

Media Release



Homer Glen Economic Development Director Graduates University of Oklahoma Economic Development Institute

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The Village of Homer Glen's Economic Development Director Janie Patch recently graduated from the University of Oklahoma Economic Development Institute on November 20, 2014 at the OU EDI fall session in Indianapolis, Indiana.

The OU EDI is an intensive week long program which provides advanced education for training economic development professionals. OU EDI classes focus on three core areas: Real Estate, Finance, and Business Retention and Expansion. The institute also offers areas of concentration in Marketing, Strategic Planning, Entrepreneurship, and Managing Economic Development Organizations. Curriculum is selected from more than 50 seminars, workshops and discussion groups. Students in the program complete 117 hours of instruction.

Homer Glen Mayor Jim Daley congratulated Janie Patch on this great accomplishment. "I would like to congratulate Director Patch on graduating from the University of Oklahoma Economic Development Institute. Janie's new knowledge and training will be a great compliment to her already outstanding economic development work on behalf of the Village of Homer Glen," Mayor Daley stated.

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