

Your Town



Spring 2021

City of Lathrup Village

CITY OF LATHRUP VILLAGE

CITY COUNCIL



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Ian Ferguson



Council Member
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Council Member
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City Council Meetings

Study Sessions

6:00 pm
1st and 3rd
Mondays of the Month

Regular Meeting

7:00 pm
3rd Monday of the Month

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MAYOR'S MEMO



Welcome to 2021 Villagers!

I hope everyone is staying safe and wearing your masks diligently. Even though the curve may be flattening, we all must do our part to stay vigilant about wearing our masks and practicing social distancing.

There has been a lot of discussion regarding the two bonds that were approved at the March 1st council meeting. I want to address a couple of items. First, the reason the bond posting was put into the Oakland Press paper rather than the Southfield Sun was simply because of a deadline and costs. There was no nefarious activity behind it and, just like most of the residents, many of the council members asked the same question. We understand that not everyone receives the Oakland Press and because of that, going forward we will make every effort to put all notices in the Southfield Sun.

In regards to the bonds, here is some information that hopefully will help:

The first bond is for streets - \$5.845 million was approved by the voters and places an estimated 3.9307 mills (\$3.92 per \$1,000) on property taxes starting in July. Based on the average taxable value (\$67,000), this is \$263 a year for a homeowner which is approximately \$22 a month. To calculate the amount for your property, visit: <https://tinyurl.com/rs8hkfd3>

The second bond is for capital improvements – water/sewer - \$5.38 million. Will be paid through the addition of approximately \$10.42 a month onto the water/sewer bills.

We also have received numerous inquiries regarding water bills. The minimum water bill is \$50.53. Included in that amount is the cost to purchase water from the South Oakland County Water Authority (SOCWA), salaries, water system maintenance, water loss, and water main replacement projects. There is also a charge for the water meter, based on its size. The sewer costs are similar to the water. The expenses for the sewer include sewage disposal services charged by the Evergreen Farmington Sewage Disposal System (EFSDS) and the Great Lakes Water Authority (GLWA), capital expenditure, sewer system maintenance, and operating the sanitary retention tank.

Water Calculation Formula

SOCWA	17.73
City	16.5
Capital	9.25
Total	43.38 per 1,000 Cubic Feet

Sewer Calculation Formula

Detroit/Evergreen Farm	56.85
Operations & Maintenance	11.8
Debt Service	7.69
City	6.25
Total	82.59 per 1,000 Cubic Feet

The best way to get information about your city is through emails, phone calls, and socially distanced face-to-face interaction with your elected officials. We all are more than happy to answer any questions you may have. Social media is great, but sometimes the message gets diluted and miscommunications happen.

I can always be contacted through the City Hall or via email at kgarrett@lathrupvillage.org. My goal is to respond to all messages within one business day.

I pray you continue to be well.

Thank you!

Mykale (Kelly) Garrett

VISIT US ONLINE

Get the latest Lathrup Village news at our website:

www.lathrupvillage.org

Follow us on Facebook: @LathrupVillage

FROM YOUR TREASURER

Please note the following important dates and facts:

- On March 1, unpaid taxes were turned over to the Oakland County Treasurer. If you have outstanding taxes, call Oakland County at (248) 858-0611 for a revised tax bill.
- New residents, file your property transfer affidavit with the City Treasurer's Office by May 1, 2021.
- Special Assessments that were not paid by March 26 will be added to the summer tax bill.
- Your 2021 summer tax bills will be mailed out the first week of July.

PAYING TAX OR WATER BILLS

There are 4 convenient and easy ways to pay your tax bill:

- Pay online at officialpayments.com
- Drop your payment off in our locked silver drop box outside City Hall, on the Police side. If you include your tax statement with your payment a receipt will be mailed back.
- Mail your payment to:
27400 Southfield Road
Lathrup Village, 48076
- Pay in-person at city offices Monday-Friday from 8 AM to 4:30 PM. Please note the dates the office will be closed for holidays.

NSF Fee: If your check is returned to the City from your banking institution for non-sufficient funds, a closed account, etc. you will be charged a \$50.00 processing fee.

CITY CLERK

November 2, 2021 – Election Day

The General Non-Partisan Election is scheduled in the City of Lathrup Village, County of Oakland, the State of Michigan on Tuesday, November 2, 2021 for the purpose of nominating the following offices:

City Council Members – (3) to be elected:

2 members for four-year terms

1 member for a two-year term

Nominating Petitions and Affidavit of Identity are due in the City Clerk's Office by July 20, 2021 before 4:00 PM.

25 signatures needed. No more than 50.

CITY OFFICE NOTES

Please note the following precautions currently in place to help keep you and our staff safe at City Hall:

- City Office Closure from 12:30-1:30 PM daily
- Visitors are required to wear face coverings
- Visitors are asked to sign in
- The public is limited to the first floor
- Visitors are asked to practice social distancing



LVPD TRANSPARENCY DASHBOARD

The Lathrup Village Police Department is proud to announce the establishment of an online transparency dashboard. LVPD is dedicated to the safety and protection of the citizens and businesses within our boundaries. We are committed to the task of keeping our courts and correctional system secure and our service is built upon integrity, respect, vision, and leadership.

It is our goal to always be open and transparent with the public. This newly created community dashboard will assist us in that continued effort. The data provided has been obtained from a variety of internal software programs used by the Lathrup Village Police Department. The dashboard has data from the calendar year 2020 regarding calls for service, citations, and arrests.

Find the dashboard on the LV Police Department homepage:

http://lathrupvillage.org/departments/public_safety.php



REGISTER YOUR HOUSE OR BUSINESS ALARM

If you have an alarm for your home or business, it **must be registered** with the Lathrup Village Police Department. There is a \$20.00 fee which covers three years. Please fill out the form and return it with a check to:

LVPD

**27400 SOUTHFIELD ROAD
LATHRUP VILLAGE, MI 48076**

Ordinance information can be found at lathrupvillage.org under the Neighborhood Watch tab and on the Lathrup Village Police Department Facebook page. Download the form here: http://lathrupvillage.org/departments/public_safety.php

NONEMERGENCY NUMBER

(248) 354-1010

- Use this number 24/7/365 when you need an officer but it is not an emergency.
- For emergencies please call **911**.
- The office number (248) 557-3600 is for administration only, Monday-Friday from 8 AM to 4 PM.

**Find the Police Department on
Facebook:**

@LathrupVillagePoliceDepartment



UPCOMING INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS AND UPDATES

The Council approved bonding \$5.38 million needed for the public infrastructure improvements. The work will start this year and extend over 3 years. The project includes:

WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS - Replacement of water mains, water meters, gate valves, fire hydrants

LEAD AND COPPER WATER SERVICE LINE – Verifications, inspections, and replacements from the water main to the water meter where lead service lines are identified

SANITARY SEWER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENTS - Sanitary sewer retention tank improvements and replacement of force mains and lateral sewer lines

SIDEWALK, DITCH AND DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS - Much of this work will be repaid through special assessments and direct billing to residents.

WHAT TO EXPECT IN 2021

FIRE HYDRANTS – Most were installed in the 1920s. Many existing hydrants are the screw-top version and should not require much excavation in order to replace them. During the process, any rust will be scraped off. Some homes in the area may temporarily experience rust-colored water.

- Install 11 fire hydrants in new locations
- Replace or refurbish 45 existing fire hydrants

GATE VALVES – These valves isolate water for the repair of water mains. Most were installed in the 1920s. New gate valves are also required in order to be in compliance with the current standards.

- Install 8 gate valves in new locations
- Replace or refurbish 67 existing gate valves

VERIFICATION OF WATER SERVICE LINE MATERIAL - As a result of unfunded State regulations, by 2025 the City is required to identify the material of all water service pipes leading into homes and businesses. Any service line that consists of a lead or galvanized steel is required to be replaced with the cost born completely by the City. Approximately 500 verifications will occur per year and will include the replacement of Stop Boxes.

LEAD SERVICE LINE REPLACEMENTS – We do not believe that there is an excessive number of lead and/or galvanized water lines in the City. The Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes & Energy (EGLE) requires all communities to start the verification process this year and begin replacing a minimum of 5 percent of those identified each year. In 2021, we are planning to schedule the replacement of 10 water service lines.

WATER METER REPLACEMENTS - The water meter stock in Lathrup Village is dated and most have outlived their expected life. Some are reporting inconsistent readings. A testing process of meters in the homes has been initiated. It is anticipated that meters will need to be replaced. A request for proposal will be issued for new water meters with real-time reporting of usage.

WATER MAIN REPLACEMENTS - Wiltshire and San Rosa water mains will be replaced this summer.

SANITARY SEWER REPAIRS - Repairs to sewer lines will occur based upon this year's sewer line inspections.

SANITARY RETENTION TANK - The "Tank" is part of the Evergreen Farmington Sanitary Sewage District, which has recently become a Chapter 20 Drainage District. In order to increase capacity, prevent frequent spills and basement backups, and address the Corrective Action Plan (CAP) under the Administrative Consent Order (ACO), the Tank requires significant upgrades and expansion of its capacity.

STREET REPAVING PROJECT 2021 – This project is scheduled to begin in early May and will include jet cleaning of culverts and culvert extensions. Eight properties on Cambridge with culverts that require replacement have the option of paying themselves or seeking a special assessment. Parts of the following streets will undergo pavement activities: Alhambra, Avilla, Cambridge, Glenwood West, Santa Barbara South, Santa Barbara North, San Jose, Sunset, Sunnybrook, and Wiltshire.

SIDEWALKS – the Sidewalk Replacement Program is expected to span over 3 years. The property owner remains responsible for the costs of the repair/replacement. Owners can repair the sidewalk themselves or participate with the city contractor. Under the city program, permit fees are waived and the payments may be spread over 2 years. In 2021, the sidewalk replacement area will include:

- Southfield Road Commercial Corridor between Lincoln and 12 Mile Road
- Residential areas south of I-696/11 Mile, both east and west of Southfield Road



The City will soon launch a website that will have an up-to-date description and schedule of all the various infrastructure activities. This will help residents to remain informed about the various projects and plan accordingly.

YARD WASTE COLLECTION

Yard waste collection will begin on **Monday, April 5, 2021**

Compostable items such as leaves, weeds, twigs (under 2 inches in diameter and broken/cut), etc. should be placed in yard waste bags. Alternatively, yard waste may be placed in plastic garbage cans marked with the SOCRRA “YARD WASTE” stickers, which are available at no cost at the city hall. For more information on yard waste disposal please contact SOCRRA at www.socrra.org.



When preparing twigs and small branches, make neat, small bundles with twine. Do not create "beaver dams".

Yard Waste

- COLLECTION DAY:** Monday
- PREPARATION:**
- Paper yard waste bags
 - 35-gallon or smaller trash cans with YARD WASTE decal attached and facing street
 - Twigs and small branches bundled with twine
- ACCEPTABLE MATERIALS:**
- Grass clippings, spent flowers and garden waste, tree and shrub trimming, wood chips, small branches and twigs
 - Branches and twigs smaller than 2 inches in diameter; break up to fit completely in container



Summer in

FREE CONCERTS IN THE PARK

WEDNESDAYS



7:00-8:30 PM

@LVparksandrec



June 23

June 30

July 7

July 14



STEVE WOOD & THE LUCKY STRIKE
SWING BAND

DETROIT SOCIAL CLUB
BLUES/R&B

SCHOOL OF ROCK FARMINGTON
CLASSIC ROCK

KGB
MOTOWN

July 21

July 28

Aug 4

Aug 11



GWEN & CHARLES SCALES
SOUL/R&B

THE GERIS
80S/90S

RANDY SCOTT
JAZZ SAXOPHONE

YAMINAH
SOUL/R&B



LATHRUP VILLAGE ART FAIR

SATURDAY, JUNE 19
10:00 AM-6:00 PM

The Lathrup Village Art Fair returns and kicks off Summer in the Village. Meet and buy unique pieces from amazing local artists, enjoy family crafts, grab lunch from a great food truck and pick up some ice cream too. Summer is back, in a safe, carefully planned, outdoor environment.

Free Admission. Free Parking.
Bring your own lawn chair.
Food trucks on site.

Municipal Park
27400 Southfield Road
Lathrup Village

Performers subject to change.



JUNETEENTH CELEBRATION

SATURDAY, JUNE 19
FOLLOWING THE ART FAIR

Join us for a Juneteenth Celebration following the LV Art Fair! Time TBD. The Juneteenth Task Force is working hard to plan a special event. Follow @LVDDA on Facebook for details and updates!

the Village



Have a pawsome time at this year's Bark in the Park dog festival benefitting the Lathrup Village Dog Park. Bring your four-legged family members to participate in contests, check out dog-related vendors and try out the dog park. Family fun activities and food truck on-site.



The City of Lathrup Village and LOGOS Global Ministries present the 3rd annual Back2School Rally. Free backpacks with school supplies for the first 300 school-aged kids, family fun activities and resources.

LV BIKE PATH TOUR

SATURDAY, JUNE 5, 10:00-12:00 PM

The city was awarded \$60,000 through SEMCOG's Transportation Alternatives Program (TAP) to help fund the installation of wayfinding and street markings for our city-wide bike route! The project is expected to take place in May 2021. To celebrate the implementation of our new bike route we will be having a Spring Roll Bike Path Tour on Saturday, June 5 at 10 am. Rain backup Sunday, June 6. Register at <https://tinyurl.com/lathruprec>.

LOVIN' LATHRUP VILLAGE CLEAN-UP

SATURDAY, JUNE 12, 9:00-11:00 AM

Show your appreciation for Lathrup Village with our Lovin' Lathrup Village Clean-Up! Join the Lathrup Village DDA as we work together to clean the Downtown District:

Southfield Road, 11 Mile, and 12 Mile.

Sign up as an individual, business, or as a crew with your friends! Email [Cori cdahl@lathrupvillage.org](mailto:Cori_cdahl@lathrupvillage.org)



Park Cleanups

Volunteers are needed for the following cleanups:

April 24 Annie Lathrup Park

May 1 Goldengate Park

May 15 Dorothy Warren Park

May 22 Sarrackwood Park

June 12 Southfield Road

Sign up via Facebook or email recreation@lathrupvillage.org

FITNESS AND DANCE CLASSES

Beginning Yoga
Portia Fields-Anderson

Fee	Location	Age
\$49	Dance Studio	Adult
Day	Date	Time
Sa	Apr. 17-May 22	9:00-10:00 AM

Cardio for Seniors
Instructor TBD

Fee	Location	Age
\$49	Dance Studio	Adult
Day	Date	Time
W	Apr. 14-May 19	9:30-10:30 AM

Advanced Yoga
Portia Fields-Anderson

Fee	Location	Age
\$49	Dance Studio	Adult
Day	Date	Time
Th	Apr. 15-May 20	9:30-10:30 AM

Zumba
Jennifer Lopez

Fee	Location	Age
\$49	Dance Studio	Adult
Day	Date	Time
M	Apr. 12-May 19	6:00-7:00 PM

**WALKING CLUB
FREE- ALL AGES**

TU. APR. 13-JUN 8, 9-10:00 AM
Walking Club is back! Sign up for this free group and drop in on the weeks that work for you. We will meet weekly on Tuesdays at 9 am at the Municipal Park Pavilion and walk around Lathrup Village. This group is open to all fitness levels and walking speeds.

KIDS PROGRAMS

Creative Dance
Jennifer Lopez

Fee	Location	Age
\$39	Dance Studio	Kids 5-7
Day	Date	Time
M	Apr. 12-May 17	5:00-5:45 PM

**EXPLORING CAREERS IN SPORTS
FREE - AGES 13-20**

**TU. JUNE 1, 6:00-7:00 PM
COMMUNITY ROOM**

Are you passionate about sports? There are hundreds of careers in sports aside from being a professional athlete. Come learn about careers in recreation, youth, collegiate and professional sports. We'll also discuss various educational paths to consider and answer your questions.

**SAFE SITTER® ESSENTIALS
\$125- AGES 11-14 ZOOM**

SAT. MAY 1, 10:00-3:30 PM

Safe Sitter® is designed to prepare students in grades 6-8 to be safe when they're home alone, watching younger siblings, or babysitting. The Instructor-led class is filled with fun games and role-playing exercises. Students learn about safety, child care, and first aid while developing life & business skills. Recommended for grades 6-8, Fee covers 5.5 hours of instruction and course materials

COVID-19 precautions:

All our classes will take place in the largest space available, with increased ventilation provided, masks required except in the case of high-intensity exercise classes. Waivers are required. Temperature scanning and other screening procedures may be used.

**T-BALL/SOCCER CLINIC
FREE - AGES 3-5**

**SAT. MAY 1, 10:30-12:00 PM
GOLDENGATE PARK**

Try T-Ball and Soccer on the same day. Coach Chris will lead two skills sessions. Parent participation is needed for the t-ball session. Bring a Size 3 soccer ball and a t-ball glove if you have one. All other equipment provided. This session not suitable for children under 3 or older siblings.



Drop-In Playtime

This popular program is set to return in April. We'll meet outdoors. Stay tuned to LV Parks & Rec Facebook page for details. Open to ages 9 month-4 years.

ENRICHMENT CLASSES

BEGINNER'S CHESS \$89- AGES 8+ ZOOM

WED APR 21-MAY 26 4:30-5:30PM

In this class, you will learn the basics to playing Chess and develop confidence as a player. Class is open to adults and children ages 8 and up (chess is based on experience and skill, not age).

The class will take place on Zoom. All you need is your own chess board and a device to join the virtual class.

LIFE SKILLS: INTRO TO SEWING \$15- AGES 14+

TH. MAY 6, 7-8:00 PM
MEETING PLACE

This class will demonstrate basic tools to make sewing easy and successful. Will teach basic hand stitching repair for the seam, how to sew and repair a hem, how to sew in a button correctly. A simple supply list will be provided.

DOG PARK SAFETY FREE- ALL AGES ZOOM

WED. APR. 21, 6-7:00 PM

Is my dog ready for the dog park? How can I best keep my dog and other dogs safe? This short class will walk you through dog park safety, whether you're already a member of the Lathrup Village Dog Park or just considering a membership. Thank you to Canine to Five for sponsoring this class.

COOKIE DECORATING \$39- AGES 14+

WED. MAY 14, 4-5:00 PM
COMMUNITY ROOM

Do you want to learn the techniques to decorate beautiful sugar cookies? This class is for you! We will teach you how to decorate gift-worthy cookies. No experience needed. All materials will be provided. You will finish with 6 cookies to keep or give.



Senior Appreciation Brunch

Saturday, June 12

11 AM-1 PM

Free

Ages 67+

We invite our seniors to come out for a special brunch in the park on a sunny, June day. We'll have a musical guest and a great meal lined up for you. Space is limited so sign up today. Residents only.

INTO TO CALLIGRAPHY FREE-AGES 14+ ZOOM

TH. APR. 22, 2-3:00 PM

Would you like to learn calligraphy? You can! This intro class will focus on learning to complete the alphabet in the Italic Lettering style. No experience required, short supply list provided.

BUS TRIPS

LATHRUP VILLAGE DINERS \$5- ALL AGES



FRI. APRIL 30, LEAVE AT
11:30 AM, BACK BY 2 PM

Join us for traditional tea and conversation at the **Royal Treat Tea Room** in Roseville. Along with their famous scones, they offer fresh lunch options daily. The fee covers the bus trip, tea/lunch is self-pay.

MEADOW BROOK ESTATE SELF-GUIDED TOUR \$12- ALL AGES

SUN. MAY 16, LEAVE AT
12:30 PM, BACK BY 4:30 PM

Let's explore Meadow Brook together. The home is nearly 90,000 square feet of opulence. We'll check out the carved wood and stone, crystal fixtures, stained glass windows, beautiful tile, and ornate plaster ceilings. The fee covers bus trip and admission.

HOW TO REGISTER

Register for any program at City Hall, at LV Parks & Rec Facebook Page, or at <https://tinyurl.com/lathruprec>.

\$5 additional fee for non-residents for most programs.

Call Chris at (248) 557-2600 ext. 224 or email recreation@lathrupvillage.org with any questions about programs or registration.

COMPREHENSIVE PLAN

Lathrup Village Planning Commission and CEDD have been working hard over the past year and a half to update the city's Comprehensive Master Plan. This document represents the long-term vision of our wonderful community and provides the framework for how we would like to see development happen. It covers areas such as housing, commercial corridors, sustainability, and future land uses – all with an eye towards improving the quality of life for Lathrup Village residents.

The Planning Commission intends to release the plan for comments in April for adoption in May. We hope you will take a few moments to visit the Comprehensive Plan page on the city's website at: http://www.lathrupvillage.org/departments/2019_comprehensive_plan_update

There you will find the draft Comprehensive Master Plan, data and surveys that were used to develop the plan, and, perhaps most importantly, a comment card to leave us feedback!



CANNABIS UPDATES

In August 2020, at the recommendation of the Marijuana Study Group, City Council directed Planning Commission and staff to draft ordinance language to permit recreational, adult-use cannabis in the City. Currently, there is a moratorium on all medical and recreational cannabis uses in the City. Over the past few months, there have been meetings, discussions, and revisions with the goal of putting together a comprehensive and thoughtful ordinance for the City Council to consider. The Planning Commission and staff intend to have another draft available for review in April/May.

In February 2021, City Council adopted ordinance language specific to Primary Caregivers, which are regulated differently than medical and recreational cannabis. These amendments to the zoning ordinance to provide reasonable regulations and standards for Cannabis Primary Caregivers operating in the city. Most notably Primary Caregivers will now be required to locate in the Office District along 12 Mile Road and adhere to standards related to noise, odor, security, permitting, site plan review, and business licensing.

Prior to enacting these ordinance amendments, properly registered Primary Caregivers could locate anywhere in the city, most often in our neighborhoods. To help better understand the differences between Primary Caregivers, Medical Cannabis, and Adult-Use (Recreational) Cannabis and why the city took action to adopt these recent zoning ordinance amendments, the city's planning consultants have put together a brief presentation which may be found on the CED page.

QUESTIONS OR COMMENTS?

If you have any questions or have comments, please contact CED Director Susie Stec at sstec@lathrupvillage.org or (248) 557-2600 ext 223. Visit the CEDD page for more information: http://www.lathrupvillage.org/departments/community_and_economic_development

LATHRUP VILLAGE DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

What has the DDA been up to?

- **Spring Into Self-Care:** We are celebrating self-care the whole month of April! Visit our Facebook or Instagram for self-care videos from LV businesses. Shop at a Lathrup Village beauty, wellness, or health business in April to enter to win a self-care gift basket! To enter, just drop your receipt off at City Hall or email a copy to cdahl@lathrupvillage.org.
- The Promotions Committee developed a Juneteenth Task Force to plan the Juneteenth Celebration on June 19.
- The LVDDA has partnered with Oakland County for the Lovin' Lathrup Village/Together Oakland Restaurant Relief grant to award over \$30,000 to Lathrup Village restaurants.
- LVDDA Board of Directors participated in National Main Street's Recovery Training three-part workshop
- Wallace Financial and LVDDA partnered to a host Financial Planning February: Retirement Income Strategies Webinar



WATER METER SURVEY

We have beautiful historic homes here! Some Lathrup Village homes were built up to 100 years ago. For the health and safety of our residents, the City of Lathrup Village is required to determine your water service line material to identify if there is possible lead exposure in drinking water, which may cause health risks. We are asking our residents to help us determine if their water service line is lead, copper, or galvanized steel.

Follow the steps below. All you will need is a coin and a magnet. To take a picture, a cellphone is recommended.

- Go online to the Water Service Line Inquiry form at <https://arcg.is/1P5rPe> or Use the QR Code
- Click on the link to the NPR tool at <https://apps.npr.org/find-lead-pipes-in-your-home/en/#intro>
- Enter the information requested on the survey, add a picture, and click SUBMIT!



If you have a lead or galvanized water service, the City of Lathrup Village is required to replace the water line at no cost to you.

If you are unable to complete this survey, the City will be required to verify your water service material. You will need to schedule a time to inspect your water meter.



By using the tool and sharing your information, you will be helping our Department of Public Services and for that we thank you! For questions, contact the City of Lathrup Village at (248) 557-2600.

Lead water service line



Michigan First Credit Union would like to congratulate the Lathrup Village Community Foundation on 25 years of service in the community!

To celebrate, Michigan First invites you to an appreciation week, taking place at the **Built & Brewed in Detroit Coffee Café** located inside **Michigan First Credit Union**.

From **April 26 to April 30**, please join us at the Coffee Café to receive:

- A free 12oz Coffee or Tea or 50% off any specialty beverage*
- Complimentary baked good samples
- A custom punch card that will earn you points toward a free beverage

Join the **Community Foundation Board Members** and **Michigan First Credit Union President/CEO Michael Poulos** at **9:30 a.m.** on **April 26** to kick-off the celebration week.

Please also join us at the following events:

Celebrate Good Times Come On

Anniversary LCVF Summer Concert Series at the Gazebo: *June 28-August 11*

More information to be released regarding the Anniversary Food Truck Night, the Anniversary Movie Night, and the Anniversary Fundraiser.

*Some exclusions apply



Please complete this slip and bring it with you to the Coffee Café to redeem your free or discounted beverage from April 26 to 30.

Full Name _____

Email _____

The Built & Brewed Coffee Café is located inside Michigan First Credit Union at 27000 Evergreen Road

LION'S CLUB

The Lathrup Village Lions Club is part of Lions Clubs International, the largest service club organization in the world, dedicated to serving people in need. Donations can be made on the club's website www.LathrupVillageLions.org. For more information about the Lathrup Village Lions Club and its activities, find us on Facebook or contact Jay Gardiner at (248) 561-8117 or by email at jagar@ix.netcom.com.



Summer jobs!

Work for Lathrup Village Parks & Rec

Get paid to work outdoors while helping your community.
Part-Time, \$10-12/hr
Ages 14 and up
Email recreation@lathrupvillage.org

VILLAGERS' PRIDE AND PRODUCE

The Villagers' Pride and Produce Community Vegetable Garden is preparing to kick off its first season this Spring and will have 4x8 feet plots available for rent. Volunteers are needed for community cooperative plots. We welcome all to participate in this project. If you would like to get involved with the vegetable garden or rent a plot, you can email LathrupVeggieGarden@gmail.com or join the Villagers' Pride & Produce Community Vegetable Garden Facebook page for more information.

LV WOMEN'S CLUB

The Lathrup Village Women's Club celebrated its 80th Anniversary in 2019. Charitable work has been an important part of the work of the LVWC since its inception participating in the Goodfellows Holiday Doll Program and Lighthouse Food Drive. Last September, we began producing an electronic Lathrup Village Women's Club Newsletter to help keep our members connected and plan to shortly join Facebook. Although only Zoom meetings are currently scheduled, the LVWC would be pleased to welcome new members. Contact Diane Anderson at (248) 565-5115.

2021

Step Up LV

CHALLENGE



TRACK YOUR MILES WHILE WALKING, RUNNING OR BIKING DURING THE MONTH OF APRIL.

REGISTER FOR FREE TO PARTICIPATE IN WEEKLY CHALLENGES.

LET'S SEE HOW FAR WE CAN GO TOGETHER!

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS/SHRED WASTE DROP OFF

Saturday, April 24
10am-2 pm

ACCEPTED ITEMS

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| Automotive Products | Lawn & Garden Products | Bleach |
| Medical Items | Gasoline | Wood/Metal |
| Pesticides | Insecticides | Cleaners |
| Herbicides | Fungicides | Paints |
| Fertilizer | Cleaning Products | Paint |
| Caulk | Furniture Strippers | thinner/remover |
| Fluorescent Bulbs | 4 & 8 ft Fluorescent Tubes | Batteries |
| | Ammonia | Cooking Oil |

ELECTRONICS

- Computers Televisions Laptops DVD/VCR Player Cables
Accessories Game Systems Phone/Answering Machines



ITEMS WE DON'T TAKE

- Syrofoam Radioactive Materials Explosives

NO WASTE GENERATED BY A BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY

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COMMUNITY ROOM RENTALS

We are accepting rentals of our Community Room and parks for 2021. Capacity limits are set by the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services.

Please visit <https://www.michigan.gov/Coronavirus> for the latest information. Rental permits are required for planned, group use of the Municipal Park Pavilion or Gazebo as well as parties at Goldengate Park.

Visit <http://www.lathrupvillage.org/departments/rentals.php> for more information or contact Chris at recreation@lathrupvillage.org or (248) 557-2600 ext 224.

