## Friday Facts

## We have been asked "How do I dispose of ashes from my BBQ or fireplace?"

Bosman Disposal, the Village's garbage hauler, recommends the following guidelines when disposing of ashes:

1. BE SURE THEY ARE NOT HOT AND HAVE COMPLETELY COOLED. Please soak the ashes with water to ensure they will not start the garbage truck on fire.

2. Bag the ashes so that a mess is not created when the garbage is dumped into the truck and to ensure that Bosman's workers do not breath in a cloud of ashes. This will also ensure that your garbage cart stays clean!

3. Place the bag with the soaked ashes in your garbage cart.

This is the perfect opportunity to remind residents of the Village's Open Fire Ordinance. Please click on the following link and review this ordinance. <u>https://library.municode.</u> <u>com/il/norridge/codes/code\_of\_ordinances?nodeId=REMUCO\_CH34EN\_ARTIIIAIPO\_</u> <u>DIV1GE\_S34-650PFI</u>

To keep you and your loved ones safe, please always practice fire safety.

