

# Glenwood Gazette

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## Glenwood Approves Multi-Million Dollar Development Agreement: Five-year Project Supports General Village Improvements

Village of Glenwood Trustees approved a multi-million dollar agreement between the Village and Glenwood Revitalization Partners, LLC on Feb. 19. The Oakbrook-based company will build 540 homes on unimproved land adjacent to popular Glenwoodie Golf Course.

The Fairways of Glenwood agreement will help assure the long-term success of village finances, and contains many financial incentives that will net the village approximately \$18 million during the next 5 years.

"This deal will remove a tremendous burden from the shoulders of Glenwood taxpayers," said Bill Bramanti, Assistant Village Administrator. "It will retire the Glenwoodie bond and help with infrastructure improvements elsewhere in the village.

The Glenwoodie bond was initially used to purchase the golf course. It is being paid down through annual property tax collections. Each annual payment is approximately \$500,000 and is budgeted until the year 2030. Retiring this bond early will create an \$11,000,000 savings to current Glenwood taxpayers.

Glenwoodie doesn't currently cover its overhead costs and mortgage. Once



Glenwoodie Golf Course Entrance

paid off, the golf course is projected to become profitable.

"The developer plans to break ground on golf course improvements as early as late summer, 2008. Housing construction is expected to start in the summer of 2009, so the current housing slump should have little impact," said Bramanti.

"It's a no-risk agreement. Glenwood Revitalization Partners will create an escrow account with almost \$3.8 million for the first three years of bond interest payments. This gives them three years to get the project on course."

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## Main Street Scheduled for Reconstruction:

Traffic Flow and Storm Drainage are Primary Considerations

Main Street will be widened and resurfaced from North Main to Campbell in 2009.

"The roadway construction will improve traffic safety by installing an eastbound, westbound and a two-way left turning center turning lane; curbing along the roadway edges," said Edward Tunelius,

Glenwood's village engineer with Robinson Engineering.

Reconstruction will include new curbs and a storm sewer system designed to collect pavement drainage.

"This new construction should also help improve drainage in the original

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# Development Agreement (continued)

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"The village is contributing no funds to the development, and we have no obligations, so we have nothing to lose. Even in a worst-case scenario the village will be out nothing and will lose nothing."

"Another \$4 million will be placed in an escrow controlled by the village," said Bramanti. "This guarantees the \$455,000 one-year bond payment, \$200,000 in professional fees, and up to \$250,000 for possible golf course interruptions. Completion of the "Grand Entrance," new road, utilities, and realignment of the golf course and driving range are guaranteed."

Glenwoodie Redevelopment will reimburse the village for \$200,000 in professional fees associated with legal, engineering, consulting, and other costs incurred by the village because of the project.

The developer will pay the village up to \$250,000 for any disruptions to the golf course because of the project. The village submitted a monthly average income for the last four years. If the village does not make that average because of construction, it will be reimbursed from this fund.

The village general fund will also receive approximately \$3,000,000 in building permits, and sewer and water tap-in fees during the life of the project. Unbuildable property will be donated to village for parks and greenlands.

"Costs associated with golf course alterations and improvements will be absorbed by the developer," said Village Trustee, Kerry Durkin. "The developer will build a new "Grand Entrance" on State Street. This will serve the new subdivision and provide an attractive welcome to Glenwoodie patrons."

"Glenwoodie Redevelopment will pay for, and build a new access road with curb, gutter and utilities to serve the development. They will also pay \$2.5 million for a new multi-use club house, which will be available for village activities, event rentals and daily course operations."

The developer is responsible for realigning parts of the course affected by development. This realignment is being accomplished by one of the top golf course architects in the nation, David Esler.

"The new layout will make our course more challenging, and will attract new golfers," said Durkin. "The developer will pay to re-align the driving range with new tee boxes and new target greens, and will also build a new chipping and putting green.

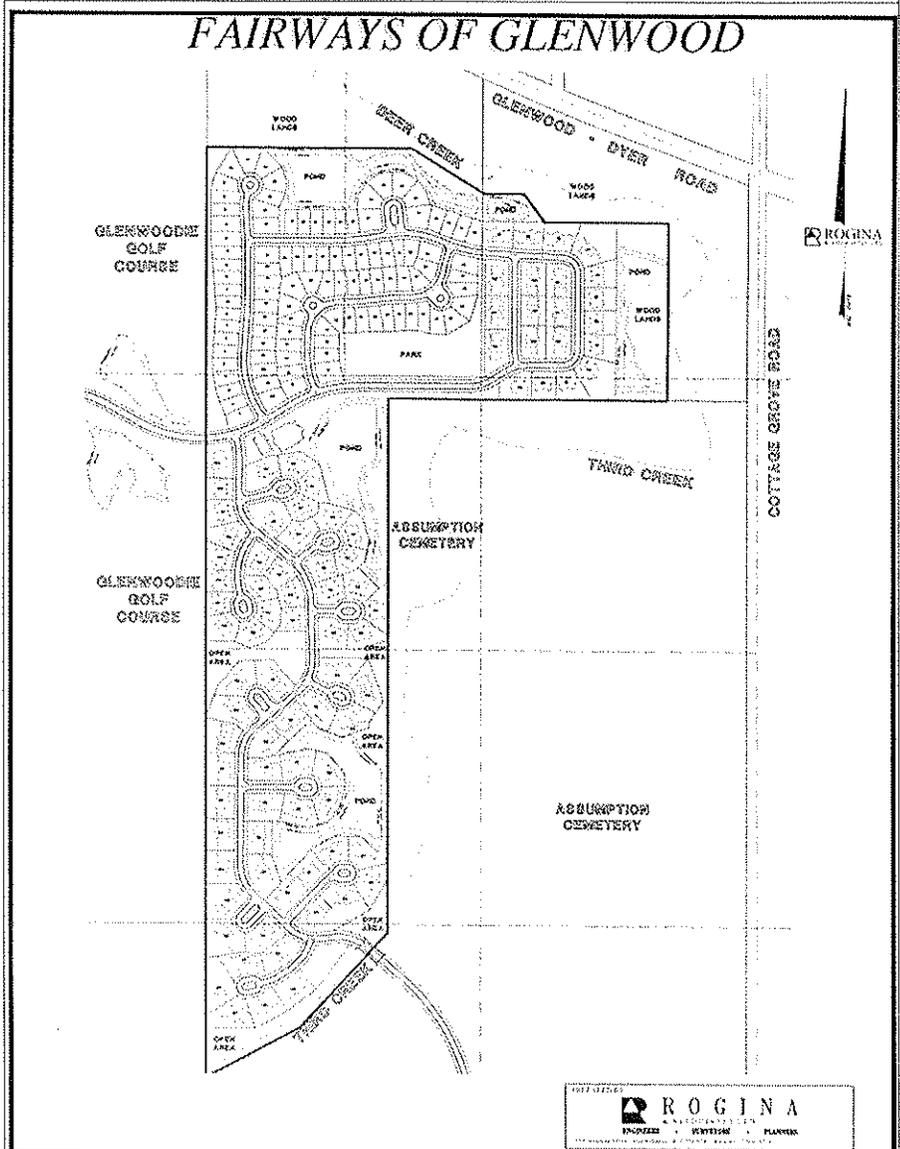
This upgrade will make the course more visually pleasing as well."

Fairways of Glenwood developmental impact on the village's infrastructure has been considered. The developer will contribute \$150,000 to upgrading the water system from the 192<sup>nd</sup> street reservoir with oversize water lines. This will help the village in their plan to loop the entire water system.

Glenwood Revitalization will contribute \$250,000 to building a new sewer main. This will help relieve basement flooding in the village, particularly in the existing Forest subdivision.

The initiative was initially passed on Jan. 16, but Village President Jeanne Maggio vetoed it on Feb. 5. The Village Board overrode her veto on Feb. 19.

Fairways of Glenwood Redevelopment Planning Map



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## Main Street Reconstruction (Continued)

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Glenwood area by re-routing Main Street storm runoff away from the subdivision and directly into Deer Creek," said Tunelius.

Main Street helps link many south suburbs. It connects Chicago Heights-Glenwood and Glenwood-Thornton roads with Glenwood-Lansing and Glenwood-Dyer roads.

"Main Street in this area carries approximately 15,000 vehicles per day acting an important east-west route in the area. The roadway construction will be staged to keep 2 two-way traffic open through the construction," Tunelius said.

Forest preserves and underdeveloped land limit east-west traffic in and around Glenwood. A lack of accessibility could divert opportunities for economic growth. Because of Main Street's regional importance, Glenwood is receiving economic assistance for this project.

"To assist in financing the improvement the Village applied to South Suburban Mayors and Managers Association and received federal funding assistance through the Surface Transportation Program,"

said Tunelius.

"The total cost of the improvement is approximately \$1,800,000 of which 70% is federal and 30% is local. TIF funds have been targeted for the local share."



Main Street Near Village Hall

*All elected village officials and department heads were approached for newsletter submissions. Not all accepted this invitation.*

## Selected Developmental Milestones

- 2003 – Annexed 90-acre piece of unimproved property adjacent to Cottage Grove Ave. from the Chicago Archdiocese.
- 2003 – Halsted and 183<sup>rd</sup> streets development
- 2005 – Wal-Mart opened on Halsted Street
- 2005 – Nugent Square – North of Main Street near Village Hall – Mixed commercial and residential complex.
- 2005 – Marketplace of Glenwood Development – At Halsted and 187<sup>th</sup> streets
- 2005 – Holbrook Development – At Holbrook Road and Halsted Street
- 2007 – Approval of Annexation Ordinance (Bailey Parcel)
- 2007 – Approval of Annexation Ordinance (Murphy Parcel)
- 2007 – Approval of Annexation Ordinance (Nykaza Parcel)
- 2007 – Resolution Adopting the Thorn Creek Restoration Coalition Intergovernmental Agreement for the improvement and preservation of our natural resources and wetlands to prevent flooding.
- 2008 – Glenwoodie redevelopment agreement with Glenwood Revitalization Partners, LLC.

## Village Trustees

### Trustee Joseph J. Barry, Jr. – Liaison to the Building Department

I'm looking forward to the changes 2008 will bring.

The village is focusing on infrastructure improvements to attract new businesses and to maintain residential property values.

We've identified problems with roads and will continue to improve them. Many roads in residential areas will be resurfaced this year, and Main Street will be reconstructed in 2009.

Flooding and water service issues will be improved as a result of the Main Street reconstruction project and Glenwoodie redevelopment.

Water quality is a concern for all residents. Ensuring this quality requires a great deal of upkeep, which is why we reluctantly enacted changes to our water and sewer rates.

Glenwood will remain an attractive place to live. We've hired two people to



Trustee Joseph J. Barry, Tr., liaison to the Building Department

direct our Parks & Recreation Program. They're creating attractive programs for residents of all ages.

Contact Trustee Barry at:  
(708) 757-2400 x 5200 and by email at:  
JoeB@villageofglenwood.com

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-Trustee Barry

### Trustee Twone Thomas – Liaison to the Fire Department

Service to the citizens of Glenwood is my goal. The Village of Glenwood only has service to sell and we must strive to constantly improve our service to the residents. To this end I have been instrumental in assisting local neighborhood organizations receive valuable information about the workings of the Village and open up the lines of communication with all organizations in the Village.

An issue of vital importance to the success of this village is the offerings that we provide to the youth of our community. I have worked to reorganize the Parks Department as well as to personally staff several events held specifically aimed at our children. My affiliation with the schools allows me to interact with the children to assure that our programming is current and relevant.

While the youth of our community is an important focus



Trustee Twone Thomas, liaison to the Fire Department

of mine, however I bring a broad bases knowledge to the Board of Trustees and enjoy being a part of the group who will share the future of this great little town.

The recently approved development behind our award winning Glenwoodie Golf Course will afford a multitude of opportunity for us to solve inherent infrastructure problems and improve service offerings to all of our residents.

I stand willing to serve as we move this village forward. I can be reached any time thru the Village Hall. Please contact me if you have

any questions, or would like to volunteer for any village committee or tasks.

Contact Trustee Thomas at:  
(708) 753-2400 x 5205

## Trustee Kerry Durkin – Liaison to the Department of Public Works

An approachable and responsive village government is necessary for Glenwood's success. I'd like to personally encourage individual involvement in our meetings and events. Citizens should have pleasant experiences while dealing with village government.

We are in the process of streamlining village government. Our budget is one example. Actual costs will appear in it. Citizens deserve to see where their money is going.

As the trustee liaison for the Department of Public Works, I am particularly concerned with our infrastructure. Water meter replacement has become a significant issue and the replacement process will be expedited. Sewer improvements are a planned part of our Main Street resurfacing project. They will help reduce flood-



Trustee Kerry Durkin, liaison to the Department of Public Works

ing, especially in the Glenwood Forest subdivision. Our TIF's and the developer responsible for the Glenwoodie redevelopment plan will contribute over \$1 million to help solve this problem.

Our village website needs to be updated and upgraded to support this transparency. I'm proposing a volunteer page on our website to tap into village talent, and increase citizen involvement in village government. There's no reason why we can't use village residents as resources to serve the village.

We should create an interest and vitality in our town that will help drive resident satisfaction. Economic development will follow, and our Village Administrator's Office can shepherd that growth.

Contact Trustee Durkin at: [k.durkin@sbcglobal.net](mailto:k.durkin@sbcglobal.net)

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-Trustee Kerry Durkin

## Richard Nielsen – Liaison to Parks & Recreation and Human Relations departments

The village should be responsive to the needs of its residents while ensuring general safety.

We hired two part-time parks program co-directors. Kathy Marcinski and Leon Fields are extremely enthusiastic and are aggressively organizing the activities of the Parks and Recreation Program.

They've already put together successful events. We had Santa Claus in the park and a UIC basketball trip. I'd like to see junior high and high school dances, sports and other ongoing activities that will keep our children engaged.

Emergency management is also a concern for our village government. Our ESDA program is funded by funds from the village and the Department of Home-

land Security. It is headed by Fire Chief Kevin Welsh, so it will be easy to integrate its efforts with our full-time emergency response assets.

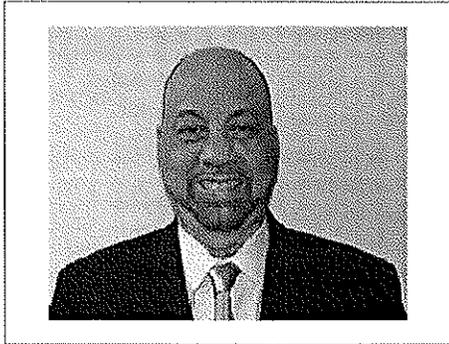
ESDA is a resource that remains under-utilized, and I'd like to see it replace our defunct CSO program. These resources can be used during floods or if we have a serious accident.

We recently instituted a procedure that has building department personnel attach accompanying ordinances when writing tickets. If you have received a ticket, contact the building department with any questions you may have.

Contact Trustee Nielsen at: (708) 757-2400 x 5203

## Trustee Anthony Plott – Liaison to the Police Department

The village is committed to community safety. Citizen involvement and a well-run police department are necessary to achieve this goal.



Trustee Anthony Plott, Liaison to the Police Department

Improving citizen perceptions is a vital part of improving the atmosphere for residents. Part of this strategy is to increase citizen involvement in the community. We

need to go back to holding festivals. We've hired two new parks and recreations people to encourage this positive village atmosphere. Many homeowners are already involved in residential associations. This spirit should be expanded to more families.

Village-sanctioned programs to encourage supervised youth activities such as basketball, baseball and football can also help.

Community perception of our police department should match their professional

competency. Part of this can be accomplished by increasing police presence in residential areas and by initiating positive citizen contacts. Acting Chief Peddycord has updated the police code of conduct as well.

Quality leadership will help drive positive attitudes on both sides of the fence. I'm heading an ad-hoc committee to place a new police chief installed

by May 1. We'll examine all viable candidates closely. The successful applicant will be responsible for leading our 24 sworn department members.

Our police officers are well trained and experienced. We are pursuing initiatives to retain these officers and increase morale. New equipment will help them do their jobs more effectively and satisfy their professional needs.

Contact Trustee Plott at:  
(708) 757-2400.

*"Community perception of our police department should match their professional competency."*

- Trustee Plott

## Glenwood Passes New Water and Sewer Rates

The Village of Glenwood adopted a combined water and sewer system bill on February 4<sup>th</sup>. This initiative was enacted to serve the residents of Glenwood and to ensure the proper maintenance of their water system for the foreseeable future.

Rates have not been raised in 14 years. Revenue currently received from the users of the village's water and sewer system is not sufficient to cover the costs the village incurs for the operation and maintenance of these utilities

Future maintenance has been estimated to be as high as \$7,000,000.

All revenue from the combined water and sewer bill will remain dedicated to the operation and maintenance of that system.

The new bill's Monthly User Charge is the sum total of the Operation and Maintenance Charge (O&M) + Debt Service Charge (DS) + Depreciation Fund Charge (DF).

Operation and Maintenance Charge shall be based upon the amount of water each water meter indicates. A

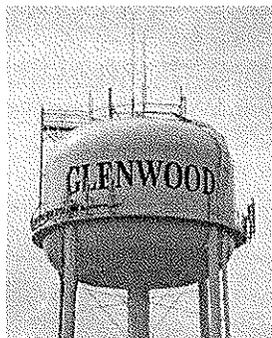
minimum O&M charge of \$25.00 based upon 5,000 gallons per month will apply. Usage over the minimum will be billed at the rate of \$5.00 per 1,000 gallons.

Debt Service Charge is the amount required per metered user to pay the debt service as it becomes due on all outstanding loans, bonds and any other debts that are incurred to make improvements to the village's combined water and sewerage system.

Residential Depreciation Fund Charge of \$10.69 is applied to each metered residential user.

Non-residential Depreciation Fund Charges at a minimum DF charge of \$8.35 based upon 5,000 gallons will apply. Usage over the minimum will be billed at the rate of \$1.67 per 1,000 gallons.

Money collected from the Depreciation Fund Charge will be accounted separately to ensure anticipated future maintenance costs for the village's water and sewer system.



Water Tower North of Village Hall

# Water and Sewer Service Upgrades

Dear Citizens of Glenwood:

The Board of Trustees created an Ad-Hoc committee of citizens to review existing water and sewer ordinances and rates.

This review revealed several deficiencies. Our current water and sewer rate ordinances have not been updated 14 years.

Inflation and maintenance costs have increased for our 40 year-old system. Water systems generally have a 100-year useful life.

Current and anticipated expenses were compared to existing revenues. Our combined water and sewer system is currently operating at a daily deficit of approximately \$1,000. The village spent \$1,513,966 more than we've taken in over the last four years. These deficits reflect the cost to operate and improve the water and sewer systems.

The committee made several recommendations and our new ordinance addresses the most pressing issues. Our new bill will reflect a combined water and sewer system. Both systems are already combined and the new billing will show this.

We will create a \$500,000 initial reserve dedicated to the replacement of the system. We currently have no reserve for maintenance and upkeep. We face a serious situation right now. All additional costs must be absorbed through the village's general fund. Our water and sewer system simply wouldn't function in the case of a calamity.

Glenwood purchases approximately 385 million gallons of water from the City of Chicago Heights each year. However, we only bill our customers for approximately 300 million gallons. Approximately 85 million gallons of purchased water is lost to leaks, main breaks and inaccurate meters.

Increased maintenance and meter replacement will dramatically reduce this difference. Water meter replacement will become a priority in fiscal year 2009, and your cooperation will be needed to be successful.

These changes are long overdue. We're taking serious steps toward ensuring the quality and continuity of Glenwood's water supply for years to come.

Sincerely,

Village of Glenwood Board of Trustees

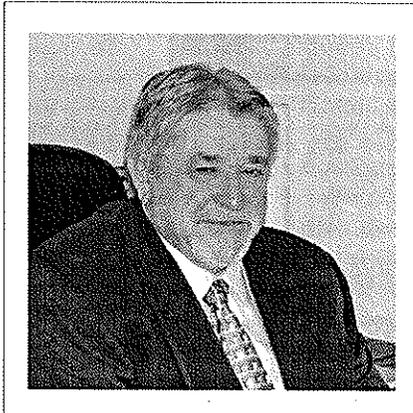
## Village Departments

### Economic Development: Assistant Village Administrator, Bill Bramanti

Economic development, responsiveness to resident's needs and maintaining village infrastructure are instrumental to the success of every village government.

Each department needs to remain approachable and work well together to serve our citizens. We have no room for in-fighting or parochial attitudes.

I've instituted a cost control program for the village. All expenses must be approved prior to purchase. We are evaluating our annual purchases and will buy in bulk, reducing costs.



Bill Bramanti, Assistant  
Village Administrator

We will continue to control costs, work effectively, and to develop Glenwood's economic base.

Safety is a concern for everyone. Glenwood has a well-trained police department, but we need to give our officers the tools they need to do the job. Trustee Plott and Sergeant Peddycord are evaluating these needs.

Our officers need to remain visible. To accomplish this, we are leasing to buy three new police cars. We are also hiring a full-time records clerk to help serve citizens in a timely manner.

Contact Assistant Village Administrator Bramanti at: (708) 757-2311.

### Building Department: Acting Department Head, Lou Hayes

The Building Department is responsible for enforcing the Village's building, health, and property maintenance ordinances. The Village of Glenwood is committed to quality construction and stringent enforcement of code related requirements.

Inspections are required for structural, electrical and plumbing installations or alterations. These inspections give our building inspectors the opportunity to ensure all buildings are constructed in accordance with applicable codes.

All contractors working in the village must be regis-

tered, insured and bonded. Our goal is to work closely with all those involved in the construction process. Regular communication, and a firm but fair insistence on adhering to village codes, will help ensure quality construction.

Most building projects require the issuance of a permit. If you are unsure if a permit is required, contact the Building Department at (708) 753-2416

Contact Lou Hayes at:  
(708) 757-2318 and lhayes@villageofglenwood.com

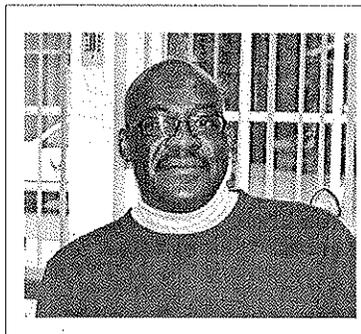
### Public Works & Sewer/Water Department: Acting Department Head, Jerry Bland

We have many changes scheduled for our sewer and water system during the coming year.

Aggressive meter changes will continue. This will result in more accurate water bills. We started mailing our new format in December. Our department is very responsive and Leslie Schimke is available if residents still have any questions.

New meters have been installed. If you feel your water bill is exceptionally high, call the department so we can check for leaks. Water usage from dripping sinks and toilets can add up quickly over time.

You can also check the red dial on the



Jerry Bland, acting head of Public  
Works

meter. There may be a leak if the red arrow is moving.

If you have a problem with sewer back-ups, call Public Works for a free inspection before calling a plumber. We can supply a list of licensed contract plumbers for you.

One or more roads are scheduled for improvement in each subdivision during 2008. Contact our department if you would like a projected work schedule.

Please call Leslie at (708) 753-2417 for questions about water bills and late fees.

Call Jennifer Dorsey for sewer and maintenance issues at (708) 753-2413.

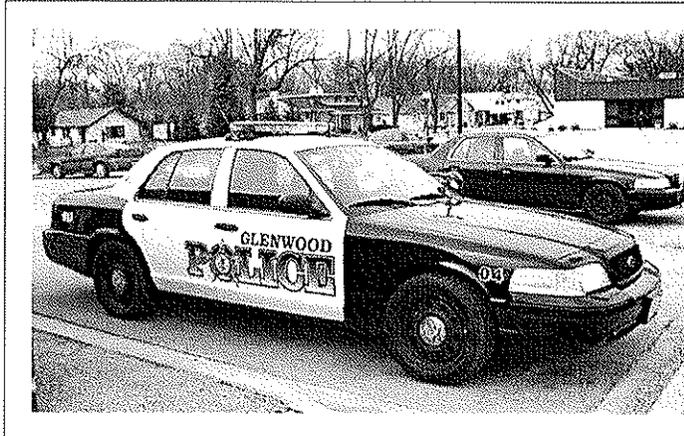
## Police Department: Acting Police Chief, Sergeant Derek Peddycord

The Glenwood Police Department strives to safeguard and serve our community.

The mission of the GPD is to deter crime and apprehend criminals, maintain strong community-police relations, and to continually enhance the training, expertise, and professionalism of each member of the police force. We are committed to delivering the finest police protection, and to maintaining the highest standards of integrity and ethics to Glenwood's citizens.

Glenwood police officers are well trained and support a number of joint initiatives in the south suburbs. These officers assist the GPD and other departments in times of need.

1. South suburban major crimes task force, a multi agency investigations unit made up of investigators from suburban cook county agencies. This unit assists with the investigations of major crimes.



2. Suburban major accident reconstruction team, a multi agency accident investigation team made up of investigators from surrounding agencies.

3. South suburban emergency response team, a multi agency tactical unit. This team provides re-

sponders to critical incidents such as hostage situations, high-risk apprehensions, disaster assistance and special assignments.

4. Network 3 Tactical Unit, a multi agency tactical unit made up of officers on the Network 3 radio frequency. These tactical officers concentrate on problem areas or "hot spots" within Network 3. They also provide per-

sonnel during large events.

Contact Sgt. Peddycord at: (708) 753-2420, or by e-mail at [policechief@villageofglenwood.com](mailto:policechief@villageofglenwood.com)

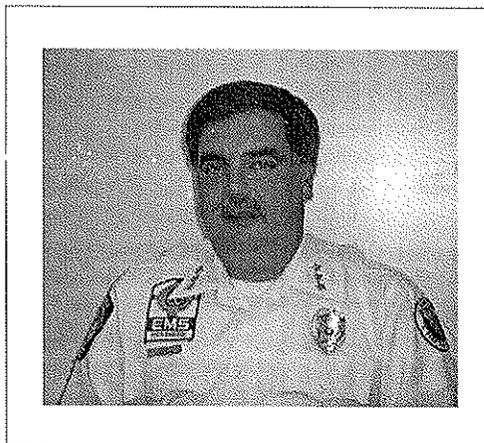
*Visit our website at [www.villageofglenwood.com](http://www.villageofglenwood.com) for additional village information.*

## Fire Department: Fire Chief, Kevin Welsh

The mission of the Glenwood Fire Department is to serve, protect and educate the citizens and visitors of Glenwood Illinois. We accomplish this through community involvement, quality service and regular training.

Regional agreements effectively increase the resources of a fire department, and help keep budgets reasonable. We have eight members of The Glenwood Fire Department that are active members of the Hazardous Materials Team for MABAS Division 24; in fact Chief Welsh is the MABAS Division 24 Lead Chief.

GFD has a certified fire investigator who serves on the MABAS Division 24 Arson Investigation Team. We also have a Certified Arson Investigator on staff. These gentlemen examine cause and origin of fire and prosecute



Kevin Welsh, Fire Chief

arson offenders.

We are regionally and nationally known for having saved 17 lives with our Public Education Programs. They are coordinated and run by our Public Education Officer. He spearheads our partnership with Brookwood Schools and various churches to provide the National Fire Protection Association's Risk Watch and Remembering When programs.

Young people help drive fire safety in Glenwood. In fact, we are graduating eight Fire Cadets. These young people are in high school and will graduate our program ready to challenge the firefighter II curriculum.

Contact Chief Welsh at: (708) 753-2424, or by e-mail at [glnwdchief@comcast.net](mailto:glnwdchief@comcast.net)

Fire Department Non-Emergency: (708) 753-2440

**Village Clerk and Finance Department:  
Village Clerk, Linda Frank  
Deputy Clerk and Director of Finance, Linda Brunette**

The Village Clerk's office creates and distributes water and sewer bills, keeps official records, processes Freedom of Information Act requests, conducts voter registration, issues sound amplification permits, sells yard waste stickers and generally assists residents with requests for assistance.

**Please note:**

Vehicle sticker sales start on April 1<sup>st</sup>. Penalties for late purchases go into effect on May 1<sup>st</sup>.

Animal licenses must be renewed annually.

Contact Village Clerk Linda Frank at (708) 757-2312

Contact Deputy Clerk and Director of Finance Linda Brunette at: (708) 757-2312 or by email at:



Linda Brunette, Director of Finance

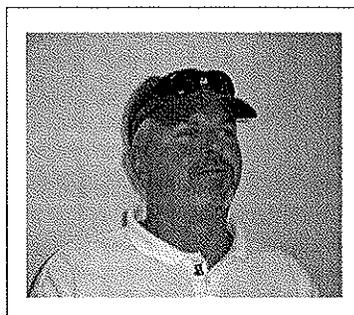


**Glenwoodie Golf Course:  
Course Superintendent, Eric Swanson**

The Glenwoodie grounds department is looking forward to the 2008 golf season. Our continuing goal is to provide the best possible turf conditions to our golfing patrons.

With the winter months upon us, the grounds department has been busy with equipment repairs and course projects. More drainage was added to the course in our never-ending attempt to give our golfers a "fast & firm" playing surface.

You will also notice on a few holes



Eric Swanson, Golf Course Superintendent

where there was some cart traffic congestion we have added gravel cart-paths to the green surrounds. Our plans are to continue this until all holes are completed.

We hope you find everything to your liking this year at Glenwoodie, please let us know if you don't. We will be glad to listen.

Contact Course Superintendent, Eric Swanson at: (708) 758-3415, or by email at: ericglenwoodie@sbcglobal.net

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*-Eric Swanson*

**Village Hall**  
One Asselborn Way  
Glenwood, Illinois 60425

Phone: (708) 753-2400

**Emergency Numbers:**  
Fire Department - 9-1-1  
Police Department - 9-1-1

## Regional Contacts and Services:

### Government Offices:

**METRA Commuter Rail:** (312) 322-6777  
**Pace Bus Service:** (312) 364-7223  
**Glenwood Post Office:** (708) 758-5170  
**Cook County Offices:** (312) 443-5500  
**Bloom Twp. Assessors Office:** (708) 754-9400  
**Thornton Township:** (708) 596-6040  
**Internal Revenue Service:** (800) 424-1040  
**Social Security:** (800) 234-5772

### Media & Communications:

**Comcast Cable Communications, Inc.:**  
(866) 594-1234

**AT&T Telephone Co.:**  
Repair Service: (888) 611-4466  
Business Customer Service: (800) 660-3000  
Consumer Home Services: (800) 288-2020

### Utilities:

**Commonwealth Edison:** (800) 334-7661  
**Northern Illinois Gas (NICOR):** (888) 642-6748

### Elected Officials:

**US Senator Dick Durbin:** (312) 353-4952 / Fax: (312) 353-0150  
**US Senator Barack Obama:** (312) 886-3506 / Fax: (312) 886-3514  
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*Fall in love with Glenwood!*

## Village Contact Information:

### Village Departments:

**Village Hall:** (708) 753-2400  
**Building Department:** (708) 753-2416  
**Economic Development Office:** (708) 753-2400  
**Fire Department (non-emergency):** (708) 753-2440  
**Mayors Office:** (708) 757-2308  
**Police Department (non-emergency):** (708) 753-2420  
**Public Works Department:** (708) 754-1441  
**Public Works Department:** (708) 753-2413  
**Sewer/Water Department:** (708) 753-2417  
**Parks & Recreation Program:** (708) 753-2400  
**Glenwood-Lynwood Public Library:** (708) 758-0090



### Education:

**School District 167:** (708) 758-5190  
**Hickory Bend Elementary School:** (708) 758-4520  
**Longwood Elementary School:** (708) 757-2100  
**Brookwood Middle High School:** (708) 758-5350  
**Brookwood Junior High School:** (708) 758-5252  
**Bloom-Trail High School:** (708) 758-7000  
**Homewood-Flossmoor High School:** (708) 799-3000  
**Prairie State College:** (708) 709-3500  
**Governors State University:** (708) 534-5000

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**Newsletter of the  
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Illinois**

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## Village Meetings:

### **Village Board, Commission & Committee Meetings**

The public is encouraged to attend all meetings.

### **Board of Trustees Meetings**

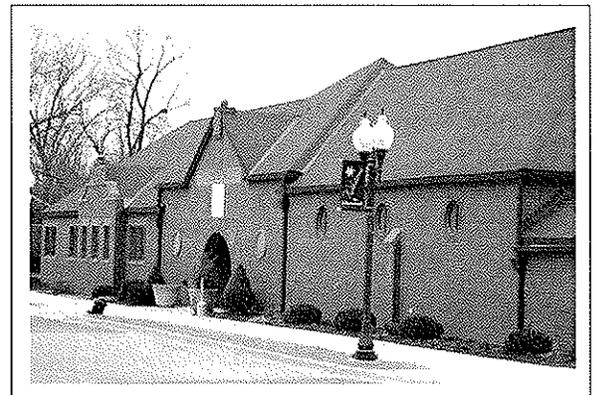
1st and 3rd Tuesday of every month at 6:30 pm at the Village Hall

### **Committee of the Whole Meeting**

2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month at 6:30 pm at the Village Hall

### **Special Board of Trustees Meetings**

As called and posted in the Village Hall



Glenwood Village Hall

## **Announcements:**

- Glenwoodie Golf Course will be hosting The Southtown Star Challenge Junior Golf Championship for the 20th consecutive year. It is the area's largest, independently run junior golf tournament on June 20th this year.
- Village of Glenwood residents may use South Holland's Fitness Center at the same rate as South Holland residents. This facility includes sauna, exercise equipment and pool.

Do you have a question for a village official or department head?  
Are you planning a school or community event?  
Please send details and your contact information to: [lee.enokian@yahoo.com](mailto:lee.enokian@yahoo.com)  
We welcome all of your comments.