

**SPECIAL BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING  
MONDAY AUGUST 19, 2024  
6:30 P.M.  
AGENDA NO. 2024-02**

I HEREBY CALL AND GIVE NOTICE THAT A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF GLENWOOD WILL BE HELD ON **AUGUST 19, 2024, AT 6:30 P.M.** AT THE VILLAGE HALL LOCATED AT ONE ASSELBORN WAY, GLENWOOD, ILLINOIS 60425. THE AGENDA FOR THE SPECIAL BOARD MEETING IS BELOW:

Topic: Village of Glenwood Special Board Meeting  
Time: Aug 19, 2024, 06:30 PM Central Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87889156120?pwd=JlecFIKtMVbKxvK11LB4b1aRXYY3zE.1>

Meeting ID: 878 8915 6120

Passcode: 143998

**CALL TO ORDER BY**

*Mayor Ronald J. Gardiner*

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**ROLL CALL BY DEPUTY CLERK**

*Carolyn D. Williamson*

**OPEN TO PUBLIC**

**ATTORNEY'S REPORT**

*John F. Donahue*

A Resolution initiating the submission of an advisory public question on whether the Village of Glenwood should request that the State of Illinois increase state funding for public schools in order to reduce the property tax burden on local property owners and taxpayers

**NEW BUSINESS**

**OLD BUSINESS**

**ADJOURNMENT**

Sincerely,

*Ronald J. Gardiner (CW)*

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Ronald J. Gardiner  
Village President

Posted and distributed 8/15/24.

**VILLAGE OF GLENWOOD**

**COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

**RESOLUTION NO. 2024-\_\_\_\_\_**

**A RESOLUTION INITIATING THE SUBMISSION OF AN ADVISORY PUBLIC QUESTION ON WHETHER THE VILLAGE OF GLENWOOD SHOULD REQUEST THAT THE STATE OF ILLINOIS INCREASE STATE FUNDING FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN ORDER TO REDUCE THE PROPERTY TAX BURDEN ON LOCAL PROPERTY OWNERS AND TAXPAYERS**

**ADOPTED BY THE PRESIDENT AND  
BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE  
VILLAGE OF GLENWOOD  
THIS 19th DAY OF AUGUST, 2024**

VILLAGE OF GLENWOOD

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**WHEREAS**, the Village of Glenwood (“Village”) finds that it is in the best interest of the Village and its citizens to provide for an advisory referendum to be submitted to its voters concerning whether a request should be made to the State of Illinois to increase State funding of public schools to reduce the property tax burden upon local property owners and taxpayers; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF GLENWOOD, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS**, as follows:

**SECTION 1: Incorporation of Recitals.** All of the recitals contained in the preambles to this Resolution are true and correct, and incorporated into this Resolution by this reference.

**SECTION 2:** The corporate authorities of the Village of Glenwood determine that an advisory public question as set forth in this Resolution shall be submitted to its voters in accordance with the general election law at the general election to be held on Tuesday, November 5, 2024 between the hours of 6:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. on said day (“Election”).

**SECTION 3:** The Election shall be held in the voting precincts and at the polling places established by the County Board (the “County Board”) of the County of Cook, Illinois (the “County”), for the voters of the Village at said general election.

**SECTION 4:** The County Clerk of Cook County (the “County Clerk”) shall give notice of the Election in accordance with the general election law, including the Spanish, Chinese and Asian Indian translations thereof as deemed by the County Clerk to be required by law (the “Notice”) by: (i) publishing notice thereof once not more than sixty (60) nor less than ten (10) days prior to the date for the Election in a local, community newspaper having general circulation in the Village; and (ii) posting a copy of the Notice at least ten (10) days before the date of the Election at the principal office of the County Clerk.

**SECTION 5:** It is hereby found and determined that the Chicago Tribune, the Chicago Sun-Times and the Daily Southtown are each local, community newspapers of general circulation in the Village, and suitable for publication of the Notice pursuant to the requirements of Section 12-5 of the Election Code of the State of Illinois, as amended (the “Election Code”).

**SECTION 6:** The Village Clerk shall post a copy of the Notice at the principal office of the Village.

**SECTION 7:** The Notice shall appear over the name or title of the County Clerk and shall be in substantially the following form:

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that at the general election to be held on Tuesday, November 5, 2024, the following proposition will be submitted to the voters of the Village of Glenwood, Cook County, Illinois:

SHALL THE VILLAGE OF GLENWOOD PASS A RESOLUTION URGING THE STATE OF ILLINOIS TO PASS LEGISLATION THAT REQUIRES THE STATE OF ILLINOIS TO INCREASE STATE FUNDING FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS THAT RESULTS IN LOWER PROPERTY TAX BILLS AND REDUCES THE TAX BURDEN ON LOCAL PROPERTY OWNERS AND TAXPAYERS, SPECIFICALLY THOSE IN SOUTH SUBURBAN COOK COUNTY?

The polls at said election will be open from 6:00 a.m. and will continue to be open until 7:00 p.m. of that day.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024

\_\_\_\_\_  
County Clerk, Cook County, Illinois

**SECTION 8:** The Ballots to be used at the Election, including the Spanish, Chinese and Asian Indian translations thereof as deemed by the County Clerk to be required by law, shall be substantially in the following form, with necessary alterations, changes, deletions and insertions as may be required by Articles 24A or 24B of the Election Code if an electronic, mechanical or electric voting system is used at the election:

(Face of Ballot)

**OFFICIAL BALLOT**

**ADVISORY PROPOSITION ON WHETHER THE VILLAGE OF GLENWOOD SHALL PASS A RESOLUTION URGING THE STATE OF ILLINOIS TO PASS LEGISLATION THAT REQUIRES THE STATE OF ILLINOIS TO INCREASE STATE FUNDING FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS THAT RESULTS IN LOWER PROPERTY TAX BILLS AND REDUCES THE TAX BURDEN ON LOCAL PROPERTY OWNERS AND TAXPAYERS, SPECIFICALLY THOSE IN SOUTH SUBURBAN COOK COUNTY?**

(INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS: Mark a cross (X) in the space opposite the word indicating the way you desire to vote.)

<b>Shall the Village of Glenwood pass a resolution urging the State of Illinois to pass legislation that requires the State of Illinois to increase State funding for public schools that results in lower property tax bills and reduces the tax burden on local property owners and taxpayers, specifically those in South Suburban Cook County?</b>	<b>YES</b>	
	<b>NO</b>	

(Back of Paper Ballot)

**OFFICIAL BALLOT**

Official ballot for voting on the advisory proposition on whether the Village of Glenwood shall pass a resolution urging the State of Illinois to pass legislation that requires the State of Illinois to increase state funding for public schools that results in lower property tax bills and reduces the tax burden on local property owners and taxpayers, specifically those in South Suburban Cook County?

Precinct Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Polling Place: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Facsimile Signature)  
County Clerk, Cook County Illinois

**SECTION 9:** The Election shall be conducted by the election judges appointed by the County Board to act in the precincts at which said public question will be submitted to the voters of the Village.

**SECTION 10:** After the adoption hereof, the Village Clerk shall certify a copy hereof to the County Clerk in order that the proposition set forth herein may be submitted to the voters of the Village at the Election.

**SECTION 11:** The Election shall be held and conducted and the returns thereof duly canvassed, all in a manner and time provided by the general election law.



**SECTION 12:** If any section, paragraph, clause or provision of this Resolution shall be held to be invalid or unenforceable for any reason, the invalidity or unenforceability of such section, paragraph or provision shall not affect any of the remaining provisions of this Resolution.

**SECTION 13:** This Resolution be in full force and effect forthwith upon its adoption.

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING ROLL CALL this 19<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2024.

AYES: \_\_\_\_\_

NAYS: \_\_\_\_\_

ABSENT: \_\_\_\_\_

APPROVED by roll call vote this 19<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2024.

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Ronald J. Gardiner,  
Village President, Village of Glenwood

ATTEST:

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Carolyn D. Williamson,  
Deputy Village Clerk

**CERTIFICATE**

I, Carolyn Williamson, certify that I am the duly acting Deputy Municipal Clerk of the Village of Glenwood, Cook County, Illinois.

I further certify that on August 19, 2024, the Corporate Authorities of the Village of Glenwood passed and approved the attached Resolution No. 2024- \_\_, entitled:

**A RESOLUTION INITIATING THE SUBMISSION OF AN ADVISORY PUBLIC QUESTION ON WHETHER THE VILLAGE OF GLENWOOD SHOULD REQUEST THAT THE STATE OF ILLINOIS INCREASE STATE FUNDING FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN ORDER TO REDUCE THE PROPERTY TAX BURDEN ON LOCAL PROPERTY OWNERS AND TAXPAYERS**

a true and correct copy of which is attached hereto.

Dated at Glenwood, Illinois, this 19th day of August, 2024.

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Carolyn Williamson,  
Deputy Municipal Clerk