

Village of Sand Lake

August 2025



Presidents report

I'm excited to share the progress on the E Lake St project over the past six weeks. We were able to extend the work another 100 feet while staying within budget—thanks to the hard work of Deans Excavating and our dedicated engineers. It is truly an honor to see this project nearing completion and to be part of the effort to improve our village's infrastructure.

This administration has been highly motivated to address existing infrastructure issues, create a long-term maintenance plan, and explore future improvement projects.

Our Planning commission continues to make great strides, ensuring the Master Plan goals are being carried out and developing a Capital Improvement Plan to guide us forward.

New businesses and events are coming to Main Street! We encourage everyone to join in, support local, and help us welcome the new members of our community.

Together, we're building a stronger, more vibrant Sand Lake.

Life in the DPW:

A major success this month was the coordinated clean-up effort following the 4th of July celebration. Staff worked efficiently to remove debris, manage waste, and restore public spaces promptly after the holiday weekend. Clean-up was completed within 24 hours. No major incidents or hazards were reported. Community feedback was overwhelmingly positive. The East Lake Street Road reconstruction project is progressing on schedule. Final paving and striping will be completed during the week of July 18th.

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Thank you
Mollie Doerr

Life in the DPW Continued:

Project included improved drainage infrastructure and work was conducted with minimal disruption to local traffic.

Operations at the water and sewer facilities continue without interruption. Routine inspections, equipment checks, and preventive maintenance were performed to ensure regulatory compliance and system reliability.

Brush collection took place on the **first and third Thursdays** of the month, as scheduled. Residents are reminded to stack brush neatly at the road and avoid placing it in roadways or drainage ditches. Grass clippings and flower trimmings must be placed in **lawn and leaf bags** for collection. Bags should be placed curbside on the regular pickup schedule. Loose piles will not be collected.

The department acknowledges the hard work and professionalism of all staff during July, particularly during the 4th of July holiday operations and the successful completion of the East Lake Street project. The ongoing dedication to maintaining water and sewer services continues to be a vital part of public health and community well-being.

If you enjoy heat and humidity, this is your summer. For those of you who don't, hang on, it won't be long and fall will be here.

Reminders:

. **Trash pickup is Thursday mornings.**

Recycling pickup this month is Aug 28th, 2025

Next regular meeting Sep 15, 2025

Brush pickup every first and third Thursday of the month.

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