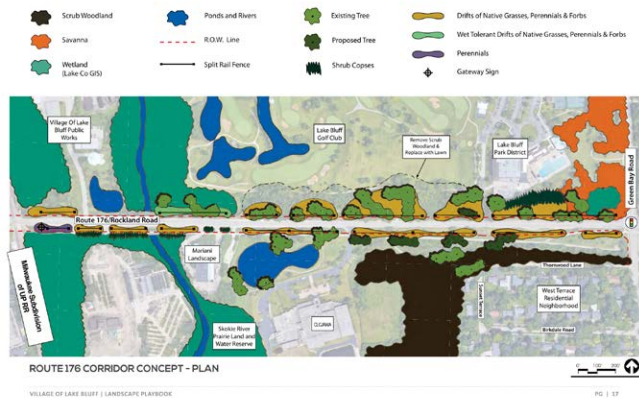


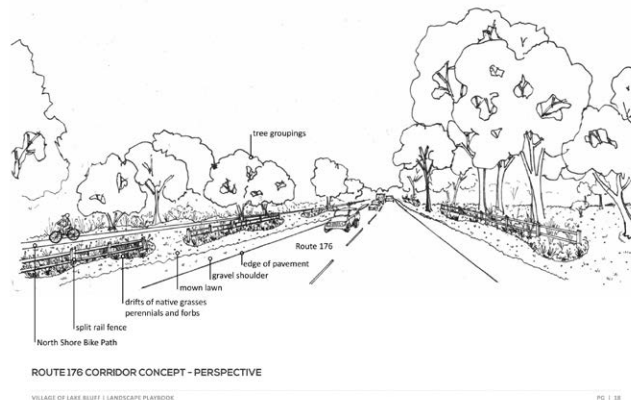
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## Lake Bluff Letter

### Lake Bluff Beautiful





The Village's Sustainability and Community Enhancement Ad Hoc Committee (SEC) has worked with community stakeholders to draft a landscape plan for the Village's primary corridors and its gateways, with an emphasis on Route 176. The plan will serve as a "playbook" to the Village in collaboration with its partners and private landowners in the selection, implementation, and maintenance of these areas.

[You can view the draft plan here.](#)

Before it makes its recommendation to the Village Board, the SEC would like your comments on the draft plan. Contact Glen Cole at (847) 283-6889 or [via e-mail](#) with your thoughts.

### Village Headlines

**LAST CALL FOR FLOOD REPORTS.** Every household was sent a postcard asking for help [identifying areas that experience storm water flooding](#). Please - take a few minutes and complete this important request.

**SLEEP WITH YOUR DOOR CLOSED.** Keeping your bedroom door closed at night can save your life in the event of a fire by stopping the spread of smoke and fire. [Visit our Fire Department page for more home safety tips.](#)

**SERVICE WITH A SMILE.** Dickinson Hall seeks two paid volunteers to serve as as drivers for weekday bus trips for senior citizens. If you are interested, contact Jill Becker at [BeckerJ@cityoflakeforest.com](mailto:BeckerJ@cityoflakeforest.com).

### Calendar Events - [View All](#)

[Lake Bluff Library - Theatre Program - Mr. Goat's Valentine](#)

Saturday, February 9, 2019 - 11:00am

[CROYA - CROYA Foundation Barn Dance Fundraiser](#)

Sunday, February 10, 2019 - 2:00pm

[Dickinson Hall - Senior Resources Commission Meeting](#)

Monday, February 11, 2019 - 1:00pm

[Meetings - Village Board Meeting](#)

Monday, February 11, 2019 - 7:00pm

[Lake Bluff Library - Storytime Lake Bluff Library](#)

Tuesday, February 12, 2019 - 10:15am  
[Lake Bluff Library - Afternoon Book Club - Girl Waits with Gun](#)  
Tuesday, February 12, 2019 - 2:30pm  
[Dickinson Hall - Women's Luncheon: "For the Love of Chocolate"](#)  
Wednesday, February 13, 2019 - 12:00pm  
[Lake Bluff Library - School's Out Early! Catch a Movie at the Library](#)  
Wednesday, February 13, 2019 - 2:30pm  
[Lake Bluff Library - Beginning Knitting - For Adults](#)  
Wednesday, February 13, 2019 - 7:00pm  
[Meetings - Historic Preservation Commission \(HPC\) Meeting](#)  
Wednesday, February 13, 2019 - 7:00pm  
[Lake Bluff Library - LEGO Club](#)  
Thursday, February 14, 2019 - 4:00pm  
[Lake Bluff Library - Knitwits - Knitting Group](#)  
Thursday, February 14, 2019 - 7:00pm

### Recent Board and Committee Actions

*For more information, visit the Village's [meeting packets and videos page](#). Agendas and meeting materials are typically available the Friday before a meeting; videos within a week after the meeting; and minutes after they are approved at the next meeting of the public body. Not all meetings are recorded on video.*

*See an agenda item that interests you? Attend a meeting! Or - send your thoughts to [vlb@lakebluff.org](mailto:vlb@lakebluff.org).*

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### Recent Sustainability and Community Enhancement Ad Hoc Committee Meeting (February 4). The SEC:

- Recommended renewal of a backyard chicken-keeping permit at 517 Lincoln Avenue.
- Conducted a third workshop on its Corridor and Gateway Beautification Study.

### Recent Architectural Board of Review Meeting (February 5). The ABR:

- Recommended approval of landscape and sidewalk changes adjacent to the Golf Course Clubhouse (355 W. Washington).
- Recommended approval of a new overhead door at 950 Albrecht Drive.
- Discussed pending site plan code amendments and work by other Village committees, including bicycle racks; parking regulations; and lighting regulations.

**Upcoming Committee-of-the-Whole Meeting (February 11).** The Board will discuss the recommendations of the Ad Hoc Beach Parking Committee.

**Upcoming Village Board Meeting (February 11).** The Board will consider:

- Approving landscape and sidewalk changes adjacent to the Golf Course Clubhouse (355 W. Washington).
- Approving a new overhead door at 950 Albrecht Drive.
- Amending the Village's investment and cash management policy.
- Purchasing new radios for the Police Department that interoperate via the STARCOM21 radio network.
- Appointing former Deputy Police Chief Michael Hosking as the Village's interim Police Chief.
- Renewing the Comcast cable television franchise.

**Upcoming Historic Preservation Commission Meeting (February 13).** The HPC will consider:

- An advisory review for 419 E. Prospect Ave. The proposed work includes demolition of newer additions to a landmarked original structure and construction of a new addition.
  - Continued strategic planning and visioning.
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