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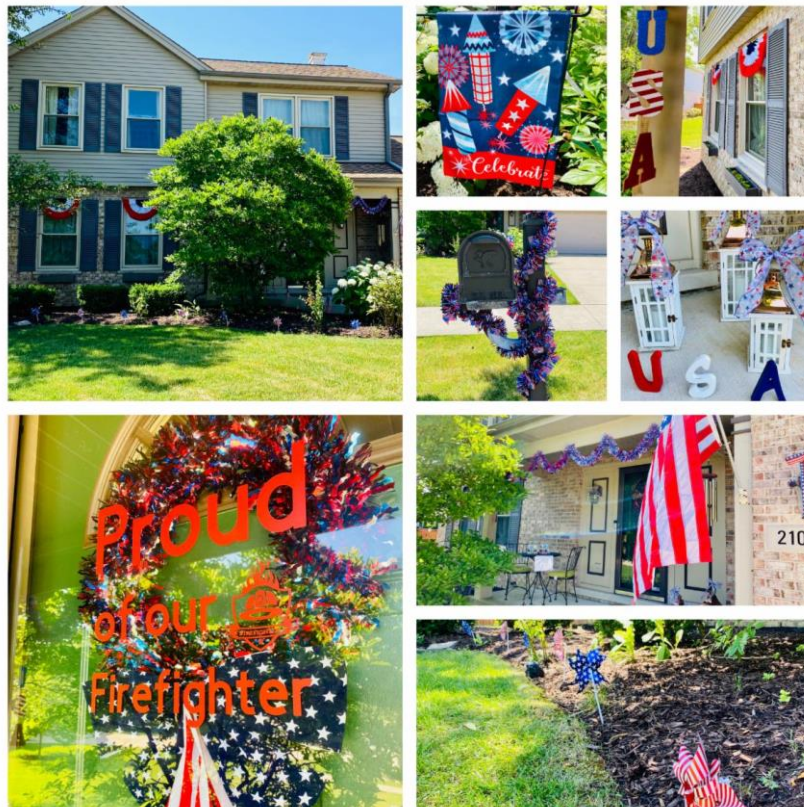
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Unity in the Community - I ♥ Woodridge Week

From June 26 through July 6, 2020, Woodridge residents displayed community togetherness and thanked our community heroes by decorating their homes with red, white, and blue. This album shows the Unity in the Community Contest entries. Congratulations to the Wynveen Family for

In & Around Woodridge



Village Meetings

Village Board Meeting

July 16, 7:00 p.m.
Werch Board Room
5 Plaza Drive

Village Board Meeting

August 6, 7:00 p.m.
Werch Board Room
5 Plaza Drive

Water Bill Brief

Click on the image below for the current edition of the monthly **Water Bill Brief**



Quick Links

Village of Woodridge Website

winning the contest and receiving a gift card to a Woodridge restaurant. Thank you to all those that entered the contest and helped to recognize our first responders, police, fire, veterans, and the women and men in active military service.

Village Board Meeting on Thursday, July 16 Returns to In-Person Format

The Village Board Meeting on Thursday, July 16 will begin at 7:00 p.m. and return to meeting in person, at Village Hall in the Werch Board Room, 5 Plaza Drive in Woodridge. The public is allowed to attend in person as well, however face coverings are required and there will be a limited capacity. Any public comments [can be e-mailed](#) in advance of the meeting or during the meeting as well. Public comments can also be delivered by calling (630) 719-4901 and leaving a voice mail. The agenda for the meeting, once finalized, will be [available online](#).

Virtual Lunch with the Chiefs of Police on July 14

The Woodridge Police Department would like to invite Woodridge residents to join the Chief and Deputy Chiefs of Police for a virtual lunch. The Lunch with the Chiefs event is on Tuesday, July 14, from noon to 1 p.m. This virtual lunch will use the Zoom video conferencing platform. Bring your thirst for knowledge, understanding, and questions - all topics are on the table for conversation. Feel free to eat! We realize it's lunchtime. The best ideas are often shared while eating. **Please RSVP by Friday, July 10, at noon.**

The goal of this event is to help facilitate meaningful community conversations and engagement about law enforcement topics such as community policing, Woodridge Police Department policies and procedures, and social justice reform topics. There will also be a Q&A session.

[Please complete the RSVP form](#), and you will receive an email with the Zoom instructions. A dial-in conference call option is also available. As our country rightly turns more contemplative about law enforcement, we are hopeful this virtual lunch will facilitate insightful conversations.

Village Hall, Police Department, and Public Works Open To Public

The Village Hall and Police/Public Works buildings reopened to the public on July 6. If your preference is to continue to conduct your Village business remotely, we encourage you to do so. Please note, anyone entering the building is required to

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Sign Up for Electronic Water Bills

Signing up for electronic water bills is as easy as sending an email by clicking [here](#) indicating that you would like to sign up. Electronic notifications will include an account summary and a link to the online system where you can view your account history. Sign up now!

Village Staff Directory

Village Board Meeting Video On WCTV Ch. 6 and On-Line

The Village airs videos of Village Board meetings at 8:00 a.m., noon and 8:00 p.m. every day on WCTV Channel 6. Video can also be accessed by visiting the Village's

transparency webpage

or by **clicking here** to visit the web portal.

wear a face covering over your mouth and nose and adhere to social distancing guidelines. Please do not enter the building if you are feeling unwell. We thank you for your cooperation and patience as we transition together. [Visit the Village's website on reopening for more information.](#)

Village Board Meetings Modified Start Time to 7:00 p.m.

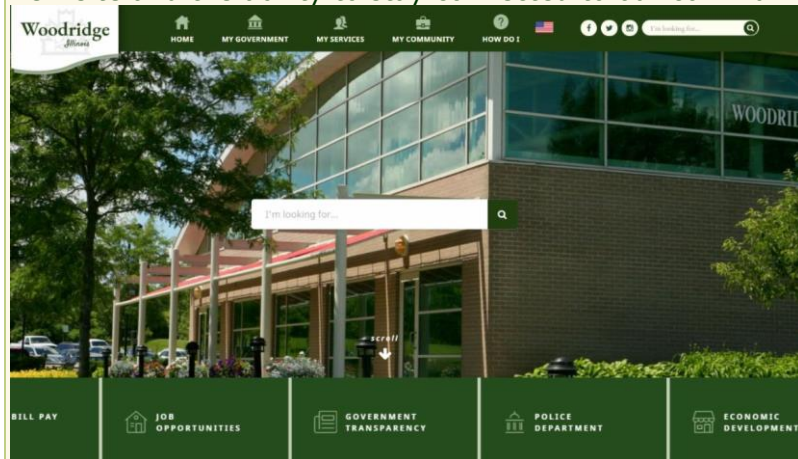
The Village Board Meetings, starting with the Thursday, July 16, 2020 meeting, will begin at 7:00 p.m. Meetings occur on the first and third Thursday of each month. [A Village calendar](#) is available on the website which is updated with meeting information, events, cancellations, and specially called meetings.


Library Building Reopened July 6 with Precautions

The Woodridge Library building reopened July 6 with COVID-19 safety measures in place. Anyone entering the building must wear a mask and follow social distancing guidelines. The building is reopening with its normal hours. Due to space capacity mandates, extended visits will not be possible. Visitors may come in and get books, DVDs, other materials, and use library resources. See the [library website](#) for details of the safety measures and available services.

Visit the Village's New Website

The Village has been diligently developing and creating a new website for the Village of Woodridge. The new website layout was selected for its ease of use, navigability, presentation of information, and ability to be much more mobile friendly. Along with the new layout, the Village is excited to announce the creation and rollout of a new web address www.woodridgeil.gov. We are excited for the launch of this new site and the ability to stay connected to our community!



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Woodridge Water Quality Report

Residents can view the newest [Woodridge Water Quality Report online](#). The report is prepared for the calendar year 2019 and includes valuable drinking water information that contains testing results by the Village of Woodridge and the City of Chicago, the source of Woodridge drinking water. Water quality questions can be directed to 630-719-4753.

Link: www.vil.woodridge.il.us/waterqualityreport

July Water Bill Brief Now Online

Access the current water bill brief during months you do not receive a water bill to read timely, relevant information. The [July 2020 Water Bill Brief](#) is now online, or accessible through the image in the left hand column.

Water Billing Returns to Normal Schedule

The Village Board took action, back in April 2020, to provide relief to residents and businesses by suspending water disconnections and water late fee penalties. As the state and community reopens, the Village wants to remind you that as of July 1, water billing will return to normal processes. Beginning with your next billing cycle (July bills due July 23 and August bills due August 20) any unpaid balances will be subject to late fees. Late notices will be mailed and delinquent accounts may be subject to disconnection. Those that are experiencing financial difficulty as a result of the COVID pandemic can call Water Billing at 630-719-4909 to arrange a payment plan.

Summer Reading & Dine Woodridge

Summer reading is in full swing, online, at the Woodridge Public Library. Kids can register online, then read and complete fun missions right in their own backyard! Kids get cool virtual badges now, and in August they can collect any accumulated prizes - a book, lanyard, buttons and entries for big prize baskets! Adults & teens can also join and read for a weekly chance at \$25 gift cards to local restaurants, winners choose their prize at dinewoodridge.com. Nine lucky winners have already chosen prizes from Ike & Oak Brewery, Aurelio's, Clara's and Carrabba's. [Register online](#), read and review today for chances to win.

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Library Curbside Pickup Service to Continue: Woodridge Library cardholders can get library items through a "contactless" process. This service is open now and will continued to be offered even after the building reopens on

July 6. [Request books and DVDs online](#) or call to get a curbside order started today: Adult & Teen, 630-487-2577, or Children 630-487-2578.

PRC Annual School Supply Drive: People's Resource Center (PRC) will be collecting new school supplies from the community now until August 7, 2020 to give DuPage area kids a good start in school this year. The supplies will be distributed to 1,000 families in need in August. [Click here to visit their site](#) which has information on how to participate remotely or by dropping off in person and to view a list of needed items.

DuPage Children's Museum and West Suburban Community Pantry Partner on Summer Toy Drive: As families across the country scramble to find ways to occupy their children for summer during the COVID-19 pandemic, families in need who already find themselves struggling to provide food and shelter for their children are doubly challenged when it comes to providing safe and productive ways to engage them. Now DuPage Children's Museum and West Suburban Community Pantry are partnering to collect summer toys for area families in need.

Donations of new summer toys will be collected at the Toy Drive on Wednesday, July 15 from 8-11 am and 5-7 pm in the parking lot of the Museum, at 301 North Washington Street in Naperville. The Museum's Explorer Store will have toys and toy bundles for a variety of ages and interests for sale onsite, or donors may bring new summer toys for children ages 0-10, including water toys, bubbles and bubble wands, children's garden tools, bug collection kits, flying disks, kites, sidewalk chalk or kids sidewalk paint, washable markers. [Full press release available here](#).

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