



Village of Clarendon Hills Village Manager's Report

To: Village President Austin & Board of Trustees

From: Kevin Barr, Village Manager

Date: July 10, 2015

1. Though you may have already seen it, I wanted to make sure you were aware of the next major step in the water main replacement project. This will result in the closure of the intersection of Prospect and Norfolk on Monday and probably Tuesday (13th and 14th). The notice that was distributed generally is below.

Village of Clarendon Hills Summer Construction Update

July 8, 2015



Dear Resident,

The water main work has progressed to the point where we need to make the water main connection in the middle of Prospect Avenue and Norfolk Avenue. As you all know and understand this is a major intersection and we want to complete the work as quickly and safely as we can. We realize to complete this work will be an inconvenience to the residents. There are many existing underground utilities that we need to uncover and work around as we complete the required work.

As a result we have decided to CLOSE Prospect Avenue between Chicago and Burlington on Monday, July 13th thru Tuesday, July 14th. Detours and signs will be posted beginning on Monday July 13th by 9:00am that will identify that southbound traffic along Prospect will be routed west to Oxford Avenue to Burlington Avenue. Northbound traffic along Prospect will be detoured east on Burlington Avenue to Golf Avenue to Chicago Avenue. These detours will allow the traffic to bypass the intersection of Prospect and Norfolk which will be closed beginning at 9:00 am on Monday, July 13th.

We will re-open Prospect as quickly as we can and still make it safe for vehicles, but that is not expected to occur until sometime on Tuesday, July 14th. For residents that live along Prospect you will be able to go north or south away from the affected intersection of Prospect and Norfolk. For residents who live along Jane, Juliet, and Norfolk we ask that

you use the proposed detour routes to gain access to your homes and avoid the intersection of Norfolk and Prospect Avenues. The Police, Fire, trash, mail, and school districts have been informed of this closing as well.

We appreciate everyone's cooperation and understanding during this road closure. If you have questions or concerns, please contact the Public Works Department @ (630)286-4750.

Sincerely,

Michael D. Millette
Director of Public Works

2. I want to thank the Clarendon Hills Chamber for their effort in gathering materials for a “gift basket” that will be raffled off at the Du Page Mayors and Managers golf outing. Several businesses provided coupons and materials and, of course, there was a jar of honey as well. We hope this effort helps to promote Clarendon Hills around the region.
3. The fourth concert in the Dancin’ in the Street series took place on Wednesday. It was another weather challenged night, as it was cooler than usual with a misty rain through parts of the event. Nevertheless, a respectable crowd showed up to enjoy the music. The primary food vendor was the Hills Cafe. Hopefully the weather will cooperate for our final two concerts. Hope to see everyone there!
4. The Community Service Officer opening closed yesterday. The Village got over 100 applications, and is planning on scheduling interviews next week.
5. Interviews for the new GIS/Planning Intern ended today. Hopefully, we fill the position as early as next week.

Enjoy the weekend!