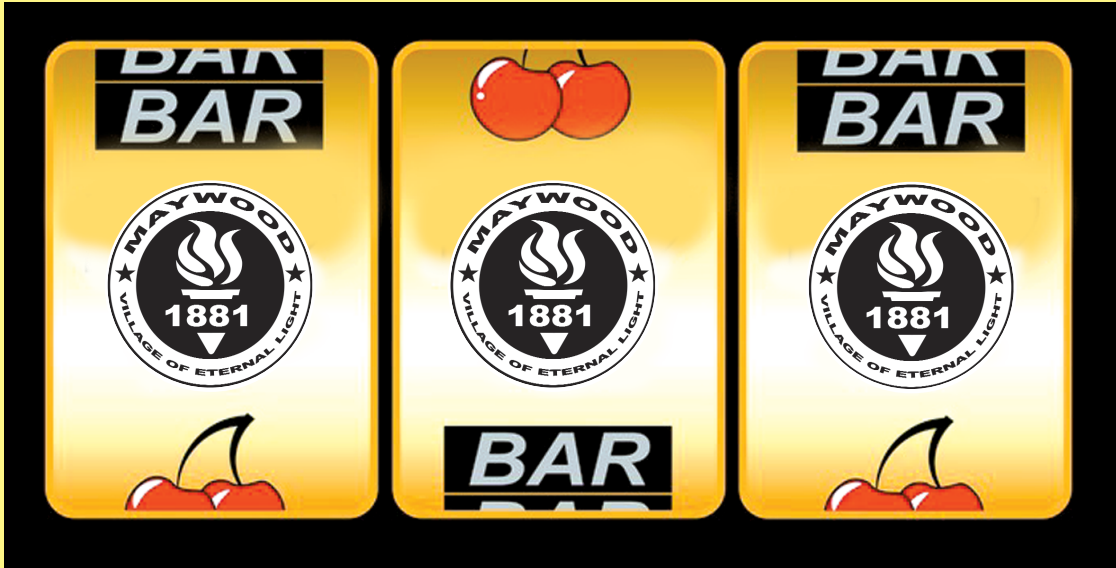


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summer 2019



Future Casino Payday!

During a celebration of the Proviso Township Joint Chambers of Commerce held at Triton College on June 5th, Maywood Village Administrator Willie Norfleet, Jr. had the opportunity to publicly thank Senate Majority Leader Kimberly Lightford, a proud resident of Maywood, for standing up for struggling local communities. Lightford's stance on Senate Bill 0690 would give a deserved share of the gambling revenue from the proposed Chicago casino to Maywood and south suburban Summit. Both communities meet the Bill's criteria for hardship. The State of Illinois, City of Chicago and Cook County would receive the lion's share and Maywood and Summit would get \$0.15/dollar.

"We are extremely happy and grateful to receive these funds, which would be considered "indefinite grants," said Mr. Norfleet. "Once the casino is built and funds begin to materialize, we already know that the money will have a huge impact on diminishing our deficit and strengthening our infrastructure. Through her foresight and courage, Senator Lightford will have almost single-handedly improved Maywood for years to come."



Pictured from left: Trustee Isiah Brandon, Senator Kimberly Lightford, Mayor Perkins, Trustee Melvin Lightford and Village Manager Willie Norfleet, Jr. at the Senator's office in Springfield.

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FROM THE DESK OF THE MAYOR EDWENNA PERKINS

My Mid-Term Report

Happy Summer, Maywoodians!

This is a wonderful time of year to explore the splendor of Chicago, Cook County, the State of Illinois, other states, and the world before returning to your home sweet home of Maywood.

Before I comment on this summer's events, I want to say that Census 2020 is upon us! Next year, we will participate in the constitutionally-mandated Census count that comes around once in a decade. That means that, whatever our Census count is, we will have to live with those numbers for the next 10 years. I want the people in this village to fully understand that getting an accurate complete count for Maywood is critically important. The Census count numbers are tied to vital resources and representation. Census numbers are used for everything from planning for hospitals, 9-1-1 centers, schools, lunch programs and disaster relief, as well as for helping businesses determine where best to locate and offer products and services. Census numbers are used to help decision-makers determine how to allocate billions of dollars worth of federal and state funding—and Maywood deserves its fair share! A proper proportion of public tax dollars should be used to support the important works and projects in our village, too. The wonderful people in this village deserve everything to which we are entitled. We work hard and pay taxes, and we deserve our fair share of resources. So, please, participate in the Census and be counted!

In other news, our summer jobs program for youth has already commenced, so adolescents from Maywood are busy engaging in public works all around the village. We are proud to be able to offer some of our young people the opportunity to earn money and acquire work experience, while upgrading areas of the town. Earlier this year, the Environmental and Beautification Commission paved the way for our young employees during the annual Village Wide, Village Pride Day. Volunteers gathered at the gazebo in Veterans Memorial Maywood Park on April 27th before fanning out all over the village to pick up litter from streets, parks, alleys, and vacant lots and buildings. More on page 14.

We are still engaged in infrastructure improvement as we work our way through the village repairing streets and alleys, and enhancing our parks. We are also working on the Fred Hampton Family Aquatic Center, because the polar vortex this winter caused extensive damage to the foundation of the pool. We know residents enjoy the Center, so we are working hard to make the necessary repairs with the hope of opening the pool before summer's end. Meanwhile, there are many programs designed to keep young people engaged in constructive activities while they are out of school. Check with the library, the park district, churches, nonprofit groups, and local schools.

Plans for Maywood Fest 2019 are in full swing as our committee is creating a three-day extravaganza for residents, neighbors, and friends. The Fest keeps getting better, and I cannot wait to see what develops this year! It is always a breathtaking sight: Maywoodians enjoying food, fun, entertainment and the company of friends and neighbors. And it is a joy to see Maywoodians who have moved from the village travel back to meet up with family and friends at the Fest. For me, it is a time to catch up and learn about the exciting things they are doing, as well as the ways in which their lives are unfolding!

In May, the village inaugurated two new members of the Board of Trustees. I want to welcome Trustees Miguel Jones (below left) and Nathaniel George Booker (below right) to the Board. I look forward to the ideas and initiatives Trustees Jones and Booker will bring to the table. I also want to congratulate Trustee Isiah Brandon who was re-elected to his second term. Isiah has been an outstanding and trusted voice on the village board; and his energy is indefatigable. I am looking forward to seeing more of his great ideas manifest for the good of Maywood, too.

As this summer plays out, I want all Maywoodians to enjoy beautiful days and really good times. I hope everyone gets the opportunity to try something new and do something different. When fall comes, I want everyone to be able to sincerely and enthusiastically say that the summer was fun-filled, inspiring, and fantastic!

Edwenna Perkins, Mayor



from the *Village* manager



At Long Last, We Are Witnessing A Reinvestment in Maywood!

TURNING THE CORNER. It gives me great pleasure to say to residents and businesses that many of my work days are consumed by giving attention to reinvestment in our Village, whether it be repair and modernization of our infrastructure or partnerships with individuals and corporations that are finally able to envision all that Maywood has to offer. Sometimes progress is masked as inconvenience as we tackle our water, sewer, alley and road projects but these

investments are playing a key role in bringing two new builders, movie producers and homebuyers to the Village of Eternal Light!

WATER & SEWER. These are our biggest expenditures this year. The 1st Avenue water main, dotted with a series of leaks, is the worst line in the Village and currently our top priority.

SOLD! We are thrilled to report that 12 residential lots have been sold to builders. One way to get Maywood to turn the corner is welcoming new property owners who build here! This improves our assessed valuation, puts property back on the tax rolls and causes a surge in our growth. Building permits and transfer stamps are on the rise, which means, not only are people moving in and building homes in Maywood but we are generating much-needed revenue in the process. Statistics show we are selling more homes faster and at a higher price than in previous years.



CONSTRUCTION. From the smaller storefronts featured in this issue to the huge developments on 5th Avenue (IFF apartments), 9th Avenue (Jim Apa's purchase of the largest parcel of vacant property in town to build a 6,000 square foot transportation facility) and the new facade for the strip mall at 17th and Madison, the growth is all around us! And we are working right alongside them, improving streets, alleys,

lights and our parks because it also brings investors to Maywood.

GRANTS & ABANDONED PROPERTY. Thanks to Director of Community Development David Myers and others on our staff, we have secured \$75,000, \$250,000 and \$117,500 in grants to eliminate blight in our community—addressing damaged trees, abandoned buildings, board-ups, refurbishing, if possible, and demolishing, when necessary.

WELCOME, SUMMER YOUTH. Where there is youth, there is energy and potential leadership! 40 young people and four supervisors are working in public service to the Village again this summer, engaging in safe, productive activity, under the leadership of HR Director LaSondra Banks.

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN MAYWOOD? It's all right here in this issue. On the next page, you'll find just a sample of the photos that speak louder than words—people at work, parks improved, the new 9-1-1 dispatch center, the continuation of our Green Infrastructure Alley project and the Union Pacific third train rail development at 5th Avenue. Reinvesting every day!

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at a glance

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EDWENNA PERKINS
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Viola Mims, Village Clerk

TRUSTEES

Nathaniel George Booker

Isiah Brandon

Miguel Jones

Melvin L. Lightford

Antonio Sanchez

Kimyada Wellington

phone numbers

Police Emergency	9-1-1
Non-Emergency	450-4470
Fire Emergency	9-1-1
Non-Emergency	343-5595
Mayor's Office	450-4492
Clerk's Office	450-6360
Public Works	450-4482
Water Dept.	450-6323
Manager's Office	450-6301
Code Enforcement	450-4405
Community Development	450-4429
Finance Dept.	450-6306

BOARD MEETINGS: Every 1st and 3rd Tuesday, 7 pm at 125 S. 5th Avenue in the Council Chambers.

WATCH Maywood Community News every Tuesday on Comcast Channel 6 at 7 pm.

VIDEO ON DEMAND: Watch recorded Board meetings by clicking the link on the Village website.

website

www.maywood-il.org



VILLAGE MANAGER s n a p s h o t

by Willie Norfleet, Jr.
**Reinvesting, celebrating and turning the corner
in the Village of Maywood!**

Clockwise from top left: With heartfelt thanks, I offer my sincere and heartfelt gratitude to the Proviso Township Joint Chambers of Commerce, my family and my Maywood family as I received the Distinguished Service Award at Triton College on June 5, sharing the stage with other local public servants and business-people who give their best every day! New lightpoles are being installed where damaged and dangerous poles were located and 16 trees have been removed in the Madison/5th Avenue TIF District. Public Works Director John West and his crew fixed 31 water main breaks and lastly repaired 35 sewer structures. Additionally, several streets were paved (see page 9). Mayor Perkins and I, along with the entire Board and countless past and present residents of the Village, congratulated Henderson Yarbrough on his retirement from public service. As a former Mayor and a Trustee, Mr. Yarbrough has dedicated himself to a better Maywood and we thank him for his efforts. We also recognized Trustee Ronald "Ron" Rivers for his many contributions to the Village of Maywood. County Clerk Karen Yarbrough joined with the Mayor, Clerk, Trustees, Police Chief, department heads and Broadview officials for the dedication of the new Eisenhower (IKE) emergency dispatch center located in the Broadview Police Station. The Union Pacific Third Rail project has been completed at 1st and 9th Avenues and is underway at 5th Avenue. Alleys continue to be paved as part of the Green Alley Infrastructure Grant Funding. Locations completed are also included in John West's report on page 9 of this issue. Lastly, check out the new mulch at our beautiful parks!



DAVID MYERS

*Director of
Community Development*



Sometimes fences actually make good neighbors!

Reinvesting in Maywood, as Village Manager Willie Norfleet, Jr., explained in his column, has been and continues to be our goal. There is an old saying, "Good fences make good neighbors," which originally applied to farmers with wandering livestock. But we look at it a little differently. When I drive through Maywood and see fencing, it's a sign of new growth, a housing project underway or, in the case of the photo below, construction on the largest parcel of vacant land in Maywood. Jim Apa and his company, SMC Management, is forging ahead with plans for its 6,000 square foot transportation facility at 1001 W. St. Charles Road. Reinvestment comes in all shapes and sizes, from Apa's huge operation, to the new businesses that begin on this page and continue on to the back cover of this issue. When you see a fence in Maywood, we're doing our best to bring revenue, restaurants, jobs and beautification to the Village and we hope you will think local, shop local, eat local and support the new growth.



David Myers: Lights, Camera, Action SEVERAL NEW BUSINESSES CHOOSE MAYWOOD



As this issue of the Village newsletter goes to press, Village officials welcomed several new businesses to Maywood. One of them, the Chicken Factory, 609 Roosevelt Road in Maywood, offers just about everything for the hungry customer. Owner Eddie Sheban hopes area residents will stop in to try the extensive menu which includes chicken tenders, wings, nuggets and dinners, of course, but also fish dinners (from catfish to crunchy cod), shrimp dinners, liver and gizzards, Italian Beef and a special \$5.99 meal menu for those on a budget. Add items from the long list of side orders and desserts to create a perfect lunch or dinner. Hours are 10 am to 10 pm Monday through Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 10 am to 11 pm and 10 am to 10 pm on Sundays. Call ahead for faster service: 356-6222. Major credit cards accepted. [More on the back cover]

Back on the Big Screen FILMMAKERS RETURN TO MAYWOOD

Residents in Maywood and those passing through recently may have noticed the production crews that are filming an upcoming movie entitled "Swing Shift." Patrons and customers at the Maywood Library, Kathy's Kitchen and the Multi-Purpose Building were among the first to get the "scoop" on the action. "We are always excited to offer filmmakers a Maywood backdrop," said David Myers, "and we are also very grateful for the revenue that comes with making a movie here." The production company has already paid a \$10,000 deposit to the Village. Back in 2014, NBC's hit television show "Chicago Fire" filmed in Maywood, using the Baptist Retirement home's roof for a helicopter crash scene.

Fred Hampton Aquatic Center Update POLAR VORTEX TOOK ITS TOLL ON THE POOL

Pool repairs are underway and, once complete, Maywoodians should be able to enjoy the Aquatic Center at about the same time the summer weather finally arrives. Winter weather did significant damage to the pool's concrete base, leaving many cracks. Old filters and electrical equipment are also being updated so watch the Village website for updates.

from the
POLICE DEPARTMENT
Valdimir Talley, Chief



Challenges

First, I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Maywood community, the Village Board, my colleagues, friends and fellow law enforcement agencies for supporting me in the loss of my mother. No one can ever prepare for how experiencing this loss challenges every part of our minds and our hearts.

Speaking of challenges, I would like to address three challenges of change. 1) For 138 years, officers have purchased their firearms. As time progressed, officers would qualify toward a standard but their weapons would range in type and variety. With multiple brands of weapons carried, it has become costly for the Village to supply ammunition to accommodate the variety of weapons. Effective July 1, 2019, ALL members of the Department will be issued GLOCK firearms, which were purchased without cost to the Village. 2) The Department will be conducting an analysis of Red Light cameras. The analysis is scheduled to be posted on the Village website by August 1, 2019. 3) Illinois Public Act 99-0006 required municipalities with populations of less than 25,000 to consolidate their 9-1-1 dispatch centers. The Village of Maywood partnered with the Village of Broadview to develop a state-of-the-art dispatch center known as the Eisenhower (IKE) 9-1-1 Center and it is now complete. An official grand opening was conducted on May 24 and all Maywood personnel were transitioned to the new center in early June. We are growing and changing to keep our eternal light shining bright. As our Village Manager said at a recent meeting, "It is a poor road that never changes." I'm proud that our legacy is one of continued growth and change!

Village Accident?

NEW PROGRAM EXPEDITES CRASH REPORTS New system goes "green" with benefits



▲ **E-CRASH.** The Maywood Police Department has implemented a new program for electronic crash reports called E-Crash, which helps officers fill out crash reports quicker and has an online feature to help keep track of all crash report data. One of the many benefits is that it

provides improved and "green" services, automatically gathers key information from the scene and aids in collecting more accurate details. Be careful when driving!



▲ **NOT AN EASY JOB!** Telecommunicator Tammy Zaia (left photo) was recognized by Chief Talley at a MAPS meeting for handling a high-stress call. Additionally, your Maywood telecommunicators celebrated Dispatch Appreciation Week in April as they prepared to transition to staff the new Eisenhower (IKE) 9-1-1 Center in Broadview. Pictured (L-R) are Tammy Zaia, Larissa Riddick and Telecommunicator Supervisor Charlotte Powell.

BE SAFE THIS SUMMER AND EVERY DAY Here's a Quick Rules of the Road Review

Rule 625 ILCS 5/11-703(e). A driver shall not, in a reckless manner, drive the motor vehicle unnecessarily close to, toward, or near a bicyclist, pedestrian, etc.

Rule 625 ILCS 5/11-908(c). The driver of a vehicle shall yield the right-of-way to any authorized vehicle or pedestrian actually engaged in work upon a highway indicated by official traffic-control devices. Violations can range from \$100 to \$10,000.

Rule 625 ILCS 5/11-1003.1 is failure to exercise due care for pedestrian or bicyclist. Give warning by sounding the horn when necessary and exercise proper caution upon observing any child or any obviously confused, incapacitated or intoxicated person.

Rule 625 ILCS 5/11-907(1). "Scott's Law" means pull over to the right-hand edge or curb to permit safe passage of an emergency vehicle, stop and remain in such position until the authorized emergency vehicle has passed.

Rule 625 ILCS 5/11-1502 means traffic laws apply to persons riding bicycles as well!

**We want to see you at a
MAPS MEETING**

Move Maywood Forward!

**YOUR
COMBINED
MAPS
MEETINGS**

Get involved with
**Maywood
Alternative
Policing Strategy**
and offer your
input.



ZONES 1 & 2:

1st Monday of the month.

Zone 1 Area: 1st east to 9th Avenue,
Main to Augusta, north to Village limits.

Zone 2 Area: 1st to 9th Avenue,
St. Charles to Harrison.

Join your neighbors at 7 pm at Woodside
Church, 621 N. First Avenue.

ZONE 3 & 4:

4th Monday of the month.

Zone 3 Area: 9th to 21st Avenue,
St. Charles to Harrison.

Zone 4 Area: 1st to 25th Avenue,
Bataan Drive to Roosevelt.

Join your neighbors at 7 pm at St. Eulalia
Church, 1851 S. 9th Avenue
(use Lexington Street entrance).

**If you have any questions about MAPS,
contact Community Resource and
Public Information Police Officer
Gregory Hines at 450-4409. If you see
something, say something!**

*Pictured above, Sgt. Rice delivers a presentation
to members of MAPS.*



**Chief Talley,
South 8th
Avenue Block
Club VP Ron
Riley and
Probationary**

**Officer Matthew Lukaszek attend the South 8th
Avenue meeting and help Mr. Riley celebrate his
70th birthday party! Block Clubs are critical for
safe communities. Contact Village Clerk Viola
Mims or Lt. Daryl Fairley for information on
becoming a Block Club.**

People & Places

ADVOCATES FOR YOUTH, WOMEN AND VICTIMS
The Maywood Police Department blazes a trail



Left photo: Lt. Dennis Diaz, Officer Donna Herrera and Officer Lizet Ochoa (not pictured) received awards from District 89 Assistant Principal Dianna Akers and Principal Yadira Gomez-Munoz of Lincoln School for bringing specialized enrichment activity to the school. Chief accepted the award for Officer Ochoa in her absence. Right photo: Chief Judge Cheryl Ingram addresses young women at Irving School after they were able to experience courtroom activity and have a one-on-one with the Judge on her day off.



Officer Brian Daniels braved rainy weather for a very worthy cause. May 2019 marked the 17th year of Dunkin's Cop on a Rooftop event with the Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics Illinois. To date, \$4.8 million has been raised through this partnership.



Maywood Police Department college intern Michael Shriber attended a presentation by Cook County Judge Marina Amendola (both pictured at left) on domestic violence and the elderly and returned to share insights with the Police Department on how to better protect women and seniors.



Chief Talley met with Chicago ATF (Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives) Special Agent-in Charge Celina Nunez as the Maywood Police Department partners with the ATF seeking to utilize their technology for an improved response to gun crimes occurring in the Village.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR FAITHFUL SERVICE!

Retired Maywood Police Lieutenant Jesse Ingram delivered a presentation to Mothers of Murdered Sons (MOMS) organized by CEO Phyllis Duncan. Speaking of Police Department retirements, Chief Talley thanked Sergeant Wayne Welch for 30 years of dedicated service and Detective Dantist Zimmerman for 25 years of service to the people of Maywood.



**JOIN US ON AUGUST 6:
IT'S NATIONAL NIGHT OUT**

Join the Maywood Police and Village leaders on August 6 from 4 to 9 pm behind the police station for the annual National Night Out. Together we can make our community safe.

from the
FIRE DEPARTMENT
Craig A. Bronaugh, Chief



Not Nagging—Caring

I don't mean to sound like a broken record. However, as your Fire Chief and on behalf of all of us at the Maywood Fire Department, I want everyone to have a safe and enjoyable summer.

There are simple ways to make that happen: Make a plan for fire, medical and heat-related emergencies along with preparing for natural disasters (such as tornadoes).

Secondly, because pedestrian traffic increases in the summer, individuals should use extreme caution while operating any vehicle (bike or car).

Also, have a serious talk with family and friends about First Aid and CPR—take advantage of any opportunity to learn. Lastly, when cooking up some fun this season, practice safety first—in the kitchen and at the grill, when it comes to dangerous kitchen utensils and fire. Maywoodians, be safe and dial 9-1-1 in emergencies!

In the photo below, your MFD runs regular practice drills, operating the engine to pump water through long hose lines used to battle structure fires so we will be ready when called upon.



Safety & Code

TIPS AND ORDINANCES

For details on these matters, call 450-4405 or contact Coordinator of Enforcement David Flowers directly at 450-6368.

LANDLORDS/PROPERTY OWNERS. You are responsible for annual registration. Any property vacant over 30 days requires a \$250 Vacant Building Registration Fee. Landlords/property owners are also responsible for all permits and property maintenance, such as grass over 6 inches, bushes, trees, roofs, gutters, garages and fly-dumping.

GOT GRASS? Grass clippings and branches (4-foot bundles) shall not be placed in streets or alleys.

REGISTER YOUR PETS. All Maywood pet owners **MUST** have their animals registered. Pets need vaccination records and require a \$10 annual registration fee. Village Ordinance mandates that only 2 dogs are allowed per household. All animals are required to be maintained under proper control at all times (on a non-retractable leash). No license will be issued for a Pit Bull without proof of spaying/neutering. Pit Bulls must be muzzled when outside your property. Any person in violation will be subject to a fine.

ONP: OVERNIGHT PARKING NEW FEATURES!

VACATION WATCH. Registered citizens can report their dates of vacation to Maywood Police in a “from-to” format which will allow officers to watch for suspicious activity knowing the address is temporarily vacated.

ANONYMOUS TIPS. This new module allows Maywoodians to report suspicious activity. Once the information is entered, there is no tracking the source or person providing the tip. An email is sent to the police for investigation.

SQUAD APP. Maywood Police officers are now able to check parking permissions directly from their squad, eliminating the need to print the report from the police station. They can simply enter the license plate number into the app and get an immediate YES or NO parking permission status so make sure you have permission!

DO CUSTOMERS CALL YOU WITH QUESTIONS ABOUT THEIR DRINKING WATER?

SIGN UP TO BE PART OF THE WATER QUALITY EMAIL LIST.

The City of Chicago Water Management (DWM) takes source water protection seriously. Being part of the Water Quality Email List means you can share with your customers that you, as a drinking water supplier, are aware of a developing water quality situation and that sampling is occurring.

If you would like to sign up for the Water Quality Email List, send your satellite name, EPA ID number, Administrative contact email, Operator in Charge email and Bottle Recipient email (or indicate that the EPA has these emails on file) to:
chicagowatertesting@cityofchicago.org.



FROM PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR JOHN WEST

2019 Water Quality Report

It's time again for the annual report on our water system for the period of January 1 to December 31, 2018. During 2018, the Village of Maywood, in its continuing commitment to provide excellent water service and increased efficiency throughout the water system, completed and repaired 62 Buffalo Boxes, installed or replaced 12 water hydrants, fixed 31 water main breaks and lastly repaired 35 sewer structures. Additionally, several streets were paved: Madison Street: 1st Avenue to Desplaines River; 2nd Avenue: Wilcox—Prairie Path; South Maywood Drive: 17th to 11th Avenue; Warren Street: 17th Avenue to 19th Avenue, 20th Avenue; Madison Street—Washington Boulevard. Seven alleys were paved during 2018 through the receipt of \$841,110 in Green Alley Infrastructure Grant Funding. Locations completed are:

Between 6th and 5th Avenue, Van Buren Street and Quincy Street; between 5th and 4th Avenue, Washington Boulevard and Pine Street; between 5th and 4th Avenue, Maple Street and Oak Street; between 2nd and 1st Avenue, Van Buren Street and Quincy Street; between 2nd and 1st Avenue, Madison Street and Green Street; between 5th Avenue and 4th Avenue, School Street and Warren Street; between 6th Avenue and 5th Avenue, Quincy Street and Prairie Path; between 14th and 13th Avenue, Washington Boulevard and Randolph Street; between 14th and 13th Avenue, Randolph Street and Oak Street. Each project included some repair/replacement of water mains and sewers.

It is important to know that the Village Board has absorbed and did not pass on to residents the 2018 1.83% water rate increase required by the City of Chicago. These and other actions have been taken to provide you with the best service possible and an affordable rate. Please read the balance of this report as it will give you valuable information on improvement projects in the Village as it relates to water and our sewer system. This report is intended to provide residents with important information about your drinking water and the efforts made to provide safe drinking water. The source of drinking water used by Maywood is *purchased surface water from the City of Chicago*. Questions? Contact Chris Flowers at 681-8848.

For questions on meter reading and collection procedures, call the Water Department at 450-6300.

DRINKING WATER: WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW

Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of these contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the USEPA's Safe Drinking Water Hotline at (800) 426-4791.

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as those with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly and infants can be particularly at risk for infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their healthcare providers. USEPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by *Cryptosporidium* and other microbial contaminants are available from the USEPA's Safe Drinking Water Hotline at (800) 426-4791.

The sources of drinking water (both tap and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally-occurring minerals and radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity. Possible contaminants consist of: **Microbial contaminants**, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations and wildlife.

Inorganic contaminants like salts and metals, which can be naturally occurring or result from urban storm water run-off, industrial or domestic waste water discharges, oil and gas production, mining or farming.

Pesticides and herbicides, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban storm water run-off and residential uses.

Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban storm water run-off and septic systems.

Radioactive contaminants, which can be naturally occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.

In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, EPA prescribes regulations which limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. FDA regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water which must provide the same protection for public health. If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. The Village of Maywood and City of Chicago Department of Water Management are responsible for providing high quality drinking water but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using your water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods and steps you can take to minimize exposure are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or this website: <http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead>

2018 Violation Summary Table: MAYWOOD

The Village of Maywood is pleased to announce that no monitoring, reporting, treatment technique, maximum residual disinfectant level or maximum contaminant level violations were recorded during 2018.

Accurate Readings

Since the initiation of Maywood's upgraded metering system, meters throughout the Village have been installed and are now being accurately read. New meters are MANDATORY and installed at no charge. If you are experiencing a problem with a meter, call 450-6311.

**FAILURE TO REPORT METER PROBLEMS
MAY RESULT IN INCREASED CHARGES FOR
WATER SERVICES.**

For Your Convenience

The Village of Maywood offers online bill pay at www.maywood-il.org.

You can pay with Visa, Discover, MasterCard and American Express.



MAYWOOD SPRINKLING ORDINANCE

Lawn sprinkling shall NOT be permitted between the hours of 9 am and 6 pm daily during the period of May 15-September 15.

<i>Disinfectants and Disinfection By-Products</i>	<i>Collection Date</i>	<i>Highest Level Detected</i>	<i>Range of Levels Detected</i>	<i>MCLG</i>	<i>MCL</i>	<i>Units</i>	<i>Violation</i>	<i>Likely Source of Contamination</i>
<u>Chlorine</u>	12/27/2018	1	0.8-1	MRDLG =4	MRDL =4	ppm	N	Water additive used to control microbes
<u>Haloacetic Acids (HAA5)*</u>	2018	15	9.29-18.57	No goal for the total	60	ppb	N	By-product of drinking water disinfection
<u>Total Trihalomethanes TTHM</u>	2018	29	18.47-42.7	No goal for the total	80	ppb	N	By-product of drinking water disinfection

<i>Desinfectantes y Sub-Productos de Desinfección</i>	<i>Fecha de Colección</i>	<i>Nivel Más Alto Detectado</i>	<i>Gama de Niveles Detectados</i>	<i>MCLG</i>	<i>MCL</i>	<i>Unidades</i>	<i>Violación</i>	<i>Fuente Probable de Contaminación</i>
<u>Chloro</u>	12/27/2018	1	0.8-1	MRDLG =4	MRDL +4	ppm	No	Aditivo de agua utilizada para el control de microbios
<u>Acidos Hiloceticos (HAA5)*</u>	2018	15	9.29-18.57	Ninguna Meta para el Total	60	ppb	No	Subproducto de la desinfección del agua potable
<u>Totales de Trihalomethanes TTHM</u>	2018	29	18.47-42.7	Ninguna Meta para el Total	80	ppb	No	Subproducto de la desinfección del agua potable

COLIFORM BACTERIA

<i>Maximum Contaminant Level Goal</i>	<i>Total Coliform Maximum Contaminant Level</i>	<i>Highest No. of Positive</i>	<i>Fecal Coliform or E.Coli Maximum Level Contaminant</i>	<i>Total No. of Positive E.Coli or Fecal Coliform Samples</i>	<i>Violation</i>	<i>Likely Source of Contamination</i>
0	0 positive monthly sample	0		0	N	Naturally present in the environment

BACTERIA COLIFORME

<i>Meta del Nivel Máximo Contaminante</i>	<i>Total del Nivel Máximo del Contaminante Coliforme</i>	<i>Número Mayor de Positivos</i>	<i>Nivel Máximo del Contaminante Fecal de Coliforme o E.Coli</i>	<i>Número Total de Pruebas Positivas de E.Coli o Coliforme Fecales</i>	<i>Violación</i>	<i>Fuente más probable de Contaminación</i>
0	0	0		0	N	Naturalmente presente en el medio ambiente

LEAD AND COPPER.

Definitions: Action Level Goal (ALG): The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. ALGS allow a margin of safety.

Action Level: The concentration of a contaminant which, if expected, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.

PLOMO Y COBRE.

Definiciones: Meta del Nivel de Acción: El nivel de un contaminante en el agua potable bajo el cual no hay un riesgo conocido o esperado a la salud. La Meta del Nivel de Acción permite un margen de seguridad. Nivel de Acción: La concentración de un contaminante el cual, si es esperado, resulta en tratamiento u otros requisitos los cuales un sistema de agua debe de seguir.

<i>Lead and Copper</i>	<i>Date Sampled</i>	<i>MCLG</i>	<i>Action Level (AL)</i>	<i>90th Percentile</i>	<i># Sites Over AL</i>	<i>Units</i>	<i>Violations</i>	<i>Likely Source of Contamination</i>
Lead	08/13/2018	0	15	5.82	0	ppb	N	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits

<i>Plomo y Cobre</i>	<i>Fecha de la Prueba</i>	<i>MCLG</i>	<i>Nivel de Acción (AL)</i>	<i>Por Ciento en los 90's</i>	<i># de Lugares</i>	<i>Unidades</i>	<i>Violaciones</i>	<i>Fuente más probable de Contaminación</i>
Plomo	08/13/2018	0	15	5.82	0	ppb	N	Corrosión en la plomería del hogar



DE OBRAS PUBLICAS DIRECTOR JOHN WEST

Informe sobre la Calidad del Agua

Es hora de que vuelva el informe anual sobre nuestro sistema de agua para el período del 1 de enero al 31 de diciembre de 2018. Durante 2018, la Villa de Maywood, en su compromiso continuo de proporcionar un servicio de agua excelente y una mayor eficiencia en todo el sistema de agua, se completó y reparó 62 cajas Buffalo, instaló o reemplazó 12 hidrantes de agua; reparó 31 cortes de agua principales, y finalmente reparó 35 estructuras de alcantarillado. Además, se pavimentaron varias calles, Madison St. : 1ª avenida al río Des Plaines, 2ª avenida: Wilcox - Prairie Path, South Maywood Dr.: 17 a 11 avenida, Warren St.: 17 avenida a 19 avenida, 20 avenida: Madison St. - Washington Blvd. Se pavimentaron siete callejones durante 2018, así como a través de la recepción de \$ 841,110 de fondos de la subvención Green Alley Infrastructure. Las ubicaciones completadas son: Entre las avenidas 6 y 5, Van Buren St. y Quincy St.; Entre la quinta y cuarta avenida, Washington Blvd. y Pine St.; Entre las avenidas 5 y 4, Maple St. y Oak St.; Entre la 2ª y la 1ª avenida, Van Buren St. y Quincy St.; Entre la 2ª y la 1ª avenida, Madison St. y Green St.; Entre las avenidas 5 y 4, School St. y Warren St.; Entre las avenidas 6 y 5, Quincy St. y Prairie Path; Entre las avenidas 14 y 13, Washington Blvd. y Randolph St.; Entre las avenidas 14 y 13, Randolph St. y Oak St. Cada proyecto incluyó alguna reparación/reemplazo de tuberías de agua y alcantarillado. Además, el pueblo absorbió y no transmitió a los residentes el aumento de 2018 1.83% en la tarifa del agua requerida por la Ciudad de Chicago. Este informe pretende ofrecer a los residentes con información importante sobre su agua potable y los esfuerzos realizados por el sistema de agua para proporcionar agua potable. La fuente de agua potable utilizada por Maywood es comprada en la ciudad de Chicago. Si alguien tiene preguntas sobre este informe, póngase en contacto con Chris Flores en 708-681-8848. Para preguntas sobre procedimientos de colección y lectura del medidor, llame al departamento de agua en 708-450-6311.

Este reporte pretende proporcionar a los residentes con información importante sobre su agua potable y los esfuerzos llevados a cabo por el sistema de agua para proveer agua potable segura. La fuente de agua potable usada por Maywood es agua de la superficie comprada de la Ciudad de Chicago. El agua potable, incluyendo agua embotellada, puede razonablemente esperarse que contenga por lo menos pequeñas cantidades de algunos contaminantes. La presencia de contaminantes no necesariamente indica que el agua posea un riesgo para la salud. Más información acerca de contaminantes y posibles efectos sobre la salud puede obtenerse llamando a la línea directa de Agua Potable Segura de la USEPA al (800) 426-4791. Algunas personas pueden ser más vulnerables a los contaminantes en el agua potable que la población general. Las personas inmunodeficientes como aquellas con cáncer que reciben quimioterapia, personas que han recibido transplantes de órganos, personas con VIH/SIDA u otros trastornos del sistema inmunológico, algunas personas mayores y niños pueden estar particularmente a riesgo de infecciones. Estas personas deben buscar asesoramiento sobre el agua potable de su proveedores de atención médica. Las guías de EPA/CDC sobre las maneras apropiadas para disminuir el riesgo de infección de Cryptosporidiosis y otros contaminantes con microbios están disponibles en la línea gratuita de Agua Potable Segura de la EPA llamando al (800) 426-4791. Las fuentes de agua potable (grifo y embotellada) incluyen ríos, lagos, arroyos, estanques, embalses, manantiales y pozos. Mientras que el agua viaja sobre la superficie de la tierra o a través del suelo, disuelve minerales naturales y material radioactivo y recoge sustancias que son resultados de la presencia de animales o de actividad humana. Posibles contaminantes consisten en: Contaminantes microbianos, tales como virus y bacterias, que pueden provenir de plantas de tratamiento de aguas residuales, sistemas sépticos, operaciones agrícolas y ganadería y la fauna silvestre.

- Contaminantes inorgánicos como sales y metales, que naturalmente pueden ocurrir o ser resultado del escurrimiento de agua de tormentas urbanas, vertidos de agua residuales industriales o domésticas, producción de petróleo y gas, minería o agricultura.
- Pesticidas y herbicidas, que pueden provenir de una variedad de fuentes como la agricultura, el escurrimiento de agua de tormentas urbanas y usos residenciales.
- Contaminantes químicos orgánicos, incluyendo productos químicos orgánicos sintéticos y volátiles que son subproductos de procesos industriales y producción de petróleo y también pueden provenir de gasolineras, escurrimiento de agua de tormentas urbanas y sistemas sépticos.
- Contaminantes radioactivos que pueden ocurrir naturalmente o ser el resultado de producción de petróleo y gas y minería.

Con el fin de que al agua del grifo sea segura para beber, la EPA prescribe regulaciones que limitan la cantidad de ciertos contaminantes en el agua proveída por los sistemas públicos de agua. Las regulaciones del FDA establecen límites para los contaminantes en agua embotellada la cual tiene que proveer la misma protección para la salud pública.

Si está presente, los niveles elevados de plomo pueden causar problemas serios de salud para mujeres embarazadas y niños pequeños. El plomo en el agua potable viene principalmente de materiales y componentes asociados con las líneas de servicio y la plomería del hogar. La Villa de Maywood y el Departamento de De Gestiones de Agua de la Ciudad de Chicago, son responsables por proveer agua potable de alta calidad pero no pueden controlar la variedad de materiales usados en los componentes de plomería. Cuando el agua está sin ser usada por varias horas, usted puede minimizar el potencial de que el agua esté expuesta al plomo abriendo la llave del agua y dejar que el agua corra de 30 segundos a 2 minutos antes de usar su agua para beber o cocinar. Si usted está preocupado por el plomo en su agua, usted puede querer que su agua sea examinada. Información sobre el plomo en agua potable, métodos de prueba, y pasos que usted puede tomar para minimizar estar expuesto al plomo, está disponible en la línea gratuita de Agua Potable Segura o en

<http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead>.

2018 Tabla Sumario de Violaciones en: MAYWOOD

El Pueblo de Maywood se complace en anunciar que ningún monitoreo, reportes, técnica de tratamiento, nivel máximo de desinfectante residual, o violaciones de nivel máximo contaminante fueron registradas durante el año 2018.

Lecturas más precisas

Desde el inicio de Maywood había actualizado sistema de medición el 99% de los metros por todo el pueblo se han instalado y ahora están siendo leer con precisión.

Nuevos metros están instalados de forma gratuita y obligatoria.

Si aún no tienes un nuevo medidor, llame al 708-450-6311.

INCUMPLIMIENTO PUEDE RESULTAR EN LA PÉRDIDA DE SERVIOUS DE AGUA.

Para su Comodidad

Para su comidad, el pueblo de Maywood ofrece pago de facturas en línea en www.maywood-il.org. Se puede pagar con Visa, Discover, Master Card y American Express.



Un recordatorio amistoso:

rociada de césped no se permitirán entre las horas de 9 am y 6 pm todos los días durante el período del 15 de mayo al 15 de septiembre.

CITY OF CHICAGO DEPARTMENT OF WATER MANAGEMENT SOURCE WATER ASSESSMENT SUMMARY FOR THE 2019 CONSUMER CONFIDENCE REPORT (CCR)

Source Water Location

The City of Chicago utilizes Lake Michigan as its source water via two water treatment plants. The Jardine Water Purification Plant serves the northern areas of the City and suburbs while the South Water Purification Plant serves the southern areas of the City and suburbs. Lake Michigan is the only Great Lake that is entirely contained within the United States. It borders Illinois, Indiana, Michigan and Wisconsin and is the second largest Great Lake by volume with 1,180 cubic miles of water and third largest by area.

Source Water Assessment Summary

The Illinois EPA implemented a Source Water Assessment Program (SWAP) to assist with watershed protection of public drinking water supplies. The SWAP inventories potential sources of contamination and determined the susceptibility of the source water to contamination. The Illinois EPA has completed the Source Water Assessment Program for our supply. Further information on our community water supply's Source Water Assessment Program is available by calling the Village of Maywood Public Works Department at 708-450-4482 or City of Chicago, Department of Water Management at 312-744-6635.

Susceptibility to Contamination

The Illinois EPA considers all surface water sources of community water supply to be susceptible to potential pollution problems. The very nature of surface water allows contaminants to migrate into the intake with no protection, only dilution. This is the reason for mandatory treatment for all surface water supplies in Illinois. Chicago's offshore intakes are located at a distance that shoreline impacts are not usually considered a factor on water quality. At certain times of the year, however, the potential for contamination exists due to wet-weather flows and river reversals. In addition, the placement of crib structures may serve to attract waterfowl, gulls and terns that frequent the Great Lakes area, thereby concentrating fecal deposits at the intake and thus compromising the source water quality. Conversely, the shore intakes are highly susceptible to storm water runoff, marinas and shoreline point sources due to the influx of groundwater to the lake. Further information on our community water supply's Source Water Assessment Program is available by calling the City of Chicago, Department of Water Management at 312-744-6635.

2018 Voluntary Monitoring

The City of Chicago has continued monitoring for Cryptosporidium, Giardia and E.coli in its source water as part of its water quality program. To date, Cryptosporidium has not been detected in these samples but Giardia was detected in 2010 in one raw lake water sample collected in September 2010. Treatment processes have been optimized to provide effective barriers for removal of Cryptosporidium oocysts and Giardia cysts in the source water, effectively removing these organisms in the treatment process. By maintaining low turbidity through the removal of particles from the water, the possibility of Cryptosporidium and Giardia organisms getting into the drinking water system is greatly reduced.

In 2018, CDWM has also monitored for hexavalent chromium, also known as Chromium-6. USEPA has not yet established a standard for Chromium-6, a contaminant of concern which has both natural and industrial sources. Please address any questions or concerns to DWM's Water Quality Division at 312-742-7499. Data reports on the monitoring program for Chromium-6 are posted on the City's website: http://www.cityofchicago.org/city/en/depts/water/supp_info/water_quality_resultsandreports/city_of_chicago_emergincontaminantstudy.html

For more information

Please contact Andrea Putz, Deputy Commissioner for the Bureau of Water Supply at 312-744-8190. Chicago Department of Water Management, Bureau of Water Supply is located at 1000 E. Ohio Street, Chicago, IL 60611, Attn: Andrea Putz.

Please share this information with all the other people who drink water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly (for example in apartments, nursing homes, schools and businesses). You can do this by posting this notice in a public place or distributing copies by hand or mail. This notice is being sent to you by The City of Chicago, Department of Water Management, Water System ID#0316000.

Data tabulated by Chicago Department of Water Management - 2018 Water Quality Data

-Definition of Terms-

Maximum Contaminant Level Goal (MCLG): The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.

Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL): The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.

Highest Level Detected: This column represents the single sample reading of a contaminant of all the samples collected in 2018, except where a specific date is indicated.

Range of Detections: This column represents a range of individual sample results, from lowest to highest that were collected during the CCR calendar year.

Date of Sample: If a date appears in this column, the Illinois EPA requires monitoring for this contaminant less than once per year because the concentrations do not frequently change. If no date appears in the column, monitoring for this contaminant was conducted during the Consumer Confidence Report calendar year.

Treatment Technique (TT): A required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.

N/A: Not applicable

Water Quality Data Table Footnotes

TURBIDITY. Turbidity is a measure of the cloudiness of the water. We monitor it because it is a good indicator of water quality and the effectiveness of our filtration system and disinfectants.

UNREGULATED CONTAMINANTS. A maximum contaminant level (MCL) for this contaminant has not been established by either state or federal regulations, nor has mandatory health effects language. The purpose for monitoring this contaminant is to assist USEPA in determining the occurrence of unregulated contaminants in drinking water, and whether future regulation is warranted.

FLUORIDE. Fluoride is added to the water supply to help promote strong teeth. The Illinois Department of Public Health recommends an optimal fluoride range of 0.7 mg/l with a range of 0.6 mg/l to 0.8 mg/l.

SODIUM. There is not a state or federal MCL for sodium. Monitoring is required to provide information to consumers and health officials that are concerned about sodium intake due to dietary precautions. If you are on a sodium-restricted diet, you should consult a physician about this level of sodium in the water.

Units of Measurement

ppm - Parts per million, or milligrams per liter

ppb - Parts per billion, or micrograms per liter

NTU - Nephelometric Turbidity Unit, used to measure cloudiness in drinking water

%<0.3 NTU - Percent samples less than 0.3 NTU

pCi/l - Picocuries per liter, used to measure radioactivity

DETECTED CONTAMINANTS

<i>Contaminant (unit of measurement) Typical Source of Contaminant</i>	<i>MCLG</i>	<i>MCL</i>	<i>Highest Level detected</i>	<i>Range of detections</i>	<i>Violation</i>	<i>Date of Sample</i>
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TURBIDITY DATA

TURBIDITY (%<0.3NTU) Soil runoff. Lowest monthly percent meeting limit	N/A	TT (95%<0.3NTU)	100%	100%-100%		
TURBIDITY (NTU) Soil runoff. Highest single measurement	N/A	TT (Limit 1 NTU)	0.19	N/A		

INORGANIC CONTAMINANTS

BARIUM (ppm) Discharge of drilling wastes; Discharge from metal refineries; Erosion of natural deposits	2	2	0.0214	0.0203-0.0214		
NITRATE (AS NITROGEN) (ppm) Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks, sewage; Erosion of natural deposits	10	10	0.42	0.31-0.42		
TOTAL NITRATE & NITRATE (AS NITROGEN) (ppm) Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks, sewage; Erosion of natural deposits	10	10	0.42	0.31-0.42		

TOTAL ORGANIC CARBON (TOC)

The percentage of Total Organic Carbon (TOC) removal was measured each month and the system met all TOC removal requirements set by the IEPA

UNREGULATED CONTAMINANTS

SULFATE (ppm) Erosion of naturally occurring deposits	N/A	N/A	27.6	26.3-27.6		
SODIUM (ppm) Erosion of naturally occurring deposits; Used as water softener	N/A	N/A	8.89	8.14-8.89		

STATE REGULATED CONTAMINANTS

FLUORIDE (ppm) Water additive which promotes strong teeth.	4	4	.86	0.64-0.86		
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RADIOACTIVE CONTAMINANTS

COMBINED RADIUM 226/228 (pCi/L) Decay of natural and man-made deposits	0	5	.84	0.50-0.84		2/11/14
GROSS ALPHA excluding radon and uranium (pCi/L) Decay of natural and man-made deposits	0	15	6.6	6.1-6.6		2/11/14

Water Quality Test Results

Definitions:

Avg:

Level 1 Assessment:

Level 2 Assessment:

Maximum Contaminant Level or MCL:

Maximum Contaminant Level Goal or MCLG:

Maximum residual disinfectant level or MRDL:

Maximum residual disinfectant level goal MRDLG:

The following tables contain scientific terms and measures, many of which may require explanation
Regulatory compliance with some MCLs are based on running annual average of monthly samples

A Level 1 assessment is a study of the water system to identify potential problems and determine (if possible) why total coliform bacteria have been found in our water system

A Level 2 assessment is a very detailed study of the water system to identify potential problems and determine (if possible) why an E.coli MCL violation has occurred and/or why total coliform bacteria have been found in our water system on multiple occasions

The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.

The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.

The highest level of a disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is convincing evidence that addition of disinfectant is necessary for control of microbial contaminants.

The level of a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLGs do not reflect the benefits of the use of disinfectants to control microbial contaminants.

forging ahead and **IMPROVING YOUR LIFE IN MAYWOOD**

from Environmental Beautification & Historic Preservation

THANK YOU, FAITHFUL AND PROUD VOLUNTEERS!



Low temperatures...but high spirits prevail!



The weather was chilly and rainy for the annual Village Pride Village Wide event on April 20 but willing volunteers still showed up to beautify the Village. Commissioner Loretta Brown (pictured at left), the planning committee chairwoman, thanked those who gave their time before and after the event, when the weather improved. Many thanks, too, to the Proviso East band that provided musical motivation. Pictured above, Village Trustees, Maywood Mayor Edwenna Perkins fellow residents as well as a family of volunteers stepped up to beautify Maywood.



LET'S PAINT THE GAZEBO

More projects are slated for the summer months and volunteers are needed! Join with neighbors to paint the gazebo, which needs a fresh summer facelift, on July 20th. Contact Commissioner Brown at 450-4411 for more information.

Background and interest in Building Science? Renewable Energy? Waste Management? The Environmental Beautification Commission wants you

The Environmental Beautification Commission has open positions and is seeking Maywood residents with an educational background and interest in building sciences (LEED, HERS, Passive House), renewable energy (solar, wind, geothermal, fuel cells, battery power, etc.) or waste management (recycling, hazardous waste, rainwater harvesting and



management, construction diversion and re-use, EPA controls and policy). For information about the Commission, please contact Chairwoman Laura Rogers at envcomm@maywood-il.org or by contacting the Village's Community Development/staff liaison at 450-4411.

To apply for a Commission position, contact the Mayor's office at 450-4492 during business hours.

REGISTER FOR SOLAR PANELS



SUN ENERGY **Get in on the program now**

The Environmental Beautification Commission urges residents and small businesses to consider having solar panels installed on their properties at a discounted price through a special, limited-time program. Solarize Chicagoland is a program designed to provide financial relief for the upfront cost of installing a solar system by 35% or more. The program is sponsored through CUB (Citizens Utility Board) and MREA (Midwest Renewable Energy Association). Visit the website at www.SolarizeChicagoland.com or call 1-800-669-5556. Keep in mind that the Village prohibits street-facing solar panels; however, panels facing directions other than directly south still generate a substantial amount of electricity. Pictured: panels on a Maywood home; Sarah Muskowitz, CUB Outreach Director and Laura Rogers, Environmental Beautification Chairwoman.

enjoy *the* summer!

For more information on Maywood Park District programs, rentals, the Lightford Rec Center, fitness center and more, follow the Facebook page, stop in at main office, 921 S. 9th Avenue or call 708-344-4740.



Friday, 8:30 am to 4 pm. Before and after care available.

MEGA SPORTS CAMP. Learn to be a superhero through the choices you make every day in sports and in life. For ages 6-12, Monday through Friday, 5 to 8 pm, July 15-July 19.

BASKETBALL CAMP. The Park District teams up with Four Point Play for an exciting skills training camp, August 12-16, 1 to 4 pm for ages 6th-12th grade. Fee is \$30 for residents, \$40 for non-residents.

SUPERHERO CAMP. An awesome camp for children who love superheroes of all kinds! Monday through Thursday, 1 to 4 pm, July 15-July 18, ages 6-9.

YOUTH BOXING BUILDS CONFIDENCE. The All American Combat Sports Youth Boxing Program is designed for kids ages 5-13, a form of combat martial arts that teaches kids teamwork, leadership and self-confidence. Session 2 starts July 29-August 21, Monday and Wednesday for ages 7-12 at the Lightford Rec Center.

ZUMBA: A FUN FITNESS CLASS. Upcoming sessions: July 15-August 21 and August 26-October 9, Mondays and Wednesdays, 6:30 to 7:30 pm.

PAINT AND SIP NIGHT. Explore a talent and enjoy a night with your peers. IDs will be checked at the event; pre-registration is required. For ages 21 and up. Next dates are Tuesday, July 23 and August 27, 6:30 to 8 pm. \$50 R, \$60 NR.

SENIOR CROCHET CLUB. For all skill levels and it's free! Monday and Wednesday, 10 am until Noon.

NEW! POSH CLUB FOR SENIORS. For ages 55+, enjoy a club-type atmosphere in a safe and local setting. Light refreshments, music, dancing and more. Must pre-register. Wednesdays, July 17 and August 21, 2 to 5 pm in the Lightford Rec Center.

JAZZIN @ THE SHEDD. Enjoy the Chicago skyline and top jazz musicians on Wednesday, August 14. Depart at 4 pm, return 10 pm.

VINTAGE ILLINOIS. A trip to Illinois' largest wine festival. Enjoy the ride, purchase wines and food on-site. Saturday, September 21, 8 am to 6:30 pm.

FOUR WINDS CASINO. Travel with MPD to New Buffalo, Michigan. Fee includes gaming, food credit and transportation. Thursday, August 29.

LUNCH CRUISE. Step aboard a Mystic Blue lunch cruise at Navy Pier and take in some of the best views of the city while kicking back at a tasty lunch buffet. For ages 18 and up, Tuesday, July 30.

**LIGHTFORD
RECREATION CENTER**

Reserve the Lightford Rec Center for your wedding or next special event! Stop in to see all options!



POOL OPEN DATE

Over 30,000 people have visited the Fred Hampton Aquatic Center since 2013! Repairs and updates are in progress so watch the Village website and subscribe to Maywood News emails for the latest information on the pool open date for Summer 2019!

TAKE ME FISHING

Maywood youth ages 9 and up are invited to enjoy the great outdoors and sign up for this summer's fishing trip at Monee Reservoir on July 20. Must register by July 12. For waivers and specific info, contact Maywood Park District at 344-4740.

OLD-TIMERS PICNIC

Pack up some chairs, a picnic lunch or a grill and spend the day with friends at Veterans Park (behind the police station) from Noon til 5 pm on August 17. Food, entertainment, games, prizes. For more info, call Audrey Jaycox (708-655-3777), Tanya Butler (708-257-7339) or Grady Rivers (708-372-3702).

MAYWOOD FEST: SEPTEMBER 2019

Count on three days of carnival rides, food and merchandise vendors, musical performances, activities for seniors and fun for the whole family at Veterans Park. Watch for details on the Village website and the Maywood Fest Facebook page.

BATAAN DAY

Maywood Bataan Day Organization's (MBDO) perpetuates the memory of the brave area residents who served in the 192nd Tank Battalion. Sunday, September 8, 2019, program begins at 3 pm. For details, call MBDO Vice President Edwin Walker at 345-7077, visit www.mbdoo.org or follow MBDO on Facebook.



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Businesses help make a community great and the Village of Maywood applauds its new enterprises for being great partners by adding jobs and for contributing to continued progress.

Everyone in the Village is excited when a new business opens. Maywood is always seeking entrepreneurs and major corporations to call Maywood "home." In this issue, we're celebrating with a few new start-ups.

Cielito Lindo Cafe, 612 W. Lake Street, a family-owned Mexican cafe, fills the spot where the late Pedro Alvarez cooked up authentic Cuban dishes for almost 50 years. At the grand opening in May, Village officials and Trustees, as well as a lively Mariachi band, gathered to welcome owner Daniela Rosas and her husband, Alberto Trevino—the newest members of the Lake Street Business Corridor. After many months of searching for the right location, they were thrilled to find the perfect spot in Maywood to serve up authentic, traditional Mexican dishes such as tacos, empanadas, enchiladas as well as soups, a brunch menu and a kids menu.

In the top photo, Mayor Edwenna Perkins, Trustee Isiah Brandon, Village Manager Willie Norfleet, Jr., other Village officials and staff and Cielito employees celebrate the official start of the new venture which is open daily from 9 am to 7 pm.

For more information or to place order, call 938-5197. View the restaurant's full menu on Yelp.



Mastermind Nutrition. Owner Eckford James Spencer hopes to help Maywoodians get healthy and change their lives for the better with great nutrition products and programs, through education and with Herbalife. Spencer opened Mastermind Nutrition, located at 713 S. 5th Avenue, to inspire area residents to embrace a healthier, more active lifestyle. Village officials, friends, family and neighboring business owners came together on Saturday, June 15 for a ribbon cutting. Pictured left to right, Joe Cruz and his wife, Gloria Cruz, Theresa Wilson, owner of T&JJ's, Eckford James Spencer with Maywood Mayor Edwenna Perkins, Angela Smith, Maywood Community Development Department's Business Development Coordinator, local barber Jim Mayweather and Village Trustee Isiah Brandon. Mastermind is open Monday through Saturday from 6 am to 9 pm; closed on Sundays. For more information, call Spencer at 773-598-0134.

[More Maywood business news on page 5 as part of the Director of Community Development's report]