



Streamwood Community News

May/June 2024

Spring Clean-Up Week

Groot offers expanded collections during Spring Clean-Up Week, **May 13-17**. On your regular pick-up day, they will collect unlimited amounts of trash. Not included: yard waste, electronics, oil, gasoline, fuel containers, empty chemical drums, pesticides, paint, and tires; no more than two cubic yards of construction or remodeling debris. Appliances and electronics can be collected with a prepaid fee and schedule 24 hours in advance of your pick-up day. Call Groot at 847-429-7370 or email streamwood@groot.com for details.



2024 Memorial Day Ceremony

The Veterans Memorial Commission will hold the annual Memorial Day ceremony on **Sunday, May 26 at 11:00 am**. A new monument will be unveiled in honor of Gold Star Families. A Gold Star Family is the immediate family members of a fallen service member who died while serving in a time of conflict. The ceremony will also include a performance by the Spring Valley Concert Band and the Medinah Highlanders Pipes and Drums. Please join us at the Streamwood Veterans Memorial as we celebrate, honor, and remember those who served and paid the ultimate sacrifice to our country.

Time To Hit The Links!

The Streamwood Oaks Golf Club is now open. Streamwood has a nine-hole golf course that features a 3,404-yard championship layout that is enjoyable for all. It is located right in your backyard at 565 Madison Drive. For more information or to schedule your tee time, please call 630-483-1881 or visit the website streamwoodoaksgolf.com.



Ruse Burglaries

The Streamwood Police Department has received reports of residential burglaries where the offenders are posing as utility or other construction workers. One offender will come up to a house, trying to convince a resident that they need help to check an electrical, water, or similar property issue. Once the offender has the resident distracted, another enters the home and removes items of value from bedrooms and offices. Cash and jewelry are the most common targets, with the elderly being the most victimized. The offenders usually wear clothing and/or hats that would represent them as utility workers or contractors. They will frequently use a phone or walkie-talkie during the burglary and speak or act as if talking to another person with the company they are posing to work for. The Streamwood Police Department recommends that residents **DO NOT** allow unknown and unsolicited visitors into their homes; talk through a locked door to anyone you weren't expecting; and verify employment by calling the agency they claim to work for. If at any time residents encounter a similar scenario, they should immediately call 911.



Village of Streamwood President, Board of Trustees, and Village Clerk



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Village Board News



New Village Trustee Appointed

At the March 7 Village Board meeting, Jovandi Bermudez was sworn in to fill the vacant Trustee position due to Bill Harper's resignation. When a Board position becomes vacated, the Village solicits applications from the community and provides everyone an opportunity to be considered. Twenty-one applications were received for this vacancy! The Village Board members interviewed everyone. Mr. Bermudez was selected by Board vote to fill the remaining term. He has been a resident of Streamwood for over 10 years and is a real estate managing broker.

Bike And Pedestrian Bridge Project



The Village has been working since 2019 on the implementation of a bicycle and pedestrian bridge over Route 59. Our Comprehensive Plan called for improved connectivity in our community through the expansion of our bike and pedestrian path system. The Village has been diligently working to realize this vision. This spring we started work on the project. The initial work includes site prep, utility work and installing foundations for the boardwalk. Work also includes boardwalks through the wetlands, connecting with a steel truss bridge over Route 59. The boardwalks will tie into the existing path system on the west side of Route 59. Due to the steel material lead time, the prefabricated steel bridge portion of the project over Route 59 is anticipated to start in April of 2025 and be complete in July of 2025. The Village will also be working to install a path along Madison Drive to connect with the boardwalks, park and path system along Irving Park Road. The project is a joint effort with support from multiple agencies including the Village of Streamwood and funding from the Federal government, the Illinois Department of Transportation, and Cook County. For more information regarding the project please visit our website: <https://www.streamwood.org/about-us/bridge-and-path-overview>.

Ribbon Cutting/Grand Opening

On March 15, President Roth, Trustee Bermudez, and staff were at Ivy Hall (630 S. Sutton Road) for their ribbon cutting and grand opening. This is the second and final cannabis dispensary in the Village.



Congratulations DARE Graduates

The DARE program that has been taught for over 30 years in the village, by the Streamwood Police Department, will celebrate the graduation of almost 250 fifth grade students in May. The DARE program focuses on self-esteem and current topics like bullying and online safety, as well as informing the students how dangerous drugs can be. The DARE program also instructed over 300 first grade students this semester. The topics include the importance of knowing your address, 911, strangers, street sign safety, safe foods, and trusting persons in authority. Remember to stop by the Summer Celebration DARE tent and say hi to our DARE officers!

Water Quality Report

Our annual Drinking Water Quality Report will be available on our website before July 1. We are currently finalizing its publication and are pleased to report that your tap water met or exceeded all US and Illinois drinking water health standards. If you would like a paper copy of the report, please call the Public Works Department at 630-736-3850.

A New Gateway To Our Community



An exciting new community open space is coming to Streamwood! The Village has taken over the care and maintenance of Kollar Pond (55 E Irving Park Road), and has some exciting plans for the 8-acre space. Kollar Pond is adjacent to the Village Hall and Police Station. Our Comprehensive Plan envisioned making this space part of our overall municipal campus. Working with consultants, the space has been reimagined as a unique and timeless destination; a vibrant new gathering space and gateway to Streamwood that the whole family can enjoy.

The Village shared the design concepts with the community at two open houses in March and April. Project team members discussed design concepts, answered questions, and heard community input. The reenvisioned space will include walking paths, improved water management and access, interactive design elements, and is intended to become an iconic gateway to our community. We hope to initiate this multi-year plan in 2025.

Business Assistance Grant Program

The business assistance program offers grants, up to a maximum of \$25,000, for sales tax producing businesses uses including retail establishments and restaurants. Grants require pre-approval before any eligible work commences. Funding, if approved, will be distributed on a reimbursement basis once a project is substantially completed. Building owners or lessees (with written consent from the building owner) are eligible to apply. The program was recently amended and now applies to all non-residential properties Village-wide. The amount of incentive granted will vary based upon the improvements made and each application will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis. All improvements must conform to the Village's regulations including, but not limited to, the Zoning Ordinance and Building Codes, which are available on our website. Individual properties will be eligible for grants, regardless of who the current tenant may be, once every two fiscal years. The Village of Streamwood uses a calendar year budget (January-December). To learn more, scan the QR code.



2024 Walking Inspections Program

The Village will begin conducting its annual Walking Inspections Program in June. Code Enforcement Inspectors will be checking for exterior property maintenance items such as tall grass/weeds, home condition (roof, siding, gutters, windows, paint), excess exterior storage, and improperly stored refuse containers. The following streets are scheduled for inspection: Ascot Ln, Beverly Ln, Beverly Ct, Canterbury Ct, Chaucer Ln, Chrisman Dr, Cottonwood Dr, English Oak Ln, Fallstone Dr, Jackson Ln, Lisa Ln, Nettle Ln, Osprey Ct, E Shag Bark Ln, Sunset Cr, Tilia Ct, Washington Ave, Washington Ct, Wildflower Wy, Willow Ct, and Willow Rd. For more information, please call the Community Development Department at 630-736-3839.

Village President's Message

Streamwood was named a 2023 Tree City USA® by the Arbor Day Foundation, in honor of its commitment to effective urban forest management, for the 31st consecutive year! The Village achieved this recognition by meeting the program's four requirements: a tree board or department, a tree care ordinance, an annual community forestry budget of at least \$2 per capita and an Arbor Day observance and proclamation.



More information about the program is available at arborday.org/TreeCityUSA.

The volunteer spirit continues to be alive and well in Streamwood! We are proud to have nearly 75 dedicated people who serve on a wide range of boards and commissions, and have recently appointed several new residents to fill vacancies. Your neighbors assist us in providing programming and services to our community, which the Village relies on to guarantee efficient operation of government. On April 11, the Village Board hosted a dinner to thank these volunteers. We also recognized many of them with "milestone" awards. Thanking them for their outstanding service: 5-year awards went to Aris Garcia (Community Relations Commission); Kosta Giannopoulos, Andy Nolan, Ron Weglarz, and John Wiley (Community & Economic Development Commission); 20-year awards were presented to Teresa Chow Hauser and Daniela Kowalska Wudyka (Community Relations Commission); and Alan Burnham (Planning & Zoning Board) was given a 35-year award. We sincerely appreciate everyone's time and dedication to Streamwood over the years!

We were happy to have so many donors at our April Community Blood Drive. But we need more! Many people believe that most blood is needed after major disasters. Did you know that personal emergencies and ongoing medical needs of patients require a constant and ready blood supply? Every two seconds someone in the US needs blood. Your donation can help save lives! We hope to see you at our next drive on Wednesday, June 26, at Fire Station #31.

Another great volunteer opportunity is helping us with Summer Celebration. This 3-day festival, July 26-28, would not be possible without the many community members who sell tickets, run games, or serve beverages. It's a great way to meet new people, or simply enjoy catching up with old friends, while having fun at this favorite annual event. Please contact my office at mayor@streamwood.org or visit streamwoodsummercelebration.org to learn more about the volunteer opportunities available.

Finally, it is always the Village's distinct honor to recognize the dedication and devotion of our nation's armed forces. Our heartfelt thanks are always extended to those who have given their lives for our country. On behalf of the Village Board and Veterans Memorial Commission, we invite you to join us in honoring those who made the ultimate sacrifice for our country with a Memorial Day Observance on Sunday, May 26, at 11:00 am. We hope to see you there.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Billie D. Roth".

Billie D. Roth
Village President

Parking

Between the hours of 1:00 am - 5:00 am, parking is prohibited on Village streets, except where noted in specific subdivisions. Blocking the sidewalk with a vehicle is prohibited from March 1 through November 30. Vehicles parked in residential driveways CANNOT block the sidewalk or parkway between the hours of 7:00 am - 9:00 pm, Monday through Friday; and 9:00 am - 9:00 pm, Saturday and Sunday. Questions? Please call 630-736-3700.

Garage Sales

Please obtain a garage sale permit before the sale is conducted. There is a \$1.00 fee for the permit. Please note that only two garage sales per year are permitted for each address. Garage sales may be held for two consecutive days between the hours of 9:00 am - 5:00 pm. Sign placement information is also available.



Planning A Block Party This Summer?

Block party applications are available at the Cashier's Counter at Village Hall and on the website, under Village Clerk/Permits and Licenses. The form provides party planners with the necessary details (Fire and/or Police Department visits and Public Works barricades) needed BEFORE the date of the party. All block party applications must be filed with the Village Clerk at least 14 days before the requested party date.

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Thinking About Home Projects?

So many home projects and repairs get started as the weather warms up. Be sure to check if your home improvement project requires a permit. Having projects reviewed and inspected is the best way to avoid conditions that could adversely affect the health and safety of you, your family and/or neighbors. Inspections also help protect your investment. Common projects, like installing sheds or fences, repairing or replacing a roof, windows, or siding, are simple to apply for and permits are typically obtained quickly. The Community Development Department is ready to help you with the application process for whatever type of work you are planning. Stop in to discuss your plan at Village Hall, or you can call 630-736-3843 to get your permit questions answered. Our Building Permit Application can be found here when you scan this QR code:



Thank You For Your Support

Our fire and police departments raised over \$27,000 at the annual St. Baldrick's fundraiser on March 3 and almost \$1,000 at the Polar Plunge for Illinois Special Olympics on March 16. At Guns 'N Hoses, on April 5, the police department won the trophy and \$5,000 was raised for families in need. We are grateful for the community's support and generosity!

Remove Invasive Species From Your Landscape

One (1) out of three (3) plants in Illinois woodlands, wetlands, and grasslands are non-native. Plant invasions can cause economic damage, displace native species, alter ecosystem functions, and interfere with ecological restoration goals. The Public Works landscape department spends a lot of time removing invasive species, while planting/seeding to help restore native plant communities. Native plants are easier to grow and provide food and shelter for pollinators and other wildlife. One example of a plant that should be removed is the Buckthorn. It can be found in gardens and yards in the Midwest but should be removed. Under the Illinois Exotic Weed Act, Buckthorn cannot be sold in our state. Buckthorn berries and seeds are spread by birds. The seeds germinate at a very high rate and remain viable in the soil for 2-3 years, degrading natural communities. Help us remove invasive species from our neighborhoods. To learn more, visit our website under News.



Summer Safety Tips

The Streamwood Fire Department would like you to keep these tips in mind as you enjoy the summer with family and neighbors:

- **Outdoor fires:** fire pits, fireplaces, and chimineas should be at least 10 feet from your home, shed, and trees; make sure the fire is completely extinguished when left unattended; do not move your portable fireplace into the garage, near the house, or under the deck until it's completely extinguished and allowed to cool for at 24 hours.
- **Grilling:** Grills are for outdoor use only! Indoor use (even in the garage with the door open) can cause a fire and carbon monoxide poisoning; grills should be well away from your siding, deck railings, and not used on a balcony; keep them out from under eaves and hanging branches.
- **Fireworks:** Even legal, consumer-grade fireworks can cause serious burns; legal sparklers reach temperatures of 1,200 F; leave fireworks to the professionals!
- **Swimming:** Never leave children unattended in or near pools, hot tubs, and other bodies of water; always walk, don't run, around the pool!
- **Cycling:** Children and adults should always wear a bike helmet and have reflectors on their bicycles.
- **Weather:** When thunder roars, go indoors! If you can hear thunder, you are close enough to be struck by lightning; the safest place to be during a storm is inside a stable structure and away from windows.

Community News



Community Blood Drive

The Streamwood Blood Commission will hold its 3rd donation drive of 2024 on Wednesday, June 26, from 1:00 pm to 7:00 pm, at Fire Station 31 (1204 S Park Ave). Please contact Vitalant at 877-258-4825 or vitalant.org to register. Be sure to use group code ORDOSW98. Appointments recommended but walk-ins are always welcome!

Fireworks Are Dangerous And Illegal

The possession, sale, use or discharge of any firework is illegal in Illinois and in Streamwood. The use of fireworks is dangerous and can result in several unintended consequences such as serious injuries or death and starting uncontrolled fires. The noise caused by fireworks can be very disturbing to many people and pets in our community. Everyone is being asked to be good neighbors and follow the State Laws and our Local Ordinances regarding illegal fireworks this season. Streamwood Police Officers will be actively enforcing the State Law and Local Ordinances: **State Law (425 ILCS 35/2)** – *it shall be unlawful for any person, firm, co-partnership, or corporation to knowingly possess, offer for sale, expose for sale, sell at retail, or use or explode any display fireworks, flame effects, or consumer fireworks;* **Streamwood Local Ordinance (Section 6-4-2)** – *possession; sale and or discharge of fireworks no person, firm, partnership or corporation shall possess, offer for sale, expose for sale, sell at retail, keep with intent to sell at retail, use or explode any fireworks. The fire chief, police chief or their designees are authorized to confiscate, seize, take, remove or cause to be removed at the expense of the owner all stocks of fireworks or combustibles possessed, used, offered, exposed for sale, stored or held in violation of this chapter. Please call 911 to report illegal activity and fireworks violations as they are happening; an officer will be dispatched to the area.*



2024 Streamwood Summer Celebration

This three-day family-oriented event, organized by the Streamwood Park District, Poplar Creek Library, and Village of Streamwood, will be held at Hoosier Grove Park on Irving Park Road, Friday, July 26 to Sunday, July 28. There are many opportunities for involvement. We are currently looking for sponsors, food vendors, exhibitors for the business expo, parade participants, and MANY volunteers! Please visit the website for the schedule of events, applications, and more details: streamwoodsummercelebration.org

Government Partner News



Hanover Township

hanover-township.org



Restock The Hanover Township Food Pantry

Compared to last year, the Township Food Pantry is experiencing a 20% increase in the number of visits from residents in need. Since no tax dollars are used to stock the shelves, the Township relies on donations from individuals and families, local businesses, community groups, civic organizations, schools, sports teams,

neighborhood associations, places of worship, and others. Most needed items include canned goods, pasta, macaroni and cheese, peanut butter, paper products, personal hygiene items, cereal, pancake mix, instant potatoes, and cooking oil, as well as gift cards to grocery stores. Donations can be dropped off at the Astor Avenue Community Center & Food Pantry (7431 Astor Avenue, Hanover Park), any Township office or at the east entrance of Village Hall. The pantry's Amazon shopping list can be found at hanover-township.org with items sent directly to the community center. For questions, or to learn about volunteer opportunities at the pantry, please call 630-540-9085 or email info@hanover-township.org.

Ride With Hanover Township

Grocery stores, medical appointments, personal care, and more; transportation is provided anywhere within the Hanover Township and up to five miles outside the Township boundaries for residents ages 55+ or 18+ with a disability. Rides are offered Monday – Friday from 8:00 am to 3:00 pm. Please call the Township Dispatch office at 630-483-5656 to schedule a trip.



Poplar Creek Public Library

pclib.org

Family Concert Series

Join us on Sunday, May 19 at 2:00 pm for J2 Strings, a dynamic violin and guitar duo celebrating multicultural music. On Sunday, June 23 at 2:00 pm, the Shout Section Big Band takes the library on a journey through the 1930's and 40's with classic big band jazz and some swinging adaptations of current-day hits in a big band style. To register, visit pclib.org or call 331-808-3515.

Summer Reading Program (June 3 - August 2)

"Bee" a Reader and find out the "Buzz About Books" this summer and join our all-ages Summer Reading Challenge! Earn a prize for reading just 1050 minutes! For details or to sign up, visit pclib.org/src.

Hive Talkin'

Join local Beekeeper Konni Vukelic on June 15 at 2:00 pm for an engaging presentation about bees. Meet some of the bees (safely contained in an observation hive) that help provide pollination for local farms and learn about what you can do to help them. To register, visit pclib.org/events.



Streamwood Park District

streamwoodparks.org

Hoosier Grove Barn & Brew

Our beloved Hoosier Grove Barn and Brew event is staying up late this year under the Friday night lights! Join us as we bring together more than 30 local breweries to share some of their best brews on the historic grounds of the Hoosier Grove Barn, 700 W Irving Park Road, from 5-9 pm, Friday, May 31. General admission is \$45 per person and \$50 at the gate. Designated driver tickets are also available for \$10 per person. For a complete list of participating brewers (subject to change) or to purchase tickets, visit streamwoodparks.org.

Summer Kickoff

Join the Streamwood Park District at our free Summer Kickoff event 6-8 pm, Tuesday, June 4 at Rahlf's Woods Park, 1300 S Park Ave. Enjoy an obstacle course, games, craft fair, and live music from One Night Band. Be sure to stop by our concession stand to purchase snacks and a portion of the proceeds will benefit the Streamwood Park District Scholarship Fund. Crafters, artists, and handmade vendors wanted for the Summer Kickoff craft fair! We are looking for vendors to showcase their crafts, art, and non-edible homemade goodies. \$22 vendor fee includes a 10'x10' space and one table. Vendors can bring their own chairs and 10'x10' tent. For more information, contact Michelle Wolverton at mwolverton@spdcares.com.

Summer 2024

Our Summer 2024 Program Guide will be available to browse online in early May at streamwoodparks.org. Register for upcoming programs and events, learn about our Building Block Preschool and Summer Day Camps, peruse our parks map, and enjoy a preview of upcoming summer events including Play in the Parks, Movies in the Park, Touch-a-Truck, and more! Registration begins May 13 online or in-person at Park Place Family Recreation Center in partnership with RUSH Physical Therapy, 550 S Park Blvd.

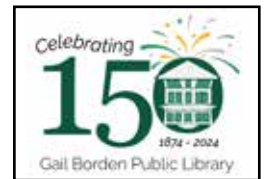


Gail Borden Library

gailborden.info

Celebrate 150 Years With Gail Borden Library!

Food, prizes, vintage games and some surprises will make an Old Fashioned Fair & Summer Reading Kickoff an event to remember from 1:00-5:00 pm on Saturday, June 8 outside of the Main Library. A 150th Anniversary Exhibit, Library History Trivia Night and more will be part of this year's celebration. For information, visit gailborden.info/150.



Storyland: A Trip Through Childhood Favorites™

This engaging exhibit, at the Main Library through summer, from the Minnesota Children's Museum uses three beloved children's books to stimulate early literacy, *The Tale of Peter Rabbit*, *The Snowy Day*, and *Where's Spot?* Children and their families will step into the world of their favorite storybooks and engage in interactive activities to discover the joy and power of reading. Look for other exhibits this summer that will celebrate 150 years of reading!

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Triumph Of The Spirit: Jewish Athletes Before, During And After The Holocaust

This dynamic photo exhibit, at the Main Library through fall, tells the stories of the resiliency and spirit of courageous Jewish athletes in the face of the atrocities of the Holocaust. The exhibit is from JCC Chicago, the same partner that brought the award-winning Violins of Hope exhibit to the Library. For more information, visit gailborden.info/growinghope.



School District U-46



Johnson On The Job

In a new video series called “Johnson on the Job,” U-46 Superintendent Dr. Suzanne Johnson spends time with U-46 employees to learn more about their daily work and the important part they play in the District. She’s helped a bus driver conduct the necessary safety checks before a bus begins its route, she’s walked the hallways with a school social worker, and she’s made sandwiches with a food service technician. To watch these videos and more, visit u-46.org/johnsononthejob.

Register For 2024-25 School Year Before May 31

Current families in U-46 must register for the 2024-25 school year by May 31 or otherwise wait for late registration to open in the summer. Families who register now help the District make important decisions about staffing, classes, and transportation services. Also, only students who are fully registered will receive their schedules and classroom assignments when they are first released in mid-July. Detailed instructions are available at u-46.org/registration. Note there will be no instructional fees collected; the District is covering the cost of instructional materials fees for the 2024-25 school year. In addition, school supplies will be provided to elementary students. Parents who need assistance with the online registration process should contact their school. If you know of a family new to U-46, please urge them to start the registration process as well.

Class Of 2024

School District U-46 will be celebrating the Class of 2024 on Saturday, May 25, at the NOW Arena in Hoffman Estates. The graduation ceremonies will start according to the following schedule: Bartlett High School at 8:00 am; Larkin High School at 11:00 am; Streamwood High School at 2:00 pm; South Elgin High School at 5:00 pm; and Elgin High School at 8:00 pm. More details about parking, live streaming of the ceremonies, the entrances for guests and graduates, and more can be found at u-46.org/classof2024.



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Classes start June 3, June 10, and July 15.
elgin.edu/brightchoice

Elgin Community College

The advertisement features a young woman with long dark hair, wearing a pink t-shirt and a black skirt, holding a black folder. She is smiling and has sunglasses on her head. The background is a bright yellow circle on a blue wavy background.



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Village Hall Hours:
Monday through Friday, 8:00 am - 4:30 pm

Village Calendar

May

2	Board of Fire & Police Commissioners Meeting	6:00 pm
2	Village Board Meeting	7:00 pm
13	Spring Clean Up Week Begins	
14	Veterans Memorial Commission Meeting	7:00 pm
16	Village Board Meeting	7:00 pm
21	Planning and Zoning Board Meeting	7:00 pm
23	Community Relations Commission Meeting	6:00 pm
26	Memorial Day Ceremony	11:00 am
27	Memorial Day – Village Offices Closed	

June

6	Board of Fire & Police Commissioners Meeting	6:00 pm
6	Village Board Meeting	7:00 pm
6	Police Beat Meeting (Beats 1 & 3)	7:00 pm
13	Police Beat Meeting (Beats 2 & 4)	7:00 pm
18	Planning & Zoning Board Meeting	7:00 pm
20	Village Board Meeting	7:00 pm
26	Community Blood Drive	1:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Branch Pickup

Public Works will collect branches, free of charge, from your curbside during designated collection days. Simply place branches at the curb by 6:00 am on the day your area is scheduled for pickup. It is important to have your branches out by the scheduled morning listed below to avoid being missed by the branch pickup crews. Crews collect branches as soon as possible but cannot be expected to return if branches are not out in time. Branches must be placed with the cut ends facing the street. Branches cannot be longer than ten feet (10') in length and have a diameter of no larger than six inches (6"). The Village is divided into four areas for pickup service (see map). Each area receives branch pickup service once per month.



Area 1	Area 2	Area 3	Area 4
May 6	May 13	May 20	May 28
June 3	June 10	June 17	June 24

Crews try to collect branches as soon as possible. It usually takes more than one day to collect all branches in each area; however, **the branches must be at the curb by 6:00 am on the first day your area is scheduled for pickup.** If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Public Works at 630-736-3850.



Police Beat Meetings

The Police Department hosts area beat meetings to help residents learn about services and gives them the opportunity to let police know about issues and concerns. The Village is divided into four beat areas. The next beat meetings will be held at 7:00 pm in the police department training room. Beats 1 and 3 on Thursday, June 6; Beats 2 and 4 on Thursday, June 13.