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WEEKLY NEWS BRIEFING

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2015

PLAN COMMISSION MEETING SUMMARY – WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 11

At the February 11th meeting, the Plan Commission hosted its seventh panel discussion as part of the Downtown TuneUp planning process. The panel was focused on transit and featured the following representatives: (1) Heather Tabbert, Manager, Local Planning and Programs, Regional Transportation Authority; (2) Steven Andrews, Community Relations Representative, Pace; and (3) David Kralik, Division Strategic Capital Planning, Metra. Panelists shared their observations on possible conflicts between pedestrians, bicyclists, and vehicles (cars, buses, trains) within and adjacent to downtown and what types of improvements could be made to minimize or eliminate them. Panelists also shared ideas on how to encourage more visitors to stop in downtown Glencoe who are visiting nearby attractions like the Chicago Botanic Garden and Ravinia Park or cycling through town on the Green Bay Trail. It was recognized that Glencoe has great transit options, more so than many other communities. One area suggested for tuning up would be the addition of a uniform way-finding system that directs people to downtown Glencoe from the Metra station, bus stops, bike trails, and commonly traveled roadways notifying them of what food options, shops, etc. are available there.

COMED TREE TRIMMING

ComEd's contractors continue with cyclic vegetation management (tree trimming) at C921 and C925, the geographic areas approximately south of Harbor, east of Vernon to the southern Village limits. Work at these circuits is expected to be complete by the end of this month. Vegetation management is a key component of ComEd's maintenance program to ensure system electrical reliability, as vegetation contact with ComEd equipment is a leading cause of outages during storms and other times through the year.

If you have any questions regarding the tree trimming process, call 1-800-Edison-1 and ask to speak with a Vegetation Management representative, or visit their website at www.comed.com/trees.

REFUSE/RECYCLING COLLECTION

Despite the President's Day holiday, normal refuse and recycling collection will take place on Monday, February 16. All Village offices are open as well.



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**Meetings Scheduled For
February | March 2015**

<u>MEETING</u>	<u>DATE/TIME</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
1 Golf Advisory Committee	Monday, February 23 7:00 p.m.	Village Hall Conference Room
2 Plan Commission	Wednesday, February 25 7:30 p.m.	Village Hall Council Chambers
3 Finance Committee	Thursday, February 26 6:30 p.m.	Village Hall Conference Room
4 Village Board Meeting	Thursday, February 26 7:00 p.m.	Village Hall Council Chambers
5 Zoning Board of Appeals	Monday, March 2 7:30 p.m.	Village Hall Council Chambers
6 Historic Preservation	Tuesday, March 3 7:30 p.m.	Village Hall Council Chambers
7 Glencoe Community Relations Forum	Wednesday, March 18 6:30 p.m.	Village Hall Conference Room
8 Finance Committee	Thursday, March 19 6:30 p.m.	Village Hall Conference Room
9 Village Board Meeting	Thursday, March 19 7:00 p.m.	Village Hall Council Chambers
10 Golf Advisory Committee	Monday, March 23 7:00 p.m.	Village Hall Conference Room