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## Lake Bluff Letter

### H<sub>2</sub>O Bill Haiku For You

*[paper bills, please cease](#)  
[autopay your way, it is free](#)  
[do this to save trees](#)*

*[\(You can now view and pay your water bill online.\)](#)*

### Village Headlines

**HELP WANTED.** The Village is hiring a Maintenance Worker. [Click here for details.](#)

**BE SMART, STAY SAFE.** Sign up for [Smart911.com](#) to let Lake Bluff's first responders know what's important if you call 911. Personal information you provide is only available to 911 dispatchers when you call from a registered number.

**VOLUNTEER FAIR.** Local non-profits will be at the west Lake Forest Train Station next Sunday from 1 to 4 p.m. to share their volunteer opportunities. There are options for people of all ages, abilities, and time commitments. [Click here for more information.](#)

### 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*

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**Recent Committee-of-the-Whole Meeting (February 25).** The Board concluded its discussions regarding the recommendations of the Ad Hoc Beach Parking Committee and decided to:

1. Observe the Park District's policy changes over the next season:
  - a. Elimination of non-resident annual beach memberships
  - b. Daily non-resident fees increased from \$12 to \$15 for adults
  - c. Non-Resident Annual Dog Pass increased from \$150 to \$350 and doesn't allow owner access to swim beach
  - d. Elimination of resident business individual beach membership pass
  - e. New weekend Shelter Rental hours of use - limited from midnight to 11 p.m. on weekends and renters are allowed 25 parking passes only (down from 75)
  - f. Extensive and sophisticated verification and tracking system for residents vs. non-residents via technology
  - g. Beach Attendants starting at 9 a.m. seven days per week weather permitting
  - h. Qualifications for Beach Attendant is 17 years of age (up from 15 years of age)
  - i. First two weeks of season, two Attendants will be on duty weather permitting
  - j. Extensive, professional customer service/conflict resolution training for Beach Attendants and Managers
2. Correct the Village Code to include Mountain as NO PARKING anytime, as currently signed, and;
3. Correct the signage on the east end of East Prospect (north side of the street) to read as currently noted in the Village Code (NO PARKING HERE TO CURB) rather than as currently signed (NO PARKING).

**Recent Village Board Meeting (February 25).** The Board:

- Honored the public service of Police Chief David Belmonte.
- Appointed Gerard ("Jerry") McDermott to the Board of Fire and Police Commissioners.
- Appointed Mark Dewart to the Senior Resources Commission (effective after his term as Village Trustee concludes).

**Recent Historic Preservation Commission Meeting (February 26).** The HPC continued its strategic planning and visioning.

**Upcoming Sustainability and Community Enhancement Ad Hoc Meeting (March 4).** The SEC will:

- Review [the final draft of the Landscape Identity, Corridor, and Gateway Plan](#) and consider recommendation to the Village Board.
- Review a first full draft of the Village's Sustainability Plan.

The March 5 meeting of the Architectural Board of Review is cancelled.

Calendar Events - [View All](#)

**Meetings - Sustainability and Community Enhancement Ad Hoc Committee (SEC) Meeting**

Monday, March 4, 2019 - 7:00pm

**Lake Bluff Library - Tot Time**

Tuesday, March 5, 2019 - 10:15am

**Dickinson Hall - Mardi Gras Celebration**

Tuesday, March 5, 2019 - 12:00pm

**Meetings - CANCELLED - Architectural Board of Review (ABR) Meeting**

Tuesday, March 5, 2019 - 7:00pm

**Dickinson Hall - Ernie Pyle- Voice of the GI**

Wednesday, March 6, 2019 - 12:00pm

**Lake Bluff Library - Deep Freeze Read - Interview with Dan Egan**

Wednesday, March 6, 2019 - 1:00pm

**Lake Bluff Library - Beginning Knitting - For Adults**

Wednesday, March 6, 2019 - 7:00pm

**Lake Bluff Library - Deep Freeze Read - An Evening with Dan Egan**

Wednesday, March 6, 2019 - 7:00pm

**Lake Bluff Library - Attracting Songbirds to Your Garden**

Thursday, March 7, 2019 - 7:00pm

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