



Village Update

Fall 2020

Meeting Calendar

SEPTEMBER 2020

Village Board

Tuesday, September 1
6:00 p.m.

Village Board

Tuesday, September 15
6:00 p.m.

Police Commission

Wednesday, Sept. 16
6:00 p.m.

Plan Commission

Wednesday, Sept. 16
7:00 p.m.

OCTOBER 2020

Village Board

Tuesday, October 6
6:00 p.m.

Police Pension Board

Friday, October 16
8:00 a.m.

Village Board

Tuesday, October 20
6:00 p.m.

Police Commission

Wednesday, October 21
6:00 p.m.

Plan Commission

Wednesday, October 21
7:00 p.m.

NOVEMBER 2020

Village Board

Tuesday, November 3
6:00 p.m.

Village Board

Tuesday, November 17
6:00 p.m.

Police Commission

Wednesday, Nov. 18
6:00 p.m.

Plan Commission

Wednesday, Nov. 18
7:00 p.m.

The Village continues to hold meetings remotely as outlined in PA 101-0640. Please check the Village website for locations and public participation options.

Village Communications Survey Results

On July 16, the Village of Sugar Grove surveyed 2,105 residential utility customers via email seeking input regarding communications preferences. The survey sought feedback on current communication methods such as the Village website and Facebook page along with new resources such as emergency text messaging. The survey closed after nine days with 743 total responses for a 35.3% response rate. Thank you to all those that responded.

The results of the survey showed that a majority of respondents use the website as a primary source for Village information, that residents were interested in more information on new businesses/development and police and safety issues and that 94% of respondents were interested in receiving emergency text messages/emails if available. Complete results can be found at sugargroveil.gov.

Furthermore, through the survey, over 400 respondents signed-up for the Village's e-newsletter to stay abreast of Village information. If you would like to subscribe to the Village e-newsletter, visit sugargroveil.gov/subscriptions.

The Village of Sugar Grove endeavors to provide information in a convenient and timely manner to better facilitate the decision making process that helps shape our community. To improve resident access to important information, the Village is using the results of this survey to develop more efficient and effective Village communication processes including expanding distribution of Village Board and Plan Commission agendas and highlighting when new businesses come to Sugar Grove.

Didn't Get a Survey?

The Communications Survey was sent using emails on file for residential utility accounts. If you are a resident and did not receive a survey, the Village does not have your email address on file. If you would like to add an email address to your utility account, please submit your street address and a valid email account to genlog@sugargroveil.gov. Two email addresses per account will be accepted. If you believe your email is on file and you did not receive the survey, please check your email spam or junk folder; survey emails are sent through Survey Monkey.

Please note, if you have more than one email address attached to a household utility account and you have elected to receive your utility bills electronically, bills will be sent to all emails on that account. Also note that submitting an email address does not automatically enroll you for paperless billing.

For more information and/or assistance, please contact the Village at 630-391-7200.



Election Day

The 2020 General Election will be held Tuesday, November 3, 2020.

For election information, visit kanecountyclerk.org/Elections.

Village Directory

www.sugargroveil.gov

Administration & Finance

10 S. Municipal Drive
630-391-7200

Community Development

601 Heartland Drive
630-391-7220

Police Department

10 S. Municipal Drive
630-391-7250

Public Works

601 Heartland Drive
630-391-7230

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Village Proclaims September National Suicide Prevention Awareness Month

On Tuesday, February 18, 2020, the Sugar Grove Village Board passed a resolution recognizing the month of September 2020 as National Suicide Prevention Awareness Month with the intention to help promote awareness surrounding suicide prevention resources available to those in our community. The simple goal is to learn how to help those around us and how to talk about suicide without increasing the risk of harm.

It is important that individuals, friends and families have access to the resources they need to discuss suicide prevention. Information can be found on the National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) website at nami.org/get-involved/awareness-events/suicide-prevention-awareness-month.

- If you or someone you know is in an emergency, call 911 immediately.
- If you are in crisis or are experiencing difficult or suicidal thoughts, call the National Suicide Hotline at 1-800-273 TALK (8255)
- If you're uncomfortable talking on the phone, you can also text the National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) to 741-741 to be connected to a free, trained crisis counselor on the Crisis Text Line.

During September residents are encouraged to take the time to inquire as to the wellbeing of their family, friends, and neighbors. We can all benefit from honest conversations about mental health conditions and suicide.

Open Burning Regulations

In August 2019 the Village's open burning regulations for recreational purposes and landscape debris were amended. Changes included limiting the size of campfires and shortened hours of open burning.

Per the Village Code, the burning of leaves and yard debris may only occur between the hours of 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. on sunny, non-windy days.

For a list of all open burning regulations, visit sugargroveil.gov.

Yard Waste Collection Continues through November

Yard waste collection continues through Monday, November 30. Yard waste will NOT be collected on Tuesday, December 1. All yard waste must be placed in biodegradable paper bags or in a rigid container no larger than 32 gallons, clearly marked "Yard Waste."

Please do not blow leaves into the streets as doing so creates dangerous situations and can cause flooding.



Interested in Running for Village Board?

Starting September 22, 2020, petitions for candidates seeking election in the April 6, 2021 Consolidated Election may be circulated. Three (3) Trustee positions and the position of President will be on the ballot. All are four (4) year terms, serving the community at-large. Candidate packets are now available at elections.il.gov.

Additional information is available at sugargroveil.gov.

Village Offices Closed on Labor Day

The Village of Sugar Grove Village Hall and Public Works facility will be closed in observation of Labor Day on Monday, September 7, 2020. Normal business hours will resume Tuesday, Sept. 8.

Trash collection will be delayed one day.

Village Offices Closed on Columbus Day

The Village of Sugar Grove Village Hall and Public Works facility will be closed in observation of Columbus Day on Monday, October 12, 2020. Normal business hours will resume Tuesday, October 13.

Trash collection will not be affected.

Village Offices Closed for Thanksgiving Holiday

The Village of Sugar Grove Village Hall and Public Works facility will be closed in observation of the Thanksgiving holiday, Thursday, November 26 and Friday, November 27, 2020. Normal business hours will resume Monday, Nov. 30.

Please note, outside of regular office hours, bill payments can always be made via the Village after-hours drop box located at the entrance of Village Hall, 10 S. Municipal Drive.