

NEW ZONING ENFORCEMENT OFFICER

The Village of Virgil welcomes a new Zoning Enforcement Officer, Mr. Mike Stoffa. Please contact the Village office before starting a home improvement or maintenance project at 630-365-6677 and Katie will contact Mr. Stoffa. Common projects include re-roofing, siding and gutters, new windows, sheds, garages, pole barns, and building additions. Also contact Mr. Stoffa to report a violation of a Virgil Ordinance.

COMMUNITY POLICING

The Illinois Secretary of State's Office established the Emergency Contact Database on July 1st, 2009. The database allows Illinois driver's license and ID cardholders to enter emergency contact info into a voluntary, secure database. In the event of a motor vehicle crash or other emergency situation when a person is unable to communicate directly, law enforcement may access the database to help them reach the person's designated contacts. For more info visit www.cyberdriveillinois.com and click on the box towards the bottom of the web page of call 800-252-8980 and press 0 for an operator.

FLU SHOTS

Don't forget to get your flu shot this fall. CVS and Walgreens Pharmacies are offering free flu shots for the unemployed.



HALLOWEEN

Trick or Treating in Virgil will be from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Saturday, October 31st. Please turn on your outside lights if you are handing out candy. For information on Halloween safety, please visit the website www.halloweensafety.com

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FAX: 630-365-6489
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VILLAGE WEBSITE
www.villageofvirgil.com

Our Village Website is constantly being updated and improved as we see the need.

This is a convenient way to be informed of what is going on in the Village of Virgil.

Information found on the website includes:

- Village Board and Committee Members
- Contact Information
- Upcoming Meeting Dates
- Meeting Minutes
- Village History
- Special Notices

We would also appreciate any suggestions you might have for website topics to be added.

VILLAGE OFFICE HOURS

The Village Clerk has scheduled office hours on Tuesdays from 1-4 P.M. Please call or e-mail the Village Office to request an appointment outside of this time frame.

NOTARY PUBLIC: Contact the Village Clerk, Katie Kralka, who is a notary public, to make arrangements for notary services. This service is free to all residents of Virgil.

VOTER REGISTRATION:

For your convenience, any Illinois resident can register to vote, or have a change of address performed, by calling the Village Office at 630-365-6677 to make arrangements. (You need not live in the Village of Virgil for our voter registrar to register you. Proof of identity, age (18 or older) and legal address is required. Voters must be registered to their home precinct address at least 30 days prior to any election to be eligible to vote in that election. The polling place for Village of Virgil residents is at the S.S. Peter & Paul Parish Center at 5N939 Meredith Road. Voting hours are 6:00 AM to 7:00 PM.

EARLY VOTING:

Registered voters can vote early during the 22nd day through the 5th day preceding an election. For more information, call the Kane County Clerk's Office at (630) 232-5994.

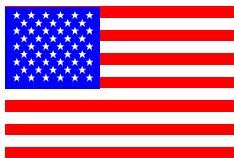
ABSENTEE VOTING:

If you will be out of town, or are physically unable to vote at your polling place on Election Day, you can apply for an Absentee Ballot, which will be mailed to you by Kane County Elections. Call (630) 232-5994.

STUDENT ELECTION JUDGE PROGRAM:

Kane County resident high school seniors with a minimum 3.0 GPA may be eligible to become a Student Election Judge. Student election judges will attend an instructional class and earn \$125 for working at the polls on Election Day. Contact your high school principal for more information.

Village of Virgil
5N539 Meredith Road, Suite 2
Virgil, IL 60151



Thank You...

To the residents of Virgil who mowed around the Village of Virgil signs.

To Sauber Manufacturing Company in Virgil for printing this Newsletter for us.

Commercial Filmed in Virgil

On September 28, 2009, a film production company came to Virgil to film a commercial for the company U.S. Cellular. The commercial features a couple getting out of the car to make snow angels in a field. Be on the lookout for this commercial in the future!

VILLAGE COMMITTEES

BUILDING, ZONING & ROADS: Jay Seyller (Chair), Pete Walker, Chet Morris

PLAN COMMISSION: Veronica Strzepek, Mike Sauber, Dave Rymarz, Lisa Anderson, Debbie Washburn (ex-officio).

ZONING BOARD of APPEALS: Jerry DeBruyne (Chair), Nick Hankes, Colette Petit, Cheryl Hackbarth, Tom Ruf, Brad Krabel, Penny Dyer. Debbie Washburn (ex-officio).

COMPREHENSIVE LAND USE PLAN REWRITE: Jamie LeBlanc (Chair), Bob Neisendorf, Colette Petit, James Giannini, Pete Walker, Jay Seyller, Jim O'Neil, Debbie Washburn (ex-officio)

WASTE WATER/STORM WATER: Brad Kriegel (co-chair), Debbie Washburn (co-chair), Bob Neisendorf, Colette Petit, Dave Kosarek, Pete Walker.

Road Rehab

This summer improvements were made to I.C. Trail that included adding more gravel to the road base and applying an A-2 chip and seal surface to the roadway from Sauber Road east to the Village Limits. This process has provided a hard surface road, eliminating the ongoing dust problem. The Village was able to do this project thanks to a grant that was secured through the efforts of Pat Lindner who has since retired but was our State Representative for District 50.

To help prolong the life of our section of I.C. Trail, the Village has applied a permanent weight limit of 10 tons and has posted the speed limit at 30 M.P.H.

RECYCLE!



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Recycling helps to keep our environment clean and safe now and for future generations. Please use your recycle bins on trash pick-up day, or use the collection bins maintained by The Virgil Township Solid Waste District, located behind the SS Peter & Paul Parish Center on Meredith Road. (Call Northern Illinois Disposal at 1-800-930-7321 for info.)

Kane County also provides pick-up of miscellaneous items. For recycling events, consult their website at:

www.co.kane.il.us/environment

FAST FACTS ABOUT THE CENSUS

SAFE. The Census Bureau Protects information that identifies respondents or their households for 72 years.

EASY. The questionnaire contains only a few questions and takes just a few minutes to answer and return by mail.

EVERYONE COUNTS. The census is a count of everyone living in the United States, including all 50 states, Washington, D.C., Puerto Rico, U.S. Virgin Islands, Guam, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, and American Samoa. This includes people of all ages, races, ethnic groups, both citizens and non-citizens.

DIAL 911 FOR EMERGENCY

POLICE: The Village of Virgil is patrolled by the Kane County Sheriff's Department.

In case of an emergency, calling 911 will send your call to the Kane County Sheriff's Dispatch Center, who will dispatch the appropriate emergency services, such as Police, Fire or Ambulance.

VILLAGE BOARD MEMBERS & MEETING DATES

Village President: DEBBIE WASHBURN

Clerk: KATIE KRALKA

Treasurer: DARLENE HANKES

Office: 630-365-6677

Fax: 630-365-6489

Email: villageofvirgil@yahoo.com

Web: www.villageofvirgil.com

Trustees:

PENNY DYER

DAVE KOSAREK

JAMIE LE BLANC

BOB NEISENDORF

JAY SEYLLER

PETE WALKER

MONTHLY MEETINGS @ 7:00 PM:

Village Board: 2nd Thursday

Committee of the Whole: 4th Thursday (as needed)

Plan Commission: 1st Tuesday (as needed)

Zoning Board of Appeals: 1st Thursday (as needed)

Building, Zoning & Roads: 2nd Tuesday (as needed)

Comp. Plan Rewrite: 3rd Tuesday

Waste/Storm Water: 1st Thursday

All meetings are open to the public, and you are encouraged to attend!
Cancelled or rescheduled meetings are posted on the village website and on the building window.



2010 CENSUS

Census questionnaires will be mailed in March 2010. Make sure to participate in the count. A complete and accurate count is in our hands. Why is a census count so important to Virgil? It brings the necessary funding our community deserves. Census data is used to allocate billions of dollars in government funding and guide where to build roads, schools, job training centers and more. It insures that our interests are represented by determining how many seats each state will have in Congress and impact redistricting of state and local districts. Lastly, it brings jobs to the community by employing people nationwide for temporary census jobs. An incomplete count could mean that Virgil does not receive its fair share of funding.