



Village of Villa Park

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RE: 2019 Jackson Pond Improvement Project

Dear Resident:

The Village of Villa Park will be completing stormwater improvements over the next few months as a part of its **Jackson Pond Improvement Project**. This project is part of the Village's larger **Sugar Creek Watershed Drainage Improvement Project**, which includes a number of projects intended to lessen the frequency and severity of flooding in the southwest area of the Village. The current Jackson Pond Improvement Project includes the excavation of a new overflow stormwater detention basin on Village property along High Ridge Road, construction of new storm sewers along High Ridge Road, Ardmore Avenue, Leslie Lane, and Willowcrest Drive, improvements to the Village's baseball field on High Ridge Road, and updates to the playground at Willowbrook Park. Additional information on both this project and the larger efforts can be found on the project page on the Village of Villa Park's website at <https://www.invillapark.com/843/Sugar-Creek-Watershed-Drainage-Improvement>. A map of the current project area is also provided on the back of this letter.

Construction is expected to begin in the next week. Preliminary construction efforts, including surveying, traffic control, tree removal, and mobilization of materials and equipment will begin first, with full construction operations to follow. Traffic on Ardmore Avenue, High Ridge Road, and in the Willowcrest Subdivision will be affected by construction efforts. There will be a need for temporary road closures on Ardmore and on High Ridge, and also in the vicinity of Leslie Lane and Willowcrest Drive as construction takes place. Parking in those areas may also be restricted during the workday in order to accommodate construction operations. Rest assured, we will work with residents to keep them informed of any planned work efforts which may cause additional inconvenience.


Part of the project modifications will include the relocation of the **Willowbrook playground** just to the west of the existing playground area. The Parks and Recreation Department has plans to update the park with a new playground and climbing structure, keeping the same type of amenities already at the park and adding a few more features, pending Board of Trustee approval at either the April 8th or 22nd Board meeting. If you wish to see the playground design please contact the Parks and Recreation Department office at 630-834-8970 for the rendering. Plans are to install the new playground while the stormwater project is underway. Due to the construction in the area, the park will not be available for use until the construction is completed, tentatively expected in summer 2019.


The general contractor for this project is EarthWerks Land Improvement and Development Corporation of Batavia, Illinois. All questions and comments regarding this project should be directed to the Village of Villa Park Engineering Division at (630) 834-8505. We will make every attempt to keep you informed of construction progress and activities, and thank you in advance for your patience throughout the course of this project. If you have any questions or would like additional information, please do not hesitate to contact us at the number listed.



Village of Villa Park Jackson Pond Project 2019 Project Area

Legend

 Willowbrook Park - Closed to the Public for the Duration of Construction

 Roadside Construction - Periodic Road Closures During the Project

Jackson Middle School

Islamic Foundation

Willowbrook Park

Willowbrook High School

Map Revised:
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