



City of Glenview, Kentucky

THE GLENVIEW NEWSLETTER Spring 2011

MAYOR'S MESSAGE By: Richard M. Breen

The City of Glenview is on track to close the fiscal year on June 30, 2011 in the black, with a surplus. No red ink. Glenview does not deficit spend, and we have no debt. We had to watch the numbers very closely because we started the fiscal year with the major expense of resurfacing Woodside. We never know what the weather will be like, or the cost of salt, which makes the winter road care part of the budget difficult to project. But, it all worked out.

We voted unanimously to maintain the current tax rate, which is among the lowest in the Commonwealth of Kentucky. This is the eleventh consecutive year at the same rate, without a tax increase.

Attached to the newsletter are copies of the ordinances adopting the tax rate and the budget for the next fiscal year. Mailing them to you with the newsletter meets the legal publication requirement, and is more economical than publishing in the newspaper. Please know your City of Glenview government is dedicated to the frugal management of your tax dollars, and keeping Glenview's tax rate among the lowest in the Commonwealth. I hope you and your family have a safe, happy Summer.

Respectfully submitted,

Richard M. Breen

GLENVIEW UPDATE By: Kacy DeVore Clerk Administrator

LOUISVILLE PAVING

Louisville Paving has installed reflectors on Glenview Ave at River Road to make the turn onto Glenview Ave more visible at night.

The City has recently worked with Louisville Paving to repair potholes within the City. If you see any potholes that you feel need repairs please call Clerk Administrator Kacy DeVore at 292-1997 or email her at clerkadmin@glenviewky.gov.

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. Your contractors may not post signs advertising their roofing or remodeling company etc. A Political sign shall not be larger than 5 square feet in size and shall be located only on the lot owned. The height of any sign shall not exceed 3 ½ feet above the original ground level. 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.

CONSTRUCTION

Ordinance No. 4, Series 2000 relates to restrictions on days and times for construction work within the City of Glenview. Construction is not allowed after 6:00 pm and before 7:00 am on any weekday, or on any Saturday, Sunday or holiday. Construction activity is defined to be construction work involving equipment which would cause a nuisance to nearby residents. Remember to please be a good neighbor and follow all of the City's ordinances. Please visit the City's webpage at www.glenviewky.gov for a complete copy of this ordinance, and a listing of all the City's ordinances.

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.

HOMELAND PATROL SERVICES

The City of Glenview contracts with Police to patrol regularly throughout the City, if you see anything suspicious or are going on vacation and would like for them to know please call, Homeland Patrol Services, Sgt. Schwab at 376-1203.

INSURANCE TAX PREMIUMS

Insurance premium taxes have been discussed in the *GLENVIEW NEWSLETTER* on several occasions. The State of Kentucky provides a tax on insurance premiums. The City must be on record requesting the funds. Glenview went on record several years ago and this valuable revenue stream has helped to keep the Glenview property tax rate extremely low. Please make sure your agent or insurance company is aware that you live in Glenview. This is extremely important if you have a zip code other than 40025. If your insurance company is not aware that you live in Glenview the tax revenue will go to Metro Louisville by default. Attached are a few more stickers for your premium payments. Just affix them to the bill when you mail in the payment. If you need additional stickers contact the Clerk Administrator, Kacy DeVore at clerkadmin@glenviewky.gov or 292-1997.

PROPERTY TAX BILLS

Your 2011-2012 property tax bill will be mailed out in early July. Please be looking for them. A 5% discount is offered if the City receives payment before October 1, 2011. The face amount is due January 1, 2012.

WEBPAGE

Please be sure and check the City of Glenview webpage for information, and the latest about things happening in the City. Some residents were being directed to the old page that has been taken down, so there will be no more confusion. Please send Clerk Administrator DeVore your e-mail address if you would like to get added to the City's e-mail news group to receive the City of Glenview's latest news at clerkadmin@glenviewky.gov.