



## VILLAGE OF FOX POINT

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**To:** The Honorable Members of the Fox Point Village Board

**From:** Scott A. Botcher, Village Manager

**Date:** July 5, 2019

**Re:** **Administrative Report for the Week Ending July 5, 2019**

### ADMINISTRATION

1. Village Hall was closed on Thursday in observance of Independence Day.
2. Staff put together Village Board packet for the next Village Board meeting on Tuesday, July 9, 2019.
3. Building Board was canceled due to no applications. The next Building Board meeting will be held on Friday, July 19.

### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

1. Training of new hires continues.
2. New Compact wheel loader #115 was received, set-up and put into service.
3. Pool maintenance and staff training continues.
4. Staff assisted with storm related issues.

### POLICE DEPARTMENT

1. Officers continue to respond to reports of entry to auto overnight and stolen cars. The department has changed our staffing to address the problem and officers are utilizing the bicycles to get a better view of the neighborhood at night; however, the problem continues to occur in all of the North Shore communities. Residents with exterior cameras that record video clips overnight should contact the police department. The video can be used to support cases.
2. Officers arrested three subjects after they were observed being dropped-off and attempting to enter cars overnight. The vehicle fled the area when a resident confronted the subjects and was pursued by Fox Point and Glendale squads. The three subjects were apprehended when they fled on foot after the vehicle spun-out. The three subjects, 1 adult and 2 juveniles, were referred to the district attorney for criminal charges.
3. Officers participated in the July 4<sup>th</sup> celebration and parade.

4. Officers responded to a report of a resident with age related memory issues who walked away from the July 4<sup>th</sup> parade. The area was checked and with the assistance of other North Shore police departments, the resident was quickly located and returned to their family.
5. Officers responded to assist Bayside police when they had an Autistic resident run-away from family members. A Fox Point officer was able to locate the subject and return them to their family.

*\*\* The department is seeing an increase in officers needing to respond to assist residents with age related memory issues and people who are living with Autism Spectrum Disorders. Officers have received additional training to help in these situations, but families who are concerned with their family member wandering or who have special needs can meet with an officer to provide information in advance to help first responders provide care and assistance in the event of an emergency. \*\**

## NORTH SHORE HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Did you know?

The UW – Medical Entomology Lab has confirmed that a group of mosquitos in the City of Milwaukee has tested positive for the West Nile Virus (WNV). This is the first evidence of WNV activity reported in Wisconsin this year. Mosquitos get infected when feeding on infected birds, so dead birds are also tracked in Wisconsin as an early warning sign of the presence of WNV in a county. While the possibility of exposure to the virus is present anytime mosquitos are active, as of 6/27/19, there have been no confirmed cases of infected humans in WI. Approximately 80% of people infected with WNV do not show symptoms. The other 20% may experience fever, rash, headache, fatigue, and joint pain. Immunocompromised people (such as infants, elderly and the ill) may be hit particularly hard. WNV is spread to people through the bite of an infected mosquito and is not transmitted person to person. There is no specific treatment. Prevention is the way to go.

The NSHD reminds individuals to take steps to prevent mosquito bites, including:

- Apply an insect repellent with DEET, IR 3535, Picaridin, or oil of lemon eucalyptus to clothing as well as exposed skin (see restrictions for use in children).
  - All these products can be found in your local drug or outdoor stores. For more information on repellent use, visit the CDC's website: <https://www.cdc.gov/westnile/faq/repellent.html>
- Wear long-sleeved shirts and pants to cover exposed skin.
- Limit time outdoors at dusk and dawn, when mosquitos are most active.
- Prevent mosquitos from breeding by removing stagnant water from areas such as flowerpots, plastic containers, gutters and downspouts. Water in birdbaths and pet dishes should be changed at least every three days. Swimming pools, outdoor saunas and hot tubs should be cleaned and chlorinated.

- Trim tall grass, weeds, and vines as mosquitoes use these areas to rest during hot daylight hours, and regularly assess landscaping to prevent water from pooling in low-lying areas.
- Report sick or dead birds to the **Dead Bird Hotline at 1-800-433-1610**; the line is open each year from May 1<sup>st</sup> – October 31<sup>st</sup>.
- Mosquito-proof your home by fixing holes in screens, windows, and doors.

#### **What is the North Shore Health Department working on?**

Staff shared information on chronic disease control and prevention at the Fox Point and Shorewood Farmers' Markets. Throughout the summer we will be visiting all of the Farmers' Markets in the North Shore. Stop to see us and learn about stroke, heart disease and diabetes. While you're there, ask for a free [North Shore Health Department tick kit](#) (while supplies last).

**Upcoming Immunization Clinics (appointment required)** - Please call the North Shore Health Department for an appointment at 414-371-2980.

Tuesday, July 9, 10-11:00 a.m., Brown Deer office  
 Thursday, July 11, 3-4:30 p.m., Shorewood office  
 Tuesday, July 16, 7:30-9:00 a.m., Shorewood office  
 Wednesday, July 17, 3:30-4:30 p.m., Brown Deer office  
 NO NS LIBRARY CLINIC IN JULY  
 Thursday, August 8, 3-4:30 p.m., Shorewood office  
 Tuesday, August 13, 10-11:00 a.m., Brown Deer office  
 Tuesday, August 20, 7:30-9:00 a.m., Shorewood office  
 Wednesday, August 21, 3:30-4:30 p.m., Brown Deer office  
 Tuesday, August 27, 3:30-4:30 p.m., North Shore Library

**Upcoming Adult Health Clinics (appointment required; 8-10:00 a.m.)** – Blood analysis for cholesterol, glucose and triglycerides, blood pressure, weight check and a nurse consultation. Please call the NSHD for an appointment at 414-371-2980.

Wednesday, July 17, Brown Deer office  
 Tuesday, July 23, Shorewood office  
 Wednesday, August 21, Brown Deer office  
 Tuesday, August 27, Shorewood office

#### **Upcoming Blood Pressure Screening (walk-ins welcome – no appointment necessary)**

Thursday, July 18, 11:30a.m.-12:00 p.m. LX Club (Bavarian Bierhaus at 700 W. Lexington Blvd, Glendale)  
 Wednesday, July 24, 3:30-4:30 p.m., Shorewood office  
 Wednesday, August 7, 12:15-1:00 p.m. Dolan Center (4355 W Bradley Rd)  
 Thursday, August 15, 11:30a.m.-12:00 p.m. LX Club (WFB Women's Club, 600 E. Henry Clay St)  
 Wednesday, August 28, 3:30-4:30. p.m. Shorewood office

For the most up-to-date information on pricing, upcoming clinics and screenings, visit the Clinics page of our website at: <http://www.nshealthdept.org/Clinics>