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Lake Bluff Letter

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Wednesday, July 20, 2016 - 7:00pm

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North Shore Bike Path Paving Project

This summer the Lake County Division of Transportation (LCDOT) will commence with the resurfacing of the North Shore Bike Path (Bike Path) from IL Rt. 43 west to Brice Avenue in Mundelein. The proposed project consists of overlaying the existing path with hot-mix asphalt and seeding adjacent topsoil to match existing ground elevations. It is anticipated LCDOT crews will begin work mid-July. The Bike Path will remain open in certain areas, however, sections being resurfaced will be closed. Additional information is available by calling LCDOT at 847-377-7400.

Reconstruction of the Union Pacific Crossing at IL Rt. 176 Project

The issuance of a permit by the Illinois Department of Transportation is imminent to allow Union Pacific Railroad (UP) to close IL Rt. 176 and the North Shore Bike Path at the UP railroad crossing west of the Lake Bluff Public Works Building (604 Rockland Rd.).

The road closure is anticipated over five consecutive days between July 25 and July 30, 2016. The Project includes reconstruction of the full width crossing of IL Rt. 176 and an extension of the crossing at the

North Shore Bike Path. This work will accommodate the straightening of the bike path through the railroad crossing.

Signage will be posted on IL Rt. 176 three weeks prior to the road closure alerting drivers of the anticipated start date. Additional information, including detour routes, will be posted on the Village's website once information becomes available.

For questions, please contact Village Engineer Jeff Hansen at 847-283-6884.

[Lake Bluff Police Urges Residents to Keep Vehicles Locked and Garage Doors Secured](#)

In combination with local police departments along the North Shore, the Lake Bluff Police Department has been investigating a rash of car burglaries over the past two weeks. In all cases, valuables were stolen from unlocked vehicles during the overnight hours.

The Lake Bluff Police Department strongly urges all residents to take the following basic precautions:

- ALWAYS keep your car locked when unattended;
- ALWAYS remove valuables such as computers, cash, checkbooks, GPS and cell phones from the car;
- NEVER leave your keys, purse, wallet or sensitive information in your car; and
- When possible, keep your car in the garage overnight with the garage doors closed and secured.

If anyone observes any suspicious activity in your neighborhood, please call the Lake Bluff Police Department immediately at 847-234-2151 or dial 9-1-1.

[5th Annual Northwestern Medicine Lake Bluff Criterium and Block Party](#)

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[Northwestern Medicine Criterium Bike Race & Block Party Returns on July 23rd](#)



The 5th annual Northwestern Medicine Lake Bluff Criterium & Block Party returns to Lake Bluff on Saturday, July 23, 2016. Fast-paced bicycle racing begins at 9:00 a.m. and the world-class pro racers begin at 4:00 p.m. New categories this year include a hand cycling race for people with physical disabilities and novel fixed gear races on bicycles with no brakes!



In addition, the kids' fun races will begin at 6:05 p.m. Kids ages 3-9 can take part in the bike races, but are allowed to race at their own pace within their own age group. A parent or guardian must register each participant in advance. Registration will take place at the Lake Bluff branch of the Lake Forest Bank from July 18 (Monday) to July 22, 2016 (Friday) from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., and on July 23, 2016 (day of races) from 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Registration after 12:00 p.m. on July 23rd will also be available at the Lake Bluff Fire Station (45 E. Center Ave.). There is no entry fee for kids; however, all participating kids must wear a helmet.

[Click here to sign up and volunteer for the bike race.](#)

The Block Party (located on the Village Green) is scheduled from 4:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. with music beginning at 8:00 pm. Spectators can view the racing action either live, or from the Jumbotron screen, and enjoy food from several local restaurants, libations and live music. For more information visit intelligentsiacup.com.

[Lake County ANHMP Update - Public Input Needed](#)

Lake County and all participating municipalities are in the process of updating the Lake County All Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan (ANHMP). The ANHMP identifies activities and projects to reduce damage caused by natural hazards such as tornadoes, floods, and severe summer and winter storms. Mitigation is the action of reducing the impact of a natural hazard. Public input and comments are important to the ANHMP update. All Lake County residents and property owners are encouraged to complete a short survey by clicking [here](#) or on the link below. Survey responses provided will help Lake County prioritize natural hazards that could impact residents and property owners, and determine how to better prepare for natural hazard emergencies.

[Lake County 2016 Natural Hazards Public Survey.](#)

[Buzz on the Bluff Offers a Schedule of Events in Lake Bluff](#)

Looking for a complete schedule of Lake Bluff fun? Be sure to stop by [BuzzOnTheBluff.com](#) for a list and links of events and activities for all ages!

[Lake Bluff's 2016 Water Quality Report](#)

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