

UPDATED EMERGENCY FLOOD NOTICE – 7:00 PM 7/13/17

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE. Libertyville, IL, July 13, 2017, 7:00 pm – The following notice provides additional information on flood conditions in the Village of Libertyville. The Village has approved a local Declaration of Disaster. While flood waters have receded in many of our neighborhoods, we continue to monitor for possible changes along the Des Plaines River.

Flood damaged belongings can be placed at your curb. Refuse removal is scheduled to occur this Saturday, July 15th and next Saturday, July 22nd, from 6am through 8pm. Please note this is limited to flood damaged refuse only. If disposing of appliances, specifically refrigerators and freezers, doors must be removed as a safety precaution. No paint, hazardous materials, or electronics can be placed at the curb. Regular weekly electronics recycling will continue beginning Saturday, July 22nd from 8am-noon at the Public Works facility located at 600 North Avenue.

We continue to ask residents to check on neighbors and to contact the Village with any concerns over safety and security. Please be especially careful with utilities and flooded basements. Be cautious of home repair contractors who may not be appropriately licensed or insured and call the Police Department to report any suspicious activity. Avoid standing or playing in floodwaters as they may be unsafe and contaminated, and manhole covers may have shifted. Please do not drive around or move roadway barricades—they are there for your safety.

Red Cross responders are in the area working with residents to assess needs including lodging, food and mental health support, those in need of support can call their hotline at 847-220-7495.

Flood concerns should be reported to 847-362-3434. For emergencies call 911. When available, additional information will be posted on the Village website and Facebook page.

In addition to the notice above, those currently experiencing flooding should also note the following:

- Call 800-EDISON-1 to have electric disconnected, restored or to report damaged lines.
- Call North Shore Gas at 866-556-6005 to report emergencies or arrange restoration.
- Sand and/or sandbags are being made available at the following locations:
 - Sandstone Drive at Hyatt Drive
 - Sandstone Drive at Sandstone Court
 - Riverside Drive at Rockland Road
 - Garfield Avenue at the North Shore Bike Path (just south of Rt 176)
 - Kenwood Avenue at Valley Park Drive
 - The west end of Deer Trail Lane, Oak Trail Drive, and Hunters Lane
- Contact your insurance company to determine coverage and available service.
- The following are water/fire restoration experts in the area who may assist. This list is being provided as a convenience and is not an endorsement; customers should use caution and ask appropriate questions. Your insurance company may offer names of additional firms.
 - QC1 Restoration/Response 1, Elgin, 847-891-2929
 - 1-800-BOARD-UP, Lake Bluff, 800-262-7387
 - Giersten Restoration, Buffalo Grove, 847-243-0800
 - Fire-Mark Restoration, Wauconda, 847-526-4241
 - Servpro, Unincorporated Libertyville, 847-557-1080
 - Unlimited Fire Restoration, Downers Grove, 847-860-9005

Please check the Village website for future updates, www.Libertyville.com.

CONTACTS: Flood Assistance, Public Works, Streets & Utilities, 847-362-3434
Emergency, 911
