



Crossroads on the Fox

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Village of North Aurora

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Village President - Dale Berman

Regarding COVID-19, we are continuing to monitor the situation and how it may affect our community. The Village of North Aurora is working with the [Kane County Health Department](#) regarding updates and best practices to keep safe. For all current local updates as well as resources we encourage you to visit the Kane County Health Department website, kanehealth.com. Continue to follow recommended practices of hand-washing, avoiding contact with sick individuals, staying home if you feel sick and disinfecting frequently touched objects and surfaces.



Please join me along with other North Aurora leadership and local business owners for the [Annual State of the Village](#) address. I am excited to share all that has happened the past year in North Aurora and provide an overview of the opportunities to come. The State of the Village will be held at Oak Street Restaurant on April 22, 2020. For more information and to register please visit the Aurora Chamber website at www.aurora-chamber.com.

I would like to remind everyone that the [2020 U.S. Census](#) has started and how important it is to take part. Residents are able to respond to the census via the phone, mail or online. The [Messenger Public Library](#) is available to assist the community with any questions about the Census. Visit their website at www.messengerpl.org for more information.

Water Distribution System Material Inventory

The Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA) created a requirement for all community water systems in the state of Illinois to develop a Water Distribution System Material Inventory and submit this inventory to them by April 2018 and continuing every April thereafter until completed. The Village is in compliance with this requirement and we are preparing to submit a more accurate inventory this April, 2020.

Over the next several months the Water Division will be contacting residents who live in homes built in the early to mid-1970s and earlier. If your home falls into this category please let us know as we are needing to further determine the exact material of the water service line coming into these age homes.

The Water Division is happy to perform the visual inspection of your water line and this inspection should only take a few minutes pending clear access to the water meter area in your home. Please call **630-906-7495** to make an appointment or, if you are able to determine the service line material, call to report this information.

We thank you in advance for your cooperation in this matter as we continually strive to improve North Aurora's water system. If you have any questions, please call Paul Young, Water Operations Superintendent at 630-906-7377.

Code Enforcement Reminders

• The **watering conservation ordinance** is in effect every day of the year. The ordinance allows the use of a hand held device any time. It also allows for all properties with **even-numbered street addresses** to use water for restricted watering purposes on **even-numbered days** of the month only during the hours of **6 a.m. to 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. to 9 p.m.** and all properties with **odd-numbered street addresses** to use water for restricted watering purposes on **odd-numbered days** of the month only during the hours of **6 a.m. to 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. to 9 p.m.**

• Lawns must be kept under 8" in height. This includes weeds.

• Trash cans and lawn waste bags should not be placed at the curb until 3 p.m. the day before trash pickup, and such containers must be removed from the curb no later than midnight of the day of collection.

• Campers, boats or other RV's can be parked on front drives Friday noon through Monday noon only. **Exception:** campers, boats, and RV's may be parked on the driveway during April 15 to April 30 and Oct. 1 to Oct. 15 for maintenance.

• Do not block the street or sidewalk with anything, including basketball hoops, toys, landscape materials, or poorly parked vehicles. Vehicles are not allowed to park on the grass.

The Code Enforcement Division is happy to answer any questions or concerns you may have, 630-897-1457 ext. 231.

Police Department News and Information - 630-897-8705

COPS on Top

Help the North Aurora Police Department raise money for Illinois Special Olympics! The North Aurora Police Department has partnered with Dunkin' for the annual COPS on Top event that will be held on, May 15, 2020 from 5:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at both North Aurora Dunkin' locations: [407 South Lincolnway](#) and [257 Genesis Drive](#). Get a free donut with any donation! There will also be mugs and T-shirts for purchase.

Celebrate Arbor Day!

Arbor Day will be held on Friday, April 24, 2020. Celebrate by planting a tree! Trees provide shade, give off oxygen, reduce noise pollution, provide food & shelter for wildlife, and provide everyday products like paper, firewood, syrup, and building materials.

Public Works News and Information - 630-897-8228 ext. 260

Waste Management Spring Clean-Up:

Spring Clean-Up Day will be a two-day pickup, with free non-hazardous clean-up items, as well as regular trash being picked up on **Friday, May 15** for all residences **West** of the Fox River, and **Saturday, May 16** for all residences **East** of the Fox River. All non-hazardous bulk trash items will be picked up for free. Stickers are required for all regular garbage and yard waste, which will be picked up on the same day as the clean-up schedule. Please have all items out by 7 a.m. as route time's change for this special pick-up day.

Holiday Garbage Pick-Up

Due to the [Memorial Day holiday](#), garbage pick-up will be provided on Saturday, May 30. There will be **no** garbage pick-up delay for the Spring Holiday on Friday, April 10.

Yard Waste Pick-up resumes on Friday, April 3rd. Kraft paper bags and waste stickers are required for all yard waste pick-ups through the end of November. Brush and branches must be bundled in 4 ft. lengths not exceeding 50 lbs. and require a sticker at all times. Bagged leaves are picked up free only during October and November. Any leaves left from last summer will need to be bagged and will require a waste sticker.

Free Mulch is available at 316 Butterfield Road. Residents will need to load their own mulch; no delivery available.

Mailbox Condition and Yard Damage from Plows

Is your mailbox installed properly? During the winter, unstable mailboxes and decaying wood posts are more likely to be damaged from heavy snow coming off the snow plows. Spring is the best time to check that your mailbox is securely fastened and that the post is in good condition and securely set in the ground. If your mailbox was struck by a plow and damaged please contact the Public Works Department within 48 hours to allow time to inspect the mailbox to see if the Village is liable. The Village is not responsible for mailboxes damaged by snow coming off the plows. Any damage to your lawn caused by the Village's snowplows will be repaired as the weather warms and the ground thaws. Please contact the Public Works Department as soon as you identify snowplow damage.

Village of North Aurora Directory

Village Hall - 630-897-8228 / Monday-Friday 8:00 am to 4:30 pm
Website: www.northaurora.org

Elected Officials

Mayor Dale Berman
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Trustee Laura Curtis
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Trustee Mark Guethle
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North Aurora Meeting Schedules

Village Board and C.O.W. Meetings are held the first and third Mondays of each Month at 7:00 p.m. (Please check the Village Website for the most current meeting dates)

April 6 and April 20 | May 4 and May 18

Plan Commission meetings - 1st Tuesday of the month.

April 7 | May 5

All meetings are held at the North Aurora Village Hall, 25 East State Street (unless otherwise posted).

All Meeting Agendas are on the Village's website at www.northaurora.org under the Government tab.

Village Hall is Closed for the Following Holidays:

April 10 - Spring Holiday | May 25 - Memorial Day