

WHEATLAND TOWNSHIP NEWSLETTER

Winter 2023



LETTER FROM THE SUPERVISOR

Welcome to our new township newsletter. As your Supervisor, my goal is to keep you informed on what your Wheatland Township government is doing and give you important information for township services and events.

Your township government is primarily tasked with three basic functions including the administration of general assistance, assessment of real property, and maintenance of township unincorporated roads and bridges. Additional services may include senior citizens programs, assistance to the disabled, health services, and cemetery maintenance.

We are proud of the work we have done since assuming office in May 2021. In that short time, we have modernized operations, expanded services, renegotiated key contracts resulting in substantial savings, developed key partnerships, expanded our team to better serve resident needs, and operated under budget while maintaining some of the lowest township tax rates in all of Will County.

Please let us know how we can be a valuable resource to the residents of our community.

Sincerely,
Michael Crowner
Wheatland Township Supervisor

SENIOR LUNCHEONS RETURN TO WHEATLAND TOWNSHIP

After being suspended due to the COVID-19 pandemic, we were able to restart monthly senior luncheons! It's been a joy to be able to come together and enjoy each other's company over a meal.

For those who are unfamiliar, the monthly senior luncheons are a long-standing tradition that bring together seniors from all over the community for a delicious and nutritious meal. In addition to the meal and fellowship, the luncheons feature special guests who share valuable news and insights with our seniors.

We invite seniors to join us for this exciting monthly event. It's a great opportunity to socialize, meet new friends, enjoy a delicious meal, and have a wonderful time in a safe and welcoming environment.

Whether you are new to the community or have lived here for many years, we invite you to join us for this special event.

We look forward to seeing everyone again this spring!

For any questions or further information, please contact Trustee Kelly Hickey at KellyH@wheatlandtownship.com



Sheriff Mike Kelley providing Will County Sheriff's Office Updates to Wheatland Seniors at Monthly Luncheon

NOTES FROM THE ASSESSOR

The Wheatland Assessor's Office is looking forward to a busy 2023. This year is the quadrennial reassessment year where all neighborhoods are reviewed for accuracy in value. By statute, we use the last three years of sales (2020-2022) to calculate the assessed value of a property.

All properties will receive a notice of reassessment by mail in early August. The township will accept informal appeals for review of assessments until Labor Day.

Will County will mail exemption forms to selected homeowners on April 14th. These exemptions typically apply to only the disabled and those qualified for the senior freeze.

You can find our office online at Wheatlandassessor.com for further information throughout the year.

Chuck Kern
Wheatland Assessor

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Office Hours:
8 AM - 4 PM Monday - Thursday
8 AM - 12 PM Friday



Career & Networking Center
Monday - Thursday 9 AM - 3 PM
630-961-5665
cnc@careernetworkingcenter.org
2525 Cabot Dr., #302, Lisle, IL 60532

Wheatland Township is Partnering with the Career & Networking Center in Lisle

Career & Networking Center (CNC) offers a variety of diverse resources for individuals in career transition or looking for professional development. CNC's robust program includes providing job leads, accountability and networking groups, workshops, outplacement and coaching in the areas of General Coaching, Career Exploration, Brand Development, Interviewing Prep, Job Search Strategies, LinkedIn Tips, Networking Strategies, and Resume Tips needed for job search or career success.

Are you a job seeker in search of your next opportunity? If so, join Job Club (in person or via Zoom), a welcoming networking group where you can build your network, exchange career and job search ideas, and learn about companies hiring. Come on in!

Job Club is held Wednesdays and registration is easy and free at careernetworkingcenter.org.

Wheatland Township will be setting up a room where job club will be zoomed in order to reduce travel to Lisle. You can also zoom from home.

If you seek to use the computers and services at work net, there is a very small yearly fee to do so. Wheatland Township will consider scholarships for those in need.

Please contact billg@wheatlandtownship for more information.

If you've ever seen the look on somebody's face the day they finally get a job, I've had some experience with this, they look like they could fly. And it's not about the paycheck, it's about respect, it's about looking in the mirror and knowing that you've done something valuable. "The Movie Dave"

Road District Update



Commissioner Tom Wieser Announces Brush Pickup Dates

The Road District Brush Removal Program is for the sole use of residents in unincorporated Wheatland Township and is not to be used by contractors or landscapers. It is for the disposal of trimmed or pruned branches only. **Cutting a tree down is not considered trimming or pruning.**

Our equipment is not designed to grind small twigs. If it is small enough to be placed in a bag, it is considered yard waste and will not be picked up by the Road District. Call your scavenger service for disposal of yard waste and roots.

Place brush at curbside by 7:00 AM on the Monday of the designated Pick-up week. Do not place material earlier than the Saturday before the scheduled pick up. To service the entire unincorporated areas often takes three to seven working days. Your brush may not be picked up until later in the week. The Road District will make only one pass through your neighborhood.

April 3rd-6th, 2023

May 1st-5th, 2023

August 28th-September 1st, 2023

October 2nd-6th, 2023

Christmas Tree Pick-Up: January 8th, 2024

There will NOT be a scheduled brush pick-up in June, July

Please check wheatlandtownship.com for updates throughout the year.

DID YOU KNOW?

Wheatland Township maintains a historic cemetery that dates back to 1836. It is located on 104th Street in south Naperville.

In 2011, the Cemetery was designated a Will County Historic Landmark by the Will County Historical Preservation Commission and County Board.

You can contact our Cemetery Manager for information on grave sales, cemetery tours, and general inquiries.

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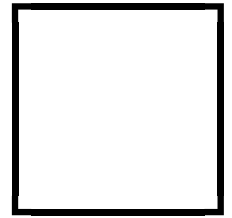
Monthly Meeting Schedule

March 9th
April 11th*
May 11th
June 8th
July 13th
August 10th
September 14th
October 12th
November 9th
December 14th

*Monthly & Annual Meeting



4232 Tower Court
Naperville, IL 60564



Remember the days of having a handy list of names and numbers placed on the side of the old fridge? Well, here is that document!

We are making an effort to go a little old school and provide just that.

We are your township and we take the opportunity to assist in the daily lives of our residents seriously.

HANDY PHONE NUMBERS FOR WHEATLAND TOWNSHIP

Wheatland Township	630-717-0092
Will County (Main)	815-722-5515
Animal Control	815-462-5633
Building Commission	815-727-8634
Health Department	815-727-8480
Land Use	815-774-3321
Transportation	815-727-8476
Sheriff (Non-Emergency)	815-727-8895
MC2 Energy (Electricity)	833-879-0715
NICOR (Natural Gas)	888-642-6748
Environmental (Trash/Recycling)	877-323-2222

Need Some Help?

General Assistance (GA) is a locally administered program which provides monthly financial assistance to persons who do not have adequate income or resources to provide for their own basic needs. To qualify, the individual must meet certain financial and residential criteria, and not be eligible for any other state or federal assistance programs.

Emergency Assistance (EA) is available to individuals and families to alleviate a life-threatening circumstance. Assistance can only be issued once in a 12-month period to Township residents who meet the financial eligibility requirements. Most often, rental assistance and utility assistance is available when the resident has an eviction or cut-off notice.

Thanks to an agreement between our Boards, Wheatland Township residents have access to the DuPage Township **Food Pantry** to supplement the nutritional needs of our Township's residents.

If you would like any more information about the programs above, please reach out to supervisorsoffice@wheatlandtownship.com