2023 Spring/Summer Newsletter

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Mark Your Calendar

ALL Lisle Township residents are <u>highly</u> encouraged to attend the

ANNUAL MEETING

Tuesday, April 18 7:00pm

Lisle Township Road District Garage Area 4719 Indiana Ave. Lisle, IL

ANNUAL MEETING

www.lisletownship.com 630-964-0057 or 630-968-2087

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Lisle Township

Road District

BRANCH PICK UP BEGINS... MAY 1st

Bundled branches will be picked up SIX TIMES in 2023, usually beginning the FIRST MONDAY of MAY and continuing through October. The start dates and the rules are listed to the right. You may want to save this list so you can time your trimming to our pick-up dates.

Have your **tied up bundles** at curbside or roadside by 6:30 a.m. on those Monday mornings. Our crew is on a rotating street schedule and it may take them 3 to 5 days to complete

the branch collection. They will visit each area and street only once.

Branches must be tied up in bundles. We will leave a "red tag" explanation if we don't pick up your branches.

START DATES

MAY 1 (MONDAY)
JUNE 5 (MONDAY)
JULY 5 (WEDNESDAY)
AUGUST 7 (MONDAY)
SEPTEMBER 5
(TUESDAY)
OCTOBER 2 (MONDAY)

FOLLOW THESE RULES:

- ♦ Branches cut to 4 feet
- Branch diameter 4 inches or less
- Bundles must be tied with twine or string (no wire or plastic)
- Sundles up to 25 lbs. only



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Our program is intended to help homeowners with the disposal of tree and shrub branches that do not qualify as yard waste. If it fits in a yard waste bag it should not be in the roadside bundle for us. Our collection service is not meant to remove

whole trees. Please make other arrangements for removal when a tree is cut down.

Please don't put your branch bundles in the street. Place them in the parkway closest to the curb or the edge of the road. Also, we may not be able

to pick them up if a parked car is in the way.

This township service is offered only to residences along the roads that we maintain in unincorporated Lisle Township. Please call if you are unsure if we service your road.

COMMISSIONER'S CORNER

BY ED YOUNG

I feel like I am writing the Spring 2020 newsletter again—mild winter, lots of forecasted scares but very little snow. Also, like the 2020 newsletter, I am pleased to announce the tax levy for 2022 (payable in 2023) has been reduced by 10% over the 2021 levy. We strive to continue to deliver superior services yet find ways to reduce costs. Despite the reduction in the levy, we will continue the reduced price sidewalk replacement program.

The Road District replaced our Versalift (bucket truck) and was fortunate to find a

new 75 ft. working Versalift. Had we ordered a new smaller unit it wouldn't have been delivered for 2-3 years. We also ordered a new Peterbuilt plow truck which we should receive in 2024. Buying equipment in today's market is unlike what we have ever experienced before.

Last fall, Superintendent John Quinn retired after 35 years service. We will miss him and wish him the best. Fortunately, Marty Srail, a 35-year employee, was able to successfully fill the role and bring a new perspective to our proce-

dures. We welcomed two new staff members, Brian Pizzano and Jason Lieberenz last year. Head count is down one from when I became Highway Commissioner yet we still maintain 50 miles of road. I would like to thank our great crew for the fantastic job they did this past year.

Finally, I want to remind all our residents of the upcoming <u>Annual Meeting</u>. It will be held at <u>Lisle Township Road District Garage</u> on <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>April 18</u>, 2023 beginning at 7:00pm. At the annual meeting there will be discussion of expansion of the township that will have a significant financial impact on the Township operations.

LISLE TOWNSHIP ROAD DISTRICT NEWS

DOCUMENT SHREDDING AND RECYCLING EVENT

Saturday, April 22, 2023



Lisle Township is hosting this free event from 9:00am to Noon. It will be held at the Lisle Township campus parking lot, 4711 Indiana Ave. in Lisle, IL. For questions and further information www.lisletownship.com or call Lisle Township Supervisor's office at 630-968-2087.

Sidewalk Squares Replacement Program

Deadline Monday, July 10th

To help homeowners replace cracked, raised or sunken sidewalks, Lisle Township Road District will pick up more than half the cost when we replace. Call 630-964-0057 or email: highway@lisletownship.com by

July 11th to be put on the sidewalk replacement list.

Your special cost will be \$1.25 per square foot which is \$31.25 for the typical 5' x 5' section. Mark the squares you wish to replace with a dot of white paint. Our su-

perintendent will leave an invoice-agreement form after he measures. Return the form with payment in full. The work usually begins in August.



Car Care Safety Clinic for Seniors 50+ MARK YOUR CALENDERS!

Lisle Township Road District will again be hosting the popular

TRIAD CAR CARE CLINIC—Saturday, May 13th



in our north parking lot 8:00am—Noon. Seniors may bring their cars in for a free multipoint vehicle inspection. Additionally, the AARP Driver Safety Program persons will be on hand to perform Car-Fit inspections to make sure you are properly positioned and your vehicle's mirrors are adjusted to allow safe driving.



ROAD MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE FOR 2023



township roads being resurfaced this season are listed below. Approximately 2 inches of surface is re-

moved and replaced with new asphalt.

Hobson Creek

Spyglass Ct. Moraine Ct. Country Ct.. Woodcrest Ct. E. & W. Creek Ct. Wedgewood Ct.

Steeple Chase

Ohio St. (Beau Bien-Eugenia)

Meadows

Crest Ln.

Plank Road Area Radcliff Rd.

(South of Plank)

Steeple Run

Springdale Dr. Starling Ct. Cardinal Ct.

Project start dates have not yet been determined.

FLYERS will be distributed to the homes along these streets about 5 days before construction They will explain the repair process and outline any driving and parking restrictions.

We apply surface treatments to preserve and restore other township roads.

Reclamite is a sealant used on one year old roads and is reapplied every 4 years. The following roads are scheduled:

DuPage Dr., Green Rd. (Hobson—75th)

Fairways

Augusta Ln., Marion Way, Baltusrol Ln., Pinehurst Ln.

Huntington

Millcreek Ln. and Ct., Longreen Rd., Jane Ave., Huntington Ct., Meadowbrook Ct.

Century Hill

Concord Rd. (Maple—Essex)

Our reclamite contractor will seal one side of the street at a time, so at least one lane is open for resident traffic. The sealants need up to four hours of drying time before the lane is opened.

Crack-filling seals cracks too big for the other products to repair. Contractors clean out the cracks then fill them.

RESIDENTS living on streets where this work will be done will be notified by flyer before the work starts.

OUR goal is to provide safe, durable and attractive roads and right-of-ways, while minimizing inconvenience to residents.

PLEASE DRIVE

CAREFULLY

DUPAGE COUNTY NEWS

FOREST PRESERVE DISTRICT—DUPAGE COUNTY

dupageforest.org



For over 100 years the Forest Preserve District of DuPage County has strived to protect and improve the county's natural areas while providing high-quality educational and recreational experiences for the people who call DuPage home. Check out their website for information and events. Here are just a few upcoming events this Spring and Summer.

- Native Plant Sale May 19 10 a.m. 7 p.m. May 20 9 a.m. 2 p.m. Mayslake Peabody Estate
- Just for Kids Fishing Derby June 11 8 11 a.m. Blackwell Forest Preserve
- Archery Open House Aug. 5 9 a.m. Noon Blackwell Forest Preserve
- Fall Native Tree & Shrub Sale Order Online Starting Aug. 1 Pick Up at St. James Farm Sept. 22 & 23

WAY TO REDUCE WATER USAGE—IMPROVE WATER QUALITY

- 1. Construct Rain Garden: Excavated or natural depressions to collect stormwater runoff. Stormwater then able to filter slowly in to ground where it is cleaned before returning to waterways.
- 2. Compost: Incorporate lawn clip-
- pings, leaves & other natural materials into lawn, reduces amount of fertilizer used.
- 3. Install a Rain Barrel: Reduces amount of stormwater runoff that carry contaminants into streams.



For more water quality improvement tips, visit:

www.dupagecounty.gov/swm

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Ed Young

Highway Commissioner

HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE IN UNINCORPORATED LISLE TOWNSHIP

Illinois Townships are charged with three basic functions:

- \Rightarrow Administration of assistance for residents in need
- ⇒ Assessment of real property for the basis of local taxation
- \Rightarrow Maintenance of all roads and bridges outside of federal state and other local jurisdictions.

The public is highly encouraged to attend all monthly township board meetings

2nd Wednesday of every month 7:30pm -4711 Indiana Ave.—Lisle

(except annual meeting on Tuesday in April) or watch online.

For further information: www.lisletownship.com or 630-968-2087. or 630-964-0057

Numbers to Note

ComEd (electric company)	800-334-7661	www.comed.com	
Downers Grove Sanitary District	630-969-0664	www.dgsd.org	
DuPage County		www.dupageco.org	
Storm Water Division	630-407-6700		
Building Division	630-407-6700		
Zoning Division	630-407-6700		
Public Works	630-407-6800		
Div. of Transportation	630-407-6900		
Animal Control	630-407-2800		
Health Department	630-682-7400		
Sheriff (non emergency)	630-407-2400		
Illinois American Water	800-422-2782		
JULIE	811	www.illinois1call.com	CALL BEFORE YOU DIG!!
Lakeshore Recycling Systems	844-633-3577	www.lrsrecycles.com	
Lisle Township		www.lisletownship.com	
Assessor	630-968-1183		
General Assistance	630-968-2087		
Road District	630-964-0057		
Supervisor	630-968-2087		(also weed control)
Youth and Family Services	630-968-1880		
Nicor (gas company)	888-642-6748	nicorgas.com	