

# Huntley's Village Journal

April 15, 2015

**Village of Huntley**  
10987 Main Street  
Huntley, IL 60142

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## Important Village Phone Numbers

Village Hall:  
(847) 515-5200

Water Billing:  
(847) 515-5200

Public Works:  
(847) 515-5222

Development Services:  
(847) 515-5252

Police non-emergency:  
(847) 515-5311

Police emergency dial 911

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The Friendly Village  
with Country Charm



*The overall Downtown Improvements project is anticipated to continue through October 2015*

## Mark Your Calendars

**Apr 13-24 Hydrant Flushing**

**April 25 Green & Clean Huntley Day!**  
This is Huntley's big recycling event of the year. Start your Spring cleaning now, and make sure your family participates in the event for which Huntley was recognized as a Governors Hometown Award winner! (see back page for Green & Clean event info)

**May 2 Indoor Farmers Market at American Legion, 9am- 1pm**

**May 4-15 Tree Branch Pick Up (see article)**

**May 25 Memorial Day - Municipal offices closed**

**May 25 Memorial Day Parade at 11 am**

## Construction Underway in Downtown Huntley

Berger Excavating has been contracted by the Village of Huntley to complete water main and sanitary sewer improvements in the downtown area. The project includes replacing or improving existing water and sewer utilities in advance of the Downtown Streetscape Improvement project. This phase of the overall Downtown Improvements project began on March 16th and is expected to be substantially complete by May 15th. Please keep in mind this is the first phase of the overall Downtown Improvements project that is anticipated to be on-going through October 2015.

Residents will also see changes to the downtown parking situation. On April 7th, the westernmost public parking lot (Main St. and rail road tracks) was closed for renovations. A new temporary parking lot is now open directly behind the Parkside and Village Inn. Please access this lot from the driveway directly west of the Parkside entrance. There is also public parking available in the lot next to the Chamber of Commerce offices on Coral Street, and many on-street parking spaces.

The Village of Huntley created a special Downtown Updates newsletter for residents, businesses, and other persons or groups interested in following the progress of the Downtown Improvements and Streetscape Renovations. If you live or work in the downtown area we highly suggest you sign up for the Downtown Updates newsletter. You can easily find the signup link and other construction related links on Huntley's homepage: [www.huntley.il.us](http://www.huntley.il.us)

Please note, there is also a special Downtown Updates web page which includes the most up-to-date information on the project. We hope you save the link to this page and visit it often.  
<http://www.huntley.il.us/DowntownUpdates2015.htm>

## Curbside Tree Branch Pick Up

The Public Works Department will be conducting its semi-annual curbside tree branch pickup in May. The dates for pickup are divided into 2 regions:

**Week of May 4th - all roads north of Kreutzer Road**  
**Week of May 11th - all roads in Sun City**

Please place tree branches on the parkway by **Monday morning** during your collection week. Branch collection crews will make one pass in each neighborhood. Residents that miss the curbside pickup can make arrangements with their waste hauler, or a Saturday one time only drop off is scheduled for May 16th at Public Works located on Donald Drive from 8:00 a.m. to Noon.

**The following will NOT be accepted:** Tree limbs larger than 10" in diameter or smaller than 1/2" in diameter; Tied bundles of branches; Bagged material or material in cans; Leaves and yard waste; Trimmings from bushes; Evergreen material; Stumps of any kind. Please contact Public Works with questions or concerns: 847-515-5222

## Local Election Update

The Consolidated Election was held on April 7th, and the results indicate two incumbent trustees and one new trustee will be seated on the Village Board in May. Trustee Harry Leopold has served on the Village Board since 2003. Trustee Niko Kanakaris has served on the Village Board since 2007. Tim Hoeft will be Huntley's newest member of the Village Board and will replace interim Trustee Charles Huffman. The Board of Trustees functions as the legislative branch of the Village government and is the elected representation of the citizens of Huntley.

## Memorial Day Parade

On Monday, May 25th, the annual Memorial Day Parade will kick-off from the Municipal Complex at 11:00 a.m. and will go west on Main Street to Woodstock Street. Any groups interested in participating in the parade should contact Patrick Conley at the Huntley American Legion, 847-802-8280. Applications are also available on the Huntley website: [www.huntley.il.us](http://www.huntley.il.us)

# GREEN & CLEAN HUNTLEY DAY

Saturday, April 25th from 9 a.m - 1 p.m.

Huntley Residents Only - IDs will be checked

- ◆ **Electronics Recycling** The Village will be accepting your unwanted electronics and batteries at the Municipal Complex parking lot.
- ◆ **Spring Cleaning Drop Off** Clean out your basement/garage and drop off items at the dumpsters located at Public Works on East Main Street & Donald Drive.
- ◆ **Paper/Document Destruction** AMS Store and Shred will be accepting documents for shredding at the Municipal Complex parking lot. Participants will receive a certificate of destruction for materials taken to be destroyed.
- ◆ **Polystyrene Foam #6** Dart Container Corporation will be on hand in the Municipal Complex parking lot to collect clean polystyrene plates, cups, clamshell containers, and block Styrofoam: NO peanuts or bubble wrap.
- ◆ **Take a tour of the West Wastewater Treatment Plant** West Main Street off of Kreutzer Road, between 9am - 1pm (tours take approximately 1 hour - last tour begins at Noon).
- ◆ **Culver's Kids Arbor Day Coloring Contest** Kids be sure to pick up a coloring sheet at Culver's, Huntley Village Hall, Huntley Library or Huntley Park District from April 6th - 26th and bring your best coloring work back to Culver's of Huntley between April 20th & 25th to get a free scoop! (no purchase necessary). Children who participate in this event will also have their name entered to win a free tree.

## Spring Cleaning Drop Off / Location: Public Works (East Main Street on Donald Drive)

The following items will **NOT** be accepted at this site:

- Yard waste/grass clippings/branches, etc.
- Liquid waste (basically any liquids)
- Motor Oil
- Medical Waste
- Hazardous Waste
- Lead-acid batteries (car batteries, etc.)
- Tires
- Electronics

## Electronics Recycling / Location: Huntley Municipal Complex Parking Lot 10987 Main Street

The following items **WILL** be accepted:

Cable Receivers	Computers	Computer Monitors	Digital Converter Boxes
Digital Video Disc Players	Digital Video Disc Recorders	Electronic Keyboards	Electronic Mice
Fax Machines	Microwaves	Printers	Portable Digital Music Players
Power Tools	Satellite Receivers	Scanners	Small Scale Servers
Televisions	Toaster Ovens	Video Cassette Recorders	Video Game Consoles

## Polystyrene Foam #6 / Location: Municipal Complex Parking Lot 10987 Main Street

Dart Container Corporation has the following collection requirements:

- ◆ Make sure your foam has the symbol.
- ◆ Packaging foam and clean food service containers accepted
- ◆ No straws, lids, plastic wrap
- ◆ No packaging peanuts

