



## Residential Solid Waste Program: New Services and Adjusted Rates

**O**n June 25, the Village Board approved a new Residential Solid Waste Program contract with Republic Services (formerly Allied Waste), which went into effect on August 1. Approval of the contract followed a competitive proposal process in which Republic Services submitted the lowest service prices.

*The new contract includes:*

- ❖ Single day collection on Monday
- ❖ Unlimited collection event biannually (Clean Sweep)
- ❖ Weekly yard waste collection with stickers (April-November)
- ❖ Monthly branch and brush collection (May-October)

In addition to these continued services, the contract also offers a NEW Leaf Sticker at a reduced rate, \$1.50, in October and November only. This sticker will only

be available for use with a 33-gallon kraft paper bag. Refuse and yard waste stickers can also be purchased for \$2.35 at area stores.

### Adjusted Rate Structure

As part of the new contract, refuse rates will be adjusted starting with the August Village Services Bill. Rates for these services include a base rate for refuse and recycling removal, and supplemental fees for other program services, such as branch and brush, clean sweep, and administrative costs. The supplemental costs, beginning with the August bill, include a new allocation for the replacement of refuse and recycling totes, a revised administrative cost and a

recycling credit. A complete breakdown of these rates is available on the Village of Glen Ellyn's website at [www.glenellyn.org](http://www.glenellyn.org).



### New Recycling Credit

As an incentive for residents to continue to recycle, the Village will now be providing a monthly CREDIT to each account based on recycling revenues received by the Village the previous year. Beginning August 2012 through July 2013, this credit will be \$2.15. This credit will be adjusted on an annual basis depending on the level of recycling and revenues that are received by the Village.

## Village Residents to Vote on Municipal Aggregation in November

### What is Electric Aggregation?

Municipal electric aggregation allows municipalities to pool residential and small commercial retail customers together for the joint purchase of electricity. By creating these economies of scale, a community can leverage the buying power of thousands of residents and small businesses in an effort to obtain a lower price for the supply of electricity.

There are two main components to electricity: supply and distribution. The supply of electricity is currently generated at power plants, purchased by ComEd, and then transmitted and distributed to homes and businesses through ComEd's infrastructure and power lines. With aggregation, a municipality can seek a lower price for the purchase of electricity with alternative suppliers; however, ComEd would continue to distribute electricity through its infrastructure.

### Legislation – Why is this possible?

In 2009, the State of Illinois amended the Illinois Power Agency Act with Public Act 96-0716 to deregulate the electric market and provide for the municipal aggregation of electricity. Through deregulation, ComEd is no longer the only company that supplies electricity, but continues to provide power generated by others through its distribution system.

### Process – How does it work?

In order for the Village to create a municipal aggregation program, a referendum must be approved by a majority of voters. The Village Board approved an ordinance at the July 23, 2012,

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Village Board Meeting providing for the referendum question to appear on the next ballot on November 6, 2012. The referendum asks:

*"Shall the Village of Glen Ellyn have the authority to arrange for the supply of electricity for its residential and small commercial retail customers who have not opted out of such program?"*

The Village will also be holding two public hearings related to electric aggregation this fall. If the referendum is approved, the Village will then approve a plan of governance and solicit proposals from suppliers of electricity who are licensed as alternative retail electric suppliers in the State of Illinois. Once proposals are reviewed, the Village will determine if and

who it will enter into an agreement with for energy supply. If favorable pricing does not exist, the Village will not enter into an agreement, and remain with ComEd. Based on the timing of the above process, a Village aggregation program would not become effective until 2013.

### Impact – How will this affect me?

If an aggregation program is created, all residents and small businesses will be automatically enrolled in the program unless they "opt-out." Before the aggregation program begins, all

residents would receive notice to opt out of the program.

“If the referendum is approved, the Village can solicit proposals from suppliers who are licensed as alternative retail electric suppliers in the State of Illinois.”

Regardless of whichever option residents and businesses chose, ComEd remains the utility provider delivering electricity to homes and businesses. Residents would continue to receive a ComEd bill and would continue to call ComEd in case of an outage or service need. The only difference would be a change in the supply rate of the electricity bill.

For more information, please visit the Village's Municipal Electric Aggregation website at [www.glenellyn.org](http://www.glenellyn.org).

## Residential Electronics Collection

Saturday, September 29

To help residents comply with the ban on electronics in household refuse, the Village will be holding a Residential Electronics Collection on Saturday, September 29, from 8 a.m. to noon in the municipal parking lot at Duane and Lorraine. The Residential Electronics Collection originally scheduled for October 27 has been cancelled. This will be the last collection event for 2012.

According to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, electronics are made up of a wide variety of materials — such

as lead, nickel, cadmium and mercury — that can pose a risk to human health if disposed of improperly. In addition, precious metals, copper, glass and engineering plastics can be recovered from electronics. Recovering these materials results in reduced greenhouse gas emissions, energy savings and resource conservation.

For more information, please visit [www.glenellyn.org](http://www.glenellyn.org) and search "electronics recycling." Please note that these collections are for residential electronics only.

### Acceptable Electronics

- Batteries (Alkaline, NiMH, NiCd, Li, Li Ion, Lithium Coin, Sealed Lead Acid)
- CD Players
- CD Roms
- Cell Phones
- Computer Monitors - CRTs and Flat Panel
- Controllers
- Copy Machines
- Desktop Computers
- Docking Stations
- Extension Cords
- Gaming Consoles
- Hard Drives
- Keyboards
- Laptop Computers
- Mice
- Microwaves
- Modems
- Network Hubs
- Peripherals
- Power & Network Cables
- Printed Circuit Boards
- Printers
- Radios
- Scanners/Fax Machines
- Large and Small Household Appliances
- Stereos
- Switching Boxes
- Tape Players
- Telephones
- Televisions - CRTs and Flat Screen
- UPS (personal & network)
- VCRs



Martha Corner is the new Economic Development Coordinator for Glen Ellyn

## New Glen Ellyn Economic Development Coordinator Named

The Village is pleased to welcome Martha Corner, AICP, as the newly created Economic Development Coordinator for

Glen Ellyn. Ms. Corner brings 12 years of municipal economic development experience with the City of Elmhurst and the Villages of Arlington Heights and Northbrook.

In her positions with these communities, Corner led economic development efforts that included the initiation of several successful marketing strategies, coordination of special events, trade shows and meetings, development of magazine advertising in economic development and real estate publications, production of tourism and real estate marketing brochures, and new branding initiatives over multiple mediums.

Ms. Corner is a licensed Real Estate Broker in the State of Illinois and a member of the American Institute of Certified Planners

(AICP). She holds a Bachelor of Arts in Economics from the University of Akron, and a Master of Urban Planning from the University of Oregon.

As Economic Development Coordinator, Ms. Corner will work with current and prospective businesses, collaborate with developers and real estate brokers, and coordinate economic development activities that contribute to the vibrancy and vitality of the Village's commercial districts.

She will also be working to build relationships with business owners, community groups and the numerous boards and commissions that make up Glen Ellyn.

Ms. Corner's top priorities for the position include revitalizing economic development communication efforts with current and prospective businesses, developing new tools and resources for business and property owners, working with other departments to promote the Village's new Economic Incentive Guidelines and collaborating with other Village organizations to promote the sustainability of the Village's commercial and retail climate.

## Chamber to Relocate to 810 North Main Street

The Glen Ellyn Chamber of Commerce will be moving its offices to 810 North Main Street, as part of an agreement with the Village of Glen Ellyn, which owns the property.

The Village Board found that a partnership would benefit both parties — the Chamber would be furnished with an ideal location to conduct business, while the Village's 810 North Main Street building would be maintained and improved by an outside party.

In addition, this move will help to further improve Stacy's Corners by providing a Glen Ellyn information center at this historic community location, which serves as the northern gateway to the Village.

## New Businesses

### **Aesthetics by Juliette Skin Health Center**

540 Duane Street  
(630) 339-4885  
www.aestheticsbyjuliette.com  
Facial services

### **Apparatic Audio Consulting**

577 Pennsylvania Avenue  
(773) 337-4961  
Audio consulting

### **Blush & Glow Salon**

577 Pennsylvania Avenue, #102  
(331) 330-0123  
www.blushandglowstudio.com  
Skin care and Waxing boutique

### **Body & Mind Massage**

930 Roosevelt Road  
(630) 740-5597  
www.solosalonstudios.com  
Massage

### **Cahill & Chadwick Accounting & Tax Services**

800 Roosevelt Road, A-214  
(630) 790-9400  
www.cahillchadwickcpas.com  
Certified Public Accountants

### **Career Vision Research Consulting Assessments**

526 North Main Street  
(630) 469-6270  
www.careervision.org  
Career consulting services

### **Flour & Wine Family Restaurant**

433 North Main Street  
(630) 865-9096  
www.flourandwine.net  
Pizza and small plates restaurant

### **The Green Buddha Salon**

360 Pennsylvania Avenue  
(630) 890-9695  
Beauty salon

### **Gust Realty**

800 Roosevelt Road, B/415  
(630) 469-3200  
www.gustrealty.com  
Real Estate office

### **Jersey Mike's Subs**

711 Roosevelt Road  
(630) 793-9610  
www.jerseymikes.com  
Sandwich shop

### **Mobilelink Cricket Retail Phone Sales**

606 Roosevelt Road  
(630) 790-1625  
Retail phone sales

### **Next Stop Coffee Shop**

551 Crescent Boulevard— Train Station  
(630) 744-9372  
Coffee and tea sales

### **Poise Hair Studio**

930 Roosevelt Road, #1  
(847) 749-7030  
Beauty salon

### **Scarf'N More**

799 Roosevelt Road, 6/116A  
(630) 765-4234  
Scarves and shawls boutique

### **Skinnysweet**

545 Roosevelt Road  
www.skinnysweetfroyo.com  
Frozen yogurt shop

### **Sunshine Project Dance Studio**

460 Main Street, Suite 101  
(630) 790-1880  
www.sunshine-dance.com  
Dance instruction

### **Tangles Beauty Salon**

440 Roosevelt Road, Suite I  
(406) 781-5581  
www.tangles-beauty-salon.com  
Hair salon

### **Tavoos Skin Care Salon**

710 Roosevelt Road  
(630) 469-6255  
www.tavooshalospa.com  
Salt and halotherapy spa

### **TPE Enterprises Financial Consulting**

751 Roosevelt Road, 7/216  
(630) 858-6500  
Financial consulting

### **William M. Waller & Associates Legal Services**

751 Roosevelt Road, 7/301  
(630) 545-0695  
Attorneys

### **Yorkville ETF Investment Advisors**

526 Crescent Boulevard, Suite 318  
(630) 263-1352  
Investment advisory services

### **Youth Services Bureau of Illinois**

800 Roosevelt Road, E/102  
www.ysbiv.org  
(815) 431-3026  
Community based not for profit child welfare agency

## Village Links Improvements Planned

Plans are underway to expand the Village Links golf course clubhouse later this year. Improvements would include a new bar, a new dining room, a banquet room, a new patio overlooking the 18th green and new restrooms. The driving range tee would be doubled in size, two replacement practice putting greens would be added, the first tee of the 9-hole course would be relocated and close-in circle drive parking would be added.

The rendering below shows the expanded clubhouse as conceived by PPK Architects.

The Village Board will reach a final decision on the project later this fall when they will consider contractor bids and project financing. The Village Links operates without tax dollars. The clubhouse project will be funded by Village Links revenues. For more information, please visit [www.villagelinksgolf.com](http://www.villagelinksgolf.com).



Rendering of the planned clubhouse renovation at the Village Links Golf Course

## Volunteer Fire Company Depends on Donations from Businesses, Residents

Glen Ellyn's 60 plus volunteer firefighters have made an extraordinary commitment to safeguarding our community. These residents are neighbors helping neighbors in times of crisis 24 hours a day and seven days per week.

The Volunteer Fire Company's annual fund drive began in May. Donations from Glen Ellyn residents and businesses help to pay for firefighting and mechanical gear, vehicles and other life-saving equipment. Show your support for the volunteer members of the Glen Ellyn Fire Company by making a donation.

To help with the final fundraising appeal, the Glen Ellyn Volunteer Fire Company will hold an open house on Saturday, October 6, 10 a.m.-1 p.m., and Monday, October 8, 7-9 p.m., as part of Fire Prevention Week. Saturday's event will be held at the downtown fire station located at Main Street and Pennsylvania Avenue, while the Monday evening event will be held at both fire stations: the downtown fire station and the south side fire station at 681 Taft Avenue.

For the fund drive, residents are asked to make a tax-deductible contribution of \$105 per household and businesses are asked to contribute \$150.

Donations can be mailed to: Glen Ellyn Fire Administration, P.O. Box

460, Glen Ellyn, IL 60138, or dropped off at either fire station – 506 Pennsylvania Ave.

and 681 Taft Ave. Residents may also consider using the convenient "water bill option" for donating by filling out an application at the Cashier's Office in the Glen Ellyn Civic Center.

This fundraising event is conducted entirely by mail and no resident will be contacted by phone. Please do not contribute to organizations that solicit by phone.



## Major Savings Realized by Eliminating Water Leaks

Water leaks can be expensive; early detection and repair is the best solution. A dripping faucet can waste 20 gallons per day and use 600 gallons per month, costing an additional \$15.44 on your bill. Other leaks can waste much more water without being noticed. A few simple precautions can help conserve water and lower utility bills:

- ♦ Review your water usage on your utility bill. A typical home with four people and no sprinkling will use 8,000 to 10,000 gallons per month.
- ♦ At the top of the meter is a small triangle. Any movement of that triangle indicates water is being used. This can be used as a leak-detector.
- ♦ Meter readings can also be seen at the top of the meter. Read your meter before and after sprinkling your lawn, and calculate the difference, to see water usage.
- ♦ Watch and listen for toilet leaks, which are often difficult to detect.
- ♦ Watch for dripping faucets, hoses or water stains around hot water heaters.
- ♦ Your sprinkler system can also have leaks from a missing head or underground leak in the water line.
- ♦ Check humidifiers for correct settings — another water use that leaves no clues.

Recently, a customer found a leak that had been slowly growing over time. By making a small repair, they were able to save about \$600 per month. For further questions on how to read your water meter, or for leak detection, contact the Water Billing Division at 630-547-5220 or 5221.

## New GE Historical Society Executive Director

The Glen Ellyn Historical Society recently appointed Jan Shupert-Arick to the position of Executive Director. Shupert-Arick's background includes 13 years in museum education and program development at the Northern Indiana Center for History in South Bend, as well as the Lincoln Museum in Fort Wayne, IN. She also served on the Regional Advisory Council of Indiana Landmarks.



Shupert-Arick holds a bachelor's degree from Indiana University and has published several books about local and regional history.

For information about Glen Ellyn Historical Society programs and activities, please call 630-469-1867 or visit [www.glenellynhistory.org](http://www.glenellynhistory.org).

## Glen Ellyn Local Landmark Designation



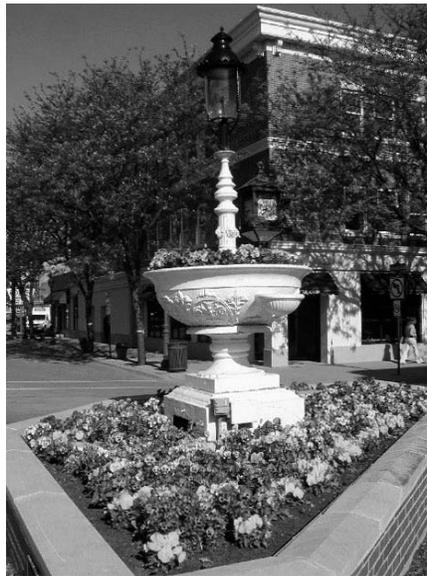
### 566 Hillside Avenue

The Village Board approved landmark designation for the property at 566 Hillside Avenue. Constructed in 1894, the home is a fine example of Queen Anne Victorian architecture and features stucco siding with decorative half timbers. In 2010, the owners restored the front porch to its original state. A new addition to the rear of the house was designed to match the existing style making the structure largely the same as when it was originally constructed.

Charles H. Kerr, a leading citizen of Glen Ellyn, and founder of the Kerr Publishing Company of Chicago in the late 1800s, once resided in the home with his family. His wife, Mrs. Walden Kerr, was one of nine women who founded the Glen Ellyn Woman's Club in 1895.

### Downtown Horse Trough

The Village Board has approved landmark designation for the Glen Ellyn Horse Trough. The Glen Ellyn Horse Trough was nominated for landmark status by the Village of Glen Ellyn as a structure that has become an icon representing the



heritage and history of the community. The cast iron trough, once used to fortify thirsty horses, was donated to the Village in 1907 by William Newton, a distinguished resident and former Village Trustee. The trough is currently located at the intersection of Main Street and Crescent Boulevard.

### 369 North Main Street



The Village Board has approved landmark designation for the home at 369 N. Main Street. Constructed in 1921, the home is an excellent example of the Queen Anne Bungalow style of architecture. The property is also one of the first lots that was developed as part of the E.W. Zander Park Addition in the early 1920s. This is the first Queen Anne Bungalow style home to be nominated and granted landmark designation.

### Is your Home Eligible for Landmarking?

Your home may be eligible for landmarking. Residents are encouraged to apply to have their home landmarked if it is largely unchanged and represents an architectural type or style distinguished by innovation, rarity, uniqueness or overall quality of design, detail, materials or craftsmanship. For more information, please visit: [www.glenellyn.org/commissions/historic\\_preservation.html](http://www.glenellyn.org/commissions/historic_preservation.html).

## Marcel's Culinary Receives 2011 ARC Traveling Trophy Award

Each year, the Architectural Review Commission (ARC) evaluates and awards projects that reflect excellence in community appearance. The Traveling Trophy Award recognizes building design. The winner is selected based on how the improvements promote compatible and attractive enhancements to the community and conform to the Village's appearance review guidelines.

The Traveling Trophy Award is given annually to a new development or renovation to a commercial building

completed in the previous year. Building improvements that are compatible with the design and fabric of the community are desirable candidates for this distinction.

The Village is pleased to congratulate **Marcel's Culinary Experience**, located at 490 North Main, on receiving the Traveling Trophy Award. This restoration of an older building was selected due to the significant improvements made to the brick facade and entryways that are in keeping with the character of the downtown area.

# Save the Date

## Fridays

**Farmers' Market** continues through October 26, 8 a.m. - 1 p.m., Main St. parking lot (next to Giesche Shoes).

## Saturday, September 8

**Glen Ellyn Backyard BBQ Event** in downtown Glen Ellyn in the Glenwood Avenue parking lot from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. featuring food, beverages and blues. This event is free.

## Monday, September 10

**Brush and branch collection** for homes on and north of Hill Avenue.

## Monday, September 17

**Brush and branch collection** for homes south of Hill Avenue.

## Saturday, September 29

**Electronics recycling**, 8 a.m. to 12 noon, Duane-Lorraine parking lot. See page 2 for complete details.

## Sunday, September 30

### Tavern Day

The Glen Ellyn Historical Society's Tavern Day will take place in the Stacy's Tavern backyard at 800 North Main Street. Goats, rabbits, chickens, and kittens from Goodrich Farm will be at Tavern Day to meet and greet visitors from 1 to 4 p.m. The Glen Ellyn Historical Society has planned a full afternoon of pioneer interactive experiences including blacksmith demonstrations, rope making, corn shelling and log sawing. Other highlights include the Village folk teller, an interactive one-room classroom taught by school marms, take-home crafts, games, candle dipping, bake and mum sales and musical entertainment with Acappella Underground. Visitors can also tour Stacy's Tavern Museum. Beginning Monday, September 3, and through Saturday, September 29, tickets can be purchased at McChesney Miller Grocery Store, 400 Crescent Boulevard, The Book Store, 75 North Main Street and Stacy's Corner Store, 800 North Main Street. Advance purchase prices are adults \$6, children (3 - 17) \$3, and family \$20. Tavern Day tickets bought on the day of the event are adults \$8, children (3-17) \$4, and family ticket \$25. Call 630-469-1867 for more information.

## October

Last month for **monthly branch and brush collection**.

## Saturday, October 6 & November 3

### Coffee with the Cops

On the first Saturday morning of each month, the Chief of Police plays host to interested residents who would like to interact with law enforcement personnel in a non-enforcement environment. Participants can discuss neighborhood issues, such as traffic or parking; seek information on various police programs; and learn about specific police duties and responsibilities, such as investigations, traffic accident reconstructions and evidence collections. Coffee with the Cops sessions are held from 8 - 10 a.m. on the second floor of the Civic Center and pre-registration is not required.

## Saturday, October 6

**Fire Station Open House**, 10 a.m. - 1 p.m., downtown fire station, 506 Pennsylvania Avenue.

## Monday, October 8

**Brush and branch collection** for homes on and north of Hill Avenue.

## Monday, October 8

**Fire Station Open House**, 7 - 9 p.m., downtown fire station, 506 Pennsylvania Avenue, and south side fire station, 681 Taft Avenue.

## Monday, October 15

**Brush and branch collection** for homes south of Hill Avenue.

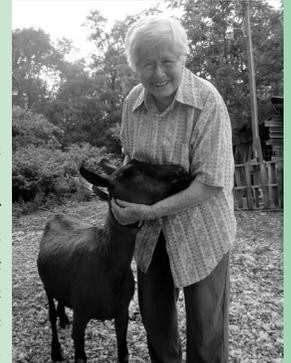
## Sunday, October 21

### "Songs of the Civil War"

At 2 p.m., the Glen Ellyn Historical Society Civil War Sesquicentennial Committee will present the History Singers performing "Songs of the Civil War," a program combining folk and patriotic songs of the war together with a discussion of their historical context. The event will take place at the Glen Ellyn History Center, 800 North Main Street. Ticket prices are \$3 for GEHS members and \$5 for non-members. Tickets are available at Stacy's Corner Store, Tues. through Sat., 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Sun., 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. For more information, please contact Jan Shupert-Arick at 630-469-1867 x101 or email [director@gehs.org](mailto:director@gehs.org).

## Beginning Monday, October 22

**Downtown window painting** of storefront windows will take place in downtown Glen Ellyn beginning October 22. Artists, school groups, scout troops, church groups and families are encouraged to participate and show their painting talent. To volunteer your business window to be painted or to register to paint, please call the Glen Ellyn Chamber of Commerce at 630-469-0907.



*On Tavern Day, Sunday, September 30, Marilyn Goodrich, at right, will bring a variety of animals from her farm.*

## Saturday, October 27

The Glen Ellyn Chamber of Commerce's **Halloween Festival** will take place in downtown Glen Ellyn on Saturday, October 27, 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

**Kids' Halloween Parade:** 10 a.m. The annual Kids' Parade steps off at Prairie Path Park (south of the train station between Park Blvd. and Forest Ave.). Kids should arrive no later than 9:45 a.m. Ribbon awards will be given to every participant. Children do not need to register for the parade this year. Please note: strollers and hand-pulled wagons only, please.

**Downtown Trick-or-Treating:** 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. Kids in costume can trick-or-treat in the downtown area on Saturday, October 27 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Children must be accompanied by an adult and are welcome in stores and businesses bearing a "Trick-or-Treat Here" sign.

## Saturday, November 3

### Sleep Out Saturday for the Homeless

More than 1,500 children and adults will spend the night outside on Saturday, November 3, in tents, boxes, backyards and cars as a fundraising effort designed to raise awareness about family homelessness and Bridge Communities' Transitional Housing Program. To register, please visit [www.bridgecommunities.org](http://www.bridgecommunities.org).

## Tuesday, November 6

### General Election

Referendum on aggregation. See page 1.

## Through November 13

Glen Ellyn's Village Links Golf Course will hold its annual **Fall Fest** through November 13. Special events, promotions and activities are scheduled. More information is available at [www.VillageLinksGolf.com](http://www.VillageLinksGolf.com).



Half-price burgers  
every Monday in the  
Village Links Grill.

## Downtown Beautification: Streetscape and Parking Study Advances

In August 2011, the Village was awarded a \$50,000 Community Planning Grant from the Chicago Metropolitan Agency for Planning (CMAP) to conduct a downtown streetscape and parking study.

The streetscape study will involve:

- Preparing a preliminary streetscape plan with recommendations for items such as landscaping, decorative pavers, street furniture, tree wells and grates, tree spacing, tree types, tree replacements, bike paths, bike racks, the placement of way-finding, gateway, and other signage, and an evaluation of opportunities to widen sidewalks.
- Reviewing parking management strategies and potential parking garage locations and recommending appropriate garage locations and parking management strategies for



downtown Glen Ellyn based on potential parking spaces, impact on streetscape and estimated costs.

Selected to lead the study is the team of Houseal Lavigne, Gary Weber, Walker Parking and Engineering Resource Associates. The team was selected because of their considerable local knowledge and experience in streetscape design, public outreach and parking.

This study is designed to beautify the downtown, enhance convenience for shoppers and commuters and improve traffic flow and parking options. The next steps will be for the consultant to prepare potential boundaries for different levels of streetscape improvements, develop a streetscape plan, and prepare a parking evaluation as part of the Downtown Strategic Plan. The total project is anticipated to take 6-8 months to complete, and expected completion is early 2013.

## Upcoming Village Board Meetings

### September

- 10 Workshop/Regular Meeting
- 24 Workshop/Regular Meeting

### October

- 08 Workshop/Regular Meeting
- 15 Workshop
- 22 Workshop/Regular Meeting

### November

- 13 Workshop/Regular Meeting (rescheduled due to holiday)
- 19 Workshop
- 26 Workshop/Regular Meeting

All regular Village Board Workshops begin at 7 p.m. and regular Board Meetings begin at 8 p.m. in the Galligan Board Room of the Glen Ellyn Civic Center, 535 Duane Street.

All meetings are taped and also televised on WideOpenWest Channel 6, AT&T Channel 99 and Comcast Cable Services Channel 10.

Agendas and minutes for Board Workshops and Meetings, as well as past videos for these meetings, can be found at [www.glenellyn.org](http://www.glenellyn.org). For more information, please call 630-469-5000.



## Seeking Holiday Gift Ideas from Glen Ellyn Businesses

Does your Glen Ellyn business have a great holiday gift idea to be included in the next Village Newsletter? If so:

- Email one gift idea (or one for a man and one for a woman) to: [mstrong@glenellyn.org](mailto:mstrong@glenellyn.org) by October 10. Please put "GE

Gift Ideas" as the subject line. (Gift certificates are acceptable, but other gift ideas are preferred.)

- Include a brief description of the gift (2-3 sentences maximum), along with the approximate cost, as well as your address and phone number. Please submit this information in the message window (no attachments, please).

- ❖ **To help prevent localized flooding**, please be sure that storm drains in your neighborhood are clear of leaves or grass clippings and debris. Also, never rake leaves into the street. This can cause dangerous conditions for drivers. The Public Works procedure for removing leaves falling or blowing into the roadway is to run two sweepers, each followed by a ten-wheel truck. One sweeper and truck typically operate north of Hill and the other south of Hill, but adjustments are made based on areas needing more attention. Basketball hoops are not allowed in the street and not allowed to hang over the street since they interfere with leaf removal (this is true for snow removal as well). Parking on the street is allowed, but sweepers maneuver around the cars and don't return to the area until all other streets have been addressed. Public Works also sweeps sidewalks and streets twice a week early in the morning throughout the downtown.
- ❖ **The Glen Ellyn Police Department reminds residents to keep homes and vehicles locked.** Residents are reminded to keep vehicles locked even when they are in their own driveway. If you think someone has been in your vehicle, please call 9-1-1.
- ❖ **Checking smoke detector batteries** in spring and fall when the time changes is a great way to remember this practice that could save a life. Daylight savings time ends this year on Sunday, November 4.
- ❖ **October will be the last month for the monthly branch and brush collection.** October pick-ups will take place:
  - For both sides of Hill Ave. and north of Hill Ave., the second Monday of October, October 8.
  - For south of Hill Ave., the third Monday of October, October 15.
- ❖ **Weekly yard waste collection, with yard waste stickers affixed, will run through the end of November.** Weekly yard waste pick-up, with stickers, will resume in April 2013.
- ❖ **Children are back in school** so please remember to drive carefully and heed all school zone speed limits.
- ❖ **Snowplow drivers are needed for clearing Village streets** in the winter months. To apply, please call the Public Works Department at 630-469-6756.

### Village Elected Officials

#### *Village President*

Mark Pfefferman

#### *Acting Village Clerk*

Patricia Underhill

#### *Trustees*

Peter Cooper

Robert Friedberg

Phil Hartweg

Carl Henninger

Peter Ladesic

Diane McGinley

Police Services, Fire Emergency... 9-1-1 • Police Administration... 630-469-1187  
 (Also use this number to report Public Works emergencies when the Civic Center is closed.)  
 General Information... 630-469-5000 (8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday)



## Glen Ellyn

Civic Center  
 535 Duane Street  
 Glen Ellyn, Illinois 60137  
[www.glenellyn.org](http://www.glenellyn.org)



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