

Village of Bedford Park Board Briefs February 21, 2019 *"Preserving the past to enhance the future"* 

## Snow

We appreciate everyone's efforts to help our Public Works keep our streets clear of snow. Kindly recall that vehicles must be removed by 9:00 am on days that snowfall is 2 inches or higher or the vehicle owner will be subject to a citation. A special thanks to Kevin Ormins and his Public Works staff for their great work.

# **Residential Properties**

Our Building Department is on task inspecting residential properties. We are very thankful and fortunate to have residents that work hard to maintain their property. However, if you receive a notice concerning suggested improvements, please act on them. Questions can be directed to Building Coordinator Jerry Ponio at (708) 458-2067.

# Park District Consolidation/Event Center

Consolidation efforts are still ongoing between the Park District and the Village. As well as, the ongoing planning process for the Event Center. Hopefully, we will break ground on the project in the spring or early summer.

# Fines

If you have any outstanding citations, please make the necessary payments. All obligations must be met before any resident can receive their 2018 tax rebate given after the second installment has been paid. Our Police Department works hard to consistently enforce our ordinances in a manner that helps all residents.

#### **Senior Services**

Laura Bell is back on call for our senior residents. If you cannot reach Laura Bell at (708) 341-2970 or via email at lbell@villageofbedfordpark.com, please contact the Village Administrative Office.

## Labor

We have recently negotiated a signed agreement with our Public Works and Water Works Union. We greatly appreciate their professionalism during the process and commend them for their outstanding service.

## **Archer Construction**

The Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) is planning to reconstruct the railroad bridge on Archer Road just southwest of the viaduct and just northeast of the residential area. To the best of our knowledge, the work will begin in April and involve closures of the two northeast bound lanes. Traffic will be one lane in each direction on the west side of Archer. The traffic flow will be changed when work is completed on one side. When we receive final notice from IDOT, we will forward this information to the residents and the businesses.

# Think Spring!!!