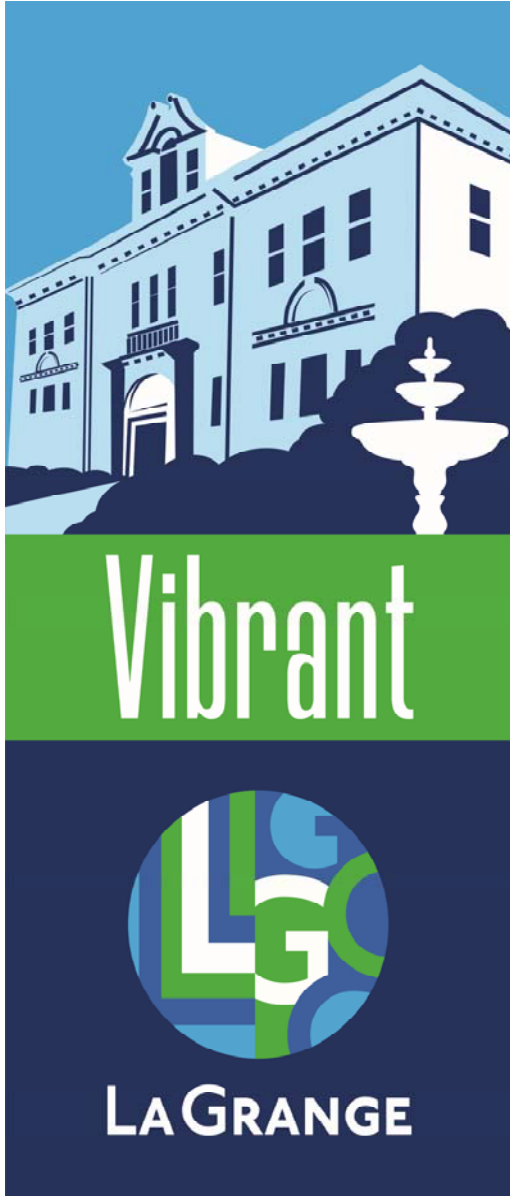


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Farmers Market — The award-winning La Grange Farmers Market has begun the 2021 season. The market is held every Thursday through October on Harris Avenue, between La Grange Road and Sixth Avenue. The market will continue to be conducted in compliance with all applicable CDC and IDPH guidelines. Please visit the La Grange Business Association website at www.lgba.com for more information.

La Grange Carnival — This friendly community carnival has been a La Grange tradition for decades and features spectacular rides with LED light displays, family favorites like bumper cars and Ferris wheel, and engaging games for children. It is located on Harris Avenue between La Grange Road and Ashland Avenue. The fun begins on Friday, June 4 at 5:00 p.m. and continues through Sunday, June 6.

Reduced capacities, increased social distancing, and enhanced cleaning measures will be in place to comply with state guidelines. Please visit the La Grange Business Association website at www.lgba.com for more information.

75th Annual Pet Parade — The 75th Annual La Grange Pet Parade has been rescheduled for Saturday, September 18, 2021 from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

For more information, including how you can be involved, please visit www.lagrangepetparade.org.

La Grange Business Association Summer Art Project — Sit, Stay & Play La Grange — In honor of the 75th anniversary of the La Grange Pet Parade, the LGBA has planned a special exhibit geared towards pets and the people who love them. This one-of-a-kind exhibit of clever doghouses and relaxing lounge chairs is sponsored by dozens of local businesses working with local artists who design and paint them for display on the sidewalks of the business district. Please visit the La Grange Business Association website at www.lgba.com for more information.

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Five Year Operating & Capital Improvements Budget — The Fiscal Year 2021-22

Budget was adopted by the Village Board on April 26, 2021. A complete copy of the document is available on the Village website at www.lagrangeil.gov. Residents are encouraged to read the Village Manager's Message as it provides a comprehensive summary of the budget document.

Construction Update — The Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) has started to resurface Ogden Avenue from I-294 to Edgewood Avenue. The project scope consists of milling and resurfacing the existing pavement, intermittent sidewalk and curb replacement, and thermoplastic pavement markings. Construction hours will generally be 7 a.m. — 4 p.m., Monday through Friday. During construction, Ogden Avenue will be intermittently limited to one lane in each direction. The anticipated completion date for the project is July 31, 2021.

COVID-19 Vaccine Update — The COVID-19 vaccine is now available to all residents of Illinois 12 years and older. All state-supported mass vaccination sites, pharmacy partners and other health organizations are taking appointments or walk-ins for the vaccine. For more information regarding vaccination locations, please visit www.coronavirus.illinois.gov. Residents who do not have access to or need assistance navigating online services can call the toll-free IDPH hotline at 833-621-1284 to book an appointment.

On Friday, May 14, Illinois moved into a bridge phase from Phase 4 to the normal Phase 5. This phase allows for higher capacity limits and increased business operations. The best ways to slow the spread and demonstrate our care and concern for others is to get vaccinated, wear a face covering if you are not vaccinated, and practice social distancing. More information regarding the Restore Illinois plan and vaccine administration is available on the Village website.



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Village Board Meetings are typically held the second and fourth Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. in the La Grange Village Hall Auditorium. Sign up to have information such as Village Board Meeting agendas, news, and events sent to you via email or text notifications by visiting the Village website at www.lagrangeil.gov under the "Create an Account — Sign Up For Notifications" tab at the bottom of the front page of the website.