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WEEKLY NEWS BRIEFING

FRIDAY, AUGUST 1, 2014

GLENCOE FESTIVAL OF ART

The annual Glencoe Festival of Art returns to Downtown Glencoe this Saturday and Sunday, August 2nd and 3rd from 10:00am to 5:00pm. The Festival features over one hundred artists who will display and sell work in a variety of media. As a reminder, Park and Vernon Avenues downtown will be closed to traffic beginning Friday evening, August 1st through late Sunday, August 3rd.



PUBLIC SAFETY ACCREDITATION

On July 26, the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies (CALEA) awarded reaccreditation to the Glencoe Department of Public



Left to Right: W. Craig Hartley, CALEA Executive Director; Deputy Chief Alan Kebby; Officer Tiffany Whalen; Lieutenant Richard Weiner; Director Cary Lewandowski; and J. Grayson Robinson, CALEA Commission Chairperson.

Safety. The purpose of CALEA's Accreditation Programs is to improve the delivery of public safety services, primarily by: maintaining a body of standards, developed by public safety practitioners, covering a wide range of up-to-date public safety initiatives; establishing and administering an accreditation process; and recognizing professional excellence. The CALEA Accreditation Process is a proven modern management model; once implemented, it

presents the Director of Public Safety on a continuing basis, with a blueprint that promotes the efficient use of resources and improves service delivery of the agency.

Staff members have been working with the CALEA assessors since January in preparation of the final review. In April, CALEA assessors conducted an on-site assessment in Glencoe. Policies were updated, internal audits were performed, and proof of compliance reports were generated as required.

Lieutenant Richard Weiner served as the Department Accreditation Manager. With the assistance of Officer Tiffany Whalen, Lieutenant Weiner managed the reaccreditation process for the Department. Together, they worked with Department staff members to coordinate and prepare the required documentation for the CALEA assessment team.

Lieutenant Weiner, along with Officer Whalen, Deputy Chief Alan Kebby, and Director Cary Lewandowski appeared before a CALEA Review Panel at the annual CALEA Conference held in Schaumburg, Illinois on July 26th. The CALEA Review Panel determined that the Glencoe Department of Public Safety had successfully met the CALEA standards as required. The 2014 Reaccreditation Award marks the 7th consecutive accredited status achieved by the Glencoe Department of Public Safety since being first accredited by CALEA in 1994.

The Glencoe Department of Public Safety remains the only fully accredited (by both Police and Fire accrediting agencies) combined police/fire/EMS agency in the world.

STORM WATER MANAGEMENT UPDATE

This week, smoke testing commenced on the Village's sanitary sewer system in the Carol Lane/Park Place/ Terrace Court neighborhood. Smoke testing is an investigation process that is used to identify segments of sanitary sewer pipe that may be experiencing inflow of storm water during rainfall events. Excessive inflow taxes the sanitary sewer system and can often cause basement backups. During smoke testing a non-toxic and odorless white smoke is pumped into a sanitary sewer main segment while field crews observe and inspect the area. Door hanger notices and temporary signage are used to alert residents in a testing area, and Public Works will work closely with Public Safety to alert them of areas being testing. The second smoke testing will be performed on Vernon Avenue from Green Bay Road to Tudor Court followed by the Bluff/Elm Ridge/Skokie Ridge area late next week.

The Village's engineering consultant ERA continues their Stormwater Drainage Study on the specified basin areas.

Additionally, Village staff has forwarded information in a written report to IDOT concerning the current storm water flooding problems the Village experiences at six different locations on Sheridan Road. This information was requested by IDOT following repeated inquiries by the Village and recent complaints received through the offices of State Senator Biss and State Representative Gabel.

SUMMER CONSTRUCTION UPDATES

Elm Place Basin Improvements

This \$2.2 million storm sewer project has reached the intersection of Valley Road and Skokie Ridge Drive and is advancing as scheduled. Contractor has temporarily bypassed the intersection of Forestway and Chestnut while

North Shore Gas makes adjustments to a gas main that interferes with the storm sewer path. The contractor will continue with pipe installation and progress towards Elm Place while North Shore Gas makes adjustments. The contractor is projected



to reach the extent of the project on Elm Place by the end of next week.

This project is the third of three projects approved in a 2012 Referendum and subsequent bond issue to resolve problem stormwater flooding areas.

2014 Street Resurfacing Program

The Village's annual resurfacing program will commence the week of August 4th. The Village's contractor, Peter Baker & Son of Lake Bluff, will be performing maintenance on 17 street locations this year. Work will include some concrete curb spot repair followed by the grinding and resurfacing of the asphalt street surface. The list below identifies the street locations included in the 2014 program.

Several streets – Vernon and Park Avenues and Village Court – will be resurfaced in the downtown. Parking restrictions will be in place, but please continue to patronize downtown businesses during the construction period, expected to last two to three weeks. Thanks for your patience, and please pardon our dust!

Should you have any specific questions regarding the street resurfacing program, please contact the Public Works Department at 847/835-4111.

<i>Street</i>	<i>Limits</i>
Bluff and Eastwood	Sunset to Dundee
Harbor Street	Linden to Green Bay
Hawthorn Ave	Green Bay to Greenwood
Hazel Ave	Grove to South Ave
Lake Street	Jefferson to Harbor
Mayfair Lane	Westwood to Sunset
Monroe Street	Vernon to Grove
Northwood Drive	Green Bay to east end
Orchard Lane	Longmeadow to Hohlfelder
Park Ave	Green Bay to Greenwood
Robin Lane	Grove to west end
Stonegate Terrace	Valley to west end
Valley	Lincoln to Elm Place
Vernon Ave	Tudor Ct to Temple Ct
Village Court	Park Ave to Hazel Ave
Woodlawn	Green Bay to Grove



VILLAGE OF GLENCOE MEETING BULLETIN

**Meetings Scheduled For
August | September 2014**

<u>MEETING</u>	<u>DATE/TIME</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
1. Zoning Board of Appeals	Monday, August 4 7:30 p.m.	Village Hall Council Chambers
2. Historic Preservation	Tuesday, August 5 7:30 p.m.	Village Hall Conference Room
3. Golf Advisory Committee	Monday, August 18 7:00 p.m.	Village Hall Conference Room
4. Finance Committee	Thursday, August 21 TBD	Village Hall Conference Room
5. Village Board Meeting	Thursday, August 21 7:00 p.m.	Village Hall Council Chambers
6. Plan Commission	Wednesday, August 27 7:30 p.m.	Village Hall Council Chambers
7. Public Safety Commission	Thursday, August 28 6:00 p.m.	Village Hall Conference Room
8. Historic Preservation	Tuesday, September 2 7:30 p.m.	Village Hall Conference Room
9. Zoning Board of Appeals	Monday, September 8 7:30 p.m.	Village Hall Council Chambers