



## City of Glenview, Kentucky

### **THE GLENVIEW NEWSLETTER SUMMER 2010**

#### **MAYOR'S MESSAGE By: Richard M. Breen**

Glenview's fiscal year closes June 30, 2010, and we will be in the black with a surplus of at least \$20,000. We have no deficit spending in Glenview, and the City has no debt. Because of our sound financial condition, we voted at the last meeting to keep the tax rate the same at 13 cents per hundred. That rate has stayed the same for 10 years, and is one of the lowest in the Commonwealth. We would like to lower our taxes, but winter road care costs are totally unpredictable due to the weather and salt prices. We also approved the budget, same as last year's budget for gross revenue and expenditures.

Both the tax rate and budget ordinances are enclosed. By law, Glenview must publish them within 30 days of enactment, and has the option to mail them to you, or pay the Courier Journal to print them. To mail them is more work for Kacy, who makes the copies and stuffs the envelopes, but it is more economical for the City. By the way, Kacy is getting married on May 29, and will be on her honeymoon until June 6. I hope you and your family have a great Summer.

#### **GLENVIEW UPDATE**

**By: Kacy White  
Clerk Administrator**

#### **RUMPKE**

The City's contract with Rumpke is up for renewal June 30, 2010. The City asked for constituent input by newsletter and an e-mail blast to see which option worked best for their household:

**Option A:** Garbage pickup twice a week (Monday & Thursday) with yard waste collection on Mondays (current contract).

**Option B:** Garbage pickup and yard waste collection on Mondays only, with recycling pickup every other Thursday.

The City received a 23 to 10 vote, to keep the current contract. At the April meeting the City Commission did not think we had enough input, and wanted to send out another notice which was sent out by an e-mail blast, and ballots were placed at the Glenview Post Office. At the May meeting I reported that the vote was now 35 to 23 with the current contract still in the lead. The current contract (option A) has been approved and accepted for a 2-year extension. Thank you to everyone who gave their input.

### **HOMELAND PATROL SERVICES**

The City of Glenview contracts with Police to patrol regularly throughout the City, if you see anything suspicious please call them, Homeland Patrol Services, Sgt. Schwab at 376-1203. The City wanted to make you aware of a break-in on Longview Lane in mid May.

### **WOOSIDE ROAD**

Louisville Paving will resurface Woodside after July, 1 2010.

### **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 White at [Kwhite@glenviewky.gov](mailto:Kwhite@glenviewky.gov) or 292-1997.

### **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 recently been taken down, so there will be no more confusion. Please send Clerk Administrator White 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, her e-mail address is [kwhite@glenviewky.gov](mailto:kwhite@glenviewky.gov).

### **GLENVIEW'S PET ALERT**

Due to a lack of response, I've dropped the idea of having a Glenview Pet Alert program. My thanks to the ten who signed up to participate.

Thank you,  
Laurie Birnsteele