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## **Village of Lindenhurst Takes Efforts to Limit Virus Exposure**

**Lindenhurst, Illinois** – Following the announcement of the Lake County’s first presumptive positive cases of COVID-19, the Village of Lindenhurst is taking preventative steps to help limit the spread of coronavirus disease. The March 17<sup>th</sup> Lakes Commission and March 23<sup>rd</sup> Village Board meetings will be canceled. In addition, the following services will be suspended for the next 14 days:

- All in person over-the-counter activities, including:
  - Post Office purchases and package sending
    - P.O. Boxes will remain open
  - Utility Bill payments
  - Building Permits
- The use of Village Hall facilities for HOA and other public gatherings
- Water Meter appointments

U.S. mail can be deposited in the mailboxes located in the Village Hall parking lot, or at the main Lake Villa Post Office: 206 Cedar Avenue. Utility Bills and Building Permit Applications can be left in the “Water & Sewer Payment” dropbox attached to the front of the Village Hall. Any communication regarding these services or other Village concerns should be done via email at [mail@lindenhurstil.org](mailto:mail@lindenhurstil.org), or by phone to (847) 356-8252.

The Village of Lindenhurst encourages its residents to practice safe hygiene and limit their exposure by:

- Avoiding close contact with people who are sick
- Covering coughs or sneezes with a tissue, and throwing the tissue in the trash
- Washing hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds
- Avoiding touching eyes, nose and mouth
- Cleaning and disinfecting frequently touched objects and surfaces
- Staying home when sick, except to get medical care

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