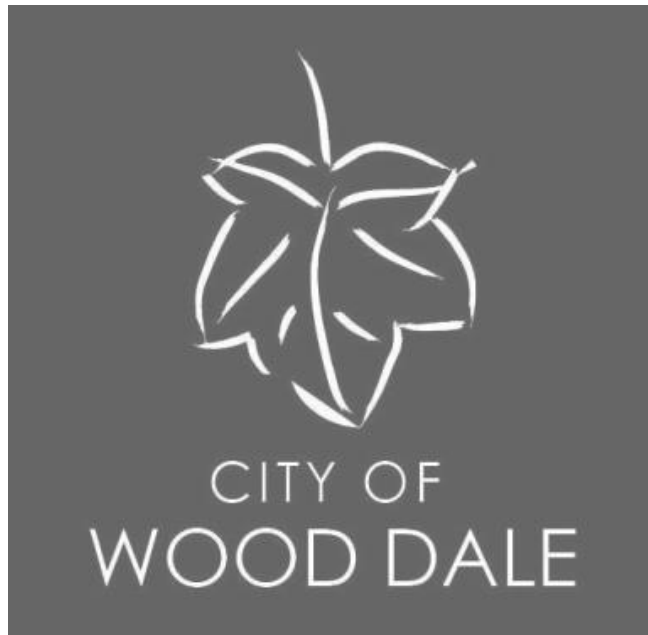


CITY OF WOOD DALE



Department of Public Works

Street Light Policy

Revised September 9, 2021

Request for Street Lights

Residents may petition for street lights to be installed on their block. The threshold for the petition shall incorporate at least a 25% affirmative response rate from that block (i.e. if there are 10 homes, 3 must sign petition).

Once the petition has been submitted staff will survey the entire block to gauge the interest of all residents in moving forward. If there is a consensus (i.e. 6 out of the 10 homes responded affirmatively, no response shall count as a no) for installation amongst the majority (51%) of the block Public Works will research the cost as well as feasibility of installation (are there utility conflicts that prevent installation of poles or wiring ducts, are we able to obtain easements, are there funds available, is there power present to hook up the lights).

Once this information has been compiled it will be presented to the City Council for approval or denial.

In the absence of viable petitions, street light installations will occur annually on a Ward-by-Ward basis as identified by the Public Works Department and pending the approval of the Public Works Committee. Additionally, the Public Works Committee may consider the installation of one or more street lights as a standalone project to address areas of specific concern (i.e. illuminating an area of reoccurring vehicular accidents).

Residential Street Light Guidelines

Spacing

The spacing of poles and luminaires is influenced by the location of utility poles, fire hydrants, buried utilities, block lengths, trees, immovable signage, property lines, roadway geometrics, and driveway locations.

- **Ornamental Poles and Decorative Fixtures**
 - Maximum spacing should not exceed 150 ft. where possible and practical.
- **Aluminum Poles and LED Cobra head Fixtures**
 - For local and minor collector roadways maximum spacing shall not exceed 300 ft. where possible and practical.
 - For dead ends, cul-de-sacs, and other low traffic roads spacing shall be at the discretion of the Public Works Department but should typically not exceed 400 ft.

Location

Poles shall be set back a minimum of 2 ft. from back of curb. All street lights shall be installed on the same side of the street unless deemed impractical by the Director of Public Works or his designee.

Materials/Workmanship

All lighting equipment, materials, and workmanship shall adhere to Section 600 of the City of Wood Dale Engineering Design and Development Standards Manual.

Affidavit

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COUNTY OF DUPAGE

I, _____, do hereby certify that I have circulated this
petition, that I reside at _____, in the City of
Wood Dale, in the State of Illinois and that the signatures on this sheet were
signed in my presence, on the date set for after the signatures, are genuine.

(Signature of person making the Affidavit)

Signed and sworn to by _____ before me, this _____ day
of _____, 20____

My commission expires on _____

Notary Public _____