

MEMORANDUM VILLAGE OF NORTHBROOK

TO: Staff

COPY: Village President & Board of Trustees – Department Heads

FROM: Richard Nahrstadt, Village Manager

DATE: August 30, 2019

SUBJECT: STAFF BRIEFING

WEEK OF August 26, 2019

BOARD OF TRUSTEES REGULAR MEETING

On Tuesday, August 27, the Board of Trustees held its regular meeting. Under the President's Report, President Frum proclaimed the week of September 15 as Northbrook Garden Club Week in honor of the club's 70th anniversary, proclaimed September 17-23 as Constitution Week, and proclaimed September as School's Open Safety Month. She also noted the official Trick or Treat hours in Northbrook will be Thursday, October 31 from 4-8 p.m.

Under the Consent Agenda, the Board approved a number of resolutions and ordinances including certification of completion of the Techny Meadow Ridge Subdivision, execution of an intergovernmental agreement with the Village of Glenview for construction of a multi-use path on Shermer Road between Willow Road and West Lake Avenue, purchase of an underground valve vault for the implementation of the second pressure zone, and an agreement for repairs to a fire truck.

The September 10 Village Board meeting is canceled. The next regular Village Board meeting is Tuesday, September 24 at 7:30 p.m.

NORTHBROOK ARTS COMMISSION

On Wednesday, August 25, the Northbrook Arts Commission hosted an artist's reception for the GBN Student artists and their families at the library. During the reception, Arts Commissioner Jerry Block, the event's lead coordinator, welcomed the students and expressed his enthusiasm for the quality of their artistic abilities. The

reception formally kicked-off the Glenbrook North Artist-in-Residence Exhibit, featuring artwork by 28 students on all three floors. The exhibit, which will be on display through October 6, is a collaborative effort between the Northbrook Arts Commission, the Northbrook Library, and the students and teachers of Glenbrook North Art Department.



POLICE DEPARTMENT ACTIVITY

On Tuesday, August 27, at approximately 9:30 p.m., K9 Officer David Humphries and K9 Pongo assisted the Department of Homeland Security with a search for an armed subject in a wooded area of Schaumburg. The subject was ultimately apprehended and taken into custody.

On Thursday, August 29, Detectives Brad Gutwillig and Michael Tadley participated in school lockdown drills at Meadowbrook and Greenbriar Schools. They discussed the reasons for lockdowns, and what can or might be expected in terms of police response. Such drills are held periodically with all schools.

WOODLAWN ROAD AND PENFOLD PLACE WATER MAIN REPLACEMENT

This week, the Village’s contractor continued parkway restoration work and placed topsoil. Next week, crews will place sod and repair any brick paver areas in the right-of-way that were disturbed by the construction. As a reminder, following conclusion of the water main installation, Phase II of the Village’s 2019 asphalt rehabilitation program will begin. This work will include resurfacing Woodlawn between Western Avenue and Shermer Road, and the entirety of Penfold Place. For more information on this project and copies of notices, visit www.northbrook.il.us/woodlawn

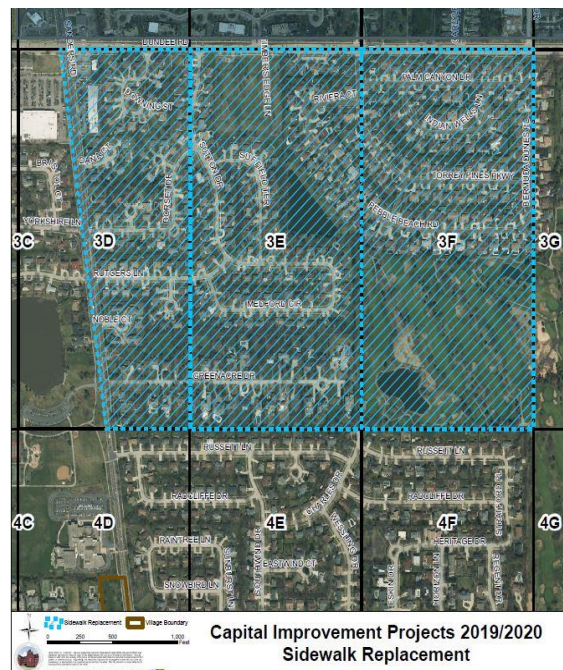
HEATHERCREST EAST CONCRETE STREET PANEL REPLACEMENT

This week, the Village’s contractor continued pouring new concrete (pictured right) and will continue this same work next week. This project includes removing and replacing failed panels of pavement in the Heathercrest East subdivision. For more information on this project, visit www.northbrook.il.us/2019concrete



SIDEWALK REPLACEMENT PROGRAM

This week, the Village’s contractor continued restoration work. Staff anticipates crews will continue punch list items next week. This year’s sidewalk program focused on the Wildebrook and Sutton Point subdivisions, and sidewalks along arterial roadways on Willow Road and Landwehr Road. Maps of the work areas are included below.



2019 STORMWATER PROJECTS

This week, the Village’s contractor continued replacing driveway culverts on Dehne Road. Next week, crews will begin installing new storm sewer along Dehne. As a reminder, this year’s program includes the Dehne Subdivision, Blackthorn Lane, and Longvalley Drive projects. For more information on these projects, visit www.northbrook.il.us/2019stormwater

DYED WATER TESTING

On Tuesday, September 3, the Village’s contractor will complete dyed water testing on storm sewers located primarily near the intersection of Church Street and Chapel Court. This testing identifies points where stormwater can infiltrate the sanitary sewer system. The findings from this testing are used to identify and prioritize future repairs. Residents may see a fluorescent liquid or dye in or around storm sewer inlets, the ground in the area where the testing occurred, or in the West Fork of the North Branch of the Chicago River during and after testing. This non-toxic dye will fade quickly and not leave a stain. Residents with questions are encouraged to contact the Public Works Department at 847-272-4711.

FRIDAY NIGHT FLIGHTS – SEPTEMBER 6

Don’t miss Northbrook's inaugural Friday Night Flights on September 6! Sample beer from 10+ breweries, listen to music by Michael McDermott, and enjoy food for purchase from Marcello’s food truck. Tickets are on sale now at www.northbrook.il.us/FridayNightFlights

Brewers include Granite City Food & Brewery, Temperance Beer Co., Smylie Brothers Brewing Co., Mickey Finn's Brewery, Mikerphone Brewing, Sketchbook Brewing Company, Tighthead Brewing Company, Flesk Brewing, Peckish Pig, and Buffalo Creek Brewing.



WEEK OF September 2, 2019

MON.	9/2		Labor Day- Village Hall <i>closed</i>
TUES.	9/3	7am-3pm	Electronic Recycling – behind the Village Hall
		7:30 p.m.	Plan Commission – Board Room
WED.	9/4	7 a.m. – 1 p.m.	Farmers Market – Downtown Northbrook, Cherry & Meadow
		5:30 p.m.	Special Meeting of Fire and Police Commissioners- Police Department
		6:30 p.m.	CRC Northbrook Cares Subcommittee – Terrace Room
THURS.	9/5	7:30 a.m.	EDC Subcommittee –Terrace Room
		7:00 p.m.	Arts Commission – Terrace Room
		7:00 p.m.	Community Relations Commission – Canceled, Rescheduled
FRI.	9/6	6-9pm	Friday Night Flights Northbrook 2019 – Techny Prairie Park & Fields
SAT.	9/7	9am-12pm	Electronic Recycling – behind the Village Hall

