



THE VILLAGE LINK

SPRING 2016

State of the Village Report.....



Mayor John Hucker

Spring is once again in the air in Beach Park, but you never really know located here in Illinois. We have had a rather mild winter this year with warmer temperatures and fewer snowfalls so far. The groundhog did not see its shadow this year thus the lore would say we get the early spring. Well whatever it brings, rest assured that we are ready for it. As the Village of Beach Park Mayor, I know that our Staff, Commissioners and Trustees are here to serve you.

The Village has again prepared and will be presenting a balanced budget for the upcoming fiscal year. During the latter half of this

month and the beginning of April, if necessary, Staff will be presenting this to the Village Board at a public hearing for consideration of adoption. Please consider joining us to see how our Village is spending our money. The Village continues to operate without the typical municipal property tax, yet is projecting a significant surplus in its General Fund for the fourth year in a row. Our Finance Committee Chairman and staff work extremely hard to stretch every dollar spent while seeking new grant money sources to supplement funds.

Despite the compounding reductions to our budgets over the last few years, the Village has managed to invest more in infrastructure and keep staff on the streets to provide you excellent service. The Village did this through reducing our overall operating expenses and increasing our investment in capital infra-

structure and assets. While most places delayed or suspended capital investments and needed maintenance, Beach Park pushed ahead with the savings we could find to take advantage of the buyer's market during the struggling economy. For example, while many postponed the much needed vehicle or equipment replacements, Beach Park invested over half a million dollars into new snowplow trucks, a front end loader, and various other vehicles. One of the snowplows replaced was from 1983 and another from 1984, with the front end loader replacing a twenty year old piece of equipment as well. So as you can see, these were long overdue investments, simply done at the best time where we paid an average of 50% of the value for new or next to new equipment.

This commitment to stretching our taxpayer money during a slow



SPRING CLEAN-UP

This year's Annual Spring Clean up will be held the weekends of May 7th & May 14th. There will be dumpsters available at the Milton C. Jensen Public Works Facility for drop off of electronics recycling, tires and appliances. Beginning May 1, 2016 SWALCO's electronics recycling program will be discontinued due to lack of funds. Although SWALCO plans to evaluate options to keep the program operating after May 1st, this does involve significant costs, therefore we encourage you to take advantage of the electronics recycling during Spring clean-up in May.

Please have your items ready and at the curbside by 6 am on your scheduled Saturday if you are going to participate.

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"BEACH PARK HAS BEEN BUSY WITH ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES AND RECRUITMENT DURING 2015, WITH 2016 ALREADY SHAPING UP TO BE BUSIER"....



economy over the last few years has allowed the Village to commit more money and accomplish more road improvements in the last few years than the previous decade. Miles of our Village streets have been resurfaced, with so much more planned for this year and next. The Village's investment in infrastructure also includes thousands of feet of new watermains extended within multiple residential neighborhoods throughout the Village. Sewer main extensions are also being constructed to provide more of our residents with the option for public sewers.

Over the next couple of years you will also start to see thousands of feet of new sidewalks and walking paths being constructed within the Village, primarily along our busiest corridors like Wadsworth and Sheridan Roads. In short, the Village's commitment to long-term capital investments will pay dividends for decades to come by reducing ongoing maintenance and operating costs. Perhaps the best example of this type of investment is the conversion of all street lighting in

the Village from older inefficient technology to LED technology. This conversion of over 300 street lights will save the Village thousands of dollars every year reducing maintenance and lighting energy costs. Another example of this type of investment is the nearly complete project of converting all Beach Park water meters to wireless radio reads. This multiyear project will all but eliminate the need for meter readers which will allow our staff to be repurposed to other important activities like snowplowing, branch pickups, and so much more. If you have not had our staff out to your house to install this new transmitter, please reach out to Village Staff so we can get this scheduled.

Your Mayor, Board and Staff are committed to providing the best possible solution to every one of the services being delivered to our residents and business owners to ensure they are not only efficient and sustainable today, but will be sustainable in the future.

Beach Park's investment has not gone unnoticed for

the many developers and new businesses looking to locate within our community. In part, because of this infrastructure, you will see some significant new developments taking shape along different corridors in the Village. Beach Park has been busy with economic development activities and recruitment during 2015, with 2016 already shaping up to be busier. This year our residents can anticipate a substantial new look to the Wadsworth/ Greenbay Rd. intersection with multiple new businesses being built in this vicinity. The Wadsworth/ Sheridan Rd. intersection will also be remarkably different than how it looks today by the end of this year. Beach Park welcomes these new developments which will all generate sales tax within our community, allowing us to continue to function and grow without a real estate tax. All in all I am proud to say Beach Park is doing well. We look forward to another busy summer and year. If there is anything our Staff can do to better serve you, please contact them at Village Hall at (847) 746-1770.

Adopt-A-Street

With warmer weather right around the corner, it's a perfect time to consider volunteering in our Adopt-A-Street program. This program gives people of all ages, businesses and organizations an opportunity to help keep the Village of Beach Park beautiful and free of litter. Get involved with your community while helping to maintain our streets, storm water drains and improving the overall look of the Village, which may need some helping hands after the long, cold winter months.

It is easy to participate! Simply sign a written agreement with the Village and agree to clean an adopted street a minimum of four times per year. The Village provides trash bags and

safety vests and will collect the filled bags when volunteers complete their litter pickup. Special signs will be posted on adopted streets to recognize efforts of any groups who participate. During 2015, Our Lady of Humility Knights of Columbus, Council 13598, volunteered to maintain North Avenue from Wadsworth Road on the north end to Blanchard Road on the south end. They collected dozens of trash bags full of bottles, cans and miscellaneous litter, carelessly tossed onto the roadside. Thanks to their dedicated efforts, North Avenue appeared more attractive to anyone biking, driving or walking along its borders. We're very grateful to have this group's participation again

in 2016.

While the Adopt-A-Street program is designed to help keep Beach Park clean and attractive, each of us can show respect for our neighbors and the environment by disposing of trash in our garbage cans at home.

For more information, please contact the Village Hall at 847-746-1770. You may also submit an online request to Adopt-A-Street on our Village website, under Quick Links / Permits & Forms. Routes are selected from a priority list. If you know of a street that needs to be cleaned, suggest it and we can determine if it should become a route.

Thank you for helping to keep our Village streets clean and litter-free!



Trustee Regina Miller
Chair/Public Relations
Committee



Flooding: Are You Covered?

Spring showers are coming and the Village wanted to make sure you knew the differences between "flood insurance" and "basement back up insurance". The National Flood Insurance Program has determined a "flood" to be a "general and temporary condition where two or more acres of normally dry land or two or more properties are inundated by water or mudflow". For an insurance claim to be considered a "flood" claim,

water must enter through a door or a window. Water that comes up through floor drains or overflows from a sump pump are not considered flooding events. While these occurrences might be directly connected to a flooding event (power outage causing a sump pump to stop working), additional insurance is required to financially protect yourself. Basement back up insurance is an additional endorsement on a Homeowner's policy

that is not automatically selected. Battery backup sump pump units or water pressure powered units are available to protect yourself from potential flooding. The Illinois Department of Natural Resources estimates that urban flooding is a \$2.3 billion problem annually. Know the flood risks of where you live or where you might be looking to live and contact your insurance agent to make sure you are properly protected.

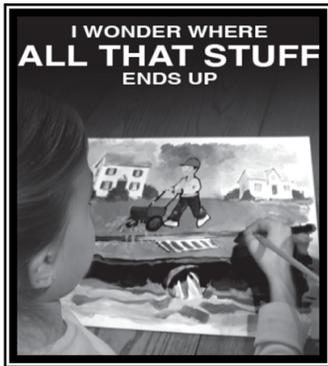


The Effects of Phosphorus Fertilizers



Most everyone enjoys a beautiful green lawn. Fertilizer can be a key component to helping your lawn look its best. However, the chemicals found in fertilizer are not always the best for the surrounding ecosystem. Excessive phosphorus can be washed from a lawn and migrate into nearby waterways or storm sewer systems that convey stormwater to a nearby waterway. The effects of this migration can be devastating. The disproportionate levels of phosphorus can promote excessive plant germination in the waterway, thereby depleting oxygen levels and ultimately killing wildlife and vegetation living in the waterway. Consider buying fertilizers that do not contain phosphorus and don't bag your grass clippings this spring. The grass clippings decompose quickly and release natural, valuable nutrients for on-going success of your lawn. Good luck making your yard look beautiful this spring and the Village thanks you for making Beach Park look great.

Illicit Discharge Detection and Elimination Plan



The Village needs your help in protecting our valuable water resources by eliminating illicit discharges into the storm sewer system. An illicit discharge is defined as any discharge to the storm sewer system or waterway that is not composed entirely of storm water. Sources of illicit discharges may include materials such as:

- * Sanitary wastewater

- * Gas & motor oil
- * Household cleaners
 - * Paints
 - * Pesticides
 - * Solvents
- * Vehicle spills
- * Weed killers
- * Radiator flushing disposal
- * Laundry wastewaters

Disposing of household chemicals and wastes by dumping them into the storm sewers is illegal and a major cause of storm-

water pollution. If you witness or are suspicious of any illegal dumping, please report it to the Public Works Department at 847-246-6000. Please do not attempt to address the issue yourself. Public complaints provide the most common source of information. When calling we'll ask you for the location of the dumping and the material being dumped (if known).

Parks & Recreation

Spring is finally on its way and the Parks & Recreation Department has some great upcoming events planned.

[St Patrick's Day and the Luck-O-Irish Party](#)—March 17th at Illinois State Beach Park. Cost is \$15/resident and \$20/non-resident.

[Annual Egg Hunt](#)—March 26th at 9am SHARP at Founders Park.

[Pet Vaccination Clinic](#)—April 9th at the Milton C. Jensen Public Works Facility from 9am to noon.

[The Memorial Day Event](#)—on May 30th at Founders Park starting at 11 am.

This summer we will also host our *Village wide rummage sale* in June and the *Annual Senior Picnic* in September.

We hope to see everyone out and enjoying these great events that bring us all together as a community!

Have a great Spring!



Richard Gust, Chairman
Parks & Recreation
Committee

BENTON TOWNSHIP NEWS

Senior Citizens Assessment Freeze Homestead Exemption outreach session:

March 31st 9 am to 11 am at Zion Park District Shiloh Center 2600 Emmaus Ave. Zion. This is to assist residents in completing the 2016 Senior Citizen Assessment Freeze Application for taxes payable in 2017.

Senior Resource Day Wednesday, April 27th

at Zion Park District Sports Arena; 8:30 am till noon. Continental breakfast, resource booths, lunch & prizes (must be present to win). No cost for event, call to sign up at the Township office.

May 14th & 15th Senior Prom for those 55 years of age or older. For tickets contact Zion Park District 847-746-5500.

Farmers Market Coupons available beginning June 1st at the Township office for seniors age 62 plus (one coupon book per household) Good for Zion Farmer's Market beginning June 16th.

AARP Driving School: June 13th & 14th 10 am till 2 pm at the Zion Benton Public Library. To sign up call the Township as

space is limited. AARP members cost \$15.00; non members: \$20.00.

Free Rules of The Road & Illinois Highway maps available at township office.

Top Box Foods Express offers fresh fruit, vegetables, frozen food in bulk for a savings up to 40% off grocery store prices. Open to Everyone. Pickup location: Shiloh Center 2600 Emmaus Ave in Zion. Dates: March 16th, April 13th, May 18th, & June 15th from 12:30 pm till 2:00 pm.

Vehicle Stickers for unincorporated Benton Township residents are available at the township office. There is NO charge.

Free Amplified Phone Applications are available at the township office. Neither age nor income a requirement. Free Senior Activity Guides are also available.

Meals on Wheels call 847-546-5733 ask for Meals on Wheels program.

Free Discount Prescription Drug Card. Pick up card at Township office. This card allows all

Township residents- regardless of income, age, or health status to save on the cost of medications.

Accepting non-perishable food, health/beauty products & used eye glasses.

PACE Dial-A-Ride for ALL Benton Township residents. Service available Monday thru Friday 8:30 am to 5:30 pm. Must call 1-800-201-6446 one (1) day in advance to secure a seat. Area served: anywhere in Benton or Zion Township. For medical appointments you can call 1 week in advance to reserve a seat. Medical appointments, Tuesday or Thursday only. Hours: 8:30 am till 3:30 pm. Medical appointments include Waukegan & Gurnee locations.

Community Caregivers support Group: Meets at the Zion Benton Public Library March 28th & April 25th, 6 pm till 7:30 pm.

Benton Greenwood Cemetery: Cemetery plots are available. Call for information.

Check the Benton township website at www.bentontownship.com for additional information.



JAN SUTHARD, SUPERVISOR

847-746-2100



For more information regarding our new Chamber of Commerce and Visitors Bureau and how it can help promote your local business, check out their Facebook page; *Lake County's Lakeshore Chamber of Commerce & Visitors Bureau* or website at www.lclakeshore.com

Whether you have a homebased or storefront business, for a small fee you can become an active member and enjoy all of the additional benefits.

Gavel to Gavel

ORDINANCES

2015-O-42	12/10/2015	An Ordinance levying taxes for Special Service Area Number six in the Village of Beach Park for the 2015 tax year (Heatherstone Subdivision)
2015-O-43	12/10/2015	An Ordinance levying a special tax for all taxable property within Special Service Area Number nine in the Village of Beach Park for the 2015 tax year
2015-O-44	12/10/2015	An Ordinance levying a special tax for all taxable property within Special Service Area Number ten in the Village of Beach Park for the 2015 tax year
2015-O-45	12/10/2015	An Ordinance levying a special tax for all taxable property within Special Service Area Number eleven in the Village of Beach Park for the 2015 tax year
2015-O-46	12/10/2015	An Ordinance levying a special tax for all taxable property within Special Service Area Number twelve in the Village of Beach Park for the 2015 tax year
2016-O-1	1/14/2016	An Ordinance approving a conditional use permit for the conversion of a non-conforming contractor business use in an SR District at 12920 W. Wadsworth Rd
2016-O-2	1/28/2016	An Ordinance approving a conditional use permit for a caretaker's dwelling use in an LI District at 39452 N. Lewis Ave
2016-O-3	1/28/2016	An Ordinance authorizing the sale or disposal of surplus personal property owned by the Village of Beach Park

RESOLUTIONS

2015-R-41	11/18/2015	A Resolution supporting the submission of the 2016 Lake County Community Development Block Grant program
2015-R-42	12/10/2015	A Resolution approving change order No. 2 with Peter Baker & Son for the 2015 MFT Street Maintenance Project as a reduction in contract price in the amount of \$33,867.58
2015-R-43	12/10/2015	A Resolution approving change order No. 1 for the SSA 9-12 watermain project to extend substantial completion date
2015-R-44	12/10/2015	A Resolution approving an agreement between the Village of Beach Park and RHMG for engineering design and construction services for the 2016 street projects
2015-R-45	12/10/2015	A Resolution approving an agreement between the Village of Beach Park and RHMG for engineering design services for Talmadge Ave culvert replacement
2015-R-46	12/10/2015	A Resolution to accept planning assistance services delivered by the Chicago Metropolitan Agency for Planning
2015-R-47	12/10/2015	A Resolution establishing a holiday calendar for the Beach Park Village Hall for 2016
2015-R-48	12/10/2015	A Resolution approving the Village of Beach Park Board meeting schedule for 2016
2015-R-49	12/10/2015	A Resolution approving the Plan Commission Zoning Board of Appeals meeting schedule for 2016
2015-R-50	12/10/2015	A Resolution approving the Public Works Committee meeting schedule for 2016
2015-R-51	12/10/2015	A Resolution approving the TIF Committee meeting schedule for 2016
2015-R-52	12/10/2015	A Resolution approving the Finance Committee meeting schedule for 2016
2016-R-1	1/14/2016	A Resolution approving change order No. 2 with Maneval Construction Co., Inc. for the SSA 9-12 watermain improvement project as a reduction in contract price in the amount of \$24,999.00
2016-R-2	1/28/2016	A Resolution approving an agreement between the Village of Beach Park and the Lake County Stormwater Management Commission for the Talmadge Ave Culvert Replacement and Culvert Installation on 29 th Street
2016-R-3	1/28/2016	A Resolution approving an agreement between the Village of Beach Park and the Lake County Stormwater Management Commission for the Suburban Country Club Tributary Cleanup
2016-R-4	1/28/2016	A Resolution amending an agreement between the Village of Beach Park and RHMG for engineering design and construction services for 2016 street projects
2016-R-5	1/28/2016	A Resolution approving a revised agreement between the Village of Beach Park and Lake County Animal Control
2016-R-6	1/28/2016	A Resolution authorizing the Village Mayor to accept bids and to execute an electricity supply agreement
2016-R-7	1/28/2016	A Resolution authorizing an agreement with Twin Supplies for the installation of LED lighting in Cambridge Subdivision

Lakeshore Chamber of Commerce



& ZB Shop Local

Present



4TH SATURDAY

A Monthly Shop Local Event

4th Saturday is the largest Shop Local event this area has seen!
The sole purpose is to promote local businesses.

The 4th Saturday of every month will be Shop Local Day. Flyers will be created that local businesses can advertise in. Having a sale? Advertise it in our flyer. We will saturate the area with these flyers through electronic and print.

Have a direct sell, service, home-based business or just want to get the word out about your business? The Inn at Market Square will set up tables in its lobby every 4th Saturday that can be rented by local businesses for a small cost. Contact the chamber office for an application.

Help us make our local businesses a must see destination.



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The winds of change continue to blow across Beach Park...



*“JON KINDSETH,
WHO IS THE MAN
TASKED TO OVERSEE
THE VILLAGE’S
EXPANDED
INITIATIVES...”*

For those of you who may not be aware—over the past few months & years, the Village of Beach Park has embarked upon a very industrious, building & enterprising mission, aimed at cleaning up & transforming some of the Village’s lingering concerns. The Village has assembled a dedicated, energetic group of employees who are currently tackling a host of priority initiatives including; expanded community & economic development, new business attractions & retention of existing business enhancements, bringing non-conforming businesses & sites into compliance, enhanced code enforcement and clean-up of both commercial & residential proper-

ties, new rental inspection program, new vacant building registry, expanded chamber of commerce involvement for Beach Park and its business sector, expanded IGAS & inspection services & shared services with neighboring Cities & Villages, just to name a few. In addition to the hiring of the Village Administrator, Jon Kindseth, who is the man tasked to oversee the Villages expanded initiatives, the Village has also hired Jerry Nellessen as the Director of Community Development. Together they have expanded Building & Code Enforcement personnel & have employed a host of existing dedicated personnel to assist in assuring that the Village stays on course in

executing & achieving one of the Village’s highest priorities: to enhance Beach Park. Also, because of staff’s continued efforts, we proudly anticipate the ground breaking of a new Speedway Mini Mart this year at the southwest corner of Wadsworth Rd & Greenbay Rd. Beach Park Staff has also been in discussions with several other developers who have expressed an interest in possibly developing new business in the Village of Beach Park. Believe it or not, there is an awful lot going on behind the scenes in our quaint little Village.

To all of our Staff, Consultants & Committee members, we would like to say to you... job well done and keep up the good work!

A Few Good Tips....

Spring cleaning gets all of the attention this time of year but spring maintenance proves just as important.

1. Inspect Gutters & Downspouts—gutters and downspouts must be free of debris and damage to correctly direct water away from your home’s foundation. Even if you live in an area of the country that doesn’t see much rainfall, check both to prevent a surprise if a storm hits.

You do not want to learn about a clog by seeing water seepage into your home, whether in the basement or through the roof or fascia. All can result in costly repairs. Also inspect your roof. Shingles that curl (turn up) & claw (turn down), or are loose or missing, may make your roof inefficient & susceptible to leaks.

2. Remove Trees and Shrubs from Around

House—trees and shrubs too close to your home can brush up against the downspouts and cause damage during a windstorm. Foliage also can damage siding and creates access for an insect infestation. Trim foliage that brushes up against your home to help prevent all of this.

3. Inspect Caulking Around Doors & Windows—experts recom-



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- mend replacing the caulk around windows and doors each spring, as cold temperatures can cause cracks, which lets air leak in and out of your home. Water also can get in where it shouldn't through cracked caulk. Help increase the energy efficiency of your home with this task.
4. Inspect Wood Decks, Railing, Windowsills trim and Steps—check the wood around your home for rot that took hold during the winter months. If boards become soft or splinter they create an unsafe situation for you and your family. Replace whenever necessary.
 5. Remove Mildew and Moss from Decks and Patios with Pressure Washer—pressure washing sprays away unwanted mildew or moss from just about any surface. Use it to clean your tile patio, wooden deck or concrete driveway and/or walkway. If you do pressure wash a wooden surface, give it a fresh coat of stain or sealant to keep it protected and looking its best.
 6. Clean and Inspect Window Screens—give your window screens a once-over to ensure no critters or pests can work their way through bent frames, holes or tears. A little work now will keep you from having to remove unwanted guests from your home later.
 7. Look for Moisture in Basement and Crawl Space—when you do get a good rain, look for leaks in your crawl space or basement that could turn into costly repairs. Also check regularly under bathrooms, the kitchen and laundry room to ensure pipes are intact. Make sure to check all surfaces surrounding your house and that they have a positive slope to keep rain water flowing away from the foundation areas.
 8. Inspect Laundry Room Hoses for Cracking—your laundry room also can be a source of flooding. Check the water supply hoses each spring for cracks. When replacing these hoses, install a new washer at the end instead of reusing an old one that might have clogs or wear.
 9. Inspect Grout in Bathroom Tile—check your bathroom grout for discoloration and crumbling. Grout protects flooring, shower enclosures and countertops from water damage, and it costs much less to replace than any of those items.
 10. Replace Batteries in Smoke and Carbon Monoxide Detectors—If you did not replace the batteries in these important appliances when the clocks changed, a great reminder, by the way, do so as part of your spring maintenance. They should get fresh batteries twice a year.
- It is also that time of year when we start planning for our Annual Unified Neighborhood Watch Meeting. Please forward any ideas or suggestions to the Village for our upcoming unified meeting. *NOTE: Those interested in starting or joining a Neighborhood Watch Group should contact the Village at 847-746-1770.
- Wishing you and all yours the best and thank you for allowing me to continue to serve you!



Trustee Larry Wells
Chairman/ Building Zoning

Utility Billing Department



Beach Park is upgrading our Utility Billing System to a fixed-base meter reading program. Instead of a drive-by *every other month* to read your meter system, the Village is installing new meter reading devices in each home that will allow the meter read to transmit, via radio waves, to the Village on a *daily* basis. This new system will allow for a more advanced tracking system of water leaks, daily averages, resident daily critical consumption reports as well as any tam-

pering at the meters. If you haven't already been upgraded you will see staff from our Water & Sewer Department at your door asking for access to install your new device. If they leave a "blue card" on your door please call the number to schedule an appointment for access. We are 80% done with the upgrade and would like to be completed by May 1, 2016. So watch for our staff or that "blue card" and get your home transferred as soon as possible. The Vil-

lage also offers EPAY through our website at no cost to our residents to pay your utility bill online. For your convenience, you can pay Ordinance Violations, Business License Renewals, Building Permit Fees, Zoning Certificates and Certificates of Occupancies online at no cost to you. You will save on postage rates and can avoid late fees. Please allow 3-5 days for processing to avoid late fees.

For more information visit our website at www.villageofbeachpark.com

A Full Week of Earth Day

Enjoy a week of free nature programs in honor of Earth Day (April 22) on behalf of the Lake County Forest Preserve District. Celebrate Spring, learn about ecology, join a nature walk or lend a hand to help save the planet by joining a special volunteer workday. All programs are FREE. All ages permitted. No registration required. The program runs from Monday, April 18th through Sunday, April 24th and includes the following programs:

- Monday 18 – Bluebird Hike
- Tuesday 19 – Recycled Art
- Wednesday 20 – Family Fishing & Acoustic Bat Monitoring
- Thursday 21 – Pond Scooping
- Friday 22 (Earth Day) – Nature's Melodies
- Saturday 23 – Amphibian Exploration
- Sunday 24 – Meet and Greet Education Animals

See the full schedule and a more thorough description of these free activities at www.lcfpd.org



A Big Thank you!

Public Works! What exactly does a Public Works Department do? Well, Beach Park's Public Works Department is divided into three groups; *Streets, Water & Sewer and Parks*.

There are 3 full time employees in the Streets Department, 2 full time employees in the Water & Sewer Department and 1 full time & 1 part time employee in the Parks Department. These 7 employees and the Administrative Assistant report directly to the Superintendent of Public Works. These individuals are responsible for maintaining the roadways, water & sewer mains, street signs, drainage issues, park property, vacant right-of-

ways, dead trees, pot holes, snow removal, utility billing, storm damage removal, debris pick-up (including dead animals) and just about any other complaint driven or staff recognized issue throughout Beach Park on public property.

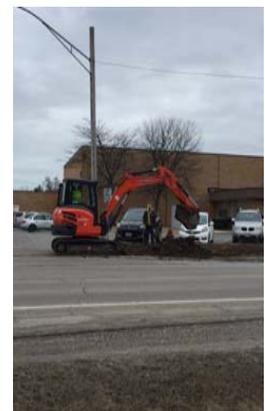
In the winter months these same 7 employees are on call 24 hours a day, 7 days a week for snow removal. Sometimes even working around the clock to make sure the roads are passable by your morning commute, just to start all over again for their regular 8-hour shift. This is a thankless job if you ask me... I say lets give them a thumbs up!

I would personally like to give a big Thank You to the staff for all they do and for their many, many hours of dedication to our Village. Most of these employees have been with the Village 10 plus years with just a few "newbies" due to retirements in the past couple of years. I appreciate all of their hard work to make sure the Village of Beach Park is maintained and in working order.

So again, Thank You Beach Park Public Works!



Trustee Mark Ottersen
Chairman Public Works Committee



From left to right... Ron Tate, Gene Gross, Gina Nelson, Pat Spencer, Mike Bellefeuille, Jeff Rissell, Stuart Romig and Skye Rainero.



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