



VILLAGE OF FRANKLIN PARK

9500 W. BELMONT AVENUE
FRANKLIN PARK, ILLINOIS 60131

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LEGAL NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL RESIDENTS OF THE VILLAGE OF FRANKLIN PARK AND INTERESTED PARTIES THAT A MEETING OF THE TREE PRESERVATION COMMISSION OF THE VILLAGE OF FRANKLIN PARK, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS WILL BE HELD AT THE HOUR OF 6:00 P.M. ON TUESDAY, JUNE 18th, 2024. THE MEETING WILL BE HELD AT THE VILLAGE OF FRANKLIN PARK POLICE STATION, COMMUNITY ROOM, LOCATED AT 9451 W. BELMONT AVENUE, FRANKLIN PARK, ILLINOIS 60131.

THE PUBLIC IS INVITED TO ATTEND. THE FOLLOWING MATTERS MAY BE DISCUSSED OR DECIDED AT THE MEETING:

<p>AGENDA June 18th, 2024</p>
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I. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

II. ROLL CALL

III. APPROVAL AND SIGNING OF May 21st, 2024 MINUTES

IV. BUSINESS

1. A possible new board member will be reviewed by the Village Board in July.

Potential new board members are appointed by the Mayor with the advice and consent of the Village Board.

2. The Tree Board Guidelines document remains under review.
3. June 8th, 2024 Railroad Days: Native plants were handed out to attendees. The Bee Board had tables with honey tasting, and a bee guessing game, and

informational tables regarding pollinators, trees, and Bee City USA. Three tree requests were made during the event.

4. On June 10th at a press conference at The Morton Arboretum, it was officially announced that the Village of Franklin Park, through the Inflation Reduction Act funding to the Illinois Department of Natural Resources administered by CRTI, was awarded \$109,770 Urban and Community Forestry Grant to plant 140 trees, provide education and community engagement in disadvantaged areas, train staff and print signs. SFPFD Smolen delivered a Grant acceptance speech at Morton Arboretum.
5. Additional hours have been granted by the Police department for the seminar. It will begin at 1 to 4 p.m. on Oct 12, with a 2 hour set-up window at 11 a.m.
6. Emailed Dan Corcoran regarding his availability to assist during Seminar with any important technical IT set-up issues for speakers. He will inform us of his availability that day.
7. Co-Chair Ambo: The Bee page is up on the Village website: https://www.villageoffranklinpark.com/departments/public_works/bee_committee_page/
8. Discuss adding a 'pictures' link, such as "Around Town, Events, etc.," that briefly mentions Tree and Bee Board events that took place, and/or shows pictures.
9. Upcoming: July 15, 4pm Bee Board event at Village of Franklin Park Library event reminder.

V. OTHER BUSINESS/ ANNOUNCEMENTS

VI. PUBLIC COMMENTS

VII. ADJOURNMENT

LEGAL NOTICE AND AGENDA POSTED IN THE FRANKLIN PARK MUNICIPAL BUILDING (VILLAGE HALL) AND THE POLICE STATION ON JUNE 14th, 2024

/s/ APRIL J. ARELLANO, VILLAGE CLERK, VILLAGE OF FRANKLIN PARK