtown. Fares depend on distance traveled. For information about Metra, call (312) 322-6777 weekdays 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.; 312-836-7000 evenings and weekends. Metra stations are located at Lake and Thatcher in River Forest and at North Blvd. and Marion in Oak Park

CTA transitchicago.com

The Chicago Transit Authority operates buses within Chicago city limits, and operates the El, a light rail train system with frequent stops in the city and nearby suburbs. Transfers to buses are available. Maps of the El's six rail lines are available at any manned El station. Two stations in Forest Park are Harlem/Circle and I-290 and Des Plaines. For information, call 888-YOUR-CTA.

PACE pacebus.com

Pace buses operate in the suburbs, connecting riders to Metra and El stations and locations of interest. For information on fares, bus stops and routes, call 847-364-PACE.

High School District 209 and Triton Community College

Proviso Township High School District 209

School District
8601 W. Roosevelt Rd., Forest Park, IL 60130
(708) 338-5900
pths209.org

Appointed officials:
James L. Henderson Superintendent
708-338-5912

Elected officials:
Rodney Alexander - President
Theresa L. Kelly - Vice President
Amanda J. Grant - Secretary
Claudia Medina
Ned Wagner
Samuel Valtierrez
Arbdella "Della" Patterson

Triton Community College

2000 N. Fifth Ave., River Grove, IL 60171
(708) 456-0300
triton.edu

Forest Park lies in the Triton Community College district. The college is supported by taxes, so residents of the district receive reduced tuition and can use some facilities free of charge. Triton also offers some courses specifically for community residents.

Complete course catalogs are available at the school or at triton.edu.

Appointed officials:
Mary-Rita Moore
President

Elected officials:
Mark R. Stephens - Chairman
Diane Viverito - Vice Chairwoman
Elizabeth Potter - Secretary
Glover Johnson - Trustee
Norma Hernandez - Trustee
Tracy Jennings - Trustee
Richard B. Regan - Trustee
Bertha Sanchez - Student Trustee

Block Parties

The Village of Forest Park encourages residents to coordinate with their neighbors to organize block parties.

Applications to host a Block Party are available in the Clerk's Office at Village Hall and must be returned to Village Hall at least one week before the scheduled party. In order to have your street blocked off for the day, the application must be completed with the signatures of at least 75% of households on your block.

The following Village representatives are available to visit your party:

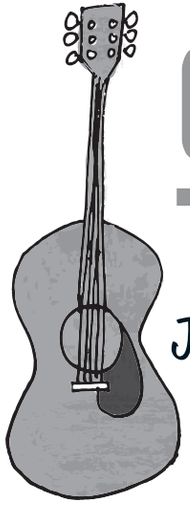
- Fire fighters and fire trucks for children to tour and to spray water
- Police officers in squad cars, motorcycles, & bike patrol
- Visit from the Mayor

All events subject to change or cancellation.

Important Phone Numbers

Building Department (708) 615-6276
Comcast Cable (866) 594-1234
Chamber of Commerce & Development (708) 366-2543
COM ED (800) 334-7661
Community Center (708) 771-7737
County Clerk (312) 603-5656
Fire Department 911 (Emergency)
Fire Department Non-Emergency (708) 366-1234
Forest Park Pool (708) 488-0664
J.U.L.I.E. (800) 892-0123 or 811
Library (708) 366-7171
Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) (312) 795-8800
NICOR (888) 642-6748
Night Parking (8:00 PM to 2:00 AM) (708) 366-7272
Park District Office (708) 366-7500
Police Department 911 (Emergency)
Police Department Non-Emergency (708) 366-2425
Post Office (708) 366-5790
Proviso Township (708) 449-4300
Public Works Department (708) 366-4876
Republic Services (708) 345-7050
School District 91 (708) 366-5700
Secretary of State (800) 252-8980
Tax Assessor (708) 449-4304
Village Hall (708) 366-2323
Water Department (708) 366-2323

FOREST PARK UPCOMING EVENTS



GROOV'N IN THE GROVE

June 21, July 19 & August 16

ST. PATS PARADE

March 5 Madison St.

NO GLOVES NATIONALS

July 28, 29, 30 & 31 Park District

FOREST PARK RIBFEST

September 10

CASKET RACES

October 22

HOLIDAY WALK

December 2

ZOMBIE PUB CRAWL

October 22

All events subject to change or cancellation.