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Message from Mayor Kevin M. Fitzgerald

Dear Friends,

As another eventful year comes to a close, I would like to recap some of the highlights and achievements that our Village accomplished during the year. These items have allowed our Village to not only remain a great place to live, work and raise a family today but they also ensure that future generations will be able to keep that commitment alive. It is important to acknowledge that all of these items are the efforts of teams that work collaboratively to ensure the projects have a successful completion. Our entire Village community has benefited from the hard work and dedication of all our Village employees as well 100's of volunteers who serve on committees or have an active role in our Fire Department. Below are a few highlights of particular interest:

Energy Performance Contract

- In 2023 we signed an Energy Performance contract with Johnson Controls which has allowed us to bundle under one project a number of projects (e.g., boilers, LED lighting in Village buildings, Library roof, solar panels on the DPW building, etc.) while using the future energy savings to offset/payback some of the cost of the projects over time. To learn more about this project in detail please feel free to watch my 4VS Studio Mayor's report (link <https://www.4vs.org/4VS-WatchNowPage3-TheFloralParkMayor'sReport-12.php>).

Trees:

- Another asset of the Village that requires significant attention and, every so often, removal and replacement, are our Village trees. The Village is very proud of our trees and our "Tree City USA" designation. In order to maintain our "Tree City" designation, each year the Village has to apply to the National Arbor Day Foundation and provide significant data to show that the Village meets their requirements and that the Village takes our tree management and replacement seriously. Included in the data in this year's submission to the Arbor Day

Foundation are the following facts from the past year: (i) the Village had to remove 60 trees for various reasons including a disease affecting over 50 Ash and Oak trees; (ii) we planted 300 new trees throughout the Village (and that does not include anything at Centennial Gardens); and (iii) the Village pruned 150 trees. As stated, our trees are a great asset and the Village is committed to responsibly preserving and maintaining them.

Road Program

- In 2023 we continued with our Road Program which included the total reconstruction of both Clayton Avenue and Hinsdale Avenue between Jericho Turnpike and Lowell Avenue.
- Additionally, we continue to work with National Grid and the Water Authority of Western Nassau as they open roads for their projects. You have probably noticed many streets that have been partially opened by these utilities. For the past few years, the Village has been working with National Grid for funding for overlays of the entire street (rather than just a patch of the excavated area). Under this approach, National Grid pays to the Village the amount National Grid would pay to patch the roads due to their work. The Village then applies those funds to do an overlay of the entire street. The cost paid by National Grid equals approximately one-third of the complete overlay cost. In this manner, the Village is able to do more road overlay projects throughout the Village. Also, there is a benefit in that the roads that have been overlaid are less likely to be disrupted by utility work in the near future. This year, we were able to do an overlay on several streets impacted by National Grid's work, including: Harvard, Nassau and Lexington Streets, and portions of Carnation and Verbena Avenues. Unfortunately, there has been a delay in addressing some of the roads recently impacted by National Grid's work because we have been advised by the Water Authority of Nassau County (WAWNC) that they are planning a project for this coming Spring which will require extensive excavation of . . .

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many of these same roads. We have been in discussions with the WAWNC for a similar funding arrangement as with National Grid and look forward to completing the overlay of these roads once WAWNC completes their work. We appreciate our residents' patience as National Grid and WAWNC continue with their projects in 2024.

- Also, this year we were able to do an overlay on a portion of Carnation Avenue funded by a separate grant from New York State.

Third Track

- Even though the Third Track project has been completed and the new tracks and schedules have been in operation for most of the year, the Village continues to work with the Long Island Rail Road (LIRR) to complete a number of unfinished projects related to the Third Track project. These included a new protective fence at the end of Tunnel Street and landscaping on Main Street and Hanover Street as well as a few other spots along the Main line. We continue to work with the LIRR and hope to have resolutions early in the New Year on potential mitigation for certain properties along the Hempstead line and on the "haul route" roads (e.g., Terrace Avenue, Fuller Avenue, etc.). It is important to note that even though it has not yet been determined as to the amount of the LIRR's responsibility for the deterioration of the road on Hanover Street, the Village repaved it in November due to the significant damage this road sustained. We could not wait until the Spring. I would like to thank Trustee Stewart and Village Administrator Bambrick for the hours of work and advocacy they have put in over the past year on these issues.

Belmont Park

- The New York Racing Association (NYRA) has started the work on the multi-year project to redevelop Belmont Park. These redevelopment plans include a brand-new Grandstand, 4 new racing surfaces including a new winter track, and a new backyard. NYRA recently announced that due to the ongoing construction, the 2024 Belmont Stakes will be held at Saratoga. Although we are disappointed that Belmont Park will not be the site of next year's Belmont Stakes, we plan on working with the Floral Park Chamber of Commerce on still having the Tulip Avenue Street Fair the night before the Belmont Stakes. Additionally, management at NYRA has kept us apprised of ongoing and upcoming milestones with the redevelopment. This includes regular meetings of the Belmont Park Advisory Board which both Trustee Chiara and I attend as members.
- I would like to also like to thank the team at the UBS Arena and Oak View Group for working with us and attending to any issues that have arisen over the past two years since the arena has opened. We look forward to

working with them in the coming year as the new mall opens.

Downtown Revitalization/NY Forward Grants

- The Village for the 3rd year has submitted an application to New York State to have our downtowns included in the State's Downtown Revitalization Initiative. This year we focused on and applied for the NY Forward grant. The entire application as well as an overview of the NY Forward Program can be found on our website. I encourage all residents and business owners to review to see some of the ideas that can be accomplished with this grant (link <https://fpvillage.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/10/Floral-Park-2023-NYF-Application.pdf>). Even though to date we have not been awarded one of the few grants per year given out on Long Island, we continue to use this process to explore projects that come up during discussions to see if we can move forward with some of these projects even without the grant.
- Additionally, we were excited to welcome a number of new businesses to the Village this year. It seems that restaurants continue to thrive here in the Village. We thank all of the entrepreneurs who risk their capital to bring not only needed services to the Village but also ones that are enjoyable and continue to enhance a sense of community.

Drainage

- Speaking of grants, we were pleased to be informed in September that Congressman D'Esposito secured United States House of Representative approval for \$4,050,000 in federal funds for the Village to start and complete the long-awaited new sump/recharge basin in Belmont Park near the dead end of Clover. As you may remember, New York State provided the Village with an easement on Belmont Park property a number of years ago for a site to build the new recharge basin. We will still need United States Senate approval of the House funding bill (which, we are advised, is expected hopefully in January). We are now in the process of preparing the bid documents for the new recharge basin construction. Once funding is approved and the bidding process is completed, we can start and complete the project.

Fire Department

- In February of 2023, following extensive planning by the Fire Chiefs and working with Deputy Mayor Pombonyo, the Village entered into a contract with NYU Langone to provide first response ambulance service to village residents. NYU Langone trained paramedics are qualified to diagnostically test and begin treatment (e.g. administer medications, start IVs, etc.) at the scene. The NYU Langone ambulance is staged at Village Hall to provide immediate response times. The Village Volunteer ambulance service, our Rescue Department, is still active to provide second call responses. The NYU Langone ambulance together with the Fire Department Rescue ambulance provide enhanced critical services to our residents.

Police

- This year the Floral Park Police Department implemented a new "Computer Aided Dispatch" (CAD) communication system which allows our Police Department to communicate simultaneously with multiple agencies in emergencies and to have access to extensive data relating to those emergencies, criminal history and other police-related matters.

4Village Studios

- 4 Village Studio is celebrating their 25th year of being on the air. I would like to thank James Green, the Studio's Operation Manager, and his team of volunteers who have consistently brought award winning shows to our communities. Be sure to check out their shows every Monday, Thursday and Sunday on your cable company's 4VS channel, or online at www.4VS.org. Trustee Longobardi also provides details as to upcoming programming in his Board Reports.

Recycling Collection Schedule Changes

- Earlier this year we changed our garbage and recycling pickup schedules. Due to feedback from our residents and after a thorough review of the changes implemented last year, we are going to make some improvements to the schedule starting January 1, 2024. The primary change is that recycling will no longer be Village-wide on Wednesdays. Rather, starting in January 2024, all Village recycling will coincide with residential garbage collection days. For example, if your garbage collection is Mondays and Thursdays, paper and cardboard will be collected on Mondays and plastics and glass collection will be on Thursdays. If your garbage collection days are Tuesdays and Fridays, paper and cardboard collection will be on Tuesdays and plastics and glass will be picked up on Fridays. This will ensure that recycling will be picked up every week including weeks in which there is a holiday. More details about the changes to the recycling schedule can be found on the flyer from our Department of Public Works at page 5.

Best in Nassau County Awards

- Thanks to the dedication and creativity of our Library staff and Library Board, the Floral Park Library was once again, for the third time, voted "Best Library in Nassau County". Also, our volunteers and leadership of the Floral Park Conservation Society, together with our Parks and DPW teams, earned Centennial Gardens a repeat win in the category for "Best Public Garden in Nassau County."

Military Banners

- I would like to thank everyone who purchased a banner earlier this year as part of the Military Tribute Banner Program, jointly sponsored by the Floral Park American Legion and the Village.

What a great way to honor and remember our residents and loved ones who served our Country. These banners will be back up in the Spring prior to Memorial Day.

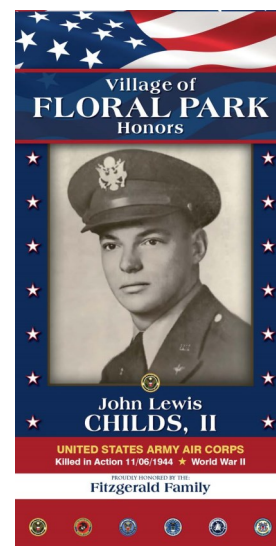
Staying Up to Date

- Our E-Village Items is emailed usually every other Friday (the Friday after each Village Board Meeting). It covers the topics mentioned in the Mayor and Board of Trustees' Board Reports as well as updates on certain other events and projects taking place in the Village. It also contains links to upcoming hearings and meetings, such as Zoning Board of Appeals and Architectural Review Board. The E-Village Items is sent out to all on the Village's email notification list, which now contains more than 4,000 email addresses. If you are not on the Village email notification list, we urge you to register at: <https://fpvillage.org/notifications/>.
- As always, if you have any questions or suggestions there are many outlets in which these can be brought forth. You can attend the monthly Civic Association meetings at which at least one Village Trustee is in attendance and provides updates. Or you can participate in the bi-weekly Village Board meetings, whether it be in person or via Zoom. Also, as always, you can call the Mayor's hotline (516 326-6300) or send a question or comment to comments@fpvillage.org.

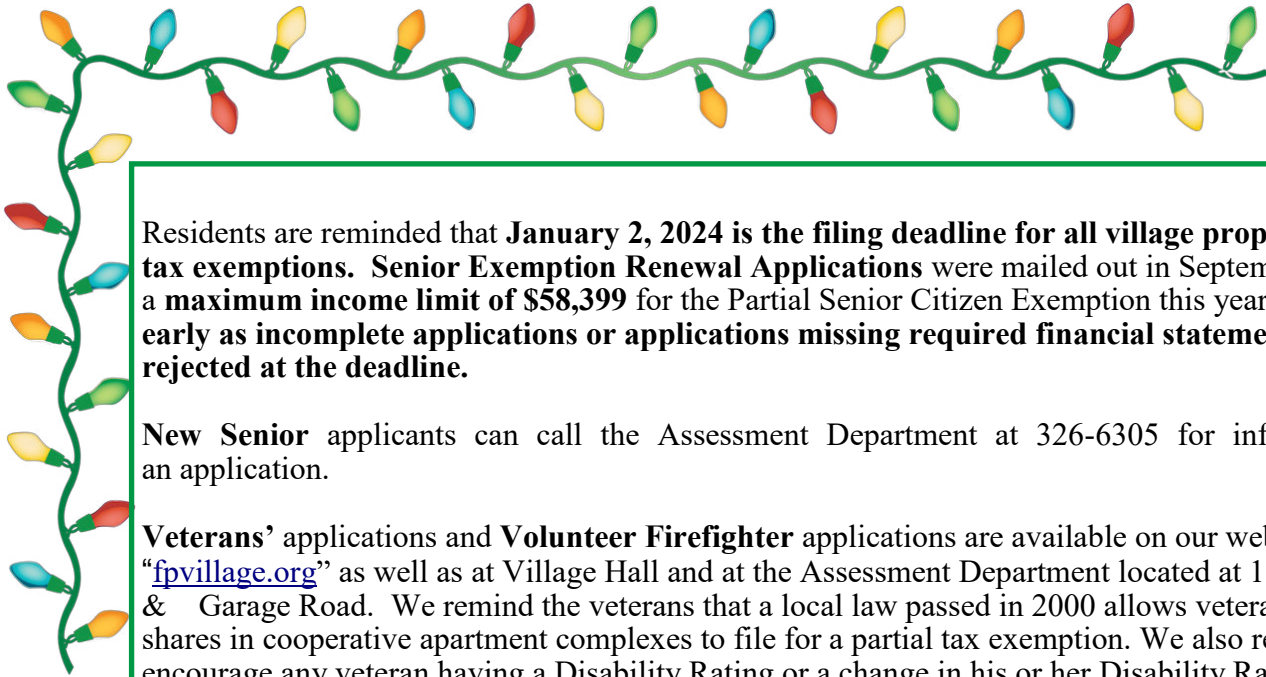
On behalf of the Village Board and our entire Village Staff we wish you and your families a very Merry Christmas, a wonderful Holiday season and a Happy and Healthy New Year!

Kevin M Fitzgerald

Kevin M. Fitzgerald
Mayor



ASSESSMENT DEADLINE



Residents are reminded that **January 2, 2024 is the filing deadline for all village property tax exemptions. Senior Exemption Renewal Applications** were mailed out in September. There is a **maximum income limit of \$58,399** for the Partial Senior Citizen Exemption this year. **Please file early as incomplete applications or applications missing required financial statements will be rejected at the deadline.**

New Senior applicants can call the Assessment Department at 326-6305 for information and an application.

Veterans' applications and **Volunteer Firefighter** applications are available on our website "fpvillage.org" as well as at Village Hall and at the Assessment Department located at 1 Pool & Garage Road. We remind the veterans that a local law passed in 2000 allows veterans who own shares in cooperative apartment complexes to file for a partial tax exemption. We also remind and encourage any veteran having a Disability Rating or a change in his or her Disability Rating, to contact the Assessment Department. **Change requests and new applications** must be submitted by the January 2, 2024 deadline.

If you are a **new property owner** in the village or you are a property owner who has a **mailing address change, bank change, or have satisfied your mortgage**, please contact the Assessment Department as soon as possible to update our records and direct future tax bills and correspondence to the correct address or bank.

2024 VILLAGE SEASONAL EMPLOYMENT

The Village of Floral Park has several openings for summer employment, such as: lifeguards, maintenance staff, pool attendants, sports counselors, arts and crafts counselors and clerical positions.

Applications are enclosed in the Village Items or available on the Village's website: www.fpvillage.org under Village Information – Employment Opportunities.

Lifeguards must possess a current Nassau County Lifeguard Certification. Minimum age requirement is 16 years of age by January 1, 2024. Details of job requirements may be found on the employment application.

Please drop off all completed applications at Village Hall, One Floral Boulevard to the attention of Susan Walsh.

FLORAL PARK
DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC WORKS



CHANGES TO THE 2024 RECYCLING SCHEDULE

RECYCLABLES PICKUP

District 1-A: Monday - Paper and Cardboard Only
Thursday - Plastic, Glass & Cans

District 2-B: Tuesday - Paper and Cardboard Only
Friday - Plastic, Glass & Cans

District 1-B: Monday - Paper and Cardboard Only
Thursday - Plastic, Glass & Cans

District 2-A: Tuesday - Paper and Cardboard Only
Friday - Plastic, Glass & Cans

PLEASE NOTE:

- Newspapers must be tied.
- Cardboard must be flattened and tied.
- Rinse food and product from plastic, tin and glass bottles and place in blue box.
- Acceptable: Shoe boxes, corrugated cartons, telephone books, magazines, soft and hard cover books.
- No pizza boxes.

E-WASTE

Pick up will remain on a daily call-in basis.

MUST call DPW 24 hours in advance at 516-326-6320 to schedule a pick up.

FREON

Pick up will remain on a daily call-in basis.

MUST call DPW 24 hours in advance at 516-326-6320 to schedule a pick up.

(Air conditioners, refrigerators, freezers, water coolers, dehumidifiers)

QUESTIONS?

PLEASE CALL DPW AT 516-326-6320
MONDAY-FRIDAY 8:30 A.M. TO 4:30 P.M.

FLORAL PARK RECREATION SESSION II - WINTER/SPRING 2024

REGISTRATION:

At the Recreation/Pool Complex

DATES AND TIMES:

Tuesday 1/9/24 - 7:00pm - 9:00pm

Senior Program Registration Only

Tuesday 1/9/24 - 9:30am - 1:30pm

Open registration 1/10/24 Monday - Thursday
9:30am - 7:00pm

Fees are noted by each class.

2024 VFP Resident Leisure Pass or 2023 Resident Pool Pass is required for registration. Applications are available at the Recreation/Pool Building, Park's Shelter House or Village web site www.fpvillage.org.

For more information call 326-6336.

Classes are subject to change or cancellation.

Program fees are non-refundable.

CARDIO KICKBOXING/TONING

Monday & Wednesday: 8:00pm - 9:00pm

Intense exercises, weights, stability ball, and stretching.

First Class 2/19

Fee: \$75.00

INTERVAL FITNESS TRAINING

(Outdoor in the Park)

Wednesday & Friday 9:15 - 10:15am

Build a strong core! Interval training with bursts of activity alternated with intervals of lighter activity

Fee: \$75.00

First Class 4/10

ADULT YO-CHI

Monday: 4:15pm - 5:15pm

A flow class combining the movement of tai-chi and the strength and balance of yoga.

Fee: \$65.00

First Class 2/5

ADULT YOGA

Tuesday: 7:30pm - 8:30pm

Saturday: 8:45am - 9:45am

Learn to slow down and breathe deep while working on balance, flexibility, strength and relaxation.

Fee: \$65.00

First Class 2/6

First Class 2/3

ADULT PILATES

Tuesday: 6:15pm - 7:15pm

Thursday: 4:15pm - 5:15pm

Low-intensity muscle-strengthening workout that focuses heavily on building strong core muscles.

Fee: \$65.00

First Class 2/6

First Class 2/8

ZUMBA

Fee: \$65.00

Saturday: 10:00am - 11:00am

Let the beats of Latin music get your heart pumping. Combines cardio, muscle conditioning, balance and flexibility and enhanced energy every time you leave class.

First Class 2/3

YOUTH PROGRAMS - \$65

KIDS ZUMBA

Saturday: 11:15am - 12:00pm

Saturday Dance Party! High energy dances with kid friendly routines and music kids love.

First Class 2/3

Ages: 4-7

TINY TOTS GYMNASTICS

Saturday: 12:15pm - 1:00pm

Saturday: 1:15pm - 2:00pm

Saturday: 2:15pm - 3:00pm

First Class 2/3

Ages: 5-7

Ages: 4-5

Ages: 3-4

Introduction to the art of gymnastics. Including stretching, low impact tumbling, and beginner gymnastic techniques.

GARDENING FOR KIDS

Saturday: 9:00am

Held at Centennial Gardens (Rain Location: Pool Building).

Children explore gardening, walks and crafts.

First Class 3/16

Ages: 3-10

YOUTH TENNIS

Mondays: 4:00pm—5:00pm

Tuesdays: 4:00pm—5:00pm

Grades 1-3

Grades 4-8

Begins 4/15

Begins 4/16

ADULT & SENIOR PROGRAMS

AEROBICS

Days: Monday, Wednesday & Friday

8:30am - 9:30am or 9:45am - 10:45am

First Class 1/22

Fee: \$100.00

Nights: Monday & Wednesday

7:00pm - 8:00 pm

Fee: \$75.00

17 week step aerobic/floor program to maintain good physical condition and instill the discipline of exercise.

SILVER SNEAKERS EXERCISE

Tuesday & Thursday: 9:15am-10:00am

~ or ~

Tuesday & Thursday: 10:15am - 11:00am

~ or ~

Tuesday & Thursday: 11:15am - 12:00pm

A 12 week program including low impact and toning exercises designed specifically for older adults to improve your range of motion, balance and joint mobility.

Fee: \$40.00

First Class 2/20

SPRING TENNIS LESSONS

Tuesday & Thursday: 11:00am

~ or ~

Saturday:

9:00am Intermediate ~ or ~ 10:00am: Advanced Beginner
Learn the proper mechanics, use of racket, strategies and all the basics.

Fee \$65.00

First Class 4/13

PICKELBALL

Friday 11:00am or 12:00pm

Learn the basics of the game including scoring, serving and proper mechanics

Fee \$65.00

First Class 4/12



Incorporated Village of Floral Park

2024/2025

RESIDENT LEISURE PASS APPLICATION

(For Residents who are not current VFP Pool Members.)

Name: _____
First / Last Date of Birth

Name: _____
First / Last Date of Birth

Address: _____

Email Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Children's Names	Date of Birth	Age	School as of September 2023
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

ALL APPLICATIONS MUST:

- Show one photo ID for each adult applicant (18 years and over) at current address.
 - Provide a Current Utility Bill (within the last month) at applicants current address.
 - Provide a Birth Certificate or Baptismal Certificate Per Child
- A photo will be taken for each pass processed at the Recreation/Pool Building.

I HEREBY APPLY FOR A LEISURE PASS FOR THE INC. VILLAGE OF FLORAL PARK RECREATION CENTER. I UNDERSTAND AS THE PATRON INDIVIDUALLY, AND/OR ACTING ON BEHALF OF APPLICANTS IN FULL THAT I SHALL BE LIABLE FOR ANY PROPERTY DAMAGE AND/OR PERSONAL INJURY (CAUSED BY ME, OR MY GUEST) AT THE VFP RECREATION CENTER, CENTENNIAL GARDENS, ON VILLAGE PROPERTY, OR DURING ANY ACTIVITY, FUNCTION, ARRANGED OR SPONSORED EVENT. IT IS MY OBLIGATION TO PAY FOR ANY COSTS INVOLVED UPON PRESENTATION OF A STATEMENT THEREOF. PARTICIPATION IN ANY AND ALL ACTIVITIES, FUNCTIONS, ARRANGED OR SPONSORED EVENT SHALL BE AT SUCH PERSON'S OWN RISK. I AGREE THE INC. VILLAGE OF FLORAL PARK, THE VFP RECREATION CENTER, EMPLOYEES, AND RESIDENTS SHALL NOT BE LIABLE FOR ANY INJURIES OR DAMAGE TO SUCH PERSONS, OR THE PROPERTY OF SUCH PERSONS, OR BE THE SUBJECT TO ANY CLAIM, DEMAND, INJURY, ACTIONS OR CAUSES OF ACTION OR DAMAGES, AND I HEREBY WAIVE, RELEASE, ABSOLVE, INDEMNIFY AND AGREE TO HOLD THEM HARMLESS FROM ANY CLAIM. I AGREE WE WILL ABIDE BY THE RULES AND REGULATIONS THEREOF AND ACCEPT ALL TERMS AND CONDITIONS AND AGREE TO THE POLICIES AND RULES OF THE VFP RECREATION CENTER AS THE PREREQUISITE FOR USE OF THE FACILITY. ANY FALSIFICATION IN THE APPLICATION INFORMATION CAN RESULT IN THE CANCELLATION OF THE LEISURE PASS AND LOSS OF PRIVILEGES. PASSES NOT VALID IF HOLDER MOVES OUTSIDE OF THE INC. VILLAGE OF FLORAL PARK. THE VILLAGE RESERVES THE RIGHT TO LIMIT GUESTS AND PRIVILEGES. GUESTS MUST ACCOMPANY A MEMBER WHO PRESENTS A LEISURE PASS UPON REQUEST, AT ALL TIMES. NOT VALID AS A VFP POOL PASS. I ALSO ACKNOWLEDGE READING. I AGREE THAT ANY PHOTOS TAKEN DURING MY USE OF THE FACILITY MAY BE USED AT THE RECREATION DEPARTMENT'S DISCRETION.

Applicant's Signature: _____ Date Submitted: _____

Recreation Center Use Only below this line:

Employee Signature: _____ Date Processed: _____



Application for *New* Employment Summer 2024 (Seasonal Only)

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____ Date of Birth: _____

School: _____

Special Skills: _____

EMAIL: _____

Have you been hospitalized during the past year? ____ (Y) ____ (N)

(If yes, provide date and reason for hospitalization.) _____

IMPORTANT

- The minimum age requirement for summer positions is **16 years of age by January 1, 2024**. ALL applicants UNDER 18 years of age **MUST** submit working papers with their applications.
- All applications must be submitted with proof of a physical exam performed no earlier than June, 2023.
- All applicants are subject to Nassau County Civil Service approval.
- Completed applications will be accepted beginning **January 8, 2024**. All applications must be brought in to Village Hall. Consideration will be based on skills, experience and residency.
- Working papers, if applicable, and proof of physical must be submitted with application and will not be accepted without said documents.

I have reviewed and agree to the above-mentioned requirements.

Applicant's Signature

Date



NEW EMPLOYMENT FOR LIFEGUARD ONLY
Summer 2024

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____ Date of Birth: _____

School: _____

Special Skills: _____

EMAIL: _____

Have you been hospitalized during the past year? ____ (Y) ____ (N)

(If yes, provide date and reason for hospitalization.) _____

IMPORTANT

- Lifeguard applicants must be **16 years of age by January 1, 2024** and present proof of up-to-date Nassau County Board of Health lifeguard certification and current CPR and first-aid certification. (If you are renewing your certification or are in the process of obtaining certification for the first time, you must indicate that fact under “Special Skills” above and advise us of the date that certification will be received.)
- Applicants are subject to Nassau County Civil Service approval.
- Applicants UNDER 18 years of age **MUST** submit working papers and proof of a physical exam performed no earlier than June, 2023 with this application.
- Completed applications will be accepted beginning Monday, **January 8, 2024** at Village Hall.

Applications received without the necessary documents will be returned.

I have reviewed and agree to the above-noted requirements.

Applicant's Signature

Date



Meeting Schedules for Village Boards January to December 2024

***Board of Trustees Meetings** *Village Hall Courtroom 8:00 pm*

Tuesday, January 2
Tuesday, January 16
Tuesday, February 6
Tuesday, February 20 (Tax Grievance Night)
Tuesday, March 5
Wednesday, March 20
Monday, April 1 (Re-organization Meeting)
Tuesday, April 2
Wednesday, April 10 (Budget Hearing)
Tuesday, April 16
Tuesday, May 7
Tuesday, May 21
Tuesday, June 4
Tuesday, June 18
Tuesday, July 16 (Tentative)
Tuesday, August 20 (Tentative)
Tuesday, September 3
Tuesday, September 17
Tuesday, October 1
Tuesday, October 15
Wednesday, November 6
Tuesday, November 19
Tuesday, December 3
Tuesday, December 17

***Board of Zoning Appeals** *Village Hall Courtroom 8:00 pm*

Wednesday, January 10
Thursday, February 15
Wednesday, March 13
Thursday, April 11
Wednesday, May 8
Wednesday, June 12
Wednesday, September 11
Wednesday, October 9
Wednesday, November 13
Wednesday, December 11

***Architectural & Site Plan Review Board (ARB)** *Recreation Center/Firefighters' Hall 8:00 pm*

Wednesday, January 24
Wednesday, February 21
Wednesday, March 27
Wednesday, April 17
Wednesday, May 22
Thursday, June 27
Wednesday, July 24
Wednesday, August 28
Wednesday, September 25
Wednesday, October 23
Wednesday, November 20
Wednesday, December 18

***Library Board** *Library Building 7:30 pm*

Wednesday, January 17
Wednesday, February 14
Wednesday, March 13
Wednesday, April 10
Wednesday, May 15
Wednesday, June 12
Wednesday, July 10
Wednesday, September 11
Wednesday, October 9
Wednesday, November 13
Wednesday, December 11

*Meeting schedule is subject to change. Please check village website for updates - www.fpvillage.org.



VILLAGE ITEMS AVAILABLE BY E-MAIL

In our continuing efforts to reduce costs, the Village Items is available by e-mail. Many of your neighbors already received this Village Items by e-mail. To register for important notifications from the Village and receive electronic versions of the Village Items, you may click on the following link to be directed to the sign up page on the Village's website, fpvillage.org/notifications to register your email. If you are signed up and are not receiving the Village Items, please email comments@fpvillage.org.



2023 CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL & TREE LIGHTINGS

On December 1, 2023, the Floral Park Chamber of Commerce and the Floral Park Junior Woman's Club held the 8th Annual Christmas Tree Lighting and Festival in Memorial Park.

Residents enjoyed holiday gifts for sale, food and drink, caroling, and topped off with the tree lighting and a visit from Santa Claus!



On Friday, December 8th, the Recreation Center held its annual Christmas tree lighting.

At the Christmas tree lighting, the Village Board issued a citation to Billy Barry, from Uptown Taco, who was named the Chamber of Commerce Business of the Year. Use the following link for News 12's coverage of the tree lighting!

<https://longisland.news12.com/news-12s-antoinette-biordi-emcees-floral-park-tree-lighting>

On Sunday, December 3rd, the Hillcrest Civic Association held their annual Christmas tree lighting at Colonial Gardens Park.



Federal, State, County and Town Elected Officials

Floral Park is an incorporated village, and we are lucky to have our own Mayor and Village Board to address our local concerns and issues. However, many issues that impact Floral Park involve, or are controlled by, other layers of government.

Below is a list of the Federal, State, County and Town elected officials who represent Floral Park. If you have a question as to whom to contact about a particular issue, feel free to call the Village at 516-326-6300 and we will do our best to direct you as to who is the appropriate representative to contact. And if it is an issue that impacts not just you but also impacts your neighbors in Floral Park, let the Village know so we can advocate on their behalf as well.

Honorable Kathy Hochul
NYS Governor
Executive Chamber,
The State Capitol
Albany, NY 12224
www.governor.ny.gov
518-474-8390

Honorable Charles Schumer
U. S. Senator
145 Pinelawn Road, Suite 300
Melville, NY 11747
www.schumer.senate.gov
631-753-0978

Honorable Kirsten Gillibrand
U. S. Senator
155 Pinelawn Road,
Suite 250 North
Melville, NY 11747
www.gillibrand.senate.gov
631-249-2825

Honorable Anthony D'Esposito
U.S. Representative
229 7th Street, Suite 102
Garden City, NY 11530
Anthony.desposito@mail.house.gov
516-739-3008

Honorable Jack Martins
NYS Senator - District 7
Legislative Office Building, Room
608
Albany, NY 12247
martins@nysenate.gov
516-922-1811

Honorable Edward Ra
NYS Assemblyman
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516-535-4095

Honorable Michaelle Solages
NYS Assemblywoman
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516-599-2972

Honorable Bruce Blakeman
Nassau County Executive
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bblakeman@nassaucountyny.gov
516-571-3133

***Honorable Scott Strauss
NYS Legislator - District 9
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Mineola, NY 11501
sstrauss@nassaucountyny.gov
516-571-6208
Newly elected. Contact
information effective
January 1st.**

Honorable Patricia Canzoneri-
Fitzpatrick
NYS Senator - District 9
District Office
265 E. Merrick Rd Ste. 101
Valley Stream, NY 11580

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Police & Fire Non-Emergency.....326-6400
Administration.....326-6300
Assessment.....326-6305
Building Department.....326-6319
Court Office.....326-6325
Fire Department Chiefs Office.....326-6327
Library.....326-6330
Public Works Department.....326-6320
Recreation Shelter House.....326-6334
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VILLAGE ITEMS AVAILABLE BY E-MAIL

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