

Calendar OF EVENTS

FEBRUARY 3, 8:30 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.

Barrington Town-Warming
Barrington's White House
www.barringtonwhitehouse.com

FEBRUARY 7, 8:00 A.M.

Barrington Area Chamber of Commerce Annual
Economic Summit
Barrington's White House
www.barringtonareachamber.com

FEBRUARY 9 & 10, 8:00 P.M.

Pat McKillen in Concert
Barrington's White House
www.barringtonwhitehouse.com

FEBRUARY 15, 6:30 P.M.

"3rd Thursdays" Featuring Artist
Catherine Chiffot Nealey
Barrington's White House
www.barringtonwhitehouse.com

FEBRUARY 22, 7:30 P.M.

"Our Town" Performed by the TesserAct
Theatre Ensemble
Barrington's White House
www.barringtonwhitehouse.com

FEBRUARY 24, 12:00 P.M.

Oscar Shorts
Catlow Theater
www.thecatlow.com

FEBRUARY 25, 3:00 P.M.

University of Chicago Professors Martha Nussbaum
and Saul Levmore
Barrington's White House
www.barringtonwhitehouse.com

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Barrington's White House Announces Its Spring 2018 Season

World-class artists, guest lecturers, musical and theater performances, and more are coming this spring

In its second full year of operations, Barrington's White House will host more than **15 community and cultural events** this spring season, and tickets are now available.

The season kicks off with a re-creation of the 1940s-era **Barrington Town-Warming** speaker series on February 3 and concludes in June with the Barbara L. Benson Historical Lecture Season. Throughout the spring, the White House features **world-class artists, guest lecturers, and musical and theater performances**, all held in the intimate setting of one of our area's premier cultural venues.

The **3rd Thursdays "Art Night Out" series** continues as well, with a number of noted artists exhibiting their work on the third Thursday of each month, often accompanied by musical entertainment.

And, save the date for a very special weekend of events in June featuring Barrington native and world-renowned fashion designer and entrepreneur **Cynthia Rowley**. More to come!

See page 7 for more information on February's events. For a full listing of events and to purchase tickets, go to www.barringtonwhitehouse.com/events. In addition, Barrington's White House is available for events and private parties. See the White House website for more information.

The Barrington Cultural Commission and The Catlow Theater
present
AN AFTERNOON OF
OSCAR-NOMINATED SHORT FILMS
SATURDAY, FEB. 24
SATURDAY & SUNDAY, MARCH 3-4
12:00 P.M. - 4:00 P.M.

The Catlow and the Barrington Cultural Commission Present "Oscar Shorts"

Film festival adds 3rd showing due to popular demand

The Catlow Theater and the Barrington Cultural Commission once again present "Oscar Shorts," a film festival featuring the 2018 Academy Award-nominated animated short films and live action short films. The festival will have three separate showings, on **Saturday, February 24; Saturday, March 3; and Sunday, March 4 from 12:00 - 4:00 p.m.** This year, a third showing was added due to popular demand from previous years. *Note: some films may not be appropriate for young audiences.*

Tickets are \$15 each and are very limited. Purchase your tickets online at www.thecatlow.com, or in person at The Catlow Theater/Showtime Eatery. A portion of the proceeds from this event benefits the Barrington Cultural Commission.



A MESSAGE FROM KAREN DARCH

President,
Village of Barrington

PUBLIC MEETINGS

FEBRUARY 2018

05	Committee of the Whole	6:00 pm
08	Architectural Review	6:00 pm
12	Committee of the Whole	6:00 pm
12	Board of Trustees	8:00 pm
13	Plan Commission/ ZBA	7:00 pm
14	Cultural Commission	12:00 pm
22	Architectural Review	7:00 pm
26	BWH Advisory Committee	2:00 pm
26	Committee of the Whole	6:00 pm
26	Board of Trustees	8:00 pm
27	Plan Commission/ZBA	7:00 pm
28	Fire & Police Commission	8:00 am

MARCH 2018

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Call (847) 304-3400 for more information.

We Love Our Community Volunteers: They're at the Heart of What We Do

February is the month of love, and this month, we're celebrating our many volunteers in Barrington and all that they do for our community.

Barrington has dozens of nonprofits that rely on volunteers to do so much of the good work we see here in our area – from caring for our aging population and stewarding our conservation efforts to providing for at-risk children and promoting a rich cultural life for our residents.

At the Village of Barrington, we also rely heavily on volunteers to help guide and execute the important work that we do in the community. At the heart of our efforts are the members of our all-volunteer Boards, Plan Commission, Architectural Review Commission, Zoning Board of Appeals, and Cultural Commission. Dozens of your neighbors and friends serve on these and other boards and provide countless hours and vast expertise stemming from their passion for our community and their desire to continue to make Barrington a great place to live, work, and play.

In addition, in the past several years we have seen what volunteers can do when it comes to the renovation and creation of Barrington's White House as a premier center for both cultural and private events in our community. Led by an all-volunteer Board of Advisors and numerous other committee volunteers – and supported by private donations and sponsorships – the White House has quickly put Barrington on the map as a cultural hub of exciting performances and stimulating intellectual offerings in the Chicago area.

We also have numerous community volunteers who are involved in planning and hosting some of Barrington's most beloved events and traditions. Our veterans' and Rotary groups, as well as numerous other citizen volunteers, come together each year with the help of our Village staff to host many popular events, such as our July 4th and Memorial Day activities, as well as the annual Art Festival, Scarecrow Fest, and many others. We also are indebted to our local garden clubs and their members for the assistance they provide in beautifying our town each season.

We are very fortunate indeed to have such an outpouring of community involvement for the many activities that occur here in Barrington. If you are looking to get involved in your community as a volunteer to assist with Village events and activities, I urge you to reach out to us at 847-304-3400.

Happy Valentine's Day and THANK YOU, Barrington volunteers!

Karen Darch
President, Village of Barrington

Call for Volunteers!

Are you looking to get involved in the community in 2018? The Village of Barrington is looking for volunteers to assist with our various community events, including the July 4 parade, Cruise Nights, Scarecrow Fest, and more. If you're interested in serving as a volunteer, please call Patty Dowd Schmitz at (847)-304-3443.



VILLAGE UPDATES

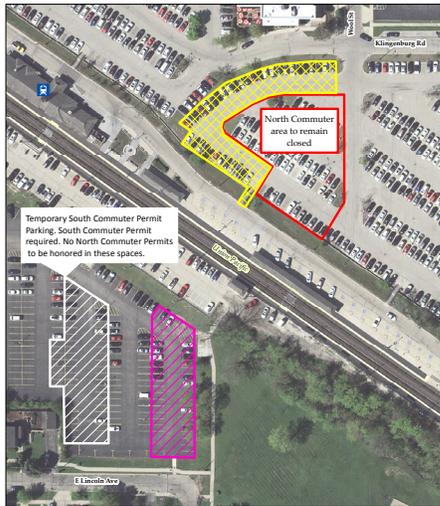
Commuter Lot Parking Closures

The Village's Sanitary Sewer Replacement Project started 2018 construction on January 2nd. The contractor has been focusing on installation of a new sanitary sewer under the Metra tracks and excavation of Miller Park to create additional stormwater storage volume.

Due to this construction, **sections of the North and South Commuter Parking Lots will be closed throughout the winter** to accommodate necessary equipment, staging, and work to be done in the coming months. The Village has secured additional temporary parking spots, which will be available through *permit only*.

North Commuter Permits will be valid in the North Commuter Lot and in the temporary street parking locations south of the tracks. South Commuter Permits will be valid in the South Commuter Lot, including temporary signed spaces in the South Lot.

IMPORTANT: North Commuter Permits will not be honored anywhere in the South Commuter Lot. For more information, go to www.barrington-il.gov/parking. You may purchase a parking permit at the Village Hall between 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. during weekdays. Thank you for your continued patience during this important infrastructure project.



New Luxury Condominiums Coming to Downtown

Great Haven Builders has applied for permits to bring a 12-unit luxury condominium complex with underground parking to the Village of Barrington at 407 E. Main Street.

Just a short walk from the train station and the heart of downtown, this project is expected to get underway in 2018.

For more information, go to www.407eastmain.com.

Don't Let the Deep Freeze Get You Down: Winter Reminders

Winter Garbage Placement

During the winter months, garbage pickup is more difficult due to snow and ice conditions. The Village respectfully requests that **residents place all garbage and recycling containers on the driveway or parkway adjacent to the street.**

Do not place the containers on the street, as this can create a hazardous condition for snow plowers and residents. Thank you!

Sidewalk Snow Removal

Like most municipalities in northern Illinois, the Village requires residents and business owners to clear snow and ice from the sidewalks adjacent to your property.

Keeping your sidewalk clear is important for preventing hazardous conditions for pedestrians. Please do your part to help **assure the safety of your neighborhoods and customers by making sure your sidewalk is promptly cleared.**

During significant snow events, check the Village's Facebook page, watch Channel 4, and go to the Village's website at www.barrington-il.gov for detailed storm information.

Snow Piled at End of Driveways

Because there are more than 3,800 driveways in the Village, we do not have enough equipment and personnel to clear snow at the end of driveways. **We recommend waiting until the street has been plowed from curb to curb before clearing your driveway.** Please do not shovel snow back into the street, as it can cause frozen road hazards.



Keep Fire Hydrants Clear

Please keep fire hydrants near your property or in your neighborhood clear of snow. This will greatly help firefighters in case of an emergency.



VILLAGE NEWS YOU CAN USE

Holiday Light Recycling Program

The Barrington Public Works Department partners with Elgin Recycling to provide our community with a Holiday Light Recycling Program.

Drop off your used holiday lights at the main entrance of the Public Works Facility, 300 N. Raymond Avenue, through March 20, 2018.

Accepted for recycling are mini-lights (or Italian lights), C7 lights, C9 lights, rope lights, LED lights, and extension cords. All colors and lengths will be accepted.

The Village will not accept garland, live greens, wreaths, or other non-recyclables. For more information on this program, please contact the Public Works Department at (847) 381-7903 or visit www.elginrecycling.com.



Coming Soon: Water Use Survey for Cross Connection Control Program

The Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA) requires every Illinois municipal water supplier to develop and implement a comprehensive "Cross Connection Control Program" designed to safeguard the public water supply. The Village of Barrington by Municipal Code, Chapter 6 "Cross Connection Control," has adopted such a program.

One of the requirements of this program is to conduct a survey of all Village of Barrington water customers every two years. **In the near future, you will receive a Water Use Survey postcard.** Simply follow the directions and submit your survey to Aqua Backflow, our subcontractor for this program.

For the Village of Barrington to remain compliant, cooperation from all residential and commercial property owners is essential and a critical part of this program. Should you ever receive any requests for information from the Village of Barrington or from Aqua Backflow, please respond accordingly. Aqua Backflow specializes in cross connection control program management and is familiar with the State of Illinois regulations and requirements for testing, repairs, and maintenance of backflow devices. If you have or require backflow protection because you have a pool, irrigation system, fire sprinkler system, or heating system/boilers you must comply with these regulations.

Should you have any further questions, please contact Aqua Backflow at 847-742-2296 or email them at info@AquaBackflow.com.

ComEd Begins Tree Trimming

ComEd will begin trimming trees adjacent to overhead power lines within our community over the next several months. ComEd will be notifying individuals who are adjacent to the affected trees, which include portions of the following areas: **N. Cook Street, James Street, East and West Liberty, Washington Street, Northwest Highway, Berry Road, and N. Hough Street.** If you have any questions, contact ComEd at (800) Edison-1 (800-334-7661).

FROM THE DESK OF JEFF LAWLER

*Village Manager,
Village of Barrington*



Photo: Thomas Balsamo

Village Continues to Be Recognized for Fiscal Responsibility

I'm very pleased to report this month that the Village of Barrington has once again been recognized for its continued commitment to fiscal responsibility in all its operations.

As you read on page 1, Moody's Investors Service has again reaffirmed the Village's **Aa1 bond rating**. Moody's based its support on a number of factors, including a low debt burden and the strength of the Village's tax base. Its report noted growth of a cumulative 13% over the last two years to its current \$1.8 billion base. In addition, the Moody's report indicated that the Village's financial profile is also a significant credit strength, due to its **strong fund balance of \$9.9 million** in the Village's operating funds, equal to 55.4% of annual operating revenue.

In addition, **for the 33rd straight year, the Village of Barrington has received the Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting** by the Government Finance Officers Association (GFOA) for its comprehensive annual financial report (CAFR).

According to the GFOA, "The Certificate of Achievement is the highest form of recognition in the area of governmental accounting and financial reporting, and its attainment represents a significant accomplishment by a government and its management. [Barrington's] CAFR has been judged by an impartial panel to meet the high standards of the program, which includes demonstrating a constructive 'spirit of full disclosure' to clearly communicate its financial story and motivate potential users and user groups to read the CAFR."

I would especially like to recognize and thank the Village's **Department of Community and Financial Services**, headed by Director **Jason Hayden** and Assistant Director **Allison Chmelik**, who are to be commended for their efforts to achieve excellence in not only financial reporting, but also overall fiscal responsibility for our taxpayers and residents.

It is my commitment – and the commitment of everyone on the Village staff – that we will continue to be outstanding stewards of our taxpayer funds and use our resources wisely to further advance the goals and important work of our Board of Trustees and our community.

Jeff Lawler
Village Manager

CREATING A MORE VIBRANT BARRINGTON

Barrington Fine Rug Gallery Now Open at Ice House Mall



Barrington Fine Rug Gallery is now open at the Ice House Mall, 200 Applebee Street. The gallery sells fine and antique carpets at affordable prices, in addition to providing cleaning and restoration services. Barrington Fine Rug Gallery's goal is to expand the appreciation of fine and antique oriental rugs, and to share their knowledge, experience, and love of beautiful rugs with clients who are looking to acquire and incorporate these special items in their home and office. Visit www.barringtonfineruggallery.com or call (847) 382-1031.

NeuroBalance Center Celebrates New Location



The Barrington Area Chamber of Commerce gathered with the Village of Barrington for a ribbon-cutting to celebrate the opening of the NeuroBalance Center located at 1529 S. Grove Avenue.

The nonprofit resource center provides education, healthcare, fitness rehabilitation, and counseling for those living with multiple sclerosis, Parkinson's Disease, and other neuromuscular and autoimmune diseases that threaten independence. For more information, visit www.neruobalancecenter.org or call (847) 800-6062.

OneLife Cooking School Opens in The Foundry



OneLife cooking school at 742 W. Northwest Hwy. in The Foundry of Barrington recently celebrated its ribbon-cutting with the Barrington Area Chamber of Commerce.

OneLife provides nutritional coaching and education, as well as mindful enrichment book groups. "I believe that a nourished life is found within your body, mind and soul," said owner Lauren Brynjelsen, who holds a bachelor's degree in psychology from Roosevelt University, a Health Coaching certification from the Institute of Integrative Nutrition in New York, and is soon to be a graduate from Harper College's Dietician Program.

For more information, call (847) 414-4878 or visit www.onelifekitchen.com.



Vintage Wine & Spirits Celebrates Re-Opening

The Barrington Area Chamber of Commerce gathered with the Village of Barrington in November for a ribbon cutting to celebrate the re-opening of Vintage Wine & Spirits, under new ownership, at 716 S. Northwest Highway. Located in the Barrington Center, Vintage Wine & Spirits offers a wide selection of wine, beer, and spirits, as well as special deals and delivery service. For more information, visit www.vintagewinebarrington.com or (847) 387-4299.

Annual Economic Summit: State of the Barrington Region

February 7, 8:00-10:00 a.m.



The Barrington Area Chamber of Commerce is hosting the Annual Economic Summit "State of the Barrington Region" on February 7th from 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. at Barrington's White House.

Join us for first-hand updates from our village leaders. Invited panelists include representatives from Barrington, Barrington Hills, Deer Park, Kildeer, Lake Barrington, Long Grove, North Barrington, Port Barrington, South Barrington, and Tower Lakes.

Registration is required at www.Barrington-Chamber.com or by calling (847) 381-2525.

CULTURAL EVENTS AND COMMUNITY NEWS

Breakfast with BALibrary

February 8, 7:30 a.m.
Barrington Area Library

Business Liaison Librarian Annette Bochenek and Community Engagement Librarian Sam Adams-Lanham present fast facts about the library as well as a tour of resources beneficial to small businesses or nonprofits. Breakfast provided. Register at www.balibrary.org/library-events.

BACT's Annual Meeting: Let's Talk Trees with Morton Arboretum's CEO Gerry Donnelly

February 13, 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Barrington's White House

Join Barrington Area Conservation Trust and welcome Gerry Donnelly, who will discuss the Chicago Tree Initiative: Our Trees, Our Community, and Our Future. Learn about the key issues facing the tree population and what you can do to help. Call BACT at (847) 387-3149 or visit www.bactrust.org for more information. Registration required. Cash bar.

Become a Citizen Scientist

February 17, 10:00 a.m.
Barrington Village Hall

Citizens for Conservation's second program of its 2018 Community Education Series will feature a panel of conservation experts who will discuss how to monitor birds, bumblebees, butterflies, and plant bloom times. Visit www.citizensforconservation.org or call (847) 382-SAVE (7283).

Barrington Area Chamber of Commerce Women's BizNet Luncheon: Social Media Practices for Expanding Your Business

February 22, 11:30 a.m.
The Garlands of Barrington

Bobbi Baehne, president of Think Big Go Local, will discuss how effective social media practices are critical to building a business in today's economic climate, share effective ways to reach and engage audiences online, and provide valuable recommendations on how to convert an audience into loyal paying customers. Registration is required at www.BarringtonChamber.com or by calling (847) 381-2525.

NSDAR Annual American History Essay Contest and Good Citizens Award Event

February 24, 2:00 p.m.
Barrington Area Library

The Barrington Area Signal Hill Chapter, National Society of Daughters of the American Revolution (NSDAR), will be sponsoring their annual American History Essay Contest and Good Citizens Award recognition event to recognize local students who submitted essays on the topic "World War I - Remembering the War to End All Wars." This event is open to the public, and refreshments will be served. For more information about the event, or the annual contests, please contact Terri Brinkmeier at BrinkmeierDARHistorian@gmail.com

BACT's Teddy Roosevelt Dinner

May 22, 6:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.
San Filippo Estate

Are you a history buff? Do you love national parks? The Barrington Area Conservation Trust is hosting the 26th President of the United States, Theodore Roosevelt. Come learn about the great conservation president and how he changed the environmental footprint in our country. Registration Required. Call BACT at (847) 387-3149 or visit www.bactrust.org to register.



CULTURAL EVENTS AT BARRINGTON'S WHITE HOUSE

Go to www.barringtonswhitehouse.com for information and tickets for all events.

Barrington Town-Warming: Reality Check: Where We Are Today and Our Vision for the Future

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3

A one-day speaker series on important topics of the day featuring keynotes by Barrington residents Hank Paulson (former U.S. Secretary of the Treasury) and Wendy Paulson (noted environmentalist), in addition to WGN radio personality John Williams.

Pat McKillen in Concert

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9 & SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10

Join Barrington's most prolific singer-songwriter as he shares his unique fusion of folk, pop, and rock. He'll perform songs from his most recent album, *Blood & Bones*.

"3rd Thursdays" Featuring Artist Catherine Chiffot Nealey

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15

Experience "An Invitation to Self-Expression Through Color" with Catherine Chiffot Nealey. Through her intricate and colorful work, this French-born artist pays homage to her industrial designer father's detailed precision, and her Italian mother's harmony and spontaneity.

"Our Town" Performed by the TesserAct Theatre Ensemble

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22

TesserAct will take you back to Grover's Corners, New Hampshire in the early 1900s with Thornton Wilder's heartwarming story of George and Emily's love and how precious everyday life is.

University of Chicago Professors Martha Nussbaum and Saul Levmore

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25

How can we age well? Join this lively conversation entitled "Aging Thoughtfully: Conversations About Retirement, Romance, Wrinkles & Regret."

For a complete listing of all events coming your way, check out the *Barrington Events Guide* by visiting www.barrington-il.gov and search for "event guide." Check www.EnjoyBarrington.com regularly for the most recent updates to events and other happenings in the Village.

Did You Know?

There is an easy way to get timely alerts on local news such as emergency bulletins or crime alerts. Visit www.barrington-il.gov to get connected to our Reverse 911 system.

Village Vision

The vision of Barrington is to preserve and promote its unique small-town heritage, preserve its distinct ecological and historical character, provide a moral and safe environment, maintain a high quality of life through the efficient use of community resources, and respond to future challenges through citizen participation in all civic, social and cultural endeavors.

PARKING & CONSTRUCTION UPDATES

Winter Parking Regulations

November 1 through March 31

To allow snow plows to safely maneuver and clean the streets for emergency response vehicles, **parking is not permitted after 1:00 a.m. on streets within the Central Business District when snow accumulation is over two inches, until snow removal operations are complete.**



In addition, **parking is not permitted at any time on residential streets outside of the Central Business District when snow accumulation is two inches or more, until snow removal operations are complete.** As a reminder, parking is always prohibited on all Village Streets between the hours of 1:00 a.m. until 6:00 a.m. Village snow removal crews typically complete post storm clean-up of Village streets during the hours of 1:00 a.m. and 6:00 a.m. after the storm has ended. Please refrain from parking on the street until after all snow and ice control efforts have been completed.

Commuter Parking Lot Construction Update

As has been previously communicated, **Barrington's commuter parking lot will continue to experience closures throughout the winter** until the Sanitary Sewer Replacement Project is completed in Spring 2018.

Please see page 4 for more information.



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A GREAT PLACE!

Barrington is a beautiful, historic suburb that takes pride in its hometown charm and small-town heritage.

More than 300 unique shops and restaurants are clustered in five distinct retail areas.

The Village Center is the heart of town, with its stately Victorian homes, historic buildings, quaint shops, and restaurants for every palate.



Village Saves Taxpayers \$572,000 in Interest Costs Through Bond Refinancing

The Village of Barrington is pleased to announce that on December 6, 2017, it successfully priced \$8.289 million in General Obligation (Alternate Revenue Source) Refunding Bonds (previously issued in 2009) at a more favorable interest rate that will **save Village taxpayers an estimated \$572,405 in interest (5.991% net present value benefit) over the life of the bonds.**

In addition, Moody's Investors Service announced on November 28, 2017 that **it had reaffirmed the Village's Aa1 bond rating.** According to Moody's, the Aa1 rating was based on credit strengths that included a suburban tax base with high income and wealth, a strong fund balance and liquidity, and a low debt burden.

The report noted tax base growth of a cumulative 13% over the last two years to its current \$1.8 bil-

lion. In addition, the Moody's report indicated that the Village's financial profile is also a significant credit strength, due to its **strong fund balance of \$9.9 million in the Village's operating funds, equal to 55.4% of annual operating revenue.**

Village officials ended 2017 with a general fund surplus of an estimated \$1.3 million, most of which will be transferred to the capital improvement fund for future capital needs.



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Village Board Approves 2018 Budget

Residents will see 8% decrease in property taxes; slight increase in utility bills

The Board of Trustees of the Village of Barrington approved its 2018 budget at its regular Board meeting on Monday, December 11, 2017.

The 2018 budget does not include significant changes in operations or services from the previous year. However, the 2018 budget does provide funding for some significant infrastructure improvement projects, including the completion of the sanitary sewer main replacement project from the North Commuter Lot to the Russell-Summit area. The 2018 budget also includes the replace-

ment of the Hart Road water main and the building of the storm water detention area in the former Miller Park.

In addition, residents will see an 8% decrease in the Village portion of their property taxes in 2018 and will also see a slight increase in their utility bills (approximately \$3 per month) beginning this summer.

To see the budget presentation as a part of the December 11 Board meeting, visit www.barrington-il.gov/BudgetPresentation.



Barrington's White House Announces Spring Cultural Season

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The Catlow and The Cultural Commission Present "Oscar Shorts"

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Looking for Opportunities to Volunteer in Your Community?

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