

FUNDING FOR THESE AGENCIES PROVIDED BY WHEELING TOWNSHIP

Wheeling Township funds a variety of important human care services for residents of all ages. Almost half of the Township's general budget funds 22 social service agencies. Because of Township funding, services provided by these agencies are available to residents on a sliding scale basis.

- ⊙ Alexian Center for Mental Health
- ⊙ Avenues to Independence
- ⊙ CEDA (emergency shelter, child care, Head Start)
- ⊙ Catholic Charities (housing, senior services)
- ⊙ Center for Enriched Living
- ⊙ Children's Advocacy Center
- ⊙ Clearbrook Center
- ⊙ Community Companion Volunteers
- ⊙ Countryside
- ⊙ Faith Community Homes
- ⊙ Greater Wheeling Youth Outreach
- ⊙ The Harbour
- ⊙ Journeys from PADS to HOPE
- ⊙ Life Span
- ⊙ Lutheran Services of Illinois Behavioral Health Services Program
- ⊙ Midwest Council for Children with Disabilities
- ⊙ Omni Youth Services
- ⊙ P.H.D.
- ⊙ Salvation Army
- ⊙ Shelter, Inc.
- ⊙ Suburban Primary HealthCare/ACCESS TO CARE
- ⊙ WINGS

Please call Jo Stellato at 847-259-7730 to learn more about these agencies.

A BIG BACK-TO-SCHOOL THANK YOU...



There's nothing better than bringing joy to a child...and that's what you did! Our thanks to each and everyone who made it possible to send over 200 children back to school with new back packs and school supplies.

WHEELING TOWNSHIP ELECTED OFFICIALS



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Supervisor



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TOWNSHIP



From the Supervisor

NOT JUST YOUR ORDINARY FOOD PANTRY

Food for the Community...



Michael Schroeder
Supervisor

Normally eight-year old children are happy to receive the newest toys or games for their birthdays. One particular youngster enjoys receiving gifts but enjoys giving as well. When his birthday comes along each year, Wheeling Township resident Andrew Reitman asks party guests to bring a bag of food in lieu of gifts. This

food is then donated to the Wheeling Township Food Pantry. Andrew "wants to help others who don't have enough to eat" and his family hopes others will be inspired to make similar donations. Andrew made donations to the Food Pantry for his 7th and 8th birthdays and plans to continue this tradition for future birthdays. Following in her brother's footsteps, his younger sister Melanie asked her party guests to bring food donations instead of gifts for her fourth birthday last September. Good job Andrew and Melanie. ***You are awesome!!!!***



Melanie and Andrew Reitman deliver their generous birthday presents.

The Giving Garden's caring gardeners donated over 2,000 pounds of fresh produce this past summer! These generous donations made it possible for us to give not only non-perishable food from our pantry, but also fresh vegetables and fruit to needy families. During the summer months we experience a decrease in food donations, and the Giving Garden program could not come at a better time.

Thanks to all involved, and thanks to the Daily Herald for sponsoring this program.

...and Food for the Soul!

A widow and widower met while volunteering in the Wheeling Township Food Pantry. While sorting and stocking shelves they realized they had a lot in common and began spending coffee breaks talking about family, the stock market and current events. They soon discovered they shared many of the same interests and values and after a while they started dating. I am thrilled to report that they were quietly married this past summer. This couple prefers to remain anonymous but on the behalf of the Wheeling Township Board and Staff, I'd like to congratulate them, wish them happiness and express our sincerest gratitude for the countless hours they have spent keeping our Food Pantry in order.

We gratefully acknowledge the generous support we receive from the community so that we can help alleviate the needs of struggling residents. We couldn't do it without you!

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“ADOPT-A-FAMILY PROGRAM 2007”

LET US NOT LEAVE A CHILD BEHIND THIS HOLIDAY SEASON!

Throughout the years, the Adopt-a-Family program has presented an opportunity for caring people in our community to share in the holiday spirit by adopting low-income families who otherwise would not receive or be able to afford gifts for their children. Thanks to the generous help of sponsors and volunteers, over 1,200 recipients experienced a joyful holiday season last year.

We would like to encourage you to participate in this worthwhile event. For the past two years, we have had more families sign up for the program than donors to adopt them. Therefore, we ask that you consider adopting a family this year, perhaps for the first time. We are grateful for any help you could give. Let us not leave a child behind this holiday season. The program is fully confidential for both the donor and the recipient.

You can adopt one or more families. Family sizes range between 2 and 10 members; please write down on the form the size of the family you wish to adopt.

Guidelines for donor's participation in the 2007 program are as follows:

1. Each donor must complete a registration form (below.) To assure proper registration, please provide all the requested information on the form.
2. Forms should be received in our office NO LATER than November 16, 2007 by either mail or fax.
3. Upon the receipt of your registration, we will provide you with the requested family information, and written detailed program information.
4. Each child should receive at least one toy and one article of clothing. Adult family members should receive at least one gift.
5. To insure equality for all participants, the suggested spending guideline per family member is from \$50 to \$100.
6. All gifts should be wrapped and labeled with recipient's first name and assigned family number.
7. Boxes, bags or containers must be of a size that can be easily handled and have the number on it.
8. Please remember that it is crucial that each donor fulfill his or her pledge and provide delivery of the donation on the specified date and time.
9. Gifts should be dropped off at the Wheeling Township Community Center on Monday, December 10, and Tuesday December 11, 2007.

For more information, please contact the General Assistance Office at 847-259-7730 or ttalamantes@wheelingtowship.com. Our office hours are: Monday – Friday, 9 am-4:30 pm.

2007 ADOPT-A-FAMILY PROGRAM

Sponsor's Name

Group/company/contact person

Address (city/state/zip)

Phone number 1

Phone number 2

Fax number

Email Address

Size of the family you wish to adopt

Mail to: Wheeling Township: 1616 N. Arlington Heights, IL 60004 or Fax to: 847-259-1570

FROM THE ASSESSOR... DAN PATLAK YOUR TAXPAYER ADVOCATE



The triennial reassessment for north suburban Cook County is taking place right now. The mailing date for Wheeling Township reassessment notices is September 21, 2007, and property owners can expect to receive the notice immediately thereafter. Property owners will have 30 days from the date of the assessment notice to file an appeal with the Cook County Assessor's office. The deadline date for appealing the assessment should appear on the bottom of the notice.

Unlike past years, the Cook County Assessor is not including an appeal form with the reassessment notice. If you believe you have been unfairly assessed, or if there is an error in your property description, you can get an appeal form at the Cook County Assessor's web site at www.cookcountyassessor.com. You can also call our office at 847-259-1515, or stop by our office at 1616 N. Arlington Heights Road (2nd floor). Our staff is available to assist you in researching evidence to support your appeal and/or to assist you in filling out the form. If you choose not to appeal at the County

Assessor's office or if their response is not satisfactory, you will have an opportunity to appeal with the Cook County Board of Review at a yet unspecified later date.

We plan to offer evening hours during the 30-day appeal period. Our office will be open Thursday, September 27, October 4, October 11 and October 18 until 7:00 p.m. In order to ensure adequate staffing, assistance during these evening hours will be offered by appointment. Please call our office at 847-259-1515 to schedule an appointment.

We have made arrangements with the Cook County Assessor's office to hold an appeal seminar for all interested property owners. This Reach Out seminar is scheduled for Thursday, October 4, 2007, at 6:30 p.m. at the Wheeling Township Community Service Center located at 1616 N. Arlington Heights Road, Arlington Heights, IL.

Remember we are here to help!



FROM THE HIGHWAY COMMISSIONER... SCOTT SAEWERT



REVIEW OF ROAD DISTRICT ACCOMPLISHMENTS...

Occasionally I think it is important for me to state my philosophy on what I wish to accomplish as Highway Commissioner for the Wheeling Township Road District. When I was first elected, it quickly became apparent to me that the unincorporated areas were undergoing tremendous growth in home remodeling and new constructions without much attention being paid to property and road drainage.

Furthermore, this drainage infrastructure was desperately in need of maintenance, repairs and major improvements. With this in mind, I made it my overall goal to completely restore all the unincorporated road drainage systems and to repave all the unincorporated roads under my jurisdiction. This is being done in addition to the usual annual road maintenance, such as road patching, snow plowing and street sign maintenance.

Given the constraints of our limited Road District budget, my approach to this long-term goal has been to prioritize and plan projects that can feasibly be completed each year from both a need and cost basis.

I strive to do projects that will maximize the value of each tax dollar spent in a cost-efficient manner to make your tax dollars stretch. I only budget for the projects we can complete, plus normal maintenance, administrative costs and contingencies. In this manner, I have worked year-by-year to correct drainage issues and maintain the unincorporated roads in Wheeling Township at a minimal cost to the Township taxpayers.

THIS YEAR WE HAVE COMPLETED TWO MAJOR PROJECTS:

- **Brookfield Ave.** – drainage ditch restoration and driveway culvert replacements along both sides of the entire road.
- **Dunlo Subdivision** – drainage ditch improvements throughout this subdivision, with emphasis on drainage ditch restoration and driveway culvert replacements along both sides of Ellen Dr., north of Dunlo Ave.

With the drainage now restored, my plan is to have Brookfield Ave. and all the roads in the Dunlo Subdivision repaved as soon as possible next year.

In addition, we will be completing drainage ditch improvements along both sides of Woodland Ave. with the intent of also repaving that road next year.

This means that in my six years as Highway Commissioner, about 50% of the unincorporated roads have had major drainage restoration work and will be repaved. Not yet 100%, but that is my goal!

Thank you for the pleasure of serving you! If you have any questions or if we can be of service, please call our office at 847-259-7730.



Scott Saewert and VFW and American Legion members in the Mount Prospect 4th of July parade.

FROM THE CLERK'S OFFICE... PAULA ULREICH



Want to vote in the February 5, 2008 Primary Election to pick your favorite candidate to run for President of the United States? If so, you must be registered to vote. All it takes is five minutes. Just come to the Clerk's Office on the second floor of Wheeling Township Hall and bring two forms of identification, one showing your current address. Once you have registered, there is no need to re-register unless you move or change your name.

And speaking of voting – early voting will be held from January 16 – 31, 2008, from 9:00 a.m. -5:00 p.m. Monday – Friday and 9:00 a.m. – noon on Saturdays, for those of you who are unable to get to your own precinct on election day – February 5th. Please call the Clerk's Office after November for locations nearest to your home.

If you have someone in your household or a child away at school who cannot get to the polls to vote, an absentee ballot application can be sent to him or her just by calling the Clerk's Office.

For those of you in unincorporated Wheeling Township – don't forget to buy a vehicle sticker if you haven't already done so. If you are found without one, the fine is \$105 plus the purchase of a sticker, which is double the original price!

For any of these services, just call Ann, Lorrie or Paula at 8487-259-7730.

"Wheeling Township Historical tidbit"

A meeting of the board was held on Saturday, the 4th day of March, 1853, at the home of Joseph Filkins, for the purpose of appointing a supervisor for the balance of the present year because John Filkins left the County. Present were: Eth Beach – Town Clerk, William Scoville and Joel Newton – Justices of the Peace. They unanimously appointed Joseph Filkins to fill such vacancy. Wish we knew why John left the

MARK YOUR CALENDARS & SPREAD THE WORD!

HALLOWEEN FUN FAIR FOR CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES

Come have a Spooktacular time!!!

Wheeling Township invites special needs children, ages 2 to 12, and their families to our annual Halloween party. This event is hosted in conjunction with National Make a Difference Day, and is FREE to all who attend.

When: Saturday, October 27, 2007

Where: Riley Elementary School
(in the Northgate Subdivision)
1209 East Burr Oak Drive
Arlington Heights

Time: 11 am – 1:30 pm

Admission: A Smile!!!!

Participants must be registered to attend. Call the Township office to reserve your family space. 847-259-7730. (If you need a special accommodation, please let us know at the time of registration.)

MAKE A DIFFERENCE DAY... YOU CAN HELP!

National make a Difference Day is Saturday, October 27, 2007. We are asking the community to get involved in helping to make a difference in the lives of our children with special needs.

DONATIONS NEEDED:

Must be NEW: Toys, books, stuffed animals, wrapped candy, Halloween decorations, paper plates, cups, napkins, straws, canned pop, juice boxes, etc. Cash donations are always welcome!

SENIOR EMPLOYMENT

If you are unemployed or underemployed and in search of a full time or part time position, feel free to make an appointment with Employment Director Val Profit. Bring a resume. If you don't have a resume, don't worry, she can help you prepare one. She will make contact with companies on your behalf, fax your resume to them, and set up an interview for you. Call Val at 847-259-7730 to make an appointment.



You are also strongly encouraged to attend our monthly Senior Job Club, a partnership with Schaumburg and Palatine Townships. This is a support group for serious job seekers and a great networking opportunity. Typically one or two companies attend each month to interview interested job seekers. Each attendee leaves the Job Club with a copy of a Job Bank, a listing of approximately 100 job opportunities in the northwest Chicagoland area.

October 23, 2007 will be the last Job Club of 2007 and will be a mini job fair. It will be held at Schaumburg Township, One Illinois Boulevard, Hoffman Estates at 1:00PM.

COME TO THE 14TH ANNUAL SENIOR JOB FAIR ON SEPTEMBER 27

This hugely popular event will be held from 10:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon at the Cotillion, 360 Creekside Dr., in Palatine (near the intersection of Northwest Highway and Route 53). The event is free of charge and open to all job seekers age 50 and over. The Job Fair provides mature job seekers with the opportunity to meet with local employers offering a variety of positions, both full time and part-time.



For all of the most up-to-date information, check out our Senior Job Fair website, www.5townshipseniorjobfair.com after September 1. You'll find complete Job Fair information including directions, a listing of participating employers and the positions they have available, or call Kay Lowman at 847-392-1467.

Senior & Disability News

CALL 847-259-7730 TO REGISTER FOR ANY OF THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMS

THE SENIOR SCENE

SENIOR SCENE programs are held in the Wheeling Township Community Center, 1616 N. Arlington Heights Road in Arlington Heights, from 10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Programs are FREE of charge and open to all seniors age 60 and over. Refreshments are served.

PLEASE CALL TO REGISTER FOR ANY OF THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMS

FANCY FREE HOLIDAYS - SENIOR TRAVEL - DOOR TO DOOR!

Tuesday, October 9, 2007

Presented by: Fancy Free Holidays

Fancy Free Holidays provides exciting and totally escorted trips to destinations in the United States as well as international travel. They provide door-to-door transportation for all of their destinations, and they truly know what older adults want and expect of a 1st class, premier tour operator.

SPRING FESTIVAL OF NATIONS AND PIGEON FORGE – 5 Day Motor Coach Tour

Departing April 14, 2008

Enjoy the rich profusion of spring blossoms and verdant color as we travel through the great southern states of Kentucky and Tennessee to our destination of Pigeon Forge, Tennessee.

Tour Highlights:

8 Meals: 4 Deluxe Cont. Breakfasts, 4 Dinners
Kentucky Horse Park
Dixie Stampede
Dollywood's Festival of Nations
Gatlinburg - Ober Gatlinburg Aerial Tram

Cost per person:

\$744 Double
\$754 Triple
\$964 Single

For more information and reservations, please call Sue Ellen Burlini.

THE TRAVELER'S GIFT

A BEAUTIFUL AND INSPIRING BOOK REVIEW FOR THOSE WHO HAVE NEVER READ THIS BOOK!

Tuesday, November 13

Presented by: Betty Murray, Community Relations Director for Cremation Society of Illinois

This book review will explore the seven decisions that determine personal success as illustrated in Andy Andrew's book through conversations with historical figures from World War II to ancient times. The "traveler" meets people like Presidents Truman and Lincoln, a Civil War general, King Solomon and Anne Frank. Each person tells a story and gives our "traveler" a life philosophy that helps him create a second chance for a successful life.

LAUGHING YOURSELF TO WELLNESS

Tuesday, January 8

Presented by: Colleen Caron RNO, MS
of Alexian Brothers Behavioral Health

This may sound crazy – but illness can make us crazy! Learn surprising techniques that promote recovery while you are having fun! This is a unique workshop aimed at reducing stress in your already stressful life!

HEALTH SCREENINGS AT THE TOWNSHIP

The following health screening services are administered through the Township nurse for residents 60 years of age and over **by appointment**. The nurse is at the Township on Tuesdays and Thursdays. On Wednesdays she is out in the community calling on our homebound residents who need assistance. Call 259-7730 for an appointment.

FREE BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENINGS - WALK-IN BASIS

Over half of adults over 60 have hypertension (high blood pressure), which increases the risk for developing cardiovascular disease, stroke, kidney

disease and congestive heart failure. Prevention, diagnosis, and treatment provide proven benefits. The Township nurse will be available at the Township for WALK-IN Blood Pressure Screenings from 10:30 am

- Thursday, Oct. 11
- Thursday, Oct. 18
- Thursday, Nov. 8
- Thursday, Nov. 15

until 12 noon on:

Blood Pressure & Blood Sugar Monitoring

Tuesdays & Thursdays, 9:00 am-3:00 by appointment.

Blood pressure—no charge. Blood sugar-\$1.00 charge.

HOMEBOUND? NEED THE NURSE TO COME VISIT YOU?

The nurse will visit the homebound to assess needs, and monitor blood pressure, blood sugars, and Pro Time. If you are homebound and in need of the above services, call to schedule an appointment.

Anticoagulation Therapy Testing (Pro Time)

THE FOLLOWING HEALTH SERVICES ARE AVAILABLE TO RESIDENTS 18 YEARS OF AGE AND OLDER:

CHOLESTEROL SCREENING

An 8 hour fasting (water only) lipid profile including total cholesterol, HDL, LDL, triglycerides, and blood sugar - \$15.00 charge. Non fasting total cholesterol and HDL - \$10.00 charge. Requires drawing of a blood sample from a fingertip. 4th Thursday of each month – 9:30 am – 1:00 pm, by appointment.

HEMOCULT KITS

(for cancer screening of blood in the stool)

Kits available any time during Township office hours. Tests are done at home and returned by mail to the nurse for reading. \$4.00 per kit.



Senior & Disability News

CALL 847-259-7730 TO REGISTER FOR ANY OF THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMS

SHIP

SHIP stands for: Senior Health Insurance Program

SHIP provides: Personal counseling to guide you through your health insurance problems.

If you need help with any Medicare related problem, or you need to choose a Medicare supplement, please call for your appointment. Our counselors are here on Monday mornings.

YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN US!

DISABILITY GROUPS

Visually Impaired Support Group - meets the 1st Thursday of each month 1:00-2:30 pm. Transportation available

Voices - Therapeutic Support Group for Visually Impaired meets every Thursday of each month at 12:30 pm – except the 1st Thursday.

Advisory Council on Disabilities – Meets 4th Thursday of the following months – Jan, March, May, July, and September - 10:00 to 11:00 am.

SENIOR GROUP

Senior Advisory and Action Council – meets the 4th Tuesday of each month, except July, August, and December – 9:30 – 11:00 am. Please join us!

THE AMPLIFIED PHONE – HAVING TROUBLE HEARING? COME PICK UP AN APPLICATION FOR A FREE AMPLIFIED PHONE.

Requirements:

- Legal resident of Illinois
- No age requirements
- No income limits
- Standard phone service in residence
- Doctor or licensed audiologist's signature is required on application.

If you have a certified hearing loss, you are eligible. Applications are available at our Township office in our Disability Department.

FLU SHOT CLINIC - at Wheeling Township

Once again, Wheeling Township will be a host site for a Flu Shot clinic, which will be provided through Northwest Community Hospital

The dates for the clinic are:

Thursday, November 1

Friday, November 2.

Call 847-259-7730 Monday, October 15 to schedule your appointment. The clinic will be held between 9am and 1:30 pm at Wheeling Township. If you are on Medicare, you must bring your card.

For individuals with Medicare B coverage and card or Railroad Retirement coverage and card, the flu shot is FREE. Those with PPO, HMO and Medicare HMO receive the vaccine for \$20 (cash and checks accepted, but no credit cards). The Center for Disease Control recommends vaccination for individuals 65 years and older, people with chronic disorders of the lungs or heart, including asthma; people who have diabetes, kidney disease, immune system problems or HIV infection; and women who will be four to nine months pregnant during influenza season. Please note that children over the age of 4 and under the age of 9, require a physician's order that states if a flu injection was previously given. Pregnant women also need a physician's order to receive a flu shot.

Pneumonia Vaccine

Wheeling Township will be offering pneumonia vaccine for seniors 60 and older and adults whose health puts them in a high-risk category. Cost is \$30 without Medicare. No charge for those with Medicare Card. Appointments will be available after November 15.

Flu clinic information is added to the NWCH Community Flu Shot Hotline as it becomes available. Call 1-847-618-4358 for the most current information



COME TO WHEELING TOWNSHIP FOR HELP WITH:

- **MEDICARE PART D (Prescription Drug Coverage)**
- **CIRCUIT BREAKER/ILLINOIS CARES RX**
- **BENEFITS CHECK**

Wheeling Township is partnering with Catholic Charities Northwest to bring these services to you. Trained counselors will be here on Tuesday mornings between the hours of 9:00 am and 1:00 pm beginning Tuesday, starting November 20. If you are 65 or older and are taking a number of different medications, you should call and schedule an appointment. A trained counselor can help you select the Medicare Part D plan that will best cover the drugs you are currently taking or assist you with Circuit Breaker/Illinois Cares RX forms and/or Benefits Check.

For Medicare Part D, please bring the following:

- List of medications you are currently taking along with dosages and frequency and your Medicare Card

The eligibility guidelines for Illinois Cares Rx are:

- A senior age 65 or older
- Single with an annual income less than \$22,793 or
- Married with an annual income less than \$30,594

Call to schedule your appointment!





UPCOMING DRIVER'S PROGRAMS

Secretary of State Drivers Refresher Course

ILLINOIS RULES OF THE ROAD – FREE REVIEW COURSE

Come prepare yourself to take the written test that may be required to renew your driver's license. Update yourself with new Illinois driving laws. Learn what is expected for your actual road test. Be prepared and relieve your anxiety.

The course will be held from 9:30 am – noon.

- Thursday, November 8
- Thursday, January 10
- Thursday, March 13

AARP – SAFE DRIVING PROGRAM

In cooperation with AARP, Wheeling Township will offer the AARP Safe Driving Program from 5:30 until 9:30 pm on the following dates. Included is new and updated safety information, as well as an updated and extended, superb video.

- Monday, Nov. 5 and Wednesday, Nov. 7
- Monday, Dec. 3 and Wednesday, Dec. 5
- Monday, Jan. 7 and Wednesday, Jan. 9

Call the Township to register for the class of your choice. There is a \$10.00 charge for the two-session class. Check should be made payable to AARP and mailed to or dropped off at the Township Office prior to the first evening class. Upon completion of the two-evening session, you will be issued a certificate, which can be submitted to your insurance company for a possible discount.

THANK YOU GARDEN FRESH

We wish to acknowledge John Boudart, Manager of **GARDEN FRESH MARKET** in Arlington Heights and Joe Goglia, Manager of the Mt. Prospect store. Not only are these stores collecting food for our Food Pantry, they are distributing information on Wheeling Township's Adopt-A-Family Program. Please frequent these stores. They do so much to help our struggling residents.



NICE TO KNOW...

For your convenience, residents may take advantage of the following services offered through the Wheeling Township.

■ Lifeline Kits

Stop by the Township to pick up your packet

■ RTA Reduced Fare Cards

65 years of age and over are eligible for reduced rides on buses and trains. Applications available at the Township office. \$2.00 picture fee.

■ Permanent and Temporary Parking Placard Applications

Pick up forms to take to your doctor to apply for a permanent or temporary placard.

■ Handyman Directory

Featuring local handyman who can help you with home projects. Good work at fair prices.



TAX TIME – HERE AGAIN!

AARP – FREE SENIOR TAX ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

Wheeling Township will be a host site for the AARP Senior Tax Assistance program. Trained AARP tax counselors will be here on the following Fridays to

assist seniors in filling out simple income tax forms. Please call to schedule an appointment beginning Friday, January 4.

- February 1, 8, 15, 22, 29
- March 7, 14, and 28
- April 4, 11

Please be sure to bring the following information with you when you met with the Tax Counselor.

- 2007 State and Federal income tax forms, as well as any income or expense information that could affect your tax return.



A-OK ACTS OF KINDNESS – HOME MAINTENANCE HELP IS AVAILABLE TO YOU.

If you are a senior citizen looking to have some basic maintenance done in or around your home this fall, give us a call. Maybe you need leaf raking, gutter cleaning, your furnace filters changed, window washing, etc., call us, and working with trained District 214 High School students under the guidance of a Team Leader, we'll get the job done for you for FREE.

A-Ok is a partnership of: District 214 Community Education and High Schools, Elk Grove Village, Elk Grove Township, Rolling Meadows Police Department – Senior Services, University of Illinois Extension, and Wheeling Township.

VOLUNTEERS: DO YOU WANT TO HELP?

Want to help? Please call to see how you can help!

RESIDENTS: DO YOU NEED SOME HELP?

Do you need? Meals on Wheels, a Friendly Visitor to shop for you, a Caring Caller to keep in touch with you, transportation to get places, please call us to see how we can help you.

