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# WEEKLY NEWS BRIEFING

FRIDAY, MAY 30, 2014

## **GLENCOE GRAND PRIX**



The annual Glencoe Grand Prix returns to downtown Glencoe this Saturday, May 31. Don't miss the exciting races, food trucks and Block Party featuring 16 Candles! More information can be found at [www.glencoegrandprix.com](http://www.glencoegrandprix.com).

## **NEW VILLAGE ATTORNEY APPOINTED**

Following the resignation of Village Attorney Victor Filippini late last week, the Village Board met in a Special Meeting on Tuesday, May 27 to appoint Steven M. Elrod as the new Village Attorney. Mr. Elrod is a partner with Holland and Knight, the same firm that has represented the Village for many years. We welcome Steve to the Village's team.

## **PLAN COMMISSION MEETING**

At the May 28 Plan Commission meeting, Village Planner Lee Brown led members of the Plan Commission and staff on a walking tour of downtown Glencoe and the surrounding area. Similar walking tours occurred in 2003 and again in 2007, underscoring the Plan



Commission's tradition of "walking the site." In advance of the meeting, Commissioners were asked to take four pictures within downtown: one picture representing a *Strength*, one picture representing a *Weakness*, one picture representing an *Opportunity*, and one picture representing a *Threat*. The images from the photos helped to chart the course for the tour. Along the way various stops were made allowing Commissioners to share their perspectives on current conditions in Downtown Glencoe based on the photos they submitted. Following the tour, Commissioners convened at Village Hall to discuss overall thoughts and observations. The walking tour officially kicked off the Plan Commission's planning process for Downtown Glencoe, termed the "Glencoe Tune Up", which will continue through the next year. Look for opportunities for public involvement in this process through beginning this summer.

### **EMS WEEK**

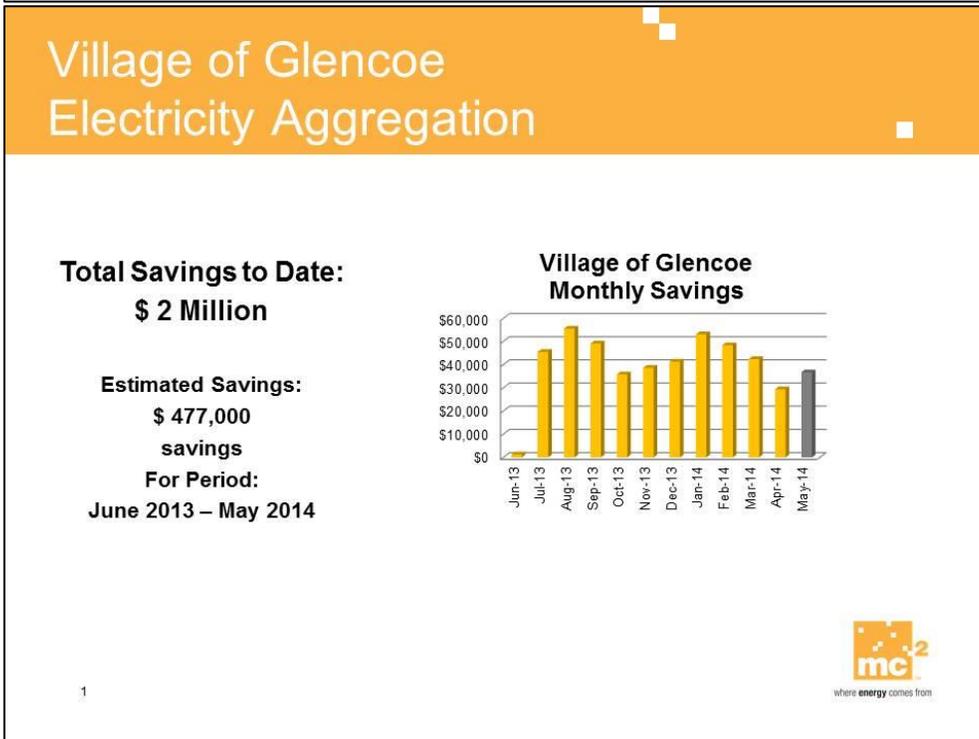
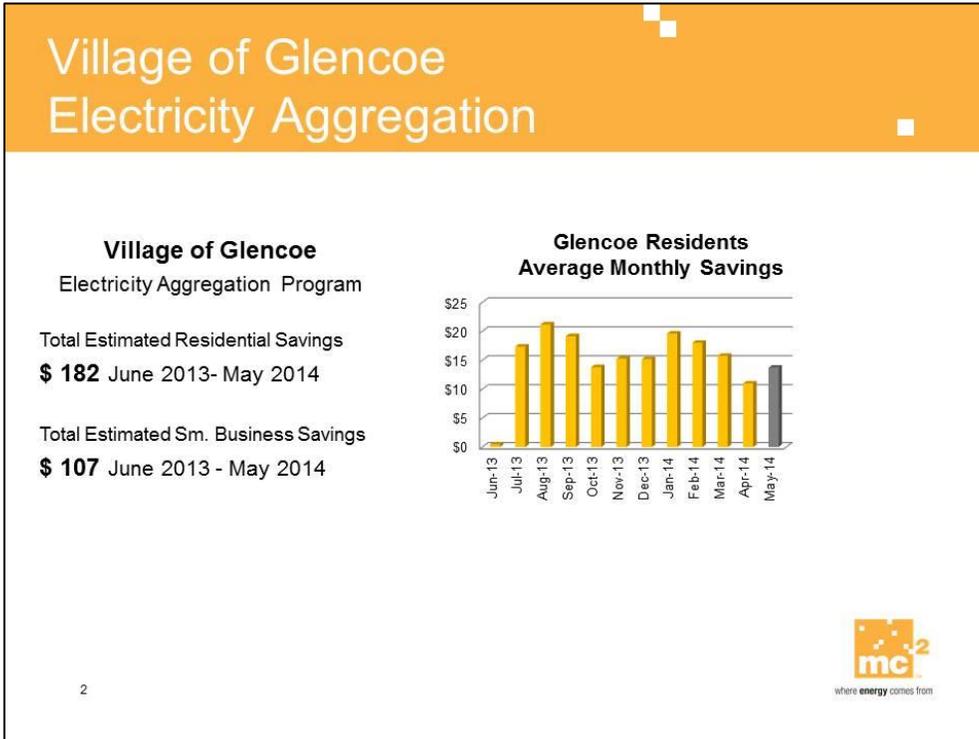
National Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Week took place during the week of May 18 – 24. The week brings together local communities and medical personnel to publicize safety and honor the dedication of those who provide the day-to-day lifesaving services of medicine's "front line." All local EMS professionals are recognized for their dedicated service to the community. Robert Taira, one of Glencoe's Paramedic officers, was recognized by the Illinois Department of Public Health for participating in emergency medical services for 20 years. Please join us in congratulating Robert for attaining this significant milestone!

### **VILLAGE CONTINUES SAVINGS IN THIRD YEAR OF ELECTRICAL AGGREGATION PROGRAM**

The North Shore Electricity Aggregation Consortium has worked collaboratively to save participating residential and commercial customers in eight member communities more than \$32 million off of Commonwealth Edison's electricity supply rates. The average customer has saved more than \$463 on electricity against current ComEd rates.

In the current and final year of the three-year program, the Consortium secured electricity rates of 6.688 cents per kilowatt-hour ("kWh") for June 2014 through May 2015 billing cycles for residential and eligible small commercial customers. ComEd's annualized rate for the same period will be

equivalent to 7.48 cents per kWh, representing an estimated savings to customers of nearly 11%. The data below shows actual savings.





## VILLAGE OF GLENCOE MEETING BULLETIN

**Meetings Scheduled For  
June 2014**

<b><u>MEETING</u></b>	<b><u>DATE/TIME</u></b>	<b><u>LOCATION</u></b>
<b>1. Zoning Board of Appeals</b>	Monday, June 2 7:30 p.m.	Village Hall Council Chambers
<b>2. Historic Preservation</b>	Tuesday, June 3 7:30 p.m.	Village Hall Conference Room
<b>3. Public Safety Commission</b>	Wednesday, June 4 6:00 p.m.	Village Hall Conference Room
<b>4. Plan Commission</b>	Wednesday, June 4 7:30 p.m.	Beach Road Subdivision
<b>5. Golf Advisory Committee</b>	Monday, June 16 7:00 p.m.	Village Hall Conference Room
<b>6. Human Relations Forum</b>	Wednesday, June 18 6:30 p.m.	Village Hall Conference Room
<b>7. Village Board Meeting</b>	Thursday, June 19 7:00 p.m.	Village Hall Council Chambers
<b>8. Finance Committee</b>	Thursday, June 19 TBD	Village Hall Conference Room
<b>9. Plan Commission</b>	Wednesday, June 25 7:30 p.m.	Village Hall Council Chambers