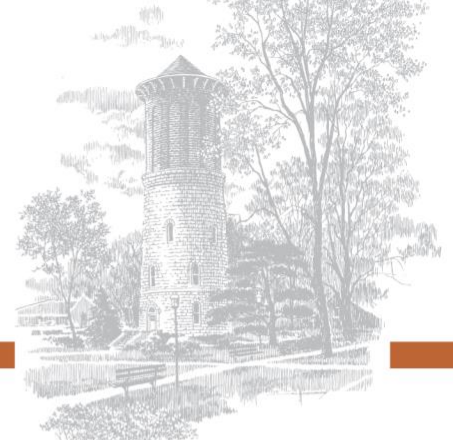


TUESDAY TOPICS

June 15, 2021



Restore Illinois, Phase 5:

- The State of Illinois entered Phase 5 of the [Restore Illinois](#) reopening plan on Friday, June 11. This phase includes the full re-opening of businesses and activities for the first time since the stay-at-home order was issued in March 2020. Masks are not required in public for fully vaccinated people, but please know that masks are still required in certain settings - including on public transportation, in educational and health care facilities, and in some private businesses. More information is available [here](#).

Household Clean-Up Day:

- Household Clean-Up Day is this Saturday, June 19! Learn more about acceptable items that can be placed curbside for collection by LRS on the [Village website](#). Residents can dispose of household items including clothing, draperies, books, furniture, scrap metal, and appliances (household garbage, electronics, landscape waste, liquids, tires, batteries, medical waste, and construction and demolition debris are not eligible). No registration is required. All items for disposal must be on the curb by 7 am on the morning of collection day. Some items ineligible for Household Clean-Up Day may qualify as [bulk items](#) that require additional stickers. Any questions should be directed to LRS Customer Service at 773-685-8811 or westernsprings@lrsrecycles.com.

Local Recycling Event:

- A local recycling event hosted by House Leader Jim Durkin and Senator John Curran will take place on Saturday, June 26 at Lyons Township High School, 4900 Willow Springs Road, from 8:30 – 11 am. Many items that are not typically recyclable will be accepted at this event. Additional details are available [here](#).

Water Bills and Mail Delays:

- [June water bills](#) will be delayed by approximately two weeks due to software maintenance. The payment due date for this month's bills will be extended to accommodate the late mailing. In addition, some residents have reported general delays in receiving water bills due to delays with the USPS and mail delivery service. Residents can choose to sign up with Green Pay to receive electronic bill notification. Learn more on the [Village website](#). Any questions should be directed to 708-246-1800 extension 126.

Low Flying Planes:

- The Village continues to receive inquiries from residents concerned about [low flying aircraft](#), but the Chicago Department of Aviation (CDA) has not yet replied to our request for additional information. We have, however, made similar inquiries in the past, and were told last year that sporadic use of Runway 13C requires planes to fly lower over Western Springs, but that this happens infrequently – only about 1 percent of the year. The CDA has a flight-tracker program accessible for free on its [website](#), which can be used to see what's happening at Midway. Unfortunately, the Village does not have authority over or input into flight patterns. This is governed by the Federal Aviation Administration.

Until next week,

Alice Gallagher,
Village President

Take Care of Yourself, Protect Others, Support our Community