

# Hainesville Village News



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## **Mayor Soto's Farewell Message**

Dear Hainesville residents and business owners,

It has been an honor and privilege to serve you and the community as the Mayor of Hainesville these past eight (8) years. I am truly grateful for the support and efforts of the Board of Trustees, staff, and citizens during my two consecutive terms.

I am proud to report that our Village remains financially strong and has been able to deliver and enhance quality services and programs through the turbulent economic times of recent years and navigate the challenges of continued discord in our Illinois State Government.

A key component to this Village's success is you, the residents and business owners, and your sense of community. What I love most about our Village is our compassion and caring for one another regardless of difference of opinion.

Please join me in welcoming Trustee Gerry Daley as your new Mayor. I have relied on Trustee Daley as our Finance Chairman the past eight years and am confident in his leadership skills to guide the Board of Trustees and our Village into the future. I will be swearing Gerry into office on Tuesday, May 9<sup>th</sup> at the Regular Board Meeting at 6:30 p.m. at the Village Hall. Please join us!

The future holds much promise for our Village as the economy slowly rebounds and area road projects are completed to ease local traffic congestion.

Thank you for the extraordinary opportunity to serve you and our Village.

Mayor Linda Soto

**Hainesville Earth Day Community Clean-Up 10:00 a.m. Saturday, April 22<sup>d</sup> - Rain Date Sunday, April 23<sup>d</sup>  
Meet at the corner of Tall Oak Drive and Hainesville Rd. to assign locations at 10:00 a.m.**

Volunteers are needed to clean up areas along Hainesville Road, Route 120 and around Cranberry Lake and any other areas in need. We will meet at the corner of Tall Oak Drive and Hainesville Rd. to assign locations at 10:00 a.m. You may form your own groups if there are other areas you feel that need to be addressed.

Latex gloves, trash bags and water will be provided. Please dress appropriately; wear old shoes or boots! Please bring cell phones so we can keep in touch with you. Please call the Village Hall with any questions or to pick up supplies prior to the event at 847-223-2032. A pizza party at the Village Hall will follow. Thank you in advance for participating.

George Duberstein, Trustee, Public Works Liaison



### **INTERNET & PHONE SAFETY EVENT FOR PRE-TEENS, TEENS & ADULTS**

Sunday, April 30<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 p.m. at the Village Hall. The first 25 students between the ages of 10 & 17 will receive a free door prize ticket for a drawing of one of several I-Tunes, Amazon Prime or similar gift cards. Dena Hein, Trustee, Public Safety Liaison

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## **Route 120 and Hainesville Road & Route 120 and Route 134 Intersection Improvements to begin this 2017 Construction Season!!!**

Mayor Soto is pleased to announce the addition of a right hand turn lane off of Route 120 onto Hainesville Road by Walgreens. A sidewalk and an additional bus shelter will be added to the southeast portion of this intersection as well.

Traffic Control signals will be replaced at both Route 120 and Hainesville Road & Route 120 and Route 134 intersections. The new signals will have much better programming capability and will be able to be controlled remotely from the Lake County Passage System located at Lake County Department of Transportation in Libertyville. Intersections will be camera monitored for traffic control and may be viewed by the public on the Lake County Passage System.

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**KISS YARD WASTE STICKERS GOOD-BYE!** Yard waste season runs April 1<sup>st</sup> through November 29<sup>th</sup>, 2017

The Village Board is happy to announce that due to a successful negotiation with Advanced Disposal for a contract extension, Yard Waste Stickers will no longer be required. Yard waste may be disposed of in a paper disposable yard waste bag or a standard waste container marked with an "X". Branches may be bundled not exceeding 4 feet in length, and 18 inches in diameter and under 50 pounds. Yard waste material that is not properly prepared will not be collected.



Effective May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2017 there will be a \$1 increase in your monthly garbage rate. This is quite a bargain considering it includes yard waste pick-up each week without having to buy individual stickers for each container or bundle. Last year these sold for \$2.60 each! The electronic recycling bin will continue to be available and maintained by Advanced Disposal at the Public Works Building on the north side. Please remember electronics cannot be placed curbside but can be placed in the bin at Public Works.

**NEW BUILDING PERMIT & OCCUPANCY INSPECTION RATES** will go into effect **MAY 1st, 2017**. Please visit [www.hainesville.org](http://www.hainesville.org) for specific details or call the Village Hall at 847-223-2032.

### **BLOOD DRIVE! SAVE LIVES! HOLD THE DATE!!!**

Tuesday, June 20<sup>th</sup>, 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. at Hainesville Village Hall Parking Lot, 100 N. Hainesville Road. Heartland will have a blood donation coach bus on site and each donor will receive a **\$5 Target gift card**. Heartland is the sole provider for 63 Chicagoland area hospitals and the Veterans Hospital.

### **SEASONAL REMINDERS!**

If you do not treat for weeds, please mow your lawn before dandelions go to seed!

Electric or gas scooters, ATV's and mini bikes are not allowed on Village streets, sidewalks or Cranberry Lake wood chip path! Please do not park over the sidewalk! This is an Illinois State Law!

### **RLAS-116 Earns Two Financial Awards!**

For the fourth consecutive year, RLAS-116 is the recipient of the ASBO Certificate of Excellence in Financial Reporting Award! This award represents a significant achievement and reflects the District's commitment to fiscal integrity and high-quality financial reporting. In addition, for the first time, RLAS-116 earned 2016-17 Pathway to the Meritorious Budget Award by ASBO International. This is quite an accomplishment as only 15 school districts across the country received this award last year!

For more exciting RLAS-116 news, visit [www.rlas-116.org](http://www.rlas-116.org) or follow on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram!

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