

Fremont Township

FALL 2017 IMPORTANT NOTICE

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Fremont Township Resident and Property Owners:

Dear Resident or Property Owner:

Fremont Township has been approved to install a prairie surrounding the township's administrative and highway department complex, partly through a grant by ComEd. This effort is to improve the biodiversity of the township and benefit wildlife and pollinator birds and insects.

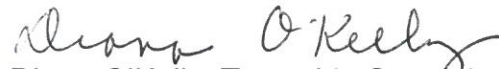
As part of this project, an area of turf has been eradicated and is now ready to be burned off to make way for prairie seed and erosion blanket. The prescribed burn activity will be conducted by an experienced ecologist and staff from the Township under coordination with the local fire department and state permit.

Therefore, this notice is to inform you that Fremont Township will be conducting a prescribed burn this fall as weather conditions allow, with work to progress no sooner than five (5) working days of this notice. Fire breaks are already in place in the form of turfgrass and roadways. The burn area is approximately one acre. Native plants will start growing from deep roots next spring of 2018. No homes, evergreens, trees, shrubs or lawns will be negatively affected.

If you know of anyone who is asthmatic or susceptible to smoke, please notify our burn coordinator David Eubanks immediately at 847-456-5604, which is his cell phone. We will accommodate the needs of any sensitive individual.

We look forward to serving the residents and property owners of Fremont Township by improving the beauty and function of your natural environment.

Sincerely,



Diana O'Kelly, Township Supervisor

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