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# THE GLENCOE MEMO

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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Dear Neighbor:

I'm afraid that this month's topics are pretty depressing: power (not enough) and water (too much). This has not been a very good summer from the public utility point of view.

**Power:** As we all know, our Village, the North Shore and much of Chicagoland suffered through two major electrical power outage events (some would say three such events) during June and July. Strong storms on June 21 and July 11 (as well as the July 23 major rainstorm) resulted in significant power outages in Glencoe and throughout our region.

During the storms, it was reported that more than half of all homes in Glencoe lost power. The first storm occurred early on a Tuesday and many residents remained without power through Friday, and some into Saturday. Glencoe residents fared slightly better during the July 11 storm, with somewhat shorter restoration times for most residents.

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## VILLAGE REVIEWING STORMWATER MANAGEMENT IN WAKE OF JULY STORMS

In the overnight hours of July 22-23, an intense, violent thunderstorm that included torrential rain passed through the Village of Glencoe, overwhelming the Village's sewer systems and leading to severe flash flooding and basement flooding throughout the Village. Public Safety and Public Works crews were called out to barricade flooded streets, rescue stranded motorists, and clear blocked storm sewer inlets. The Village received hundreds of emergency service calls during and immediately following the storm. These calls dealt with a variety of issues including tree damage and power outages, but the vast majority of the calls were for flooding of streets and basements. Power was out to over 1,100 Village residents at the peak of the storm which contributed to a large number of basement backups. In addition, the MWRD sanitary sewer system was completely charged throughout the area, further exacerbating conditions and resulting in hundreds of basement backups. It was not until late Saturday afternoon before the sanitary sewer system receded, and power was not fully restored Village-wide until Monday, July 25.

Rainfall totals for this storm varied with over 6 inches of rain recorded in 3 hours in the south end of the Village. For perspective, a 100 year storm event, which has a 1% chance of occurring in any given year, would produce 4.85 inches of rain in a 3-hour period. There was widespread basement flooding as a result of the storm. Some basements flooded because sump pumps

failed or were overwhelmed by the amount of water coming in. Many basements flooded as a result of sanitary sewer backups, and other basements flooded directly as a result of water overtopping foundations or flowing in through window wells. A complete and accurate count of flooded basements may never be determined; however, a count of debris piles placed on parkways for collection numbered nearly 15% of the community as of August 15. This is likely an undercount, as many properties' clean up did not involve any debris disposal.

The Village has undertaken and completed several large storm sewer improvement projects during the last 20 years, and many of the areas targeted by those improvements saw a reduction in the severity and duration of street flooding from this record storm. There are some areas where street flooding continues to occur during heavy rainfall events. Village staff is reviewing these locations and is preparing to present a report to the Village Board in September regarding these remaining areas where flooding continues to occur and possible improvement options.

For residents who submitted uninsured loss data as part of Cook County's request for damage assessments from the July 23 storm, the Village is still awaiting a determination on the County's eligibility for potential Federal Disaster reimbursement. Watch for updated information on the Village website at: [www.villageofglencoe.org](http://www.villageofglencoe.org).

**Sign up to become a member of the Village of Glencoe's email distribution list to receive emergency alerts and up-to-date announcements.**

**Visit the Village's homepage at [www.villageofglencoe.org](http://www.villageofglencoe.org) and sign up today!**

There have been many newspaper reports relating to ComEd's response (or lack thereof) and the concerns of many of the communities about service, reliability and restoration, and I am not going to repeat that here. We in Glencoe requested that ComEd attend our July 14 Village Board meeting to discuss our concerns with their storm responses, and they did so. As has often been the case, however, ComEd's answers to our questions and concerns left much to be desired.

Glencoe has very little ability to influence ComEd, which is regulated by the State of Illinois and its Illinois Commerce Commission. Village staff has attended a number of recent meetings called by our elected legislators, including a public hearing of the Public Utilities Committee of the Illinois House of Representatives in Highland Park on August 16 (I attended that one as well), and I think it is important that we keep our state officials well aware of our concerns. That is where the power to make ComEd listen actually resides. State Representative Karen May attended our August Board meeting and participated in an extensive discussion of the problem.

All of the affected communities share the same issues. All seem to have basic "reliability" questions – why do circuits go out as frequently as they do (with some much more fragile than others), and not just in terrible storms? And in circumstances where power is lost, all shared the same frustrations we did: lack of effective and reliable information, and slow response time in providing repairs.

One depressing statistic is that ComEd is now budgeting less money for maintenance activities than in prior years. With an aging distribution system, this would seem counterproductive – but the Illinois Commerce Commission, which should be regulating that activity (and which participated in the public hearing referred to above), does not appear to have been watchful on this score.

I wish I could be optimistic that the current political activity will result in improved electric service, but I would be ignoring history if I were. One possibly helpful development, however, is that the Northwest Municipal Conference (to which we belong) has taken steps to involve itself in the process. The NWMC represents over 1.3 million citizens in 41 municipalities and one township, and has the political wherewithal to make a significant difference. We will continue to raise our voice to help the Conference move forward in this area.

Communication has been a significant difficulty for the Village during these outages. When residents can't reach ComEd (and mostly they could not), they called the Village – which has only marginally better access to ComEd information. But (a positive note!) many more of us learned to look to the Village's emergency email alert system for information. Village staff put out a consistent and helpful stream of information (although

limited by what we were able to learn from ComEd) in a broadcast email format. By the end of the second outage event, the broadcast messages were going to over 1000 addresses – and should be going to everyone. It's easy to sign up (visit the Village's homepage and register your email address). Even if power is out, many of us have "smart phones" which should be able to get those messages.

**Water:** July 22-23 saw 6.35 inches of rain fall at our Golf Course, and the total rainfall in July set an all-time record for that month. When that much rain falls that quickly, the storm sewers and natural drainage systems simply can not handle the flow. Some of it ended up in people's basements. (See elsewhere in the Memo for more on this storm.)

Storm sewer systems are not engineered to have the capacity to deal with the most severe possible storm – especially not systems in some cases built a century ago. Costs to create maximum capacity systems are generally too high to be feasible. At best, we hope to create systems which can retain water in streets, or even yards, until the sewers can take it away (street and yard ponding is preferable to basement flooding).

If, as many people suspect, we are entering a period when we will see more and more storms of this nature, we all need to think about what, if anything, the Village can do to ameliorate the situation.

Over the years, the Village has had several studies done to review its storm sewer system, and we have been systematically addressing items identified in those studies – from clearance of the "east diversion ditch" several years ago to last year's major project in southeast Glencoe. Most of the previously identified projects have now been addressed, and we have asked our Public Works staff to consider what else we could be doing in this regard.

There are not going to be any easy or inexpensive solutions to the remaining areas of concern. "Replumbing" the Village is enormously expensive, and we will come up against some serious – and unpleasant – questions of costs versus benefits. But we do need to ask those questions, and we will continue to do so.

I hope next issue's "Message" will be on happier topics. As always, thanks for "listening".



Scott Feldman

# VILLAGE NEWS

## RECENT VILLAGE BOARD ACTION

The following are key actions taken by the Village Board during the months of July and August:

- Approved the Fiscal Year 2011 Financial Audit - As required by law, a comprehensive financial report is completed annually that audits the Village's financial process and findings. The Board approved the Fiscal Year 2011 report that is now available on the Village website.
- Adoption of a Resolution Authorizing Execution of a Professional Services Agreement for the Development of an Information Technology (IT) Strategic Master Plan - The Village Board approved an agreement with ClientFirst Consulting Group for the development of an IT Strategic Master Plan for the Village.
- Approved an IEPA Loan Program Application for Water Main Improvements and an Ordinance Authorizing the Loan Agreement - The Village Board reviewed the status of a Loan Application through the IEPA Public Water Supply Loan Program in the amount of \$3,400,000 for water main improvements; and approved an Ordinance authorizing the Village to borrow funds from the Public Water Supply Loan Program.
- Approved the Purchase of a Leaf Vacuum Loader for the Public Works Department - The Village Board approved the purchase of a Vacuum Leaf Loader from ODB of Richmond, VA for a total cost of \$28,739.
- Approved a Contract to Install an Elevated Tank Mixer - The Village Board waived the bidding process and authorized the Village Manager to execute an agreement with Utility Service Company to furnish and install a PAX mixing system for the Village water production system in an amount not-to-exceed \$35,635.
- Approved the Purchase of a Replacement Vehicle for the Public Safety Department - The Village Board authorized the Village Manager to enter into a contract with Sutton Auto Group of Matteson, IL for the purchase of one 2013 Ford Police package AWD SUV, for an amount not-to-exceed \$28,447.
- Approved a Contract for Village Hall Cupola Repair and Restoration Project - The Village Board approved a recommendation to award a contract to DiVinci Painters of Highland Park for the Village Hall Cupola Repair and Restoration project for a total of \$135,900.

- Approved the Award of a Contract for IEPA Loan-Funded Water Main Improvements - The Village Board approved staff's recommendation to award the 2011 Water Main Improvement Project to DiMeco Brothers, Inc. of Elk Grove for the bid amount of \$3,242,920 (subject to receiving a final approval and authorization of the contract award by IEPA, as required by the Public Water Supply Loan Program).

**The following items are tentatively scheduled for the September and October Village Board meetings:**

- Review the Long Range Financial Plan for the Village
- 2011 Tax Levy Public Hearing



## EFFORTS TO IMPROVE ELECTRIC SERVICE RELIABILITY UNDERWAY

In the wake of several severe storms that have occurred this summer, Village staff has begun meeting with ComEd to review the utility's response to concerns expressed by the community regarding issues manifested. ComEd has been asked to respond to specific questions regarding communications system, its restoration response protocols and the reliability of the company's infrastructure. Reliability standards for electric circuits providing power to the community will be reviewed not only for the times when they are impacted by significant storm events, but also for on-going reliability during routine power usage. It is expected that this review process will be on-going and extensive.

The Village is also working with area State Legislators and the Northwest Municipal Conference to further these initiatives. Updates will be provided periodically to members of the community via the Glencoe Memo as well as the Village website.

## CONNECT WITH THE VILLAGE



# VILLAGE NEWS

## TEE TIME

With Stella Nanos  
Glencoe Golf Club General Manager  
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In the fall, golfing at the Glencoe Golf Club is a great way to enjoy the beauty of autumn colors on the tree-lined fairways of the Village's golf course. You are invited to participate in the events this fall to take advantage of the last days of mild temperatures before the snow flies.

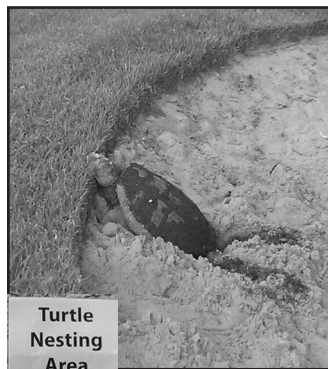
The Men's Club Championship will take place on Sunday, September 11th. The format for this event is 18-hole low gross and low net medal play. Players must have a current CDGA Index registered at the Glencoe Golf Club, or be a resident of Glencoe to participate in the event. The Ladies Fall Classic will be held on Tuesday, October 11th and is open to all women. This is a non-competitive fun event that will be filled with on-course contests followed by a luncheon.

The Golf Club is also offering two unique events this season. On Friday, September 30th, the Glencoe Glowball Open will take place. This event is played at dusk with glow-in-the-dark golf balls and special equipment that is used to illuminate the course. Sign up in foursomes for what will be an extremely entertaining evening. On Saturday, October 22nd, the second

annual Hard Course Day & Chili Open will take place. The golf course will have pin positions set up in the most challenging locations. A chili lunch will be served following the event.

For more information and applications for all of these events, please visit our website at [www.glencoe golfclub.com](http://www.glencoe golfclub.com) or stop by the shop.

**Wildlife Update:** A snapping turtle has laid her eggs in the sand trap on the 14th hole. Please visit our website to check on the progress of the eggs, as we expect them to hatch in early September.



Turtle Nesting Area  
Please Do Not Disturb

Also, be sure to friend the Golf Club on Facebook and follow us on Twitter! We look forward to seeing everyone this fall at the Glencoe Golf Club.

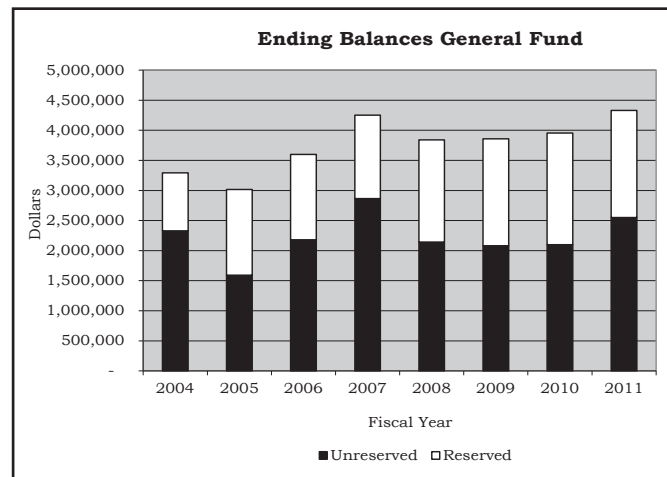
## VILLAGE COMPLETES AND ACCEPTS FISCAL YEAR 2011 AUDIT

The Fiscal Year 2011 Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) provides valuable data to the Village Board, staff and residents concerning financial activity from March 1, 2010 through February 28, 2011. It is prepared in conjunction with the annual audit conducted by Lauterbach and Amen.

For the fiscal year ended February 28, 2011, the governmental funds (including the General Fund, Garbage Fund, Debt Service Fund, Capital Projects Fund, E911 Fund and Motor Fuel Tax Fund) totaled \$18.6 million in revenue. Of that amount, the General Fund revenue totaled \$14.5 million. The four largest sources of revenue are property tax, sales tax, income tax and utility tax. A substantial portion of the Village's revenue is derived from sources subject to economic conditions and is beyond the Village's control (i.e. sales tax, income tax, building permits).

The Village's General Fund reported an increase of \$375,483 in fund balance for the year. Actual General Fund revenues were \$552,026 greater than budget. Sales tax was \$221,606 greater than budget, and building permit revenue was \$184,911 greater than budget.

Actual General Fund expenditures were \$220,498 less than the approved budget. The following table provides information about the change in undesignated and unreserved fund balances from Fiscal Year 2004 to Fiscal Year 2011.



Whether measured as a percent of revenue or a percent of expense, the ratio of ending fund balance to revenue/expense was over 11.7% for the combined total of all Village operating funds (General, Garbage, Water and Golf) as compared to 6.5% last year.

For more information, or to view the CAFR, please visit the Village website. Also, available on the Village's website is the Popular Annual Financial Report ("Citizen's Annual Financial Report"). The Citizen's Annual Financial Report is a summary version of the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report.

# VILLAGE NEWS

## DISASTER PREPAREDNESS

In conjunction with federal and state governments, the Village of Glencoe has developed specific plans to implement in the event of a natural disaster or an emergency in order to be as prepared as possible by taking steps before an event occurs.

Resources available within the Village include the CodeRed Reverse 911 Telephone Alerting System, Outdoor Warning Siren System, telephone and radio communications with all schools within the Village, NOAA weather reports received in advance of threatening weather, and established and coordinated mutual aid plans for public safety assistance when needed.

### *Village Siren Testing/ Emergency Activations:*

The Department of Public Safety regularly tests the Village siren system that is used to alert the community in case of a weather-related or other community-wide emergency. The sirens are strategically located throughout the Village and are tested the first Tuesday of every month at 10:00 a.m. throughout the year.

The Department of Public Safety constantly monitors multiple sources of information for weather related events, or other designated emergencies which could pose a danger to the community. If a tornado or a severe thunderstorm warning is issued by the National Weather Service and the community is in the path of the severe storm cell, or a tornado has been

sighted within 15 miles of Glencoe, sirens will be sounded. Upon activation, residents are urged to take appropriate safety precautions. To avoid confusion with multiple siren activations during a storm event, the Village does not activate sirens to designate all is clear. Residents should monitor local media sources or a NOAA weather alerting receiver to determine the status of the emergency. NOAA weather alerting receivers are available commercially throughout the area.

### *Operation Reassurance:*

Operation Reassurance is a community program available to senior citizens who live alone. Public Safety 911 operators contact residents who live alone on a daily basis to check on their well being. Participants who do not respond to the daily contact receive a visit from a Public Safety Officer.

### *Special Needs Program:*

Information is kept on file in the 911 database for residents who have a special health condition or need. If electrical failure or weather-related emergency occurs, or a call is received by the 911 operator, the information is immediately available and alerts the Public Safety personnel. The Village also has a supply of portable electrical generators available to power home medical equipment during lengthy electrical outages. occurs.

For more information contact the Public Safety Department at (847) 835-4112.

In light of recent storm events, below are a few safety [tips to follow during a storm:](#)

## Steps to Take During a Thunderstorm

- During a storm, follow the “30/30 Rule”. If the time between lightning and thunder is 30 seconds or less, go to a safe shelter and stay there until 30 minutes after the last rumble of thunder.
- A safe shelter during lightning is inside a fully enclosed, substantial building or a vehicle with a solid metal roof.
- Indoors, stay away from windows and anything connected to power, telephone and cable lines. Remote controls and cordless phones are okay. Stay away from water or plumbing.
- Outdoors, stay away from high places, open areas and tall isolated objects. Avoid open structures such as picnic shelters. Make sure you allow enough time to get to safe shelter if a storm is approaching.

For more information, visit the National Lightning Safety Institute at [www.lightningsafety.noaa.gov](http://www.lightningsafety.noaa.gov).

## Tornado Safety Rules

- The safest place to be is an underground shelter, basement or safe room.
- If you are caught outdoors, seek shelter in a basement or sturdy building. If you cannot quickly walk to a shelter: immediately get into a vehicle, buckle your seat belt and try to drive to the closest sturdy shelter. If flying debris occurs while you are driving, pull over and park. Keep your head down below the windows, cover your head with your hands and a blanket, if available.

Occasionally tornadoes develop so rapidly that advance warning is not possible. Remain alert for signs of an approaching tornado such as a dark, often greenish sky, large hail or a loud roar similar to a freight train.



## Flash Flood Safety Rules

- Avoid driving, walking or swimming in flood waters.
- Stay away from high water, storm drains, ditches or ravines. Even moving water only six inches deep can knock you off your feet. Move to higher ground.
- Do not let children play near storm drains.
- If you come upon a flooded roadway never drive through the water. Rather, seek an alternate route.

# PUBLIC WORKS

## GLENCOE JOINS PARTNERSHIP FOR SAFE WATER

In the Village's effort to continue to provide the highest quality drinking water, the Glencoe water utility recently joined the Partnership for Safe Water, a national volunteer initiative developed by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), several States, and the water supply community. Glencoe is one of over 200 water utilities in the United States participating in the Partnership.

As a partner in the program, the Village is committed to enhancing the quality of its drinking water and in conjunction with this

commitment, the Water Department operations will undergo a rigorous review developed by national experts, including a four-step self-assessment and peer-review process. The findings of this examination will ultimately be reported to Glencoe water customers. Examining the Village's water treatment practices is an essential step towards continually improving water quality.

For more information on Glencoe's participation in the Partnership for Safe Water, contact the Water Plant at (847) 835-4183.

## WATER MAIN IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

The Village recently awarded a contract for the 2011 Water Main Improvement project, which includes the replacement of over 14,000 feet of existing water main to improve performance and fire flow, including a new 12-inch main on the north end of Sheridan Road. This \$3.24 million improvement is being funded through a low interest loan the Village is applying for through the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA). Those street locations with water main replacement included in the project are:

1. Sheridan Road – Beach Road to north of Aspen Lane
2. Old Green Bay Road – South Avenue to Cedar Lane
3. South Avenue – Sheridan Road to east end
4. Lakeside Terrace – South Avenue to Dell Place
5. Surfside Place
6. Old Green Bay Road – Scott Avenue to south end
7. Randolph Street – Jackson Avenue to Madison Avenue
8. Jefferson Avenue – Vernon Avenue to Green Bay Road
9. Washington Avenue – Vernon Avenue to Green Bay Road
10. South Avenue – Bluff Street to west end

Construction is expected to begin in October 2011 and be completed by August 2012. For more detailed information and regular updates on the project, residents are encouraged to visit the Village website.

## 2011 PARKWAY LEAF COLLECTION PROGRAM

Beginning Monday, October 17, 2011, the Village will once again be offering its Parkway Leaf Collection service to residents. To ensure that all residents enjoy the benefits of this popular service, while reducing the potential risks to children, motorists, and pedestrians, please comply with the following guidelines.

- Leaves should be piled in a row along the parkway in front of your property, and should **not** be placed in the street under any circumstances. A long, low row is better than a single large pile. A long, low row makes collection more efficient and limits the blowing of leaves into the street or back onto a yard.
- The Village will be operating three parkway leaf collection crews continually during the seven-week program, and anticipates passing through every neighborhood 4-5 times between mid-October and the end of November. Please only call the Department of Public Works if two full weeks have passed without your leaves being collected. Unfortunately, Village staff cannot pinpoint when leaves will be collected during the seven-week period.
- If residents use a landscape contractor to maintain their yard, the Village asks that the landscape contractor remove leaves at the time a yard is serviced. Most residents who use landscape contractors are paying for disposal of their leaves as part of their monthly service charge.

In advance, thank you for your cooperation. If you elect not to participate in the 2011 Parkway Leaf Collection Program, the Village will continue to collect yard waste bags and containers with stickers every Wednesday through the end of November. Please call the Public Works Department at (847) 835-4111 with questions, or if you need additional information about this service.

## LEAF BLOWER AND LAWN MAINTENANCE

The use of Gasoline-powered leaf blowers is permitted annually from September 15 until December 15. Professional landscapers may operate Monday through Friday, 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., and on Saturdays from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Commercial landscapers are prohibited from working on Sundays and holidays.

## COMMUNITY NEWS

### HISTORIC PRESERVATION AWARDS PROGRAM

*Wednesday, September 21*

Members of the community are invited to join the Historic Preservation Commission on Wednesday, September 21 at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers at Village Hall to recognize this year's award recipients in the categories of new construction, addition, renovation and restoration.

This is an annual event currently in its 17th year. All are welcome to attend. Refreshments will be provided.

### GREAT PUMPKIN DAY

*Saturday, October 15*

Great Pumpkin Day will take place on Saturday, October 15 from 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. at Kalk Park. At this festive community event, enjoy delicious food, entertainment, games, a petting zoo, and more for the entire family.



This is a great opportunity to purchase your Halloween pumpkin! This great family event is organized by Glencoe Youth Services, and all activities are operated by local Glencoe community organizations. The event is free and open to everyone. For more information contact the Glencoe Park District at (847) 835-3030

*Rain Date: Sunday, October 17 from noon until 3:00 p.m.*

### TRICK OR TREAT

Trick or Treating will take place on Monday, October 31. Public Safety recommends that all house-to-house trick or treating be conducted from **4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.**

### HALLOWEEN HELLO

*Monday, October 31*

The fall season in Glencoe wouldn't be the same without the annual "Halloween Hello" sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce. This year, the event will take place on Monday, October 31 from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Participating businesses will place orange posters in their windows to signify that they are welcoming trick-or-treaters. Not only is Halloween Hello a great opportunity to connect with your neighbors and provide safe and friendly trick-or-treating for children, it is also a wonderful day to visit local stores you may not have visited in awhile.



## GLENCOE'S GREEN CORNER

*Where Glencoe goes to embrace a sustainable future*

### NEW! Glencoe Goes Green!



Do you want to learn more about how you can conserve energy, recycle, and create less waste in your home? Join us at Glencoe's first "green" event and get tips from local agencies and organizations who have adopted new practices to reduce their carbon footprint. As you visit interactive booths and displays, you'll gain valuable knowledge along the way. This event caters to the whole family, so even the youngest members can learn what they can do to help save the planet! Please check the Park District and Village websites for more event information.

**Who:** Families, All Ages

**When:** Saturday, November 12, 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

**Where:** Takiff Center

**Fee:** FREE

### Glencoe Friends of the Green Bay Trail

*Group forms to protect a treasured path from invasive species*

Glencoe Friends of the Green Bay Trail is a new organization that consists of a group of volunteers from Glencoe who meet at Harbor Avenue and the bike path each Wednesday evening from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. to cut brush and wage war against buckthorn. The group partners with the Village, which chips the cut vegetation and supervises herbicide applications. The applications are required to prevent re-growth of the invasive trees.

Once that job is complete, the volunteer corps may attack portions of the trail north of Harbor. The Friends organization is looking for people interested in replanting cleared areas with native shrubs and saplings.

A walk along the quarter mile of trail that has been thinned and weeded by the group is noticeably open and breezy, with a shade canopy of tall maples, ash and oak. Passing joggers note the difference the work has made in their daily run.

Friends of the Green Bay Trail welcomes new members and volunteers. For the most current trail work schedule, updates, or to be added to the group's e-mail distribution list, contact Betsy Leibson at [bleibson@lm2.com](mailto:bleibson@lm2.com). The group can be found on the Facebook page "Glencoe Friends of the Greenbay Trail."





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# September/October 2011

*(Unless otherwise indicated, all meetings except Library, Park and School Boards are held at Village Hall, 675 Village Court)*

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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					<p align="center"><b>Glencoe Newcomers &amp; Neighbors</b></p> <p align="center">Beach Party            Friday, September 9            Under the Trellis at Glencoe Beach            More info:  <a href="http://www.glencoenewcomersandneighbors.com">www.glencoenewcomersandneighbors.com</a></p>	
4	5 <i>Labor Day</i> <b>Village Hall Closed</b> <i>No Garbage Collection</i>	6 Regular Monday Garbage & Recycling Collection	7 Regular Tuesday Garbage & Recycling Collection	8		
11	12 Zoning Board of Appeals 7:30pm School District #35 Board 7:30pm	13	14 Plan Commission 7:30pm	15 Finance Committee 6:30pm Village Board 7:00pm		
18	19 Golf Advisory Committee 7:00pm	20 Park District Board 7:30pm	21 Human Relations Forum 6:30pm Library Board 7:30pm	22	<p align="center"><b>September 11 Remembrance            Commemoration &amp; Moment of Silence</b></p> <p align="center">Sunday, September 11 - 7:45 a.m.            At the flagpole on the corner of            Vernon &amp; Lincoln Avenues.</p> <p align="center">This ceremony is open to the entire            community. For more information,            contact AM Shalom (847) 835-4800</p>	
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28	29	30	31 <i>Happy Halloween</i> Plan Commission 7:30pm	<p><i>Please check the Village website at <a href="http://www.villageofglencoe.org">www.villageofglencoe.org</a> or            call Village Hall (847) 835-4111 to confirm meeting dates, times            and locations.</i></p>		