

VILLAGE OF

FOREST



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2024
INFORMATION
CALENDAR

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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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Letter from the Mayor:

A Letter from Mayor Hoskins



As 2023 closes and we enter the New Year, I want to simply say “Thank You” to the residents of Forest Park, as well as the persons who own businesses in this community and certainly to our village’s employees.

Twenty twenty-three was a great year for our beloved Village of Forest Park. It brought many new accomplishments with respect to economic development and continuity in governance. The Village of Forest Park’s employee population is beginning to reflect the demographics of our community and there are more women in leadership roles in Forest Park now than at any other time.

Many new businesses have opened on Madison Street and beyond. Play It Again Sports has expanded significantly. Patrick O’Brien has built out Scratch Public House. The property that formerly was Doc Ryan’s will host 1937 Group’s business which is poised to generate much needed revenue. Parky’s Hotdogs is rebuilding. Living Fresh has been thoroughly renovated. The Golden Steer is under new ownership. Robert’s Westside has filled an important corner in the village. And perhaps more importantly, construction is underway at the corner of Desplaines Avenue and Roosevelt Road. We also have every reason to expect that during 2024, the Bed Bath and Beyond site will welcome a new retailer.

The current Village Council includes a record number of women leaders. Maria Maxham established our outdoor, self-serve food pantry to address the reality of food insecurity. For the first time ever, the Forest Park Police Department has two women wearing white shirts! Pay equity has become the order of business in our town, and I had the pleasure of swearing-in the first woman to ever serve as village administrator in our town – Rachell Entler

It is truly my privilege to serve this community. On behalf of the Village Council of Forest Park, I wish you a healthy and prosperous 2024.

Respectfully yours,
 Rory Hoskins
 708-615-6200
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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. 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 Police Parking at (708) 366-7272 or purchase online at forestpark.net. Proof of residency required. (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 totes 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 trash tote for household waste, please call Republic Services at (708) 345-7050.

Bulk Items

Lids on trash totes must be closed. Large items that do not fit in the totes 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

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

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 for 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, and Casket Races.

The Chamber also co-sponsors the annual District 91 Back to School Event 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 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.



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
phone (312) 353-4952 fax (312) 353-0150
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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

Tara Stamps
6614 W. North Ave.
Chicago, IL 60707
(312) 603-4566

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

State Senator

Kimberly Lightford

4th District • 10330 W. Roosevelt Rd., Ste. 308
Westchester, IL 60154
phone (708) 343-7444 fax (708) 343-7400
website: senatorlightford.com

State Representative

Emanuel "Chris" Welch

7th District • Forest Park North of Roosevelt Rd.
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Westchester, IL 60154
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State Representative

La Shawn Ford

8th District • Forest Park South of Roosevelt Rd.
5051 W. Chicago Ave.
Chicago, IL 60651
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website: lashawnkford.com

State Senator

Don Harmon

39th District • 6941B W. North Ave.
Oak Park, IL 60302
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website: donharmon.org

State Representative

Camille Y. Lilly

78th District • 6937 W. North Ave.
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website: state-representative-camille-y-lilly.webflow.10

Poverty Awareness Month

JANUARY 2024

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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 \$2.00 one way or \$4.00 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
- Young Gourmet Class
- Groov'n in the Grove
- Senior New Year's Eve Party
- 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
- Young Gourmets
- Groov'n in the Grove – June 18th , July 16th and August 20th
- Cindy Lyons Health Fair – October 23rd
- Senior New Year's Party – December 31st



Black History Month FEBRUARY 2024

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FOREST PARK
PUBLIC LIBRARY

E v e r y o n e i s W e l c o m e



Board Members

Brooke Sievers, President
Keary Bramwell, Vice President
Ebony Murray, Treasurer
James Pekoll, Secretary
Lin Beribak, Trustee
Celesia Leonard, Trustee

Library Hours

Monday-Thursday: 9 am-9 pm
Friday: 9 am-6 pm
Saturday: 9 am-5 pm
Sunday: 1 pm-5 pm

7555 Jackson Blvd

708-366-7171

fppl.org

Women's History Month **MARCH 2024**

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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 2024**

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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



National Public Works Week May 19-25

Leaf Pickup Oct. 1 - Dec. 1

REMINDER



Asian Pacific Heritage Month **MAY 2024**

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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.
- * 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.

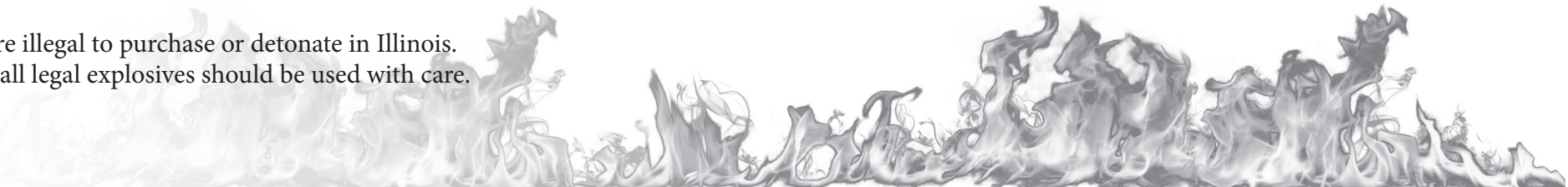
A Reminder About Fireworks:

- * 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 2024

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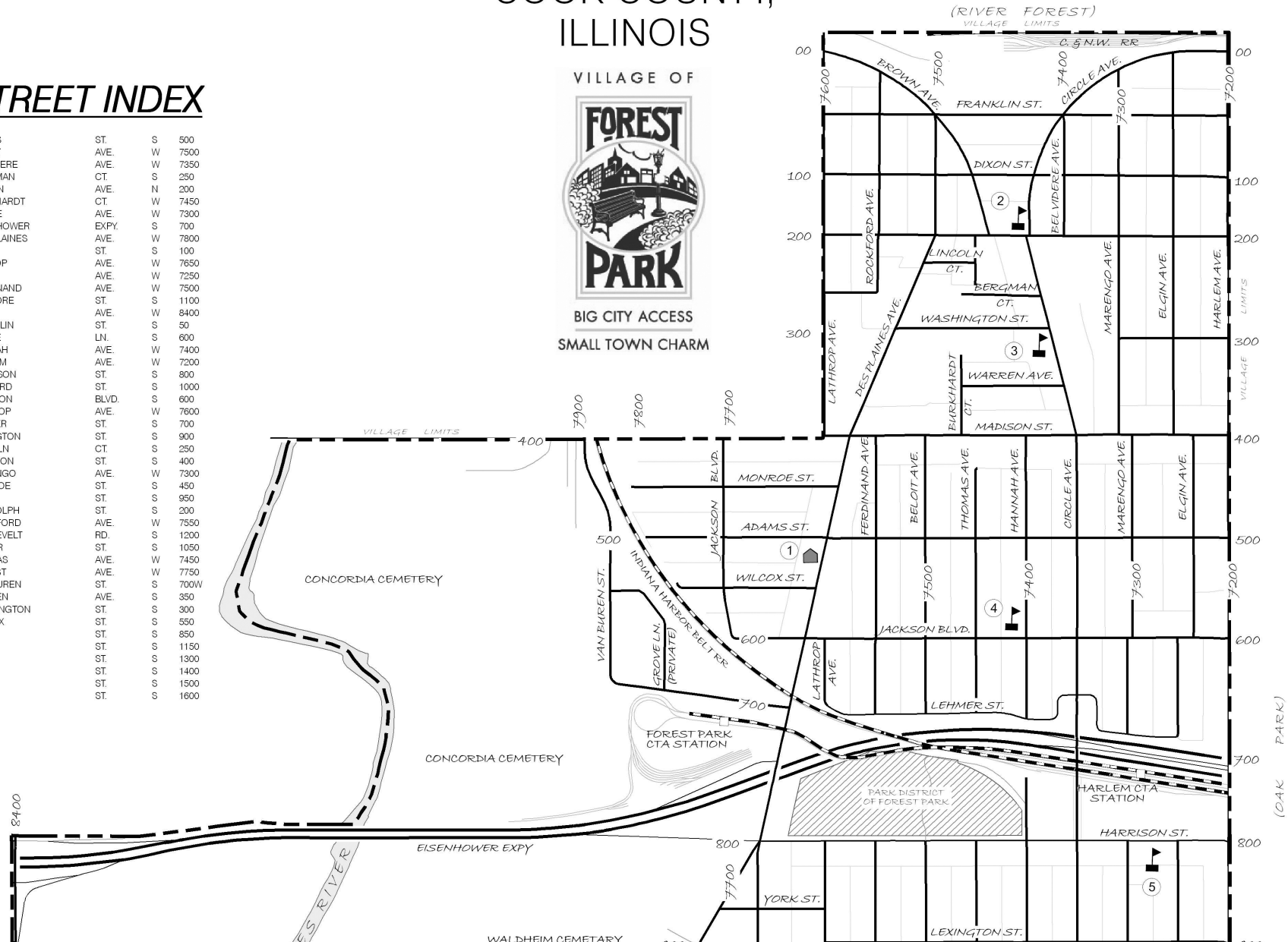
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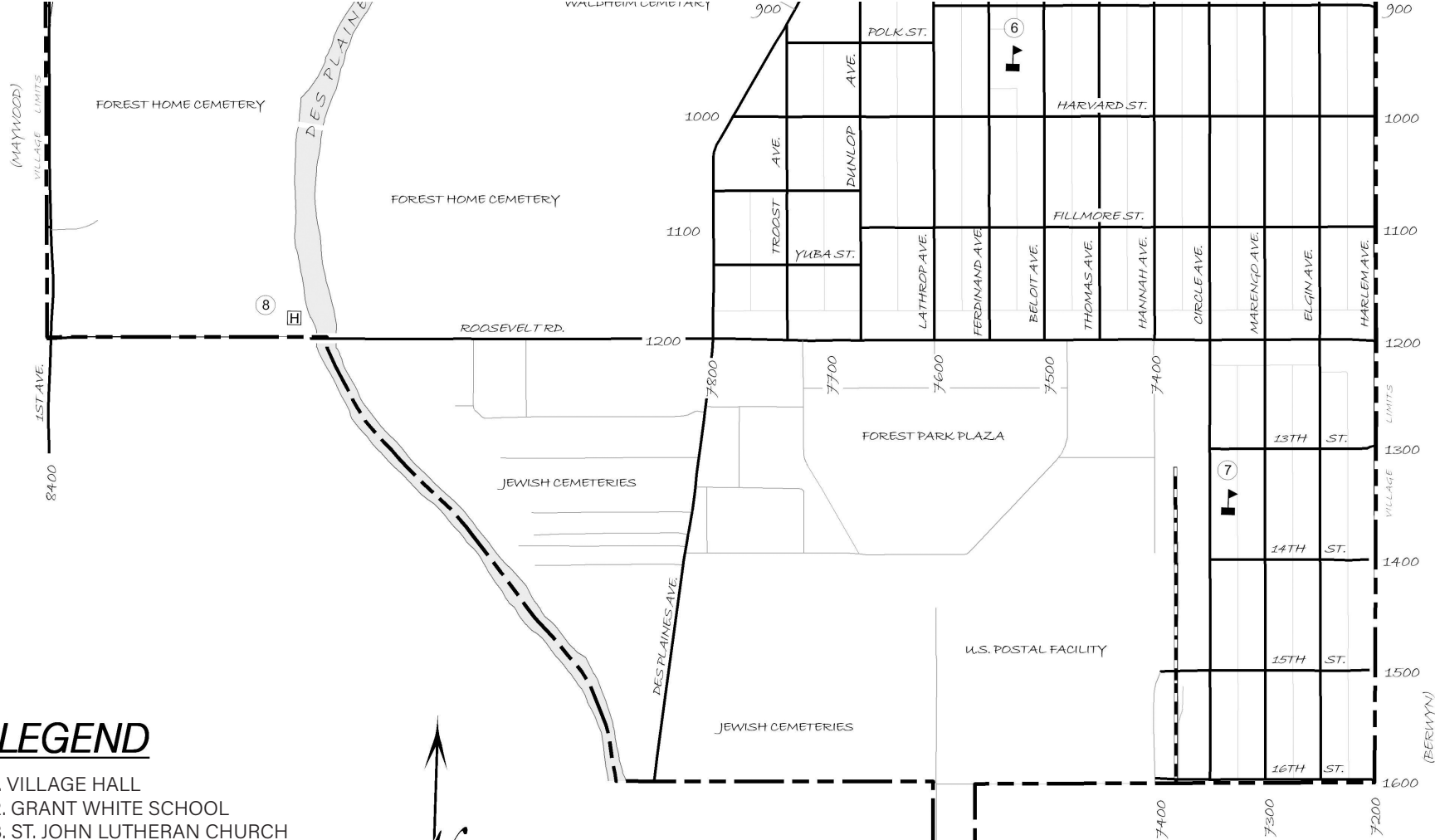


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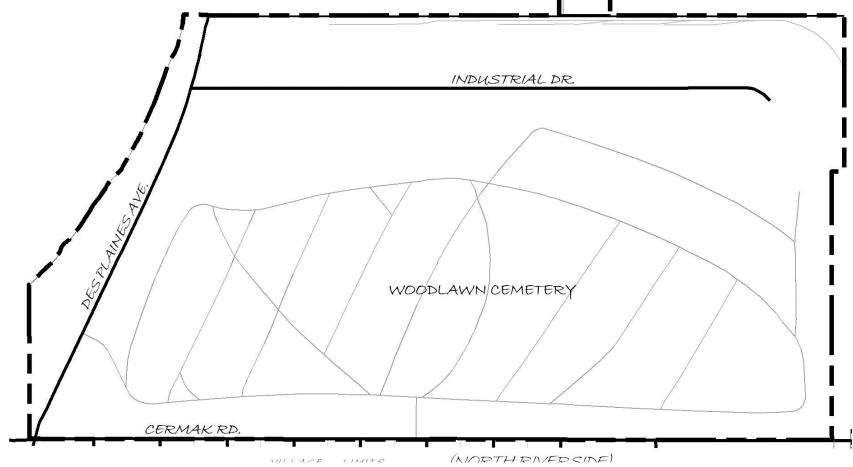
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LEGEND

1. VILLAGE HALL
2. GRANT WHITE SCHOOL
3. ST. JOHN LUTHERAN CHURCH
4. GARFIELD SCHOOL
5. ST. BERNARDINE PARISH
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, 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.



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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:

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

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

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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

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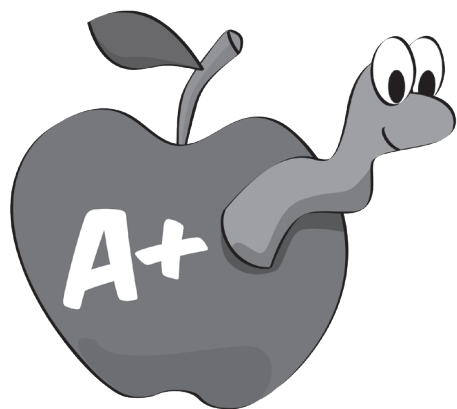


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SMALL TOWN CHARM

AUGUST 2024

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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.

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

Elizabeth Alvarez, PhD.
Superintendent

Elected Board Members:

Shannon Wood: President
Monique Cotton-Yancy: Vice President
Steven Rummel: Secretary
Kyra Tyler: Member
John Lyons: Member
Al-Fuquan Brooks: Member
Monica Angelo: Member

Hispanic Heritage Month 9-15 to 10-15 **SEPTEMBER 2024**

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Fall In Forest Park

Leaf Pickup

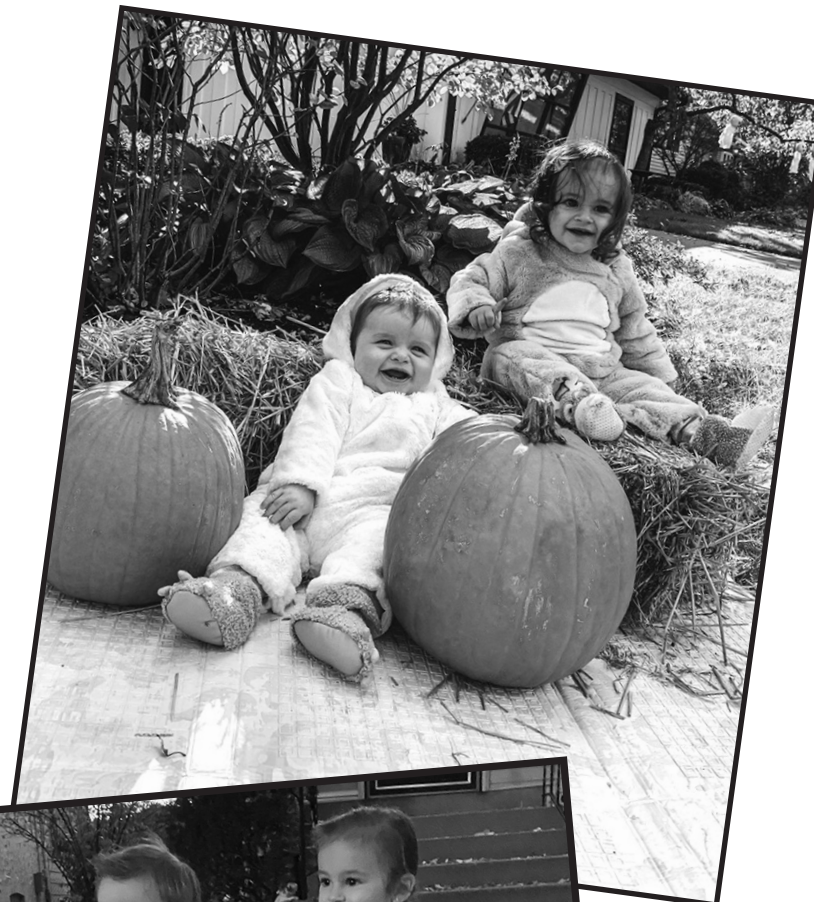
Clean, loose, unbagged leaves can be raked into the street and will be picked up throughout the week during the fall only. No garden material is to be raked into the street. Call the Clerk's office at (708) 366-2323 or view map at forestpark.net for your area's pickup day.

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



Native American Heritage Month **OCTOBER 2024**

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20	21	22	23	24	25	26
	Library Board 7pm Library Planning & Zoning Commission 7pm Village Hall		Cindy Lyons Health Fair Community Center Local Adjudication 8:30am Village Hall Environmental Control Commission 7pm	Garbage Pickup UNITED NATIONS DAY		FULL MOON Trunk or Treat Park District Roos Building Lot
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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.

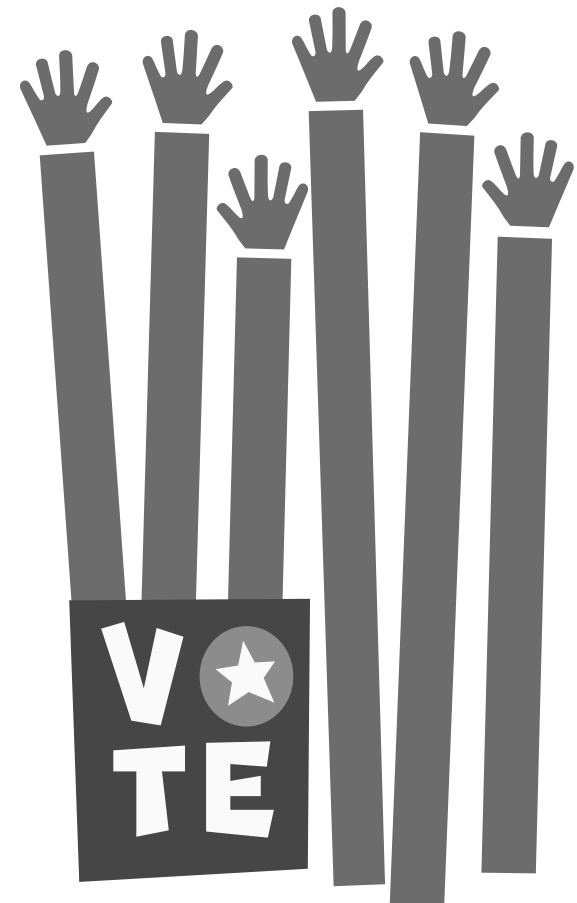
Forest Park is located in Proviso Township, which is divided into precincts. All polling places in Forest Park are accessible to the disabled. You may request a mail-in ballot by contacting the Cook County Clerk's Office at (312) 603-0906; visiting the Maybrook Cook County Clerk facility at 1500 Maybrook; 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 2024

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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.

Please Obey Snow Routes After 2" Of Snow!



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 2024

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PROVISO TOWNSHIP



Michael A. Corrigan
Supervisor

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Clerks Office: 708-449-4303

General Assist: 708-449-4302

Transportation: 708-344-7430

Senior Services: 708-449-4307

Handyman: 708-547-4001

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Hillside, IL 60162

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Dial 911 for medical emergencies!

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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 one 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:
Dr. Bessie Karvelas Superintendent
708-338-5912

Elected officials:
Amanda J. Grant - President
David Ocampo - Vice President
Jenny Barbahen - Secretary
Rodney Alexander
Sandra Hixson
Arbdella "Della" Patterson
Samuel Valtierrez

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
Tracy Jennings - Secretary
Luke Casson - Trustee
Glover Johnson - Trustee
Elizabeth Potter - Trustee
Richard B. Regan - Trustee
Naidelin Alvarez - 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:

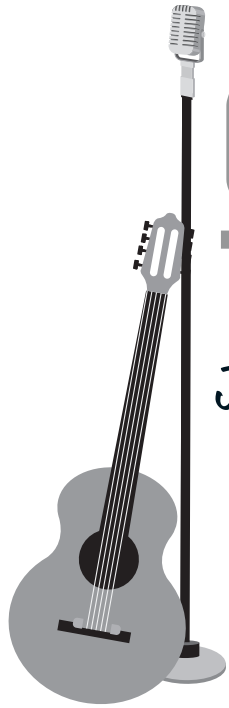
- Fire fighters and fire trucks for children to tour and to spray water
- Police officers in squad cars, motorcycles, & bike patrol
- Visit from the Mayor



Important Phone Numbers

Building Department (708) 615-6276
Comcast Cable (866) 594-1234
Chamber of Commerce & Development (708) 366-2543
Commonwealth Edison (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

FOREST PARK UPCOMING EVENTS



**GROOV'N IN
THE GROVE**

June 18, July 16 & August 20



ST. PATS PARADE

March 2 Madison St.



NO GLOVES NATIONALS

July 25, 26, 27 & 28 Park District



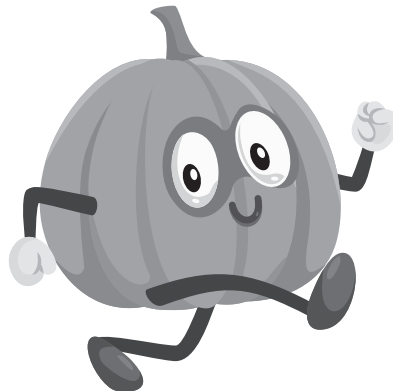
GARAGE GALLERIES

August 24



CASKET RACES

October 19



HOLIDAY WALK

December 6

All events subject to change or cancellation.