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IN REPLY REFER TO FILE NO.

Ms. Sarah C. Horn
1816 N. 74th Court
Elmwood Park, Illinois 60707
shorn1@prodigy.net

EP-1

Re: Freedom of Information Act Request

Dear Ms. Horn:

On June 24, 2016, the Village of Elmwood Park received your Illinois Freedom of Information Act (5 ILCS 140/1 *et seq.*) ("FOIA") request for the following records:

"I hereby request a copy of the petition(s) for the July 4, 2016 block party on the 1800 block of 74th Court."

Enclosed please find the records responsive to your FOIA request. However, please be advised that certain information in the records responsive to your FOIA request has been determined to be exempt from disclosure under FOIA. Accordingly, such information has been redacted from the records being provided.

Section 7(1)(b) of FOIA provides that "private information" is exempt from disclosure. "Private information" is defined in FOIA as, "unique identifiers, including a person's social security number, driver's license number, employee identification number, biometric identifiers, personal financial information, passwords or other access codes, medical records, home or personal telephone numbers, and personal email addresses. Private information also includes home address and personal license plates, except as otherwise provided by law or when compiled without possibility of attribution to any person." 5 ILCS 140/2(c-5). Consequently, certain unique identifiers, including a home or personal telephone number, and names attributable to home addresses, have been redacted from the records being provided.

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The person responsible for the decision to deny a portion of your FOIA request is the Village of Elmwood Park Freedom of Information Officer, Gina Pesko. In accordance with Section 9(a) of FOIA, you are hereby notified that you have the right to file a Request for Review regarding the decision made by the Village of Elmwood Park Freedom of Information Officer with the Public Access Counselor at the Illinois Attorney General's Office. You can file your Request for Review with the Public Access Counselor by writing to:

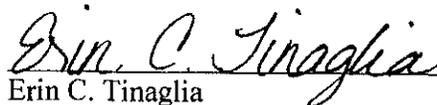
Sarah Pratt
Public Access Counselor
Office of the Attorney General
500 South 2nd Street
Springfield, Illinois 62706
Fax: 217-782-1396
E-mail: publicaccess@atg.state.il.us

If you choose to file a Request for Review with the Public Access Counselor, you must do so within 60 calendar days of the date of this letter. Please note that you must include a copy of your original FOIA request and this letter when filing a Request for Review with the Public Access Counselor.

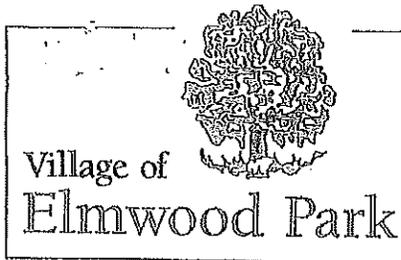
You are also notified that you have the right to judicial review regarding the decision made by the Village of Elmwood Park Freedom of Information Officer pursuant to Section 11 of FOIA.

Sincerely,

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RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR BLOCK PARTIES

1. Permission is granted upon receipt of petition signed by 60% of homeowners in the block. Petition should be brought to the Village at least 30 days prior to the Block Party.
2. Activities are permitted from 12:00 noon to 11:00 p.m. Streets should not be blocked before this time.
3. Scheduled events should be orderly without violating the property of homeowners. This includes parkway lawns.
4. Music produced by electrical or mechanical means or by live musicians should be kept at a noise level acceptable to residents of the block and not overwhelming so that it is heard by adjoining blocks.
5. Bicycles should be prohibited, unless used for a specific event.
6. Barricades to block street will be furnished by the Village. They will be delivered to the homeowner designated on the petition and will be picked up from that homeowner on the next scheduled work day after the event. That homeowner shall bear full responsibility in seeing that no damage occurs to the horses.
7. **CARS WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO BLOCK THE STREET.** Violators will be Subject to towing with fees paid by the owner of the automobile being towed.
8. Personal and recreational articles will not be permitted on the public way prior to the beginning of the festivities. This includes furniture or other items used to block parking spaces. **"Inflatable jumping devises must be placed along parkway and NOT in the middle of the street. THE CENTER OF THE STREET SHOULD BE KEPT CLEAR TO PERMIT EMERGENCY VEHICLES TO PASS THROUGH."**
9. Ball-games should not be allowed since they can disrupt the entire area.
10. The Village **DOES NOT** condone solicitation of businesses for block party donations.
11. All state and local laws, including liquor control ordinances will be enforced. Underage drinking is prohibited.
12. East-West Streets containing less than six (6) homes **ARE NOT PERMITTED TO HAVE A BLOCK PARTY.**



BLOCK PARTY PETITION
(60% Signatures Needed)

The undersigned residents in the 1800 block of 74th COURT
hereby request permission to hold a block party on July 4 20 16
beginning approximately at 2:00 to 11:00 p.m.
Barricades to be delivered to:

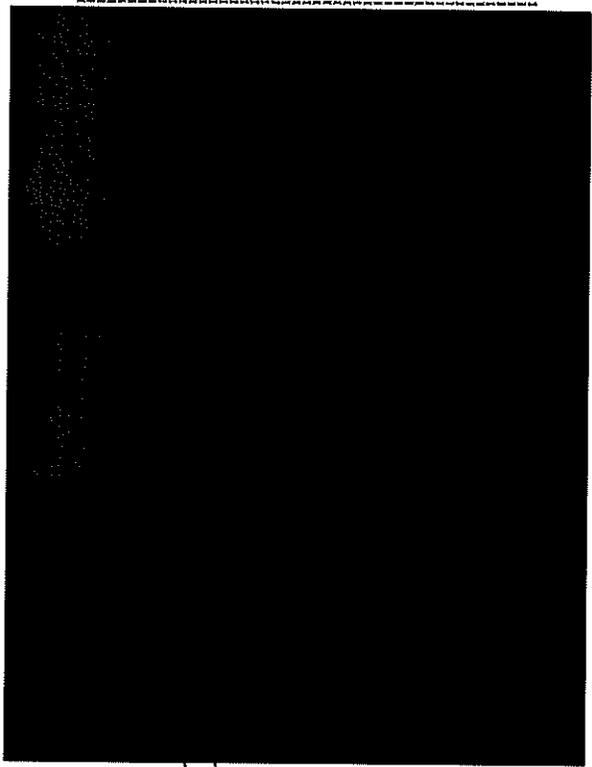
Name 
(Please print)

Address 1838 N. 74th Ct.

Telephone Number 

(NAME)

(ADDRESS)

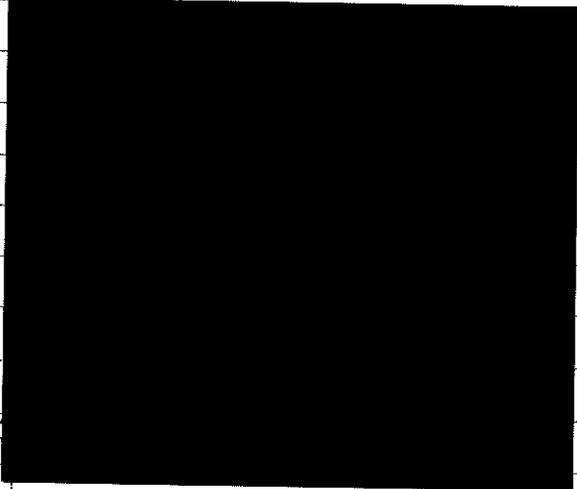


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- 1828 N. 74th Ct.
- 1826 N. 74th Ct.
- 1824 N. 74th Ct.
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- 1841 N. 74th Ct.

Completed petition must be brought back to the Village three weeks before the block party. (Use other side if necessary)

Name

Address



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1815 74th Ct

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