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Garbage Contract Awarded to Northshore Waste Control

The Village's request for proposals process for the provision of refuse, recycling, and landscape waste services has drawn to a successful conclusion. Residents will have the opportunity to select a level of service which meets their needs at a lower cost. The 3 year contract will go into effect on July 1, 1992.

A review the RFP process is in order. The specifications, or requirements, for the services were drafted by a staff team and were circulated to over 50 homeowner association presidents, community groups, and interested contractors. After the Village Board approved the final requirements, a meeting was held at the Village Hall for any interested contractors. Six companies attended the meeting and the specifications were discussed.

The Village received formal proposals from three companies: Best Recycling and Waste Services, Browning Ferris Industries, and Northshore Waste Control. Best (a division of Waste Management) proposed to include a revision of the Ordinance that granted approval of their transfer station located on Lehigh Avenue as part of the refuse contract negotiations. The Village Board stated that the issues were separate ones, and that the requirements contained in the transfer station ordinance were not part of the specifications for the contract.

The competing refuse haulers were given several opportunities to reduce the prices quoted. Monday, April 13 was established as the final deadline for amending prices quoted. After reviewing the prices and materials submitted, it was determined that the company which met the specifications in the best interest of the Village was Northshore Waste Control.

Northshore Waste Control is a division of USA Waste Systems, an independent refuse corporation located in Lake Bluff, Illinois. Northshore provides services in Highland Park, Wilmette, Lake Bluff, Long Grove, and other communities in the northeast corner of Illinois. Reference checks were completed, and Northshore has been determined to be qualified to provide the high quality of services Glenview residents deserve.

The new contract expands Glenview's highly successful recycling program. Plastics will be collected at the curb, removing more from the waste stream in a way that is convenient for residents. Most number 1 and 2 plastics will be collected. The recycling program will be extended to all multiple family dwellings, for example, Ammer Ridge, Orchard Glen, etc. These improvements to the recycling program were suggested by the Ad Hoc Recycling Advisory Committee.

The landscape waste collection and disposal program will be simplified and made more cost effective as a result of the new contract. Residents will have three options for landscape waste:

1. Residents can compost their materials, incurring no cost to dispose of landscape waste,
2. Residents can continue to use the pay by the bag method to dispose of landscape wastes, or
3. Residents can "subscribe" for landscape waste collection and disposal services, paying an annual fee for an unlimited number of bags of materials.

Residents with high volumes of landscape materials will benefit significantly from the subscription based price.

As with the choice between landscape waste options, residents will have great flexibility in selecting the type of refuse service that meets their needs. Residents will have a choice between once per week and twice per week service, and between curbside collection and back door collection.

In addition to the low monthly charges quoted by Northshore, the company has offered a 20% discount on the regular monthly charges for Glenview's senior and disabled residents. Heads of households who are 62 or older, or disabled, qualify for the 20% discount.

Glenview's proposed rates compare favorable with surrounding communities' rates. An interesting fact is that in a time of increasing costs for refuse disposal in general, Glenview has been able to avoid an increase in monthly garbage rates since 1987. In fact, they actually dropped in 1991. As a result of recycling efforts and the competitive "bidding" process, those rates are less today than in 1987. It should be noted that the 1987 prices included landscape waste collection, but nonetheless, the state law banning landscape wastes from landfills has had an impact on all communities -- which have in turn, established landscape waste programs with separate charges.

In conclusion, the company which meets the specifications in the best interest of the community is Northshore Waste Control. The company's track record in the other north shore communities it serves is good. The prices quoted for the services are extremely

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competitive and are considered the lowest of the prices submitted by the three companies. A special edition of the Village Report explaining the entire contract will be prepared shortly. Residents will also receive a postcard from Northshore Waste Control which will allow residents to select the level of service they desire. If you have any questions about the new contract, please contact Northshore Waste Control at 729-0035, or the Village Manager's Office at 724-1700, ext. 203.

New Refuse and Recycling Rates Effective July 1, 1992

	7/1/92 to 6/30/93	7/1/93 to 6/30/94	7/1/94 to 6/30/95
Once per week, Curbside	\$10.25	\$10.75	\$11.25
Twice per week, Curbside	\$13.50	\$14.00	\$14.50
Once per week, Back Door	\$14.00	\$14.75	\$15.50
Twice per week, Back Door	\$19.50	\$20.50	\$21.50
Landscape Waste Subscription (season)	\$50.00	\$52.00	\$56.00
Landscape Waste Pay-by-the-bag	\$1.50	\$1.50	\$1.75

Current rates for back door service (excluding the cost of the recycling program) are \$14.50 for once per week service and \$20.50 for twice per week service.

Navy/Village Stormwater Detention Projects Flowing Smoothly

The Village of Glenview and the Glenview Naval Air Station are pleased to announce detention pond on the base. The pond, the fifth one to go on line in the past two years, will further enhance the stormwater detention capacity on the Naval Air Station. The Navy will benefit greatly since the pond will reduce the likelihood of heavy rain flooding out the Base radar station, and of course the Village benefits since 65% of the Village is directly downstream of the stormwater outlets of the base.

As with the other ponds the construction of this detention facility has been a cooperative effort of both the Navy and the Village. Naval reservists and Seabees began the excavation of the pond last year. Concurrent with this effort, the Village Engineering Department undertook the design of the control structure that restricts the flow and crates the pond until the rain slows and the water can be released at a controlled rate. With the pond approximately 50% excavated, the Village took competitive bids and hired a contractor to install the control structure. That work is now complete. This coming summer, the Navy plans to excavate the remaining portion of the basin until its full capacity is achieved. Also on the schedule for this summer is the enlargement of a pond built in 1990. This pond already has a control structure in place and further excavation is all that is necessary to increase its capacity to control more stormwater run-off.

All of these improvements have been achieved through the cooperation between the Navy and the Village. We certainly want to re-affirm our thanks to the Navy for their extensive and continuing contribution to the Glenview community.

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Electrical System Work Good "Ohmen"

As part of a continuing program to improve electrical service reliability in the Glenview, Commonwealth Edison is replacing utility poles, wires and transformers in various areas of the community. In addition, some tree trimming will be performed as part of this work.

The following list shows the latest locations in which work is scheduled to be performed over the summer months. New utility poles for the first phase of this work are scheduled to be delivered as early as May.

Improvement work will take place in the following locations:

1. Within the area bounded by Washington (W), Shermer (E), Central Road (N), and Fontana Drive (S);
2. Within the area bounded by Greenwood Road (W), Park Lane (E), Terrace Lane (N) and just south of Gladish Lane (S);
3. Along Shermer Avenue north of Glenview Road;
4. Along Meadowlark south of Glenview Road;
5. Along Brassie Drive East of Meadowlark;
6. Along Clover south of Brassie Drive.

Community Bulletin Board

Announcements of upcoming nonprofit, nonsectarian, nonpartisan events of interest to a large part of the community will be included as space permits. Items for the June issue must reach the Village Hall by noon May 1.

Maestro Please! The Glenbrook South symphonic bands will present their annual Spring Concert in the Watson Auditorium on Wednesday, May 13 at 7:30 pm. The community is invited to join the bands for this music-filled evening. Admission is free. The Glenbrook South Jazz Bands present "Jazz Nite" on May 21 in the GBS cafeteria at 7:30. All are welcome and admission is free. The joint production of Glenbrook North and Glenbrook South High Schools for 1992 is "Fiddler on the Roof". Performances are from May 6 to 9, at 7:30 in the Glenbrook North Center for Performing Arts. Tickets in advance or at the door at \$6. Call 272-6400, ext. 242 for details.

The Glenview Optimist Club sponsors the local qualifying "**Junior World of Golf Championship**" on Sat. May 30 at the Glenview Naval Air Station Golf Course. Girls and boys who will be 15 but under 18 on July 20, 1992 may apply. Tee off times begin at 1 pm. To apply, contact your school golf coach, or John Barney at 724-5800.

Vehicle Registration to begin in May

The 1992-93 Village vehicle registration stickers and animal tags will go on sale May 1, 1992. During the first week of May, preprinted applications will be mailed to all current holders. Residents are requested to apply by mail so as to avoid long lines. When returning the applications, please return both parts of the form, making any necessary corrections. Remember, the deadline for displaying stickers is June 30, 1992, and penalties apply for late purchases. "*Special numbers will not be reserved.*"

Senior News

The Senior Services Department is located in the Village Hall on the lower level. A counselor is available Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday, 9 am to 4 pm, and Wednesday and Friday from 9 am to 12:30 pm for consultation with elderly residents and/or their families. For more information call 724-1700, ext. 232. See the "Senior News" display in the Finance Dept. (upper level) for important literature.

Circuit Breaker - Pharmaceutical Program:

Seniors and disabled persons whose total annual income in 1991 was less than \$14,000 can apply for a cash grant from the Illinois Department of Revenue. It is based on their level of income and their rent or property tax costs.

Those persons who need medications for high blood pressure, heart disease, arthritis and diabetes can also request a pharmaceutical card which dramatically reduces their costs.

Last year, the department imposed

a \$800 annual cap on the pharmaceutical benefits. The Suburban Area Agency on Aging is attempting to help those persons who have been shut out on the benefits because they had reached the cap before the date of expiration of their pharmaceutical card. Call the Senior Services Department at the Village Hall 724-1700, ext 232 or the North Shore Senior Center Counseling Department at 446-8751 for more information.

Senior Citizen Flea Market, Friday, May 15 from 10 am to 2 pm, at Rugen Center, 901 Shermer Rd.

Cable Corner



Tune into GVTV Channel 30 for an exciting new program all about your town!

On Saturday May 9, GVTV premieres "Bear Tracks" a monthly half hour video magazine. Glenview residents Vicki Jorik and Jim Sawyer host the show which this month features three stories shot outside the studio and one studio interview.

Police Chief David Kelly and Fire Chief Joe Robberson explain the benefits of the new 9-1-1 emergency number.

Four area Cub Scouts, along with den mother Bonnie Kersten, talk about the fun of scouting. Moms, Dads, and their avid reading offspring join Dana Kendler at the Glenview Public Library to talk about children's services there.

"Bear Tracks" also takes a look back at the Glenview Road reconstruction. The show closes with a selection from a 1990 Bear-Foot in the Park Concert selection by the Glenview Theatre Guild.

"Bear Tracks" premieres on Saturday and Sunday May 9 and 10 at 10:30 am, 4:30 pm, and 10:30 pm, and will be repeated throughout May.

Video Production Workshops begin Tuesday June 16. These free workshops teach residents the basics of video production. Attendees should be interested in joining the all volunteer Glenview Television Staff. You'll learn about cameras, microphones. Please call Mary Bennin Cardona, Director of Cable Services, at 724-1700, ext. 265 for registration information.

Tornado Tips

Move indoors and monitor television or radio reports whenever you observe severe weather conditions.

A tornado WATCH is issued when conditions are right for a tornado. Monitor weather reports and conditions and be prepared to take shelter.

A tornado WARNING covers a broad geographic area and means a tornado has been sighted and confirmed. Listen closely to the information contained in the warning. If a tornado is reported nearby, or moving your way, take protective cover immediately.

Tornado sirens located throughout the Village are activated by the Police Department to alert those out of doors that a tornado or funnel cloud sighting has been reported near the Village.

Portable weather alert radios (NOAA Weather radio) that turn on automatically when activated by the National Weather Service are available at many retail stores. These radios can alert those indoors who may not be aware of changing weather conditions.

When a tornado approaches:

- take cover inside a building;
 - if you are in mobile homes or vehicles, leave and take shelter in a substantial structure;
 - go to a windowless room near the center of the lowest level of the building; small rooms with short roof spans offer the greatest protection from flying objects and are less likely to suffer ceiling collapse;
- bring a flashlight and a battery operated radio to monitor weather reports;
- protect your head;
- if there is no nearby shelter, lie flat in the nearest ditch or ravine with your hands shielding your head.

The best ways to stay informed are to:

- keep your eye on the sky;
- listen for tornado sirens;
- monitor NOAA Weather radio;
- listen to radio or TV reports.

Motor Fuel Tax Street Improvement Projects Announced

The following is a list of streets to be resurfaced this spring and summer under Motor Fuel Tax (M.F.T.) funding. M.F.T. funds come from a state tax imposed on the sale of gasoline. Each community gets a certain dollar amount per person in the community. The M.F.T. dollars that are distributed can be used for street and other infrastructure improvements only.

Work will consist of removal and replacement of bituminous concrete (also known as "asphalt") deteriorated curb, gutter, and sidewalk where required, for those streets listed below with curb and gutter. For those roads listed without curb and gutter, the existing road surface will be overlaid with bituminous concrete. On both types of roads, necessary adjustments and repairs of sewer and water structures will be completed.

<u>Street</u>	<u>Limits</u>
Forest Road	Pavement Change to Cul-de-sac
Juniper Street	Pavement Change to Cul-de-sac
India n Road	Pavement Change to Cul-de-sac
Hunter Road	Pavement Change to Cul-de-sac
Country Lane	Overlook Drive to Central Parkway
Pam Anne Drive	Rugen Road to Lindenwood Lane
Rugen Road	Pfingsten Road to Limar Lane
Swainwood Drive; Buttonwood Lane	Spruce Drive to Roosevelt Avenue
McArthur Drive	Shermer Road to Harlem Avenue
Sioux Trail	Willow Road to Cul-de-sac
Lawson Road	Happy Hollow Road to West End
Indian Ridge	Landwehr Road to Osage Drive
Rugen Pump Station	Gate to West End (and Parking Lot)
Village Hall	Parking Lot

For more information about the M.F.T. improvement projects, please contact the Village's Engineering Department.

Bicycle/Public Auction

A public auction will be held at the Glenview Public Works Facility, 1333 Shermer Road, in the north parking lot, on Saturday, May 30, 1992. All items may be viewed at 9:00 a.m., with the auction starting shortly thereafter. Bicycles, radios, typewriters, and many other miscellaneous items will be sold to the highest bidder.