



City of Glenview, Kentucky

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TREE PLANTING

By: **Commissioner Nanette Tafel**

We are continuing with our tree planting and maintenance program. The dead trees at the entrance to Boxhill have been removed, and we are looking at various spots within the City where new trees are needed. If you have a spot in mind, please email Nanette Tafel at nantafel@gmail.com with a subject line of TREES FOR GLENVIEW.

GLENVIEW UPDATE

By: **Clerk Administrator Kacy DeVore**

ROAD DEDICATION

Attached is a copy of a newly enacted ordinance dedicating Woodside Place as a City of Glenview public road. Glenview now owns the road, and is responsible for its maintenance. This is the second time that your neighbors on a private road have used Glenview's dedication ordinance to petition Glenview and request the City take over their road. The process starts when the property owners unanimously petition the City for dedication of their private road. Glenview's engineer inspects the road, and determines what is necessary to bring the road up to Glenview's standards. Before the City will dedicate the road, its owners or their Neighborhood Association must make the required improvements. Extensive repairs were required for the Woodside Place dedication, like Rockledge when it was dedicated. If you live on a private road, and are interested in having your road dedicated, you might consult with your neighbors to see if there is any interest in petitioning for dedication. The dedication ordinance may be found on our webpage.

Glenview established the dedication ordinance process after we learned about the many private roads in the City during the Glenview Area Plan (GAP) adoption. The City is not permitted to spend public funds on private property without a public purpose. For health and safety reasons, trash collection, winter road care, and supplemental police patrols are provided citywide on public and private roads. Private roads literally are private property, though they may be accessed by easement. Glenview will not repair, maintain, or resurface private roads. One of your neighbors spent a considerable amount of money out of his pocket fixing the private road in front of his home that was damaged when a storm uprooted one of his trees. Moreover, Glenview will not take steps to dedicate a private road when its owners have not unanimously complied with the ordinance's petition requirements.

ECOTECH

Just as a reminder the trash collection, yard waste and recycling schedule is below. If you are experiencing any missed pick-ups, please contact Clerk Administrator, Kacy DeVore, at (502) 292-1997.

Trash collection is twice per week at the rear of the residence or at the curb, whichever the resident prefers on **Tuesday and Friday**. The City of Glenview's contract offers each resident to be provided with one 96 gallon toter.

Yard waste is scheduled for **Monday** pickup. The yard waste must be at the end of your driveway, in the toter, or it must be cut and tied in 3-foot bundles. After Ecotech empties the toter you must stow it, a Glenview ordinance prohibits you from leaving it out.

Recyclables will be collected once per week on **Tuesday** at the curb in the 18 gallon bin provided. After Ecotech empties your container you must stow it, a Glenview ordinance prohibits you from leaving it out. Recycling services and materials collected for homes may include: Corrugated (cardboard), Plastics (including stretch film) numbers 1 through 7, Wood, Food products, Metal recycling - ferrous, non-ferrous, Office paper, Glass bottles and jars, Aluminium cans, Newspapers, Printers Scrap, Magazines, Phonebooks, etc.

SIGN REGULATION

Ordinance No. 3, Series 2004 is an ordinance regulating signs in the City of Glenview. Please keep in mind that no commercial advertisement is allowed on any lot, except when a lot (or house) is for sale, and 1 sign not more than 5 square feet in size may be placed on the lot for sale only. Political signs are permitted because the rules are different for political free speech and commercial free speech. In addition, signs are not permitted on public property, streets, rights-of-way, public utility poles, lamp posts, hydrants, trees or public easements. Please visit the City's webpage at www.glenviewky.gov for a complete listing of all the City's ordinances. Please remove all election signs once the election is over.

WEBPAGE

Please be sure and check the City of Glenview webpage for information, and the latest about things happening in the City. Please send Clerk Administrator DeVore your e-mail address if you would like to be added to the City's e-mail news group to receive the City of Glenview's latest news, my email address is clerkadmin@glenviewky.gov.

TREES

If a tree has fallen across the road first contact Harrod's Creek Fire Department (911 or 228-1351) to report the fall down. Second, call Clerk Administrator Kacy DeVore at 292-1997, and she will follow up with Harrod's Creek Fire Department and/or contact a tree removal service to clear the road. It is the City's responsibility to have public, not private roads cleared; it is not the

City's responsibility to remove the debris. Please let the fire department know of any down trees as soon as possible in case there is an emergency.

The City does not have an ordinance on how people are to keep their yard. The City has had calls in the past about trees falling down and about how long people take to cut, clean up and pick up the fallen debris. The City has never taken a position on this because we don't want to boss people on how or when to take care of their yard. Please take the good neighbor approach. All the City's ordinances are posted on the City's webpage, www.glenviewky.gov

HUNTING

Because of a change in the Kentucky Constitution, Glenview may not regulate and no longer has a prohibition on hunting. Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife establishes hunting rules and regulations, and is responsible for enforcement. No one is allowed to hunt on your property without your express permission. You may not have known this, but some folks hunt in Glenview, particularly for deer. Many waterfowlers frequently and legally hunt on the river. Do not be surprised if you hear gun reports. Sometimes fireworks are easily confused with the discharge of firearms. Glenview has no ordinances governing fireworks, or the discharge of firearms. State law is extensive on firearms regulation, and preempts local regulation. However, if someone is illegally hunting on your property, call law enforcement immediately.