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NEW ONLINE SYSTEM FOR VACATION WATCH REGISTRATION & CRIME REPORTING

Beginning February 1, 2019, the Western Springs Police Department (WSPD) will have an online system for reporting certain crimes and registering for vacation watch, using public safety software available through Frontline Public Safety Solutions (Frontline PSS). These features are in addition to the previously announced overnight street parking registration.

PRESIDENT

Alice Gallagher

Vacation Watch:

Using Frontline PSS, residents can register their residence for physical checks by the WSPD while away for an extended period. In the event of an emergency, the Police will work with the designated emergency contact to ensure the residence is safe and secure.

TRUSTEES

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Crime Reporting:

Some non-emergency crimes (such as damage to property) can be reported online using Frontline PSS. Any urgent matters or crimes in progress should still be reported immediately, and residents should not hesitate to call 9-1-1 in an emergency.

CLERK

Bridget Fitzgerald

In addition to the Frontline PSS portal, residents can call the WSPD's non-emergency number for vacation watch registration and crime reporting, at 708-246-8540, or visit the Department in person at 740 Hillgrove Avenue.

MANAGER

Ingrid Velkme

Residents can still call in overnight parking requests to the Lyons Township Area Communications Center (LTACC) at 708-352-2059, or to the Police Department's non-emergency number at 708-246-8540.

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For more information on Frontline PSS, to register for overnight parking, vacation watch, or to report certain crimes, visit the Frontline PSS website or the Village website:

www.frontlinepss.com/westernsprings

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