



The Village

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"A Glimpse of the Glen"

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Applications are now being taken for the annual "Community and Nature In Harmony Awards".

Log on to the village website to download a nomination form.

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The Mayor's Corner . . .

"Something to Celebrate" by Mayor Jim Daley

As we celebrate the end of a very long winter, we have a lot more to celebrate than just Spring! There has been a lot of hard work over the last year and the Village continues to receive considerable recognition of its accomplishments. One of the accomplishments I am most proud of is the development of our professional staff. Many communities are facing budget cuts that impact basic community services, yet we have continued to operate with a fairly lean staff. In fact, we have one of the lowest per capita employee ratios in the area. With only 12 full time employees and contract services for police, public works and finance, we have reduced our yearly salary budget by over \$150,000.



Last July the Village hired Paula J. Wallrich, Village Manager, who brings over 25 years of professional experience in both the public and private sectors. She spent the last 14 years in progressive development and management positions for the Village of Frankfort and has worked closely with the development community in the Chicagoland and Will County area. In December, Heather Parker was hired as an Administrative Assistant. Heather received her graduate degree from the University of Illinois, in public administration and worked recently with the Village of Hinsdale. In April, Mike Salamowicz joined the team as Development Services Director. Mike received his degree from Purdue University and has over 18 years of professional engineering experience. These new hires along with the wealth of experience in our building department under the direction of Chief Building Official Steve Wydeveld; our Planning Department with Planner, Lindley Ehlert, who has a graduate degree in planning studies; and Yelana Bowes, our Office Manager/Deputy Clerk with over 7 years with the Village, provide the Village with a dedicated team ready to assist the Board in meeting the Village's goals and objectives.

Some of the other accomplishments that we are celebrating this year include:

- January 9, 2008- Mayor organizes regional planning group to address I-355 concerns
- January 31, 2008- Mayor Daley organizes Intergovernmental Planning Consortium (IPC) involving all local taxing districts to discuss and plan for local issues
- February 21 & 22, 2008- Homer Glen sponsors booth for first time at ICSC/Alliance meeting in Chicago
- March 25, 2008- Illinois Lt. Gov. Pat Quinn honors the Village of Homer Glen, for it's groundbreaking lighting ordinance at a press conference
- March 25-28 Hearings before ICC in Springfield regarding IAW rate case. (see related article on Pg. 5)



MEET YOUR VILLAGE STAFF

MIKE SALAMOWICZ

Mike Salamowicz, Director of Development Services, has “hit the ground running” in the short time he has been with us.

As our newest employee, Mike has quickly familiarized himself with the landscape, roadways and storm sewer problems. As Director of Development Services, he has met with several village residents regarding flooding and transportation issues as well as coordinate the various engineering projects underway in the Village.

A resident of Homer Township for over 7 years, Mike enjoys the outdoors, the natural environment and his menagerie of animals he ‘parents’ with his girlfriend Jenny which include a pet rabbit, three dogs, a guinea pig, several hamsters and ducks, (which Mike claims each have a unique personality)!

A graduate of Purdue University in Engineering, Mike has a wide range of field experiences working with engineering firms, IDOT and area projects.

Concerned with the environment, the conservation of natural resources, rural character of the area and preserving the our open spaces, Mike works hard to maintain a harmonious relationship between infrastructure, development and the natural environment.

We are fortunate to have Mike on staff for the Village of Homer Glen.

“Something to Celebrate” con’t.

- March 26, 2008- Mayor Daley is recognized at the Metropolitan Mayor’s Caucus and Clean Air Counts for the Village’s efforts to fight light pollution through the adoption of the new lighting ordinance.
- March 29, 2008 – Homer Glen’s celebrates Earth Hour resulting in 7% drop in electricity. (see related article page 7)
- April 22, 2008 –Village approves municipal waste hauling contract with NuWay. (see related article page 6)
- April 22, 2008- Balanced budget despite decrease in anticipated permit revenue (see related article page 5)
- April 26, 2008- First Arbor Day/Earth Day celebration. (see related article pg.7)
- April 26, 2008- First adjudication court date – Village creates local enforcement and adjudication process for violations of local code and traffic regulations.



Conservation Foundation Award

- May 13, 2008- Conservation Foundation Award for Village’s leadership in reducing light pollution and adoption of Lighting Ordinance.
- May 13, 2008- Village Board votes to initiate the second phase of feasibility study for possible acquisition of American Lake Water Company water transmission line from Bedford Park.
- May 13, 2008 - Mayor announces successful annexation negotiations with Meijer property on Bell Road.
- May 27, 2008 - Village creates task force to plan for Village’s first ‘Homer Harvest Days’ as a joint celebration with the Township for the grand opening of the Trantina Farm.
- May 28, 2008- Mayor Daley successfully petitions the WCGL Transportation Committee for \$1 million dollars in additional funds to improve the intersection of 143rd and Lemont Road. Project is expected to be bid in late Fall, 2008.
- June 2008- Homer Glen residents can lodge complaints against rate increase imposed by IAW via the internet (see related article page 5)
- July, 2008 – Special Census to be taken which can provide between \$420,000 & \$525,000 in additional revenue as well as the possibility of home rule status for the village. (see related articles pg. 3 & pg. 4)
- July 1, 2008 - Municipal waste hauling service begins (see page 6)
- July 17, 2008 - Public Forum scheduled to allow residents to make public comment related to reconciliation charge by IAW (see related article pg. 5)



New Commercial Taking Root on 159th Street

Lindley Ehlert

Spring is a season filled with the site of new blooms and wildlife emerging after a long winter. This spring, in Homer Glen, commercial developments are budding along our commercial corridors with the approval of the Kenwood Liquor Store and Homer Glen Center. Both developments are eager to take root in our Village and plan on breaking ground this spring/early summer. One of our major commercial corridors, 159th Street, currently has fourteen projects under review. The current and projected traffic counts and the availability of prime commercial

property have created a very attractive development climate for Homer Glen.

Commercial development proposals in Homer Glen have been increasing with the Village’s first appearance at the International Council of Shopping Centers (ICSC) in Chicago this past January. Staff was able to establish networking relationships with interested developers and strengthen existing relations. With the new access points off of I-355 and our low sales tax rate of 7 percent, developers are very interested in

locating quality commercial development here in Homer Glen. The networking continued with the recent attendance by the Mayor and Village Manager at the Annual Convention of the ICSC. Several national companies demonstrated interest in the Village’s inventory of over 1300 acres available for commercial development. The Village has presented an expedited entitlement process that requires quality development in a quality community. We are looking forward to a busy summer!

Home Rule in Homer Glen

by Laurel Ward



As Homer Glen approaches a population of 25,000 many residents are wondering what affect home rule will have on our community. For those who are concerned, I understand your apprehension. I used to oppose home rule. Two things happened to change my opinion.

The first was a court ruling in 2002 that found non-home rule municipalities cannot make developers pay impact fees other than the very limited state authorized fees. One of the fundamental philosophies that Homer Glen leaders supported throughout the incorporation and establishment of the Village was the belief that new development should not be a burden to existing residents. The use of impact fees is a strategy that requires new development to pay its fair share. Non-home rule communities cannot mandate the assessment of fire district fees, municipal services fees, park construction fees, and other development fees that shift the burden from existing residents and place it on the new development that is creating a demand for additional public services. The court ruling severely restricts Homer Glen's ability to impose impact fees. This has forced me to learn more about home rule.

The second event that led to my supporting home rule has been an education. Like most people, I made my initial judgment based only on the fears I had heard. I did not take the time to understand what home rule status really means in Illinois. When I finally did my own research, I was surprised to learn exactly what being home rule means and how it has been used by the communities that have attained home rule status.

In Illinois, a non-home rule municipality can only exercise the powers specifically granted to it by state law. Home rule communities have much broader abilities and can basically take any action except those limited by state law. Simply put, home rule gives a municipality the ability to govern itself. Non-home rule municipalities are subject to the control of the State.

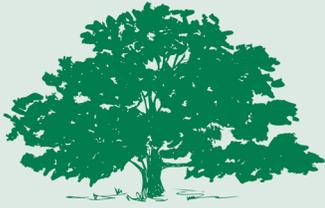
The most commonly expressed fear of home rule is that the village board will raise taxes without voter approval. To this address this concern, I can only offer these comments:

1. The Village Board can do that now, without home rule status and without voter approval. The state authorizes a number of taxes, including several property taxes, that can be approved by the village board without a referendum. Home rule does increase the number of taxes that can be levied without referenda, but it also provides a greater variety of funding options that do not rely solely on existing residents to carry the burden.
2. University research studies found no evidence that home rule taxing powers are being misused. Rather, the research has shown that home rule status is used predominately to shift the local tax burden from residents to non-residents.
3. A series of checks and balances are in place to regulate home rule governments. These include:
 - The Illinois Constitution establishes initial protections on the use of home rule.
 - The Constitution places limits on debts, taxation, and punishment.
 - The General Assembly can take away home rule authority with a 2/3 majority vote in both houses.
 - The Illinois courts can and have restricted abusive or excessive uses of home rule.
 - Voters can repeal home rule status if they believe it is being abused.
4. And most importantly, residents decide who will represent them on the Village Board. Unlike other governments where residents only vote for a minority of the legislative body (i.e. wards or districts) Homer Glen voters determine the entire Village Board.

The strength and weakness of all democratic governments is found in the level of participation of the constituents it serves. Voter apathy can lead to the election of poor government officials while grassroots involvement leads to better representation. After the votes have been cast, residents should stay informed and involved. Fortunately, with today's technology it is easier than ever to do so. Resident participation is the best way to ensure your elected officials are representing your interests.

Home rule powers were initiated by folks that believed in the notion that the government closest to the people will best understand and serve their interests. When we incorporated in 2001, we did so because the residents of Homer Glen wanted local control. Home rule is the best tool for providing that local control since it allows more decisions to be made locally, rather than decided by the State. It provides the Village with greater flexibility to respond to the changing needs of the community. Most importantly, the extent to which it is employed is determined by the people you elect.

I encourage you to be involved in your government. Attend or watch a Village Board or Plan Commission meeting. A binder of information on Home Rule is available at the Village Hall and library or you are welcome to email me at lward@homerglen.org.



FYI...



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Renee Kosel

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State Representative Kosel or
a representative from my office
will be on hand to discuss any
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You Better*



VILLAGE TO CONDUCT SPECIAL CENSUS THIS SUMMER

EVERYONE COUNTS

by Heather Parker, Administrative Assistant

The Village in conjunction with the U.S. Census Bureau will be conducting a special census this summer to capture increases in the Village's population since the 2004 Census. The main purpose of the special census is for the Village to increase its share of state revenue sources distributed on a per capita basis. The Village will receive an extra \$134.35 per year in revenue for each additional person counted in the special census. Depending on the final enumeration date for the 2010 census, which could be as late as 2012, the village could realize as much as \$370 per person. Since the Village continues to operate without a municipal tax levy, these funds are very important to enable the Village to continue to provide the best possible services to the community.

Census workers will be going door to door to collect information about each member of the household. Enumerators will ask questions to gather information on: name, gender, household relationship, date of birth, race and Hispanic origin. No economic or employment information is requested. If you are not available when the census worker visits your household, they will leave a note with instructions to contact the local Census Bureau office. The census workers will be wearing official U.S. Bureau of the Census identification tags and do not have to enter your home to document your answers. An accurate count means additional funding for road improvements, drainage projects, park acquisition and development. Make sure you are counted!

For more information, please contact Heather Parker, Administrative Assistant at (708) 301-0632 or by e-mail at hparkr@homerglen.org.

Village Board approves 2008-2009 Budget

by John Sawyers, Finance Director

I'm happy to report the Village general fund will finish the fiscal year ending April 30, 2008 with an operating surplus of approximately \$120,000. As other communities face financial cutbacks, Homer Glen has been able to manage through the decline in the building industry by progressively managing the expenditures. The village continues to operate with a small staff and contracts services for police and public works. It is this same approach which enables the village to present a balanced general fund operating budget for fiscal year May 1, 2008 through April 30, 2009. The Mayor and Village Board will continue to progressively manage the finances to match the current economic conditions.

As a safeguard against continued decline in the building industry, the Village continues to conserve its resources, maximize assets and continue to investigate new revenue opportunities. A Special Census is planned to capture uncollected revenue and expects to receive over \$460,000 in revenue from the new certified population. This is money the village would not have collected if not for the special census.

Another revenue source is the additional growth in the commercial sector resulting not only in increased permit fees but sales tax revenue. The Village will continue to prioritize commercial development in its review and recruitment efforts.

The fiscal 2008-2009 budget also has several significant capital projects for drainage, parks and roads. These projects will be funded through the MFT Fund, Park Fund and Capital Project Fund. The village has accumulated resources in these funds through prudent fiscal management. Continued fiscally responsible management, coupled with new revenue sources, the Village will continue to operate on a balanced fiscal basis.

ILLINOIS AMERICAN WATER UPDATE

Trustee Mary Niemiec

When Homer Glen was incorporated in 2001, several issues concerning the provision of sewer and water were apparent. Due to increasingly high water rates, reports of poor customer service, and communication barriers with IAW, in 2004 the Village Board convened a task force to conduct a study. The task force identified several issues of concern. Homer Glen had the 2nd highest water rate in Illinois, customers were back-billed longer than provided by law, very high unaccounted for water rates, inefficient metering system and no record of fire hydrant inspections. This last presented serious life/safety issue and concerns.

Consequently, in 2006 the Village joined the Attorney General to resolve and prohibit these practices. The Village was successful and IAW was directed to, among other rulings, adhere to ICC rules regarding back billing customers and inspect all fire hydrants. The Village worked closely with Representative Renee Kosel who sponsored two bills providing protec-

tions for consumers of private water utilities. The task force recommendations included further resource commitment into the feasibility of a municipal owned and run system.

Since 2007, Mayor Daley and the Village Board have taken a number of steps to study the feasibility of owning the water and sewer system. The Village also joined with the Villages of Bolingbrook, Woodridge, and Plainfield to assess the feasibility of acquiring the transmission system for Lake Michigan water and recently voted to fund further study of the Bedford Transmission system. This is a complex and involved process. It is critical the Board has the facts and a full understanding of the processes in order to make an informed and sound financial decision.

Concurrently, the Village intervened in the request for a general rate increase by IAW and also in the most recent IAW filing for an additional increase in water rates for

'reconciliation' to recapture lost or unaccounted for water. To give residents an opportunity to provide input, the Village filed a request with the ICC to hold a local public forum for residents in the upcoming Reconciliation Rate increase. This forum will be held on **July 17, 2008 at 7:00 p.m. in the Hadley School Auditorium, 15731 S. Bell Road, Homer Glen**, and pertains to IAW's application for a reconciliation of purchased water surcharges, (ICC Docket 08-0218). All testimony will be submitted as part of the Village's intervention in the case.

Residents are also encouraged to provide input regarding the rate increase requests by logging on www.icc.illinois.gov and clicking on the link "Make A Public Comment" on the left side of the page. This will lead to a webpage for "File a Public Comment on-line". Follow the directions for docket number "07-0507, Illinois American Water Company".

Your input can help make a difference.

From the Building Department . . .

by Steve Wydeveld, Chief Building Official

The Village has adopted a set of building codes to protect homeowners and the public against unsafe building practices and potential health and safety hazards during construction projects. As part of the Building Code, the Village requires building permits for most residential projects.

This allows the Village to monitor construction projects and insure the project follows the approved plans, specifications and all safety codes and standards.

Building permits are required when doing any of the following building projects:

Siding	Roofing
Decks	Gutters, Soffet and Fascia
Exterior Entry Doors	Sheds
Windows	Concrete Driveways,
Pools	Sidewalks and Patios
Fences	Exterior Additions-Sunrooms

Protect your home investment, and avoid unnecessary fines by making sure you apply for your building permit PRIOR to starting your home improvement project.

Please call the Building Department with any questions, Monday – Friday, 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM at (708) 301-1301.

Parking Reminders

Sgt. Michael D. Homberg –
Will County Police

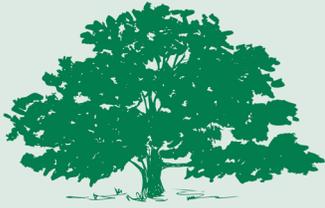


The Village Board passed Ordinance 08-013 on February 26, 2008 in reference to the Illinois State Vehicle Code 623 ILCS. Below are common violations under this Ordinance:

Parking is prohibited in the following locations:

1. Fire lanes
2. Driveways that block the sidewalk
3. Sidewalks, crosswalks, or within an intersection
4. Within 15 ft. of a fire hydrant
5. Within 20 feet of a crosswalk at an intersection
6. Within 30 feet upon the approach to any flashing signal, stop sign, yield sign or traffic control device
7. In a posted Handicap Parking Space without a valid parking decal
8. On the street with an expired vehicle registration
9. Where official signs prohibit parking
10. In front of a private or public driveway

Log on to the Village website to view Village Ordinances.
www.homerglen.org



Village of Homer Glen - Swimming Pool Requirements

**Skip Skroboton,
Code Compliance
Officer**



Make your yard and pool safe this summer...follow the Homer Glen requirements for pool fences.

The Village requires owners of private swimming pools to enclose the pool on the entire lot where the pool is located with a fence to prevent uncontrolled access.

The fence must meet the 5ft. height requirements. If a free-standing fence is not being constructed, an enclosure with a gate needs to be attached to the ledge of the pool wall @ a minimum of 24" in height.

Thoughts on Green Living

Going Green doesn't have to be difficult or hard; quite often, *simple* is best.

Ask yourself how you can use, and reuse, what you already have.

An eco-friendly life happens in stages- with one decision at a time.

Make it a goal to spend more time outdoors.

Homer Glen Approves First Village-Wide Refuse Contract

Paula J. Wallrich, Village Manager

On April 22, 2008, Mayor Daley and the Village Board approved a 5-year contract with NuWay/ Home-wood Disposal Service, Inc. for Village-wide residential waste hauling. The Mayor cited several benefits of the contract including the encouragement of recycling, the reduction of wear and tear on the Village's road system and a decrease in cost to Homer Glen residents for waste hauling services. The contract with NuWay will replace the current system whereby residents select from among several garbage haulers that serve the Homer Glen area.

The Village reviewed several proposals from area waste hauling companies before selecting NuWay, who provided the best price for the most comprehensive service to the Village. Service is scheduled to begin July 1, 2008. Residents will soon be receiving notice from NuWay regarding collections days and billing. Some of the highlights of the new service are summarized below:

- Homer Glen residents will realize savings ranging from 9.1% to 41.7% over current rates for the same services. The rate for single-family residential properties will be \$62.77 per quarter.
- All residents will receive refuse, recycling and yard waste collection services.
- The provision of unlimited yard waste service will help reduce the burning of leaves and other yard waste, thereby improving air quality and facilitating the "recycling" of yard waste into useable compost.
- There will be no fuel surcharges, which tend to increase refuse bills.
- Senior Citizens will receive a discount of \$1.50 per month.
- All residents will receive covered, wheeled carts for refuse and recyclables. Yard waste carts are also available upon request at no extra charge.
- The Village shall plan for special recycling events that will allow for the collection of restricted items such as household hazardous wastes, oil based paints, oils, solvents and limited construction materials.

Answers to some of your FAQ'S :

What if I don't recycle, do I still need to pay for the service? All residents will receive waste, recycling and yard waste collection services for \$62.77/quarter regardless of whether you use the service or not. There is no requirement to recycle, although a cart is provided, and our hope is that you will find it extremely easy to do so. The benefits are many including those passed on to your children and your children's children. The cost for garbage collection is the same regardless if you recycle or not-so join in!

The carts are too big for my garage, are there other sizes? You may return your 95 gallon waste and recycle carts for a smaller 65 gallon cart. The yard waste container is available only in one size and is available upon request at no additional cost.

I am currently a Waste Management customer. Can I still use the same cart? Most customers will continue to use their existing refuse carts, as provided by NuWay or Waste Management. NuWay plans to acquire Waste Management's carts. Customers who do not have an appropriate refuse cart will receive one.

What if I have more garbage, recyclables or yard waste than will fit into the provided carts? Additional bags or trash cans can be set next to the provided carts provided they do not exceed 32 gallons in capacity nor exceed 50 pounds in weight.

What if I paid ahead on my bill? You only need to pay for your current service up to June 30, 2008. Contact the customer service department and refunds/adjustments will be made. If you have issues related to billing you may contact NuWay at 708/479-9555.

I currently do not use a waste hauling service at my home, do I have to start now? Yes, all residential property must begin waste hauling service as of July 1, 2008. If you are away from your home for an extended period of time you may request a 'vacation stop order' from NuWay. Vacant property is not required to use the municipal waste hauling service.

Do I need to buy special bags or stickers for my yard waste? You can use the brown paper waste bags if you wish but you do not need to buy stickers. You can also request a yard waste container for no extra charge (95 gallon) which can be used April through November and can be used for excess waste for the remainder of the year.

I live in a townhome, do I get the same service as the single family homes? Due to the nature of the existing contracts with multi-family dwelling, multi-family developments will not initially be able to take advantage of the new municipal service with NuWay. The Village will be working with such developments and NuWay to eventually include them in the Village-wide system at a savings to the resident.



1st Village Earth Day - Arbor Day Celebration -A Huge Success

by Trustee Margaret Sabo

The Village of Homer Glen's first annual Earth Day Arbor Day Celebration held on April 25, 2008 was a huge success. Due to the careful planning and extensive work of the Village's Environment Committee who enlisted support from Homer Township, Homer Township Road District, Will County Sheriff's Police, Homer Township Fire Protection District, Will County School District 92, Village staff, Village Board, and Emergency Management Agency (EMA), the event was well organized and ran smoothly.



Nu Way Refuse Company with Mayor Daley

Red-Tailed Hawk - Pilcher Park Nature Center

1911 Stanley Steamer & "H.G. the Talking Tree" Clay Hosh (husband of Paula Wallrich)

More than 50 exhibitors greeted over 400 enthusiastic visitors and shared eco-friendly information, and entertained and delighted children with exhibits of live animals, birds, and reptiles. It was a time of sharing knowledge and raising environmental awareness to protect our natural resources for future generations.

Contributions were received from Bret-Mar Landscape Management Group, Inc., M & D Farms, Morton Arboretum, Natural Direct, Pelican Harry's Inc., and Roger Ross. Food and beverages were provided by Chesdan's Pizzeria & Grille and Homer Athletic Club (HAC).

Homer Glen, founded on the Mission Statement of "Community and Nature in Harmony", has continued its roots as a volunteer based community. The Village is fortunate to have residents who gave so generously of their time and contributed in valuable ways to the success of the event.

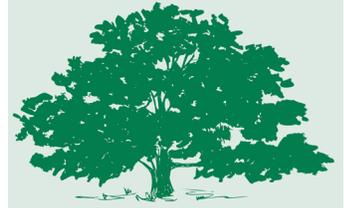
Environment Committee members are: Robert Gatz, Randy Juras, Marlene Korso, Kathy Kudla, Bob Moses, Debbie Norvil, Parnell O'Brien, Cynthia Rataj, Roger Ross, Cloyd Selby, Sue Steilen, Sharon Sweas, and Chairman Margaret Sabo.



Ann Hayes 5th Grade Class - Hadley School Earth Day - Arbor Day



Morton Arboretum Display Volunteers present Nature information to Arbor Day visitors



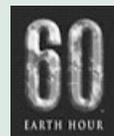
Village Businesses and Residents Support "Earth Hour"

"It is so dark you can see the stars"... resident and member of the Homer Glen Environment Committee, Debra Norvil, stated on March 29th when McDonald's restaurant shut off their outside lights during the International Earth Hour. Many Homer Glen businesses and residents participated by turning off all non-essential lights for the 8 to 9PM "Earth Hour".

According to the study done by Commonwealth Edison, Homer Glen was one of the leaders in the Northern Illinois service territory that had a reported 7% drop in electricity use as a result of the voluntary shutting off of nonessential lights and electronic devices in homes and businesses. This also resulted in about 818 fewer megawatt hours of electricity use compared to a similar Saturday night. This reduction was equal to lowering nearly 1.3 million pounds of carbon emissions.

Homer Glen continues to lead the way in bringing awareness to the importance of preserving the environment and acting on policies and steps to help make a difference.

Log onto our village website, www.homerglen.org for a complete listing of the businesses and residents who helped "make a difference".





Save the Date!

Annual Homer Community Independence Day

Festival and Parade

Saturday, June 28, 2008

Festivities begin at 11:00 AM with a parade, followed by a community festival at Culver Park **12:30 – 4PM.**

Parade Route starts at 151st & Parker Road and proceeds north to Briarwood (just south of 143rd St.)

For more information please call the Village Hall at 301-0632 or Homer Township 301-0522



BE WATERWISE AND HELP MAKE A DIFFERENCE

*SWIMMING POOL COVERS CUT THE LOSS OF WATER EVAPORATION BY 90%

*DRIPPING FAUCETS CAN WASTE UP TO 2700 GALLONS OF WATER PER YEAR

*LEAKY TOILETS CAN WASTE AS MUCH AS 200 GALLONS A DAY!

Summer Road Re-surfacing

Pheasant Hollow

North:

Partridge Lane - From Derby Lane to Garavogue Ave

Lancaster:

Garavogue Ave, Somerset Rd., Somerset Ct., Winchester Dr.

Derby Hills:

Mallard Dr. Mallard Ln. Meadowland Dr.

Pineview Hills:

E & W. Abbot Rd., E & W. Glen Dr. Mackinac Rd.,

DeBoer Woods:

Mackinac Ct., Gunner Ct., Catawba Ct., Ignace Ct., and Terrier Ct.

Spring Meadows:

Tedd Rd., Dale Rd.

151st Street:

Parker Rd. to Bell Rd.

151st Street:

Bell Rd. to Wilco Drive



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Village of Homer Glen Mission Statement

The Village of Homer Glen is committed to preserving, protecting, and enhancing our community's quality of life through responsible residential and economic development while utilizing sound fiscal management. We will strive to maintain open space, preserve our unique rural character, and safeguard our natural resources. The village encourages community involvement in order to maintain and cultivate a balance of family, agriculture, business, environment, and cultural diversity for present and future generations.

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Mary Niemiec

Margaret Sabo

Laurel Ward

Village Board Meets

2nd & 4th Tuesday of the Month

Plan Commission Meets

1st & 3rd Monday of the Month

Please refer to our Website for weekly updates regarding meeting times and agendas

www.homerglen.org

To the Homer Glen Resident at: