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Lake Bluff Letter

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[Committee-of-the-Whole Meeting Cancellation](#)

Monday, March 13, 2017 - 6:00pm

[Village Board Meeting](#)

Monday, March 13, 2017 - 7:00pm

[Intergovernmental Advisory Committee Meeting](#)

Tuesday, March 14, 2017 - 2:00pm

[Plan Commission & Zoning Board of Appeals Meeting](#)

Wednesday, March 15, 2017 - 7:00pm

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[Daylight Saving Time Reminder](#)

The Village reminds its residents that on Sunday, March 12, 2017 clocks will be moved ahead one hour due to daylight saving time. At this time, it is also recommended residents change the batteries in their smoke detectors and carbon monoxide detectors. Batteries in smoke and carbon monoxide detectors should be changed at least twice a year, even if the detectors are hardwired into the electrical system. In the case of hardwired detectors, the battery will keep the detector functioning in the event of a power failure.

[Village Announces New Waste and Recycling Collection Opportunity for Residents](#)

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[Metra Commuter Parking Lot Ticket Machine Reminder](#)

The Village kindly reminds customers of the Metra Commuter Parking Lot (east side of the tracks) to remember your ticket after making a purchase at the pay box. This ticket must be placed on your vehicle's dashboard to allow the Lake Bluff Police to easily read the ticket during their parking enforcement rounds.

From time to time, customers forget their ticket after making a purchase at the pay box. This may result in the police issuing you a citation, and may cause the pay box printer to jam. In an effort to not inconvenience your fellow commuters please ensure you remove the ticket from the pay box printer and place it on your vehicle's dashboard before exiting your vehicle.

If you have any questions regarding the pay box, please contact Franco Bottalico, Administrative Intern at 847-283-6882, or the Lake Bluff Police at 847-234-8760.

[Community Reviews Draft 2023 Strategic Plan](#)

On Thursday, January 26, 2017 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. at the Lake Bluff Village Hall (40 E. Center Ave.) the Village of Lake Bluff ("Village") hosted a community dialogue on its [Draft 2023 Strategic Plan](#), which has been under development since August of 2016. Over 45 residents turned out for the interactive dialogue and provided feedback on the Draft Plan prior to consideration of its adoption by the Village Board. The session began with a presentation by several resident volunteers, who participated in its development, and consultant, Lynn Montei Associates, who was hired by the Village to facilitate the process.

As previously noted, the purpose of the 2023 Strategic Plan is to embody the Village's values and aspirations; indicate a clear mission, vision, focused goals, objectives and action plans that will best serve the Village for the next six years; be an important public document that has community-wide ownership; and be a highly utilized tool for planning and decision-making for the Village Board and Staff. The Village was assisted by the help of nine volunteers serving as the Plan Guidance Team who defined the process outcomes, developed a work plan scope, and identified/refined the Village's stakeholders. Following sessions from the Plan Guidance Team, the Strategic Planning Synthesis Team (including certain members from the Plan Guidance Team), a group of nine volunteers, met numerous times to synthesize the data generated during the planning process, shape and develop the strategic plan. The Draft 2023 Strategic Plan has been reviewed by the Village Board during Committee-of-the-Whole

meetings on December 12th and January 9th. Comments regarding the Draft Plan should be submitted to [Village Administrator Drew Irvin](#).

[View the Draft 2023 Strategic Plan](#)

[Voter Information](#)

Residents may register to vote by visiting the [Lake County Clerk's Office](#). In addition to the County Clerk's Office, you may also register at the [Shields Township](#) building, 906 Muir Avenue, and at the [Lake Bluff Public Library](#), 123 E. Scranton Ave., Lake Bluff, IL 60044. In order to register, you must be a U.S. citizen, be 18 years of age or older before the next election, and provide two forms of identification – at least one of the two forms must show your name and current address. Only one form of identification may be a piece of mail (e.g. water bill, utility bill).

Your voter registration does not expire unless you move or change your name. Residents must re-register to vote even if you have just moved across the street.

On Tuesday, April 4th, elections will be held for Village President (1), Village Trustee (3), Village Clerk (1) and Library Trustee (4). The following are important dates regarding the 2017 Consolidate Election:

- March 7th - Last day for voter registration;
- March 13th - Voting by mail begins in the County Clerk's office;
- March 20th - Early voting begins;
- April 3rd - Early voting ends; and
- April 4th - Election Day.

For additional information regarding voter registration, or information concerning the upcoming April 4, 2017 Consolidated Election, please visit the [Lake County Clerk's Office](#) or call 847-377-2410.

In the event that Meeting Agenda links do not properly function, subscribers may find agendas posted on the Home Page at www.lakebluff.org. All Board and Commission [Meeting Minutes](#) are generally approved at the next regular meeting and posted on the website the following day.

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