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Lake Bluff Letter

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Village Headlines

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

SAVE A STAMP. [View and pay your water bill online.](#)

LEND/LEASE. Need some short-term help after an accident or illness?

[Dickinson Hall lends medical devices free of charge to Lake Bluff residents.](#)

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.

Recent Finance Committee Meeting (March 11). The Finance Committee discussed and recommended for approval:

- The FY2020 operating and capital budget;
- A 1.5% water rate increase, and;
- A \$1.99 million debt issuance to complete water system infrastructure improvements.

The Committee also discussed extending the Village auditor contract and establishing a policy regarding the waiver of building permit fees for local public agencies and non-profits.

Recent Village Board Meeting (March 11). The Board:

- Adopted the Landscape Identity, Corridor, and Gateway Plan.
- Approved road improvement and sidewalk replacement programs for this year.
- Posted a highway bond with IDOT for the Lincoln Avenue Storm Sewer project.
- Amended the Village Code to clarify that parking is prohibited on Mountain Avenue.
- Renewed a cable television franchise with Comcast.

The March 13 meeting of the Historic Preservation Commission was cancelled.

The Village Board and Historic Preservation Commission will conduct a workshop on Saturday, March 16 starting at 8:30 a.m. to discuss Village historic preservation policies and programs.

Upcoming Plan Commission and Zoning Board of Appeals Meeting (March 20). The PCZBA will consider a special use permit that would allow the installation of an electric lift system on the bluff at 1875 Shore Acres Drive.

The March 25 meeting of the Village Board is cancelled.

Calendar Events - [View All](#)

[Meetings - Village Board & Historic Preservation Commission Workshop](#)

Saturday, March 16, 2019 - 8:30am

[Lake Bluff Library - Women of World War II: On the Front Lines & the Home Front](#)

Monday, March 18, 2019 - 7:00pm

[Lake Bluff Library - Tot Time](#)

Tuesday, March 19, 2019 - 10:15am

[Lake Bluff Library - Afternoon Book Club](#)

Tuesday, March 19, 2019 - 2:30pm

[Lake Bluff Library - Lake Bluff Public Library Board Meeting](#)

Tuesday, March 19, 2019 - 7:00pm

[Dickinson Hall - Women's Luncheon: "Regretting Mr. Wright: Mamah tells her own story."](#)

Wednesday, March 20, 2019 - 12:00pm

[Lake Bluff Library - Pajama Storytime](#)

Wednesday, March 20, 2019 - 6:30pm

[Meetings - Plan Commission and Zoning Board of Appeals \(PCZBA\) Meeting](#)

Wednesday, March 20, 2019 - 7:00pm

[Lake Bluff Library - Spring Vegetable Gardening Workshop](#)

Thursday, March 21, 2019 - 7:00pm

[Lake Bluff Library - Mad Hatters](#)

Saturday, March 23, 2019 - 11:00am

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