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COVID-19 Status Report Oak Park Village Board of Trustees

To: Village President and Village Board of Trustees

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As means to share a brief summary of information regarding Village of Oak Park operational activities in response to COVD-19. In most cases, formal public guidance or employee guidance has been publicly disseminated via the Village website or Village social media channels.

Today, if it is possible, more than any other day, information is changing rapidly.

New Public Health Guidance

Oak Park Director of Public Health Mike Charley issued the following today:

• A bulletin was issued noting one positive test in Oak Park as of 3 PM on 3/21. The individual is not affiliated with the school system. Here is the information from the bulletin will is also being posted to the Village website:

Today, the Village of Oak Park Department of Public Health received notification that a second Village resident tested positive for the COVID-19 coronavirus. The individual was screened and tested on Wednesday March 18 and the positive result confirmed today.

The Oak Park Department of Public Health was notified of the positive test as established by state and local public health protocol. The individual, an adult female in her 40s, currently is recovering at home and is in isolation. She is not affiliated with the local school system. Because of privacy laws, no additional information can be released about the individual. It is noted, that privacy precludes location information regarding individuals tested to anyone other than Public Health Officials and First Responders.

The Oak Park Department of Public Health is working closely with officials from the Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH), investigating and notifying anyone who may have had exposure to the individual who tested positive for COVID-19. Local public health officials, hospitals and first responders are following protocols consistent with the latest guidance from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).