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BOARD HAPPENINGS

The following items have been approved by the Village Board:

- ✍ Accounts Payable dated February 17, 2015 totaling \$11,267.90.
- ✍ Treasurer's Report for month ending January 31, 2015.
- ✍ Approval of the 2015 contract with Brennan for the Modification of the Aeration System, not to exceed \$10,000.
- ✍ Approval of the 2015 contract with Brennan for the Aerator Inspection, not to exceed \$7,000.
- ✍ Approval of the 2015 agreement with McClure Engineering for the Third Lake Dam replacement study, \$30,000.
- ✍ Approval of the 2016 Village Budget.

ning and Zoning Committee for 6 years. The Village would not be what it is today without the hours of dedication Jim has provided to the Village of Third Lake.

Jim and his wife Cindy have lived in the Village of Third Lake for 24 years.

Jim and Cindy, we thank you and wish you much happiness on your future endeavors.

OPEN POSITION ON VILLAGE BOARD

With the retirement of Trustee Rogers, there is an open position to fill on the Board of Trustees. The position will be filled by appointment. If you are interested, please call or email President Beggan at gbeggan@thirdlakevillage.com

Waste Management Spring Cleanup



Scheduled for May 8, 2015.

Unacceptable items: Household products that are flammable, toxic, corrosive, or reactive can be dangerous to collection personnel and the environment when disposed of improperly. Items such as paint, pesticides, poisons, cleaning solvents, automotive batteries, tires, tainted gasoline, used oil, and other automotive fluids are considered household hazardous waste and should not be included with your refuse for disposal. For questions, please call Waste Management @ 800-796-9696.

IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

EMERGENCY 911	AREA PARK DISTRICTS: Grayslake Parks & Recreation: 847.223.7529
POLICE / FIRE (NON-EMERGENCY): Lake County Sheriff: 847.377.4000	Warren Township Parks & Sports: 847.244.1101 x6
Grayslake Fire Department: 847.223.8960	SCHOOL DISTRICTS School District #46: 847.223-3650
ANIMAL CONTROL 847.377.4700	Woodland District #50: 847.816-2530
UTILITIES Commonwealth Edison: 800.334.7661	Grayslake Central HS Dist. #127 847.223.8621
Nicor:snowflake 888.642.6748	Grayslake North HS Dist. #127 847.986.3100
North Shore/People's Gas: 847.336.9300	TOWNSHIP OFFICES Warren Township: 847.244.1101
AT&T: 800.244.4444	Avon Township: 847.546.1446
Comcast Cable: 800.266.2278	
Waste Management: 800.796.9696	
Lake County Public Works: 847.377.7500	
AREA LIBRARIES Grayslake Library: 847.223.5313	
Warren Newport Library: 847.244.5150	



Village Hall Hours

M-F 8:30 am - 2:30 pm

Closed Saturday and Sunday

EVENING HOURS

The Village Hall is open from 6:30 pm - 7:00 pm on evenings when meetings are held.

APRIL MEETINGS

Committee	April 6
Working Meeting	None
Plan Commission	April 14
Board of Trustees	April 20
Lakes Committee	April 27
Meetings begin at 7:00pm at the Village Hall	

THE BOARD SAYS GOODBYE AND THANK YOU TO TRUSTEE JIM ROGERS...



As Trustee Jim Rogers retires from the Village Board on March 16, 2015, President Beggan and the Board Presented Jim with a plaque thanking him for his dedication for 18 years of service to the Board. Jim also served on the Plan-

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**WATERCRAFT STICKERS/
REGISTRATION**

Get your boat stickers and keys starting April 1st. Every watercraft must have **both** a state registration sticker and a Village sticker. In order to purchase a Village sticker, **you must have a valid current state registration on file with the Village.** If you purchase a new boat, a processed application for state registration from the DNR will be accepted for this year. The Village has past years' registrations on file. If you are unsure of your status, please call the Village Hall. Boat stickers will not be issued without one of these documents. Village boat launch (in Sunshine Subdivision) keys may also be purchased at the Village Hall or through the mail. To order by mail, send a check payable to the Village of Third Lake for the appropriate amount, a copy of state registration, and a list of your watercraft by type and state registration numbers. For your convenience, there is an application form on our website, www.thirdlakevillage.com. Or, visit the Village Hall during office hours. For Mariner's Cove boat launch keys contact the Mariner's Cove Home Owner's Association.

NEW BOATING ORDINANCE

There have been important changes to the boating regulations in Illinois and the Village of Third Lake.

<u>FEES ARE AS FOLLOWS:</u>	
Non-motorized Craft	\$10.00
Craft with Electric Motors	\$15.00
<u>Gas Motorized Craft:</u>	
10 Horsepower or less	\$25.00
11-25 Horsepower	\$35.00
Over 25 Horsepower	\$45.00
Village Boat Launch Key	\$15.00 (Limit one per household)
Replacement Launch Key	\$50.00
Mariner's Cove Keys:	
Contact the Mariner's Cove Home Owner's Association President, Wendy Kotulla @ 847.231.6393	
*** <u>The Village Hall Does Not Accept Credit Card Payments.</u>	
<u>Cash, Check or Money</u>	
<u>Order Only</u> ***	

The Illinois boat registration and safety act can be viewed at the following website:

<http://www.ilga.gov/legislation/ilcs/ilcs5.asp?>

The Village of Third Lake registration and boating rules and regulations ordinance can be picked up at the Village Hall or a PDF copy can be emailed to you if you would like.

One of the major changes to the ordinance is that the operator of any watercraft that is towing a person or persons shall display a bright orange flag measuring not less than 12 inches per

side. The flag shall be displayed at the highest point of the area surrounding the boats helm as to be visible from all directions, continuously, while the person or persons being towed depart the boat in preparation for towing and until re-entry into the boat when the activity has ceased. Display of the flag for purposes other than the activity described is prohibited.



SAFETY EDUCATION COURSES

There are four Mandatory Safety Education Programs: [Boating](#), [Hunting](#), [Trapping](#), and [Snowmobiling](#).

Classes are FREE and taught by Volunteer Instructors at various times throughout the year.

The programs are primarily designed to train young people between the ages of 12 and 18. The educational material is based on a sixth-grade reading level. However we encourage persons of all ages to participate in the programs.

All Mandatory Safety Education classes require minimum hours of instruction by law. The primary objectives of the Mandatory Safety Education Program are to teach; **user responsibility, respect, and safety.**

General Information

- Persons of all ages are encouraged to participate in Safety Education Classes.
- Classes are open to the public and federal law prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, or handicap.
- It is the policy of IDNR that youth under the age of (10) must be accompanied to and during the safety education courses by an adult or guardian at least sixteen years of age.

Mere attendance of a safety education training and taking a written test will not guarantee the passing

of this course. Multiple criteria such as mental and physical acuity, the ability to demonstrate and recognize safe procedures, attitude and the maturity level of each individual student will be a factor assessed by the instructors in the final certification process.

Students are required to complete a final written exam on their own abilities, without assistance from parents or guardians, unless other arrangements have been discussed and agreed upon with the class instructors.

Questions or comments:

E-mail: DNR.SafetyEd@illinois.gov

Phone: 217-557-9206

Toll-free: 800-832-2599

Hunter and Boating Safety Education Courses:

Register now for Hunter Safety Education and Boating Safety Education courses from IDNR. Spring classes are being scheduled, and since classes fill up quickly, check the IDNR website for class dates and locations. Class schedules are updated frequently. The website link for all IDNR Safety Education course information is www.dnr.illinois.gov/safety

Health Dept. Offers Lost and Found Pet Service Web Page

The Animal Care and Control program of the Lake County Health Department/Community Health Center is offering a new service for people who have lost or found pets. It has activated a Lost and Found Pet Service web page at: <http://health.lakecountvil.gov/Population/Pages/Lost-and-Found-Pet-Service.aspx>



REMINDERS

- ★ **Building Permits** - If you are unsure whether or not your project requires a building permit, please call the Village Hall for confirmation. Some projects that you may not know need permits include:
 - Hot water heater replacement
 - Air conditioning unit replacement
 - Furnace replacement
 - Interior remodeling
- ★ **Overnight Parking** - There is no parking on Village streets between the hours of 2:00 am and 7:00 am. If you need to leave a car on the street overnight, you must call or email the Village Hall by 2:00 am. Leave a message including your name, address & the vehicle (s) license plate number (s). ***** PLEASE DO NOT FORGET TO LEAVE THE LICENSE PLATE NUMBER (S)*****
- ★ **Pets and Pet Waste** - **Pets are not permitted to roam the Village freely. All pets are required to be leashed when not on the owner's property.** Allowing your dog to deposit waste on another resident's property or on Village sidewalks or streets and not picking up the waste is a violation of our Village Ordinance.
- ★ **Burning**- Dry leaves, brush, branches under 1 1/2" in diameter, and yard waste may be burned between **April 15 and May 15.**