

To: Mayor Tisdahl and Members of the City Council

From: Wally Bobkiewicz, City Manager

Subject: City Manager's Weekly Update

Date: Friday, March 27, 2015

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<u>April 1, 2015</u>
Design and Project Review Committee – canceled Northwestern University/City Committee www.cityofevanston.org/universitycitycommittee

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Commission on Aging www.cityofevanston.org/commissiononaging



Weekly Update

Below is a brief summary of activities in the 311 Center for the period of March 20, 2015 through March 26, 2015.

	CURRENT WEEK'S TOTALS	PREVIOUS WEEK'S TOTALS
CALLS HANDLED	2357	2525
SERVICE REQUESTS	611	650
TOTAL CHATS	53	56
TOTAL TEXT	31	6

Top 5 Service Requests

Total

Most requested service requests (Source: PublicStuff - Open/Closed)

1.	Building Permit Inspection Request	68
2.	Broken Parking Meter	65
3.	Trash – Special Pick-up	45
4.	Fountain Square Visioning Part II	39
5.	Abandon Autos	19

Please see the following page for the Weekly Telephone Wrap up Data

<u>Telephone Wrap-up Data</u> At the end of each call the 311 staff selects the appropriate Category/Department for the call. The table reflects the activity for the past week.

Weekly Telephone Wrap Up Data	a
Category/Department	Total
Administrative Services -Parking	295
Administrative Services -Finance	41
Administrative Services -HR	38
Administrative Services - Other	149
Call Transfer	98
City Manager's Office	43
ComDev / Economic Development	18
ComDev/ Bldg Inspections	183
ComDev / Housing Rehab	4
ComDev / Planning/Zoning	10
Directions	4
Evanston Township	4
Fire Life Safety	34
PublicStuff Request	188
Health	59
Information	574
Law	3
Library	3
Mayor's Office	5
Other	80
Other – Social Services	2
Parks – Maintenance	5
Parks – Programs/Picnics/Permits	12
Parks – Other	7
Parks/Recreation	35
Parks – Forestry	9
Parks- Recreation Programs	42
Police	117
Public Works / Fleet	1
Public Works / Street Sanitation	99
Public Works / Engineering	36
Utilities – Power	3
Utilities – Sewer	4
Utilities – Water	72
TOTAL	2357



To: Wally Bobkiewicz, City Manager

From: Martin Lyons, Assistant City Manager/ Chief Financial Officer

Ashley King, Assistant Director of Administrative Services

Tammi Turner, Purchasing Manager

Subject: Bids/RFPs/RFQs Advertised during the Week of March 23, 2015

Date: March 27, 2015

The following is a list of projects that have been advertised and the anticipated date each will be presented to Council.

Bids/RFPs/RFQs advertised during the Week of March 23, 2015

Bid/RFP/RFQ Number and Title	Requesting Dept.	Description of Project	Budgeted Amount	Bid/RFP/RFQ Opening Date	Anticipated Council Date
RFP 15-31 Main Library Parking Garage Weatherproofing	Library	Seeking proposals from experienced firms for Architectural Services for a weatherproofing/drainage upgrade to the underground parking facility located below the Main Library located in downtown Evanston.	\$26,950	Apr 21	May 26
Bid 15-25 2015 50/50 Sidewalk Replacement Program	Public Works	Work on this project includes all materials, labor, equipment and services for Removal, Regrading and Replacement of Sidewalk, Parkway, and Curb at various locations in the City of Evanston.	\$150,000	Apr 14	Apr 27

Bid 15-12 LHMCC Boiler Building Tuckpointing & Porch Repairs	Public Works	Work on this project includes masonry tuckpointing and roofing system top slab replacement at the Lorraine H. Morton Civic Center's Boiler Building, located at 1223 Simpson Street, Evanston.	\$83,000	Apr 14	Apr 27
RFP 15-30 Fire Pump & Aerial Testing	Public Works	Seeking proposals from experienced firms for: Testing, Repair and Certification of Fire Apparatus and Aerial Devices.	\$80,000	Apr 17	Apr 27

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Public Works 4	4/13/2015	Change Order: Dempster Signals	В	APW	Robinson	
CMO/Public	4/13/2015	Lakeshore Condo Extension	В	APW	Robinson	<u> </u>
4	4/13/2015	Pavement Markings	В	APW	Robinson	
Works	4/13/2015	Park & Facilities CIP	В	APW	Robinson/Storlie	
PRCS 4	4/13/2015	Lakefront concession contract award	В	APW	McRae	
PRCS 4	4/13/2015	Y.O.U. Outreach worker grant	В	APW	McRae	
Public Works 4	4/13/2015	contract 2015 MFT Street Resurfacing	R	APW	Robinson	
CMO/Public		D65 UPN Fiber Network Franchise				
Works	4/13/2015	Agreement	R	APW	Storlie/Robinson	
Admin Services	4/13/2015	Update Letter of Credit Dempster/Dodge & Main/Chicago	R	APW	Lyons	
Public Works 4	4/13/2015	NU Alley Paving Agreement	R	APW	Robinson	
CMO	4/13/2015	Lease for 1804 Maple (cannabis)	0	APW	Bobkiewicz	Introduction
Law	4/13/2015	Whole Foods Liquor Ord	0	APW	Farrar	Introduction
Law	4/13/2015	Sidewalk consumption of alcohol at wine sellers	0	APW	Farrar	Introduction
Public Works 4	4/13/2015	Dryden Lane Street Name	0	APW	Robinson	Introduction
CMO 4	4/13/2015	Negotiate Sale 1821 Ridge	0	APW	Bobkiewicz	Action
CMO	4/13/2015	Fair Trade/Sweat Free Uniform Purchasing	D	APW	Bobkiewicz	Ref from Ald Wynne
CD 4	4/13/2015	1620 Central Street Planned Development	0	PD	Muenzer	Introduction
CD 4	T/ 13/2013	Basement Bedrooms	D	PD	Muenzer	Ref from Ald Fiske
PRCS 4	4/13/2015	RFQ Gibbs-Morrison Café Operator	В	HS	McRae	

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	4/20/2015	CC Meeting Cancelled				
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Admin Services	4/27/2015	Public Service Week: May 3-9, 2015	PR	СС	Lyona	
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Admin Services	4/27/2015	Employee Service Awards Public Hearing for	A	CC	Lyons	
СМО	4/27/2015	Dempster/Main/Chicago SSA	В	CC	Bobkiewicz	
Admin Serv	4/27/2015	Financial Update	PR	CC	Lyons	
Utilities	4/27/2015	National Drinking Water Week May 3-9	Р	APW	Stoneback	
Public Works	4/27/2015	Asphalt Contract Renewal	В	APW	Robinson	
Public Works	4/27/2015	2015 50/50 Sidewalk Program	В	APW	Robinson	
Public Works	4/27/2015	Vehicle Purchase	В	APW	Robinson	
Admin Serv	4/27/2015	Investment Strategies: Institutions	В	APW	Lyons	
Admin Serv	4/27/2015	NU Agreement for Parking Spaces at Church St Garage	R	APW	Lyons	
Admin Services	4/27/2015	RV - Trailer Parking	0	APW	Lyons	Introduction
СМО	4/27/2015	Increased Fines for Bikes on Sidewalks	0	APW	Bobkiewicz	Introduction
Law	4/27/2015	Sidewalk Cafes Administrative Revisions	0	APW	Farrar	Introduction
Admin Services	4/27/2015	LEP - M/W/EBE Discussion	D	APW	Lyons	
Public Works	4/27/2015	Public Works Apprenticeship Program	D	APW	Robinson	
Public Works	4/27/2015	Emerson/Ridge/Green Bay Viaduct	D	APW	Robinson	
CD	4/27/2015	Text Amendment: Personal Service Establishment	0	PD	Muenzer	Introduction
CD	4/27/2015	Inclusion of Affordable Rental Housing	0	PD	Muenzer	Introduction
Law	4/27/2015	Hotel-Motel Tax for B&Bs	0	PD	Farrar	Introduction (Held in Committee 1.26.15)
	5/11/2015	Vogue Fabrics Proclamation	PR	CC		
Public Works	5/11/2015	Public Works Week, May 17-23	PR	APW	Robinson	
Public Works	5/11/2015	Uniform Purchase Contract	В	APW	Robinson	
CD	5/18/2015	Preservation Proclamation & Awards	PR/P	СС	Muenzer	3rd Monday
	5/18/2015	Cahill Plumbing 125 Years	PR	CC		
Admin Services	5/18/2015	FY2015 Budget	В	CC	Lyons	
CD	5/26/2015	Northwestern University Lakefront Subdivision	R	PD	Muenzer	

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	6/8/2015	Garden Club of Evanston Centennial	PR	СС	Storlie	
СМО	6/8/2015	SSA Ordinance	0	APW	Bobkiewicz	Introduction
CMO/Public Works	6/15/2015	Discussion of 2016-18 Parks & Facilities CIP	SP	СС	Robinson/Storlie	
	7/13/2015	National Independent Retailers Month		СС		
Council & Con	│ nmittee Mee	tings				
Mon, March 23		A&PW, P&D, City Council meetings				
ri, March 27	7:00 AM	Housing & Homelessness Commission				
Wed, Apr 1	7:00 PM	Northwestern University/City Committee				
Mon, Apr 6	6:00 PM	Rules Committee				
Mon, Apr 6	7:30 PM	Human Services Committee				
Mon, Apr 13	6:00 PM	A&PW, P&D, City Council meetings				
Wed, Apr 15	6:30 PM	M/W/EBE Advisory Committee				
Wed, Apr 15		Harley Clarke Citizens' Committee				
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Dept	Date	Computerized Maintenance	Action			
Utillities	TBA	Management System	В	APW	Stoneback	
Law	TBA	22 ounce containers for P-1 Liquor Lic (New #)	0	APW	Farrar	Introduction (Held in Committee 10.13.1
CD	ТВА	Inclusionary Housing	0	PD	Muenzer	Action (Intro on 7/28/14; referred to subcomtte)
Public Works	TBA	BAS Contract - 8 City buildings	В	APW	Robinson	
СМО	TBA	D202 IGA: Safe School Zone	R	HS	Bobkiewicz	
Admin Serv	TBA	Increase Parking Garage Monthly Permit Fee	В	APW	Voss	
Admin Serv	TBA	Amendment to PEHP Resolution	R	APW	Lyons	
Law	TBA	Ord 27-O-12 Cell Phone Ban	0	HS	Grover/Farrar	
PRCS	TBA	Animal Shelter Contract	В	HS		
CD	TBA	Rental Licensing	0	PD		
Public Works	TBA	Ecology Center Greenhouse	В	APW	Robinson	
Law	TBA	Title 9 City Code Amendments	0	CC	Farrar	(Introduced 1.27.14

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Law	2016	Pedicabs	0	APW	Farrar	Tabled 3.9.15 (revisit 2016)	



To: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

From: Lorrie Pearson, Planning and Zoning Administrator

Subject: Weekly Zoning Report

Date: March 27, 2015

Enclosed is the weekly report of zoning applications received and pending. The report, organized by ward, includes the property address, the type of application submitted, a description of the project, date received and current status.

Please contact me at 847/448-8674 or lpearson@cityofevanston.org if you have any questions or need additional information.

Zoning Weekly Update Cases Received and Pending, March 20 - March 26, 2015

Zoning Reviews

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ward	Property Address	Туре	Project Description	Received	Status
1	1622 Sherman Avenue	Building Permit	Interior remodeling for Type 2 restaurant (dba Epic Burger)	03/18/15	pending council
1	1735 Benson Avenue	Building Permit	Exterior façade renovations to Type 1 rest. (dba The Stained Glass)	03/26/15	pending DAPR
1	601-721 University Place	Zoning Analysis	Proposed subdivision in U1 District (Northwestern University)	12/29/14	pending additional info from applicant
1	707 Colfax Street	Building Permit	Construct 2.5 story SFR with detached garage/coach house (revisions)	03/25/15	compliant
1	711 Colfax Street	Building Permit	Construct 2.5 story SFR with detached garage/coach house (revisions)	03/25/15	compliant
2	1101 Dodge Avenue	Building Permit	Convert vacant building into multi-family residence	03/18/15	DAPR 04/08/15
2	1808 Maple Avenue	Building Permit	Install blue light emergency phone structure (Northwestern)	11/06/14	pending staff review
2	1815 Ridge Avenue	Zoning Analysis	Construct 9-story, 155 DU/mixed use building (Planned Development)	08/19/14	pending additional info from applicant
2	2020 Greenwood Street	Building Permit	Convert existing factory into self-storage facility	02/25/15	pending DAPR
3	1231 Hinman Avenue	Building Permit	Construct 2-story addition with rear deck SFR	03/24/15	compliant
3	900 Chicago Avenue	Building Permit	Interior remodeling for Convenience Store and accessory Type 2 Rest.	03/06/15	pending Special Use
4	1126 Oak Avenue	Building Permit	Interior remodeling to de-convert 2-family residence to SFR	03/26/15	compliant
4	1627 Wesley Avenue	Building Permit	Install solar hot water heating system at SFR	03/24/15	compliant
4	620 Davis Street	Building Permit	Interior/exterior (storefront) remodeling for Type 1 restaurant (Boiling Point)	02/04/15	DAPR 04/08/15
5	1915 Wesley Avenue	Building Permit	Exterior remodeling to front porch, stair, entry at SFR	03/26/15	compliant
5	2023 Pratt Court	Building Permit	Interior remodeling at SFR	03/26/15	compliant
6	2916 Grant Street	Building Permit	Construct 2-story addition at SFR	03/26/15	compliant
6	3134 Central Street	Zoning Analysis	Construct new 2-story single family residence	03/10/15	pending additional info from applicant
6	3205 Park Place	Building Permit	Construct 2-car detached garage SFR	03/24/15	compliant
6	3330 Central Street	Building Permit	Interior/exterior remodeling (Starbucks)	02/12/15	pending additional info from applicant
7	2009 McDaniel Avenue	Building Permit	Install roof mounted solar system SFR	03/24/15	compliant
7	2515 Pioneer Road	Building Permit	Construct 2-story addition at SFR	03/26/15	compliant
7	2751 Ashland Avenue (formerly 1600 Isabella)	Building Permit	Interior/exterior additions to NU Baseball Field	08/19/14	pending DAPR
8	125 Custer Avenue	Building Permit	Interior remodeling to duplex first floor/basement at 2-flat	03/26/15	compliant
8	128-130 Chicago Avenue	Building Permit	Interior/exterior remodeling for change of use (retail service use: U-Haul)	06/26/14	pending DAPR

8	1909-11 Howard Street	Building Permit	Interior/exterior remodeling (child day care)	03/19/15	DAPR 04/08/15
8	222 Hartrey Avenue	Building Permit	Int./ext. remodeling (Autobarn)	03/26/15	pending DAPR
8	323 Ashland Avenue	Building Permit	Construct 2-story addition at SFR	03/26/15	compliant
8	805 Mulford Street	Zoning Analysis	Construct new 8-unit condo building with 12 underground parking spaces	01/07/15	pending additional info from applicant
9	818 Washington Street	Building Permit	Deconvert 2-flat to SFR	03/25/16	compliant

Miscellaneous Zoning Cases

Ward	Property Address	Туре	Project Description	Received	Status
1	1603 Orrington Avenue	Zoning Complaint	Illegal parking lot use (Chase Bank lot)	02/23/15	liable verdict 3/26/15 (\$6,000)
1	711 Emerson Street	Zoning Complaint	Open parking location and parking stall size	01/20/15	2nd violation letter mailed 03/02/15
2	1804 Washington Street	Zoning Complaint	Automobile Repair establishment in residential district	09/16/14	Drive-by insp. on-going
3	727 Forest Avenue	Major Variance	Height variance for a 3-story addition to a 3-story single family residence	03/09/15	ZBA 04/21/15
4	1323 Ashland Avenue	Major Variance	Interior side yard setbacks for dormer addition, dormer location, interior side yard setback for a detached garage	03/20/15	pending Preservation
6	2109 Central Park Avenue	Zoning Complaint	Illegal Fence	03/12/15	Violation letter mailed 3/16/15
6	2320 Isabella Street	Minor Variance	Building lot coverage for 1-story addition	02/19/15	pending add'l info applicant
6	2411 Noyes Street	Minor Variance	Side yd setback, 2-story addition	03/25/15	determination after April 6
7	2307 Grey Avenue	Major Variance	Interior side yard setback for a second story addition to SFR	03/20/15	ZBA 04/21/15 & DAPR 04/08/15
8	108 Florence Avenue	Zoning Complaint	Outdoor storage, trade contractor business in residential district	11/06/14	liable verdict 2/12/15 (\$1,800)
8	1719-1723 Howard Street	Major Variance	19 parking spaces where 23 are required & 22' aisle width where 24' is required for medical office	02/10/15	ZBA 04/21/15



To: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

From: Gary Gerdes, Building and Inspection Services Manager

Subject: Weekly Inspection Report

Date: March 27, 2015

Enclosed is the weekly summary report of field inspections under special monitoring. The report, organized by ward, includes the property address, the type of inspection, inspector notes, date received and current status.

Please contact me at 847-448-8030 or ggerdes@cityofevanston.org if you have any questions or need additional information.

Field Reports

Ward	Property Address	Construction Type	Inspector notes	Received
1	1515 Chicago Avenue (Hyatt House)	Foundation	Job is active with concrete forms extending to the 7th floor. Concrete stairwells and elevator shafts extend one more floor. Steel work will begin soon and in anticipation the pedestrian walkway will have an overhead enclosure installed by March 27th. Site appears well kept, storm structure catch baskets have been cleared, public right of way is cleared of snow and salted, fences are plumb and secure. No onsite vehicle parking to report other than two labeled company vans.	3/24/15
1	1619 Chicago Avenue (The Merion)	Residential Addition	Sidewalks clear and ice free for pedestrians. Water main work beginning at street. Fences in good condition.	3/24/15
1	728 Lincoln Street (Kendall Place)	New Residential Building (SFRs)	Inspector requested snow be removed around entire job site. Fences in good condition. Job site in good condition.	3/24/15
2	2008 Dempster Street (Goldfish Swim School)	Interior Remodel	Concrete is being poured for pool. Inspector advised foreman to secure loose wind screen along the west fence area.	3/25/15
3	425 Dempster (Montessori School)	Temporary Class Rooms	Inspector observed writing and damaged skirting material on one modular class room. The school's Building Superintendent was advised of conditions and stated he would correct.	3/25/15
3	414-424 South Boulevard	Monitoring	No construction or auto repair activity was identified at the time of inspection	3/23/15
4	1026 Davis Street (Taco Diablo/LuLu's)	Demolition	Site is maintained in a state of rough grade. The construction fence and wind screen are in place. There is no debris in the public right of way. Monitoring will continue.	3/25/15
4	1560 Oak Avenue (Museum of Time and Glass)	New Commercial Building	Site is maintained. The construction fence and wind screen are in place. Interior work is progressing. No debris was noted in the public right of way. Monitoring will continue.	3/25/15
7	2211 Campus Drive (Kellogg Graduate School)	New Education Building	Job site fences in good condition with the silt fence still in place. The third and fourth towers are starting construction.	3/24/15
8	222 Hartrey Avenue	Remodel of warehouse	Job is not active today. Roof work is partially complete due to recent snow. Two men on site today from J2 Concrete working on the remaining portion of demo. Site appears well kept, no dust being generated and trash and debris are contained.	3/24/15
8	1216-1226 Harvard Terrace	Monitoring	No construction activity has been observed.	3/25/15
9	702 South Boulevard	Monitoring	Observed no evidence of auto repair shop activity	3/25/15



To: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

From: Carl Caneva, Assistant Director Health and Human Services Department

Subject: Food Establishment Application Weekly Report

Date: March 27, 2015

The table below is the weekly report of all applications for Food Establishments.

Please contact me at 847/859.7831 or <u>ccaneva@cityofevanston.org</u> if you have any questions or need additional information.

Establishment Name	Address	Ward	Application Received on	Туре	Proposed Opening Date
Szechuan Cuisine	620 Davis	4	3/23/2015	Retail Food Establishment	Not yet announced
Elysium Games	1610 Maple	4	3/23/2015	Retail Establishment with Food	90 Days
True Collins	2113 Greenleaf	2	3/20/2015	Change of Ownership	Existing Business
Table to Stix Ramen	1007 Davis	4	3/20/2015	Retail Food Establishment	Not yet announced



To: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

From: Theresa Whittington, Liquor Licensing Manager

Subject: Weekly Liquor License Application Report

Date: March 27, 2015

Enclosed is the weekly report of liquor applications received and pending. The report, organized by ward, includes the business address, the type and description of license requested, date received and current status.

Please contact me at (847) 448-8160 or <u>twhittington@cityofevanston.org</u> if you have any questions or need additional information.

Liquor Licensing Weekly Report Liquor Applications Received and Pending

WARD	BUSINESS NAME	BUSINESS ADDRESS	LIQUOR CLASS	CLASS DESCRIPTION	PROPOSED HOURS for LIQUOR SALES	DATE REC'D	STATUS ¹
2	Valli Produce	1910 Dempster	F	Grocery Store	8 am – 10 pm; Sun-Sat	03/18/15	Pending review by Liquor Licensing
7	Whole Foods Market	2478 Green Bay Road	F-1	Grocery Store with onsite consumption	8 am – 10 pm; Sun-Sat	04/27/15	Pending City Council Approval

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¹ Applicants are first noticed to the Liquor Licensing Review Board before proceeding to City Council



DIRECTOR'S WEEKLY BRIEFING



By NWMC Executive Director Mark L. Fowler

WEEK ENDING MARCH 27, 2015

General Assembly Passes FY15 Budget Fix; Has 48 Days to Fix FY16

This week, the House and Senate approved HB317 and HB318, which closed the \$1.6 billion budget gap for fiscal year 2015. Governor Rauner signed the bills on Thursday, which now allows the state to continue operating until June 30. The general assembly now turns their attention to identifying additional cuts and possibly new revenues to close an estimated \$6.5 billion gap in the FY2016 budget.

Mark Your Calendars for the June 24 NWMC Membership Gala

Next week, staff will forward event and sponsorship information for the NWMC Membership Gala, scheduled for Wednesday, June 24 at the Hilton Orrington Hotel in *Evanston*. Please mark your calendars and we look forward to seeing you there! *Staff contacts: Marina Durso, Karol Heneghan, Mark Fowler, Larry Bury*

Transportation Committee Analyzes Pace's Pulse

The NWMC Transportation Committee met Thursday and heard a presentation on Pulse, Pace's new Arterial Rapid Transit (ART) project. Pace representatives David Tomzik and Steven Andrews discussed the agency's planned network of 24 ART corridors and 11 expressway corridors. The first Pulse corridor will be built along Milwaukee Avenue from the Jefferson Park Transit Center in Chicago and continue with limited stops to Golf Mill Mall in *Niles*. Stations will be covered, fully accessible and clearly marked with branding for both Pace and Pulse. Public outreach for this project will begin next month with the first public meeting scheduled for Wednesday, April 22 at the Oasis Fun Center, 7877 N. Milwaukee Avenue in *Niles*. The Milwaukee Line, as it will be known, is expected to begin service in early 2017 with other corridors to follow. Please visit www.PaceBus.com/pulse for additional information on the project.

The committee also discussed several transportation-related bills currently under consideration in the Illinois General Assembly and provided recommended positions to the NWMC Legislative Committee for further consideration. Lastly, the committee expressed its support for the Stand Up for Transportation campaign being coordinated by the Regional Transportation Authority (RTA). On Thursday, April 9, representatives from the RTA, service boards and Amtrak will hold a press conference at Union Station to raise awareness about the need for consistent, long-term transportation funding. *Staff contacts: Mike Walczak, Brian Pigeon*

Spring NWMC Surplus Vehicle & Equipment Auction Is Just Weeks Away!

Now that the snow has (mostly) melted, it's a good time to take a good look at your fleet. If you see rust, wear and tear, safety issues or plain old lot rot, turn surplus vehicles and equipment into cash by selling them at the NWMC Surplus Vehicle and Equipment Auction on Tuesday, May 12, 1:00 p.m. at America's Auto Auction Chicago, 14001 S. Karlov Avenue in Crestwood.

Please visit http://www.nwmc-cog.org/Products-and-Services/Auction/NWMC-Americas-Auto-Auction-Registration-Packet-03.aspx for more information and to download the registration packet. Please contact

staff or Fred Uhter, 773-294-7213, 708-389-4488 or <u>fred.uhter@americasautoauction</u> with any questions or for additional information. *Staff contact: Ellen Dayan*

SPC Chevy Tahoe Patrol Package Contract Update

The Suburban Purchasing Cooperative (SPC) contract for the 2015 Chevrolet Tahoe Patrol Packages (Contract #147) with Currie Motors Chevrolet of Forest Park runs through April 11, 2015. The SPC Governing Board submitted a request for the first of three possible contract extensions, but is awaiting General Motors' decision, which won't be announced until sometime in April. In the meantime, Currie Motors has agreed to honor pricing through March and April during the application process.

There are three possible outcomes:

- 1. GM will grant the contract extensions and rollover pricing to 2016 models
- 2. GM will agree to the contract extensions with justifiable price increases that will need to be approved by the SPC Governing Board
- 3. GM will not agree to the contract extensions and the vehicles will need to be rebid

Staff will keep members informed of GM's decision. For questions or additional information, please contact staff or Tom Sullivan, 815-464-9200 or <u>CurrieFleet@gmail.com</u>. *Staff contact: Ellen Dayan*

Keep an Eye Out for EAP Contract Renewal Forms

As previously reported, the Conference renewed its contact with Bensinger, DuPont & Associates (BDA) to administer the NWMC Employee Assistance Program (EAP). Under the program, BDA offers confidential, cost free referrals and assessment services twenty-four hours a day for employees and their families. Areas of assistance include dealing with issues such as substance abuse, mental health, family and marital problems, financial and legal matters. The fee to participate in the program is \$25.00 per employee per year and the contract term is May 1, 2015 through April 30, 2016.

Enrollment forms will be sent to the membership on April 1. To join the program or obtain additional information, please contact Karol Heneghan, 847-296-9200, ext. 124 or kheneghan@nwmc-cog.org. Staff contact: Karol Heneghan

IML Public Works Committee to Video Conference April 15 Meeting

On Wednesday, April 15 at 10:00 a.m., the Illinois Municipal League (IML) Public Works Directors committee is holding their next meeting in Bloomington. The committee is comprised of municipal Public Works Directors, officials from across the State of Illinois and consulting engineers. In order to encourage additional participation from public works directors who cannot travel to Bloomington for the meeting, it will be available by video conference at the Downers Grove Public Works conference room, 101 Walnut Avenue.

To participate in the meeting, please contact IML Deputy Legislative Director Joe Schatteman, 217-525-1220 or ischatteman@iml.org to be added to the meeting distribution list. Staff contact: Ellen Dayan

Meetings and Events

NWMC Executive Board will meet on Wednesday, April 1 at 8:30 a.m. at NWMC offices in Des Plaines.

NWMC Finance Committee will meet on Wednesday, April 8 at noon at NWMC offices in Des Plaines.

NWMC Full Board Meeting will be held on Wednesday, April 8, at 7:00 p.m. at Oakton Community College, Room, 1604 in *Des Plaines*.

NWMC Legislative Committee will meet on Wednesday, April 15 at 8:30 a.m. at NWMC offices in Des Plaines.