

2009 Election - President Abruscato, Trustees & Clerk Sworn In



*Clerk Simpson swears
in President Judy Abruscato*

At the May 4th Board meeting, then Trustee Judy Abruscato was sworn into the position of Village President. President Abruscato has served over 20 years on the Wheeling Village Board as Trustee and also spent an eight month tenure as Acting Village President. Other Wheeling Boards she has served on include the Wheeling Not-for-Profit 4th of July Organization, Wheeling Parent Teacher Organization, Wheeling High School Instrumental League, Wheeling Lions Club, Wheeling Rotary Club and the Wheeling Historical Society.

Also sworn in at the May 4th Board meeting were incumbent Trustees Dean Argiris and Ken Brady, appointed Trustees Ray Lang and Dave Vogel, as well as Village Clerk Elaine Simpson. Trustee Argiris has served on the Village Board for eight years and now begins his third term. He also spent an eight month tenure as Acting Village President. Trustee Brady has served as Trustee for four years and now begins his second term. Both Trustees Argiris and Brady spent time as Commissioners on the Wheeling Plan Commission prior to being elected to the Village Board. Clerk Simpson begins her fourth term as Clerk, having served as Village Clerk for twelve years.

New Trustees Ray Lang and Dave Vogel have also been involved with the Village for many years. Trustee Lang spent nearly twenty years on the Wheeling Plan Commission before being appointed to Trustee, and Trustee Vogel is a former member of the St. Joseph the Worker School Board, the Wheeling Special Events Committee and the Wheeling Police Pension Board.

For more information on your Village Board please visit our website at www.wheelingil.gov. Look for more information about your new Trustees in upcoming newsletters.



*Deputy Clerk Leonteos swears
in Clerk Elaine Simpson*



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July 4th Parade and Fireworks!

The Village will once again host its annual 4th of July Parade and Fireworks display in celebration of Independence Day! Generous donations from a number of businesses and organizations have helped to make an entertaining and full parade happen as in years past. The parade will kick off at 7:30 p.m. and will follow the historic route east on Dundee Road from Northgate Parkway to Wolf Road. Fireworks will follow at dusk beginning at approximately 9:15 p.m. at the familiar Heritage Park site, located behind the Police/Fire Station and the new Village Hall. We hope to see you there!

WELCOME TO WHEELING

Village Board Highlights

Recent Village Board Actions

View Board meetings on Comcast Channel 17, AT&T (U-Verse) Channel 99

Proclaimed

- 2010 Census Complete Count Committee
- National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week
- Law Enforcement Training Week
- National Crime Victims' Rights Week
- Sgt. Michael Kirby Day - May 1, 2009
- Kenneth J. Emerich Day - April 17, 2009
- Building Safety Week
- Silver Star Banner Day
- May as Older Americans Month
- National Public Works Week
- Wildstang Robotics Team

Watch all Village Board meetings as well as Plan Commission meetings On Demand at www.wheelingil.gov

Approved

- The FY 2010 Budget for Chicago Executive Airport
- Expressing Intent to Continue Participation in the Suburban Tree Consortium and Authorize Certain Tree Purchases for FY 2009
- An Identity Theft Program and Prevention Policy

Authorized

- The Village President and Village Clerk to Execute a Contract Between the Village and Camburas & Theodore, Ltd. for Architectural Services Relating to the Design and Construction for the Renovation of the Former Village Hall for use by the Police Department
- Waiving Competitive Bids and Authorizing the Village Manager to Approve an Agreement with Melrose Pyrotechnics, Inc. for a Public Fireworks Display on July 4, 2009
- The Village President to Waive Competitive Bidding and Execute a Contract Renewal with H&H Electric Co. for the 2009 Street Light Replacement Program
- The Village President to Waive Competitive Bidding and Execute a Contract Renewal with Suburban Concrete, Inc. for the Village's 2009 Sidewalk Removal and Replacement Program
- A Redevelopment Agreement Between the Village of Wheeling and Wheeling Shopping Center, Inc. in Regard to the Fresh Farms Development Comprising a Part of the Crossroads TIF District and Authorizing the Transfer of Title to Certain Real Property Owned by the Village, to Wheeling Shopping Center, Inc.
- Granting a Special Use to Allow Package Liquor Sales in the Existing Wal-Mart Store at 1455 Lake Cook Road
- The Village President to Execute a Contract with Arrow Road Construction, Inc. for the 2009 MFT Street Improvement Program

Welcome new Wheeling Businesses!

Adams Cafe & Deli
250 McHenry Road
Restaurant

Body in Power
1562 Lake Cook Road
Personal Training

Dawgs on the Run
mobile hot dog vendor



Judy
Abruscato



Dean
Argiris



Ken
Brady



Bob
Heer



Patrick
Horcher



Ray
Lang



Dave
Vogel

The Village of Wheeling President and Board of Trustees

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The Clerk's Corner



Village Clerk,
Elaine Simpson

REMEMBER - WE ARE HERE TO HELP YOU

The Village Hall Open House on May 16th was a great success. It was a pleasure to see so many residents coming to view their new Village Hall. Residents were greeted by Board members and staff to give them tours and show them the new accommodations. Also, they were treated to a lunch of pizza, sandwiches, and ice cream cones for dessert.

Now that summer has finally arrived it is great to drive through the village and see many residents enjoying the company of their neighbors and taking care of their lawns and gardens. We appreciate all of you who help make Wheeling a beautiful and friendly village.

On July 4th we are looking forward to seeing you at the parade and fireworks. Come for the parade which will take place on Dundee Road at 7:30pm and stay for the fireworks at dusk, approximately 9:15pm.

The Police Department's next Citizen's Police Academy is scheduled to take place from September 3rd through November 12th. These FREE classes will meet Thursday evenings from 7:00pm to 9:30pm and will cover just about everything of interest concerning Law Enforcement in Wheeling. For more information contact the Crime Prevention Unit at 847.459.2994.

There is no secret shopper this month but please remember to shop at the businesses in Wheeling, they appreciate your patronage!

**Village Offices will be closed
Friday, July 3rd in honor
of Independence Day.**

**All regular Waste
Management pick-ups will be
delayed by one day.**

Health Happenings



*...brought to you by the Wheeling
Board of Health*

Wheeling Community Blood Drive Wednesday, July 8, 2009 1:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.



In conjunction with LifeSource Blood Services, the Wheeling Board of Health will be providing a new automated procedure which offers donors a unique way to donate red cells using the Alyx machine.

THE ADVANTAGE TO DONATING ON THE ALYX:

- **DOUBLE THE IMPACT:** One Alyx donation provides two units of red cells.
- **REDUCE REMINDER CALLS:** Alyx donors are not eligible to donate for 4 months.
- **MORE BLOOD:** Provides more of the most critically needed blood types required for patients.
- **FEELING BETTER:** Many donors report feeling better after an Alyx donation. A smaller needle is used and there is more fluid replacement which reduces the tired or dizzy feeling some donors experience.

WHO CAN DONATE ON THE ALYX?

All donors must have a higher level of iron than is needed for a whole blood donation. The technician testing the iron will determine if the donor qualifies.

Males: Must be at least 5'1" tall and weigh at least 130 pounds.

Females: Must be at least 5'5" tall and weigh at least 150 pounds.

To schedule an appointment, please call Health Officer Beverly Slaby at 847.459.2620 or email her at bslaby@wheelingil.gov.

POLICE & FIRE DEPARTMENTS

Neighborhood Leaders Wanted

By Scott Laverd, Wheeling Police Crime Prevention Officer



I can't tell you how many times police officers hear the words, "Well, I didn't call the police because I didn't want to get involved." or "I figured someone else would call." Unfortunately, attitudes like this help criminal activity thrive. The level and extent of crime can be influenced by one simple thing: community involvement.

Here are some facts: Police efforts are usually directed at less than 10% of the population; in other words, more than 90% of residents are honest, hard-working people! Why are residents willing to hand their communities over to the less than 10% of trouble makers? Although it doesn't make much sense, that is exactly what happens in many neighborhoods. Once people throw their hands in the air, deciding not to "get involved," they've essentially surrendered to the vast *minority* of criminals.

Officers can try to sell the benefits of a Neighborhood Watch, but if the idea hasn't started from within the neighborhood, the idea is usually doomed to failure. It takes community leadership. Leadership happens when one or more residents indicate they have had enough and decide to take their neighborhood back. Or they decide to never let it get bad in the first place. They band together to take a proactive approach to crime prevention on their block, all the while getting to know their neighbors and surroundings. Criminals prefer loosely knit communities where people go from home to work and back, once inside shutting their blinds and eyes to what's going on outside their walls.



What are the reasons most often given for not getting involved? This is what we hear: "I didn't want to bother you (the police)," and "I don't want the bad guys to find out I called." Let's address both. *Bothering the police*: If it's a problem to you, it's a problem to us. Our job is to respond. If there is a problem, always call. *Retaliation*: When you call, you can remain anonymous. Simply tell the dispatcher that you don't want to give your name.

If you live in a problem neighborhood and you decide to get involved, there's always a chance things may get worse before they get better, but the key is that things *will* get better. If you do nothing, your results will reflect your efforts: you will achieve nothing. All it takes is one person to decide they have had enough. All it takes is one person to galvanize a neighborhood into action. All it takes is one person to step up to the plate and be a leader. Are you that person?

For information on how to start a Neighborhood Watch in your area, please contact Police Crime Prevention Officer Laverd at 847.459.2994.

C.A.R.E. (Community Assisted Relief Efforts) is Looking for Volunteers

Have you ever wanted to do your part in a Wheeling community emergency? C.A.R.E. might be what you are looking for. C.A.R.E. members are a team of resident volunteers who provide staffing to emergency relief shelters when activated by the Wheeling Police and Fire Departments. C.A.R.E. is open to all Wheeling residents, 18 years or older who have a clear background check. The C.A.R.E. teams meet bi-monthly and offers trainings, response drills and certificates using the American Red Cross guidelines. If interested or for more information, please contact Angela Burrell, Police Department Social Worker, at 847.459.2640.



Fireworks are Illegal in the Village of Wheeling

Each year, almost 10,000 people in the United States are injured by fireworks and approximately 10 people will die from their injuries. Many will require hospitalization, as well as extensive reconstructive surgery. Tragically, almost 50% of all individuals who are injured by fireworks are under 21 years of age. In the Village of Wheeling, it is illegal to sell, use, or explode fireworks except professionally licensed and approved public displays. Prohibited items include but are not limited to: firecrackers, torpedoes, skyrockets, bottle rockets, and roman candles. Items containing less than 25 hundredth of grain of an explosive mixture (ex. snappers, party poppers, caps, etc.) are permitted.

Please do your part in making the July 4th holiday a safe one by leaving the fireworks to the professionals.

Village of Wheeling

2008 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report

January 1, 2008 to December 31, 2008

WHAT IS THE WATER QUALITY REPORT?

The Water Quality Report, also known as the Consumer Confidence Report, is an annual report required by the Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA) that informs consumers of the quality of the Village's drinking water as well as the source of their drinking water.

The Village of Wheeling receives water from Lake Michigan through the Northwest Water Commission, which in turn receives water through the City of Evanston. The Village of Wheeling is committed to providing all consumers with safe and reliable drinking water.

WHO CAN I CONTACT FOR INFORMATION ABOUT THIS REPORT?

Please contact Roel Martinez, Water Field Supervisor, at 847-229-4805.

Este informe contiene informacion muy importante sobre el agua que usted bebe. Traduzcalo o hable con alguien que lo entienda bien.

SOURCES OF DRINKING WATER

The sources of drinking water (both tap water and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally-occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity.

Possible contaminants present in water include:

- Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, which can come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations and wildlife;
- Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals, which may be naturally occurring or result from urban storm water run-off, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining or farming;
- Pesticides or herbicides, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban storm water run-off and residential uses;
- Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban storm water run-off and septic systems;
- Radioactive contaminants which can be naturally occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.

Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 800-426-4791.

In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, EPA prescribes regulations which limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. FDA regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water which must provide the same protections for public health.

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by Cryptosporidium and other microbial contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

INTERESTING FACTS ABOUT WATER (H₂O)....

- * 75% of the Earth is covered with water.
- * In the US, the average total home use of water per person is about 50 gallons per day.
- * A pineapple is made up of about 80% water.
- * It takes 12-20 gallons of water to run an automatic dishwasher for one cycle.
- * A typical garden hose can deliver 50 gallons of water in five minutes.
- * Sources of water pollution include fertilizers, oil spills, agriculture runoff, sewage, storm water, and industrial wastes.

SOURCE WATER ASSESSMENT

The Illinois EPA considers all surface water sources of community water supply to be susceptible to potential pollution problems. The very nature of surface water allows contaminants to migrate into the intakes with no protection - only dilution, which is the reason for mandatory treatment for all surface water supplies in Illinois. All three of Evanston's intakes are located far enough offshore that shoreline impacts are not considered a factor on water quality. However, at certain times of the year the potential for contamination exists due to the proximity of the North Shore Channel and wet-weather flows. In addition, the proximity to a major shipping lane adds to the susceptibility of these three intakes. Water supply officials from Evanston are active members of the West Shore Water Producers Association. Coordination regarding water quality situations (i.e. spills, tanker leaks, exotic species, etc) is frequently discussed during the association's quarterly meetings. Lake Michigan, as well all the great lakes, has many different organizations and associations that are currently working to either maintain or improve water quality. Since the predominant land use within Illinois' boundary of Lake Michigan watershed is urban, a majority of watershed protection activities in the IEPA Source Water Assessment document are aimed at this purpose.

2008 Regulated Contaminants Detected

Lead and Copper:

Action Level (AL): Concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow. If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily for materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. We are responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at www.epa.gov/safewater/lead.

Action Level Goal (ALG): Level of contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. ALG's allow for a margin of safety.

Contaminant	MCLG	Action Level (AL)	90th Percentile	# of Sites Over AL	Units	Violation	Likely Source of Contamination
Copper	1.3	1.3	0.118	0	ppm	N	Erosion of natural deposits; Leaching from wood preservatives; Corrosion of household plumbing systems
Lead	0	15	3.77	0	ppb	N	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits.

Definitions:

- ◆ *Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL):* Highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCL's are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available technology.
- ◆ *Maximum Contaminant Level Goal (MCLG):* Level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLG's allow for margin of safety.
- ◆ *ppm:* milligrams per liter or parts per million – or one ounce in 7,350 gallons of water.
- ◆ *ppb:* micrograms per liter or parts per billion – or one ounce in 7,350,000 gallons of water.
- ◆ *n/a:* not applicable.
- ◆ *Avg:* Regulatory compliance with some MCLs are based on running annual average of monthly samples.
- ◆ *Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level (MRDL):* Highest level of disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for control of microbial contaminants.
- ◆ *Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level Goal (MRDLG):* Level of drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLG's do not reflect the benefits of the use of disinfectants to control microbial contaminants.

Regulated Contaminants

Disinfectants & Disinfectant By-Products	Highest Level Detected	Range of Levels Detected	MCLG	MCL	Units	Violation	Likely Source of Contamination
Chlorine	1.2	0.7 - 1.2	MRDLG = 4	MRDL = 4	ppm	N	Water additive used to control microbes.
Haloacetic Acids (HAA5) *	20	2.8 - 21.1	No goal for the total.	60	ppb	N	By-product of drinking water chlorination.
Total Trihalomethanes (TTHm) *	32	18 - 38.9	No goal for the total.	80	ppb	N	By-product of drinking water chlorination.

Not all sample results may have been used for calculating the Highest Level Detected because some results may be part of an evaluation to determine where compliance sampling should occur in the future.

Inorganic Contaminants	Highest Level Detected	Range of Levels Detected	MCLG	MCL	Units	Violation	Likely Source of Contamination
Sodium	8	7.7 - 7.7					Erosion from naturally occurring deposits used in water softener regeneration

Radioactive Contaminants	Highest Level Detected	Range of Levels Detected	MCLG	MCL	Units	Violation	Likely Source of Contamination
Beta/photon Emitters	7.3	7.3 - 7.3	0	50	mrem/yr	N	Decay of natural and man made deposits.
Combined Radium, 226/228	0.82	.82 - .82	0	5	pCi/L	N	Erosion of natural deposits.
Gross Alpha excluding Radon & Uranium	3.9	3.9 - 3.9	0	15	pCi/L	N	Erosion of natural deposits.

Turbidity	Limit (Treatment Technique)	Level Detected	Violation	Likely Source of Contamination
Lowest monthly % meeting limit	0.3 NTU	100%	N	Soil runoff.
Highest single measurement	1 NTU	0.14 NTU	N	Soil runoff.

Total Organic Carbon:

The total percentage of total organic carbon (TOC) removal was measured each month and the system met all TOC removal requirements set by IEPA, unless a TOC violation is noted in the violation section

2008 WATER QUALITY DATA – EVANSTON, ILLINOIS

MCL = Maximum Contaminant Level

Non-Detected Contaminant

MCLG – Maximum Contaminant Level Goal

UL MRL – Underwriters Laboratories Maximum Reporting Level

Inorganic Contaminants	MCLG	MCL	UL MRL	Level Found	Volatile Organic Chemicals (Tested 2008, next test 2011)	MCLG	MCL	UL MRL	Level Found
Arsenic (ppb)	0	10	2	nd	Methyl Tert-Butyl Ether (MTBE) (ppb)	n/a	n/a	0.5	nd
Barium (ppb)	2	2	2000	nd	1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene (ppb)	70	70	0.5	nd
Cadmium (ppb)	5	5	5	nd	Cis-1,2-Dichloroethylene (ppb)	70	70	0.5	nd
Chromium	100	100	100	nd	Xylenes (ppm)	10	10	0.5	nd
Cyanide (ppb)	200	200	0.2	nd	Dichloromethane (ppb)	0	5	0.5	nd
Iron (ppb)	n/a	1000	0.3	nd	O-Dichlorobenzene (ppb)	600	600	0.5	nd
Manganese (ppb)	n/a	150	50	nd	P-Dichlorobenzene (ppb)	75	75	0.5	nd
Mercury (Inorganic) (ppb)	2	2	2	nd	1,1-Dichloroethylene (ppb)	7	7	0.5	nd
Nickel	n/a	100	100	nd	Trans-1,2-Dichloroethylene (ppb)	100	100	0.5	nd
Selenium (ppb)	50	50	50	nd	1,2-Dichloroethane (ppb)	0	5	0.5	nd
Sulfate			250	nd	1,1,1-Trichloroethane (ppb)	200	200	0.5	nd
Antimony (ppb)	6	6	6	nd	Carbon Tetrachloride (ppb)	0	5	0.5	nd
Beryllium (ppb)	4	4	4	nd	1,2-Dichloropropane (ppb)	0	5	0.5	nd
Thallium (ppb)	0.5	2	2	nd	Trichloroethylene (ppb)	0	5	0.5	nd
Zinc (ppb)	n/a	5000	5000	nd	1,1,2-Trichloroethane (ppb)	3	5	0.5	nd
Nitrate as N (NO3)	10	10	5	nd	Tetrachloroethylene (ppb)	0	5	0.5	nd
Nitrate as Nitrogen (ppm)	1	1	0.5	nd	Monochlorobenzene (ppb) same as Chlorobenzene	100	100	0.5	nd
Synthetic Organic Contaminants									
Endrin (ppb)	2	2	0.1	nd	Benzene (ppb)	0	5	0.5	nd
BHC-Gamma (Lindane)	200	200	0.1	nd	Toluene (ppm)	1	1	0.5	nd
Methoxychlor (ppb)	40	40	0.1	nd	Ethylbenzene (ppb)	700	700	0.5	nd
Toxaphene (ppb)	0	3	1	nd	Styrene (ppb)	100	100	0.5	nd
Diquat (ppb)	20	20	2	nd	LI2				
Dalapon (ppb)	200	200	5	nd	Cryptosporidium (oocysts)	0		n/a	nd
Simazine (ppb)	100	100	9	nd	Giardia (cysts/L)	0		0.089	nd
Di(2-ethylhexyl)adipate (ppb)	400	400	0.6	nd	UCMR2 (ppb)				
Oxamyl (Vydate) (ppb)	200	200	2	nd	Method 529				
Simazine (ppb)	4	4	0.35	nd	1,3 – Dinitrobenzene			0.8	nd
Di(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate (ppb)	0	6	0.6	nd	RDX (Hexahydro – 1,3,5-trinitro-1,3,5-triazine)			1.0	nd
Pichloram (ppb)	500	500	1	nd	TNT (2,4,6-Trinitrotoluene)			0.8	nd
Dinoseb (ppb)	7	7	1	nd	Method 521				
Hexachlorocyclopentadiene (ppb)	50	50	0.5	nd	N-Nitrosodiethylamine (NDEA)			0.0050	nd
Aldicarb sulfoxide	n/a	n/a	1	nd	N-Nitrosodimethylamine (NDMA)			0.0020	nd
Aldicarb sulfone	n/a	n/a	1	nd	N-Nitrosodi-N-butylamine (NDBA)			0.0040	nd
Carbofuran (ppb)	40	40	0.9	nd	N-Nitrosodi-N-propylamine (NDPA)			0.0070	nd
Aldicarb	n/a	n/a	1	nd	N-Nitrosomethyl ethylamine (NMEA)			0.0030	nd
Atrazine (ppb)	3	3	0.3	nd	N-Nitrosopyrrolidine (NPYR)			0.0020	nd
Alachlor (Lasso) (ppb)	0	2	0.2	nd	Method 525.2				
Heptachlor	0	100	0.04	nd	Acetochlor			2.0	nd
Heptachlor Epoxide (ppt)	0	100	0.02	nd	Alachlor			2.0	nd
Dieldrin	n/a	1	0.05	nd	Metolachlor			1.0	nd
2,4-Dichloro-phenoxyacetic Acid (2,4-D) (ppb)	10	10	1	nd	Method 535				
2,4,5-TP (Silvex) (ppb)	50	50	1	nd	Acetochlor ESA			1.0	nd
Hexachlorobenzene (ppb)	0	1	0.1	nd	Acetochlor OA			2.0	nd
Benzo (A) Pyrene (ppb)	0	200	0.1	nd	Alachlor ESA			1.0	nd
Pentachlorophenol (PCP) (ppb)	0	1	0.4	nd	Alachlor OA			2.0	nd
Aldrin (ppb)	n/a	1	0.05	nd	Metolachlor ESA			1.0	nd
Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCB) (ppb)	0	500		nd	Metolachlor OA			2.0	nd
DDT Total	n/a	n/a	1	nd	Method 527				
1,2 Dibromo-3-Chloropropane (DBCP) (ppb)	0	0.2	0.02	nd	Dimethoate			0.7	nd
Same as Dibromochloropropane					2,2',4,4',5,5' – Hexabromobiphenyl (HBB)			0.7	nd
Ethylene Dibromide (EDB) (ppb)	0	50	0.01	nd	2,2',4,4',5,5' – Hexabromobiphenyl ether (BDE-153)			0.8	nd
Chloradane	0	2	0.2	nd	2,2',4,4',5 – Pentabromodiphenyl ether (BDE-99)			0.9	nd
THM/HAAs					2,2',4,4',6 – Pentabromodiphenyl ether (BDE-100)			0.5	nd
Monochloroacetic Acid (ppb)	70	70	2.0	nd	Terbufos-sulfone			0.4	nd
Monobromoacetic Acid (ppb)	n/a	n/a	1.0	nd	2,2',4,4' – Tetra bromodiphenyl ether (BDE-47)			0.3	nd
Dibromoacetic Acid (ppb)	n/a	n/a	1.0	nd					

Village Cars Go Hybrid



In March, the Village of Wheeling continued its movement toward a more fuel efficient and environmentally friendly fleet by placing two 2009 Ford Escape gas/electric “hybrid” vehicles into service. When compared to the vehicles these two new hybrids replaced, the Escape Hybrids should achieve double the miles per gallon; 34 mpg city as compared to the 17 mpg city of the Ford Taurus. These vehicles are also certified by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) as “green” or environmentally friendly vehicles because they will cut the emission of greenhouse gases almost in half from 10.18 tons per year to 5.75 tons per year as compared to the sedans they are replacing. The village placed its first hybrid vehicle (a 2007 Toyota Prius) into service in January of 2007. Since that time the car has performed as expected averaging 32 miles per gallon and has experienced zero mechanical failures. This car is also environmentally friendly, emitting 6.16 tons per year fewer greenhouse gases as compared to the sedan it replaced.

At Home Computer and Electronic Pick-Up Program



The Solid Waste Agency of Northern Cook County (SWANCC) offers an At Home Pick-Up Program for recycling old computers and electronics. For a cost of \$25.00, residents can recycle six (6) items.

Acceptable items include personal computer systems (personal or notebook, including mouse, keyboards, powers cords), monitors, CPUs, printers, scanners, fax machines, electronic typewriters, answering machines, telephones, shredders, TV (max 27” - no wood console), VHS/DVD players, radios/boom boxes, stereo equipment, microwaves, cell phones, and calculators. Cell phones and calculators are the only items, however, that do not count as an item. Unacceptable items include TVs over 27” or wood consoles, air conditioners, copy machines, humidifiers/dehumidifiers, small/large home appliances, power tools, software, disks, CDs or DVDs. To receive more information on this program through SWANCC, please visit www.swancc.org or email athome@swancc.org. To schedule a pick-up, please contact SWANCC at 847.724.9205 ext. 9.

Upcoming Capital Improvement Projects

If you have questions about any of the following projects, don't hesitate to contact the Capital Projects & Design Division at 847.229.4701 to discuss.

The **Wolf Road Sanitary Sewer and Water Main Replacement Program** began in March. The water main replacement work south of Dundee Road between Highland Avenue and Manchester Drive was successfully completed and restoration work is in progress. Phase II, the sanitary sewer replacement work began in mid-May; this phase of work will take place on Wolf Road between Dundee Road and Wolf Court. Detour and road closure signage and barricades have been installed. The entire project is expected to conclude in October, weather permitting. Public Works appreciates the patience of local residents during the construction process.

The **2009 MFT Street Improvement Program** began in early June with substantial completion anticipated by the end of August. This project consists of 0.7 miles of pavement reconstruction. The streets scheduled for the program include Anthony Road west of Schoenbeck Road, Scott Street south of Anthony Road and Sycamore Lane, and Cherrywood Drive in the Longtree Subdivision. Notifications will be provided to residents who will temporarily experience access interruptions to their driveway.

The **2009 Street Light Replacement Program** is slated to begin in July with street lights and wiring being replaced at the following street locations: Sunrise Drive, Gilman Avenue, Willis Avenue, Seton Court and Kristy Lane. A total of seventeen new street light poles are planned to be replaced.

The **2009 Sidewalk Removal and Replacement Program** is anticipated to begin in the July/August timeframe. This year's sidewalk program will be concentrated in Arlington Club, Ridgefield and Eastchester Subdivision, and Gregor Lane.

The **Phase I Buffalo Creek Streambank Stabilization Project** is now well underway. This project is currently anticipated to be substantially completed by July 15th, weather permitting. This Phase of the streambank stabilization extends from the northwest corner of the Hollywood Ridge Subdivision southeast to the east property line of Childerley Park.

SENIOR SERVICES



Pavilion Senior Center * 199 N. First St. * 847.459.2670

The Pavilion Senior Center in Wheeling announces the following programs to be offered to area senior citizens. Anyone 55 years or better is welcome to join the activities or volunteer services to assist or share talents with others.

Senior Citizen Smoke/Carbon Monoxide Detector Program

Each year in the United States, over 3,000 individuals lose their lives in residential fires. Research has shown that many of these individuals do not have a functioning smoke detector in their home. Having a functioning smoke detector decreases the odds of dying in a residential fire by more than 50%. The Wheeling Fire Department has been awarded a grant from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to help protect our senior citizens by offering a free combination smoke /carbon monoxide detector. Installation is provided by the Wheeling Fire Department to those residents with physical limitations. To qualify for this program, a resident must meet the following requirements:

- Wheeling Resident (i.e. lives in the home or condo)
- Age 65 or older
- Directly owns the home or condo (no rental property is allowed – landlords are responsible for providing renters with a functional smoke detector and a carbon monoxide detector.)

If you would like to participate in this program, please call the Wheeling Fire Department, Monday – Friday, 8a.m. to 4:30p.m. at 847.459.2662. Supplies are limited and requests are handled on a first come, first served basis.

*Are you becoming more forgetful?
Do you have trouble concentrating?
Do you have trouble recalling words and names in conversation?
Do you displace things more often?
Have you become lost when walking or driving in a familiar neighborhood?*

If you are asking yourself these questions, you may want to consider a Memory Screening – offered free at the Pavilion Senior Center and provided by Senior Services. Memory Screenings make sense for anyone concerned about memory loss or who experiences warning signs of dementia; whose family and friends have noticed changes in them; or who believe they are at risk due to a family history of Alzheimer's Disease or a related illness. Screenings also are appropriate for anyone who does not have a concern right now but who wants to establish a base line score for comparison in the future.

To schedule your Memory Screening please call Jan Christiansen, Senior Services Social Worker at 847.459.2670.

Do you have somebody in your life who would like someone to check on them each morning? Would you feel better if someone called you each morning, just to say hello?

If you answered yes then you may be looking for the **Telephone Reassurance Program** of the Village of Wheeling Senior Services Department. Volunteers call participants daily Monday through Friday before 9 a.m. If the volunteer does not reach the participant, emergency contacts are engaged. This program is free of charge and open to all Wheeling residents 55 and better. For more information, please contact Jan Christiansen, Senior Services Social Worker at 847.459.2670.

Tuesday Evenings at the Senior Center

For those who work during the day, or are looking for something to do in the evenings - check us out! The Pavilion is now open on Tuesday evenings. We are open for all regular services such as RTA applications, taking appointments for services, registration for programming as well as our *Crafting Group, Computer classes, open computer access, card games and Wii bowling.* Please call us at 847.459.2670 for the most up-to-date information on Tuesday evenings!

Wished, Felt, and Dreamed

Have you ever

Wished you could close your eyes and the clutter would just disappear and everything would be ORGANIZED?
Felt that if you were given a fresh start – A CLEAN SLATE – you could finally pursue your dreams?
Dreamed of what exciting OPPORTUNITIES await you – if you only had the time to find out?

WISHED, FELT, AND DREAMED is a support group for older adults that suffer from chronic clutter and compulsive hoarding.

The group meets the fourth Wednesday of every month, at the Pavilion Senior Center from 2p.m. – 3:30p.m. Please call Jan Christiansen, Senior Services Social Worker at 847.459.2670 for monthly topic information.

Pharmaceutical & Sharps Collection Program Resumes



Over the past several years the Fire Department, in conjunction with the Wheeling Board of Health, has conducted monthly collections of outdated, no longer needed pharmaceutical drugs as well as used sharps/syringes. Several months ago, the Federal Drug Enforcement

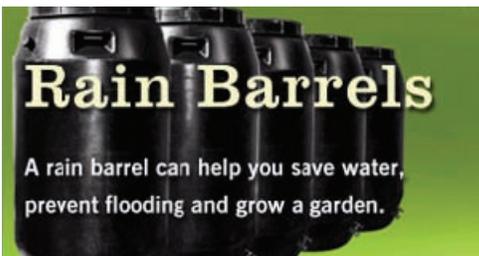
Agency (DEA) withdrew its approval for this program which resulted in the program being suspended. After months of discussions between the DEA and the Solid Waste Agency of Northern Cook County (SWANCC), the program is once again able to resume with some minor modifications.

Starting on Saturday, July 18, 2009, the collection of over-the-counter medications, prescription medications (no controlled substances) and used sharps/syringes will resume. The collection of these items will be held behind Fire Station 24, 255 W. Dundee Road from 10am to 12 noon. After the July collection, monthly collections will be held at the same location every 3rd Saturday of the month from 10am to 12 noon. Items may only be dropped off on these dates and times. Nothing may be dropped off prior to or after each collection date. The program is only open to Wheeling residents and proof of Wheeling residency is required (ex. State of Illinois drivers license, State of Illinois photo ID, etc.) in order to drop off items for collection.

Controlled substances are ***not*** allowed by the DEA to be collected as part of this program. A list of prohibited items is available on the Village of Wheeling web site. Some common pharmaceuticals that ***cannot*** be collected include:

Actiqu® (fentanyl citrate)
Tequin® Tablets (gatifloxacin)
Daytrana® Transdermal Patch (methyphenidate)
Zerit® Oral Solution (stavudine)
Duragesic® Transdermal System (fentanyl)
Meperidine HCL Tablets
Oxycontin® (oxycodone)
Reyataz® Capsules (atazanavir sulfate)
Avinza® Capsules (morphine sulfate)
Xyrem® (sodium oxybate)
Baraclude® Tablets (entecavir)
Fentora® Tablets (fentanyl buccal)
Percocet® Tablets or Capsules (oxycodone & acetaminophen)

Information on how to properly dispose of controlled substances that cannot be collected as part of this program is available on the Village of Wheeling web site, www.wheelingil.gov. Pharmaceuticals that can be collected should be in their original container. No liquid pharmaceuticals can be collected – only solids (tablets, capsules, or powders). If there is personal information on the pharmaceutical container (ex. patient name), cross out only the personal information with a black marker or pen. All sharps and/or syringes must be in a rigid, sealed container (ex. sharps container, coffee can, laundry detergent bottle, etc.). Loose sharps and/or syringes or those simply placed in a plastic bag or Ziploc bag will not be accepted.



As part of their ongoing water conservation program, The Metropolitan Water Reclamation District (MWRD) has rain barrels for sale for \$40/barrel. The barrels connect to gutter downspouts to harvest rainwater which can be used for gardening and household purposes while keeping water out of the storm water system. There is a limit of 2 barrels per household. MWRD only accepts orders that are placed at their website and purchased with a credit card. No cash or check sales at pick-up locations. More information is available at their website: www.mwrd.org. Rain barrel distribution takes place during the first Tuesday, First Saturday and First Thursday of each month only:

North Side Plant, 3500 W. Howard, Skokie
Tuesday 4pm -7pm, Saturday 9am -1pm

Stickney Plant, 6001 W. Pershing, Cicero
Saturday 9am - 1pm

Calumet Plant, 400 East 130th Street, Chicago
Thursday 4pm - 7pm

Special Announcement

The following rain barrel pick-up schedule will occur for the month of **July** for Stickney and Northside:

North Side WRP - Saturday, July 11, 2009, 9am -1pm

Stickney WRP - Saturday, July 11, 2009, 9am -1pm

Please bring your receipt and a vehicle to accommodate. The rain barrels will fit in the back seat or trunk of a regular-sized sedan. For more information, contact the Office of Public Affairs at 312. 751.6633 or email publicaffairsinfo@mwrd.org

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-Click Tickets

-Click the calendar date, select the package you would like.

-Use password **WHEEPROS** and select the "Arlington Combo Package" (Saturday ONLY) or your two FREE tickets (Saturday or Sunday)

SPECIAL OFFER FOR RESERVED GRANDSTAND SEATING AND BISTRO LUNCH

"ARLINGTON COMBO PACKAGE" offer on Saturday, July 18th ONLY. \$16 includes free admission, Daily Racing Guide, Bistro Lunch & Grandstand Reserved Seats!

Follow directions above. Tickets will be held for pre-paid package reservations at Grandstand Will Call - 847.385.7410

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