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One Village - One Future



Village of Hanover Park

November-December, 2014

The mission of the Village is to provide responsive and effective municipal services toward the goal of maintaining a good quality of life for residents and businesses within the community.

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A Year In Review

2014 was a great year for Hanover Park. In **January**, we started the year with our Annual Awards Reception, where we named our Youth of the Year and gave awards to several other deserving individuals.

In **March**, our annual "Business After Hours" event took place, hosted by the Village's CONECT Committee. This Mardi Gras themed evening is a popular networking event for local businesses.

The community pitched in and did their part for the Cultural Inclusion & Diversity Committee's Clean Up Day in **April**. We also celebrated Arbor Day with the students and teachers at Laurel Hill School.

In **May**, we held several events which included our semi-annual Coffee with the Board, DuPage River Sweep, Maxwell Street, and a Memorial Event. This same month, the Village also went live with our new Facebook Page.

As the weather started heating up in **June**, we had a Community Night at the Boomers Baseball Stadium, as well as our Touch-A-Truck and Food Truck event. A Relay for Life event also took place and was well attended. We closed the month with an Apiary Open House.



July was another great month for the Village, with our the Police Department hosting their COPS Day Picnic, and our Fire Department holding a Community Health and Safety Fair.

In **August**, the much awaited Education and Work Center opened in the Hanover Square Shopping Center. Our Annual Car Show was also a big hit in August, with proceeds benefitting the Hanover Park Community Resource Center.

September was another busy month, with our 9/11 Event, Maxwell Street and our Recycling Event all taking place. The Illinois Welcoming Center also had a Ribbon Cutting Event and is now open.

The Fire Department held their Open House in **October**, and a Blood Drive was also held, which helped in saving many lives.

In **November** we honored our Veterans at our Veterans Day event. Thank you to our Veterans!

December closed the year with our Annual Tree Lighting event, which is always great fun.

We wish you all the very best for 2015, and hope to see you at one of our many upcoming events.

Minute with the Mayor



Many thanks to the Medinah Christian School Choir who came to participate at our 9/11 Remembrance Ceremony. Herb Porter sang the National Anthem inspiring everyone who came with his remarkable voice.

The Holiday Season is quickly approaching - a time for families to come together and count their blessings. Take time to enjoy your family and friends during this special season.

Be sure to mark December 5, 2014 on your calendar, and join us for our annual **Tree Lighting Ceremony**. This fun-filled, family event is free and open to the public. Watching the streets come alive with the colors of the season is a sight to see!

Veterans' Day is upon us, and we will once again honor our Veterans during our **Veterans Events** on November 11th at the Village Hall at 7:00 p.m. We will hear from Lon Hodge - who will be accompanied by his Service Dog, Gander, recognize Veteran's that are present, honor those added to the Honor Roll, and also those who purchased Bricks. Thank you to **Horizon School**, and all other schools that open their doors to the Veteran's on Veteran's Day. The Veterans are so appreciative of the honor of speaking with the classes.

Well done to the **YMCA** for their support as the Fiscal Agent for the new Welcoming Center, which provides information and services to immigrant families. Additionally, the Campanelli YMCA is now part of the larger Golden Corridor YMCA's with Taylor YMCA and Camp Edwards. We look for greater inclusiveness for family quality of life and Child Care. The after-school programs have been quality and recognized as such for many years.



Many thanks to the Hanover Park Cert Team and Environmental Committee for their marvelous work at the Environmental Collection Day.

Finally, it continues to be my pleasure to represent the people of Hanover Park, our hometown. We cannot do it without you! Take the time to volunteer and give back to our wonderful town, at the schools, churches, or assisting on the playing field. We are a Village that believes all youth will achieve and have hope for success, together, we are finding ways to believe in our youth and together we can make a difference in Hanover Park.

Sincerely,

Rodney S. Craig, Village President
rcraig@hpil.org or [@rodrcraig](https://twitter.com/rodrcraig)



**Good for
\$20 OFF**
Hanover Park
Little League
Registration

**Hanover Park Little League
Registration Dates:**

Saturday, November 22nd 10 am-4 pm
Sunday, November 23rd 10 am-4 pm

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Village Clerk Eira Corral

**Deck the Homes Contest
Call for Nominations**

Submit nominations of homes that brighten up the winter nights with their creativity. Winners will be chosen in single and multi-family categories, and will be invited to attend a Village Board meeting and our Village Awards Night in January to receive a \$100 gift card and certificate.

Nomination Deadline is Wednesday, December 10th.



**Gubernatorial Election Day
November 4, 2014**

For more information, please visit the websites below:



Cook County Residents:
www.cookcountyclerk.com/

DuPage County Resident:
www.dupageco.org/election/

Coffee with the Board

**Saturday, November 8th
9:00 a.m.**

St. Ansgar Church,
2040 Laurel Avenue



Call the Village Clerk's Office for
additional information at 630-823-5602.

The Village of Hanover Park, Village Clerk - Eira L. Corral Presents:

A FROZEN WONDERLAND

The Ninth Annual
TREE LIGHTING CEREMONY

December 5, 2014

6:00 p.m.

Village Complex 2121 Lake Street
Hanover Park, IL 60133

For Information Contact: 630-823-5602



Season's Greetings

*from the Village President, Village Clerk and Board of Trustees.
We wish you a peaceful holiday and Happy New Year!*



Bill Cannon



James Kemper



Jenni Konstanzer



Jon Kunkel



Rick Roberts



Ed Zimel, Jr.

Your Village Board of Trustees

Police Department



Vehicles Left Running and Unattended

DON'T BE A VICTIM! MOVE IT OR LOSE IT!

30 seconds it takes for a thief to break into your car and steal your valuables!

20 seconds it takes you to at least move valuables into your trunk, out of sight!

Lock it. Or Lose it.

LOCK IT OR LOSE IT

With the cold temperatures approaching, some residents find it convenient to go out and start their vehicles to allow them to warm up, or they leave their vehicles running while they run into the convenience store for that cup of coffee. No one likes to get into a cold car. However, most vehicle thefts are crimes of opportunity, so don't make it easier for thieves to steal cars. If you must warm up your vehicle, stay with your vehicle. If you are out running errands and run into a store or business, please shut your vehicle off and lock it. Remember it is illegal to leave your vehicle running and unattended.

625 ILCS 5/11-1401 States that no person driving or in charge of a motor vehicle shall permit it to stand unattended without first stopping the engine,

locking the ignition, removing the key from the ignition, effectively setting the brake thereon and, when standing upon any perceptible grade, turning the front wheels to the curb side of the highway.

REMEMBER LOCK IT OR LOSE IT!



NEWS FROM THE COUCH
 By: *Tricia Rossi, LCSW*
Police Department Social Worker

Bullying: How Parents Can Help Their Children

For children who are bullied, going to school can be a painful and frightening experience. According to the National Education Association, every day nearly 160,000 children miss school because they are scared of bullying. Bullying can lead to poor academic performance, social isolation, low self-esteem, depression and substance abuse. Bullying is when kids use their power - such as physical strength, access to embarrassing information, or popularity - in an aggressive and unwanted way to control or harm others. Bullying includes actions such as making threats, sending mean text messages or emails, attacking someone physically or verbally, purposely excluding someone from a group, and spreading rumors on social networking sites.

If your child is being bullied, you can help. Parents are often the best resources to build a child's self-confidence and teach him or her how to best solve problems. Teach your child nonviolent ways to deal with bullies like walking away, talking things out, or forming alliances with other friends. Encourage kids to stand up for themselves and others verbally, not violently.

Report all bullying to school administrators and work with them on a resolution. You can also file a police report if the behavior is criminal in nature or if it happens outside of school. Children who are being bullied may also benefit from counseling in order to create a safe place where they can express their feelings openly. As a community, we can work together to ensure the safety of our children so we can help them succeed both inside and outside the classroom.

New Law Regarding Sign and Drive



On August 9, Governor Pat Quinn signed a new law to end the practice of posting a valid driver's license as security for traffic citations in Illinois. The "Sign and Drive" law will allow motorists to sign a promise to follow the terms of the citation for certain minor traffic offenses. The law change goes into effect January 1, 2015.

Winter Parking Regulations

Village Ordinance 62-11-1323
Limited parking for snow removal

It shall be unlawful to park any vehicle on any public street in the village at any time within 24 hours after a snowfall of two inches or more has occurred, except on those streets where late night parking is permitted in section 62-11-1327(b). Vehicles shall be parked only on the side of the street on the day during which late night parking is permitted.

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[www.facebook.com/
HanoverParkPoliceDepartment](http://www.facebook.com/HanoverParkPoliceDepartment)



Fire Department

The Importance of Building Permits and Inspections

There are many reasons to obtain a building permit and have the required inspections done for your project. **Following these procedures will help to protect the value of your property.** It is a common practice for realtors to request copies of all permits and inspections for a property before their client completes the purchase. If work was done without a permit, the new owner becomes responsible for any work that was done incorrectly. This can cause a substantial reduction in the sale price to cover any work that was not done per code. Many financial institutions will not finance a purchase without proof of final inspection.

Work done without a permit and inspection can be unsafe. An improperly installed furnace or water heater can cause deadly carbon monoxide poisoning. It is also possible to get sick from plumbing work that is done incorrectly. The permitting and inspection process ensures that your project will meet minimum standards of safety, helps maintain the value of your home or business, and generally ensures the public's health, safety, and welfare.

The Village of Hanover Park Fire Department – Inspectional Services Division, is responsible for building permits and inspections in the Village. The best way to find out if a permit is required is to call the Inspectional Services Division. We can discuss your project, determine whether a permit is required, and what submittals will be needed to obtain a permit.

The Inspectional Services Division is located in the east wing of Village Hall. Business hours are 8:00 am through 4:30 pm, Monday through Friday. Our phone number is 630-823-5860 and our email address is iservices@hpil.org. You may also download a variety of informational forms from the Village's website.

The goal of the division is to provide customer assistance to help residents and business move from project concept to completion and occupancy.

The Inspectional Services Division also manages the Village's Health and Sanitation – Food Services Program, as well as business licensing inspections, commercial property inspections and all fire protection and life safety inspections.

Keep the Wreath Red Program

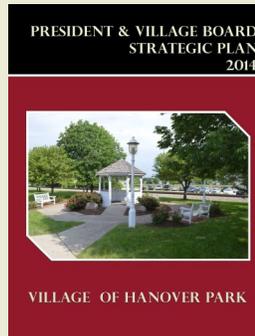


"Keep the Wreath Red" is a holiday fire safety program designed to increase fire safety awareness. In the event of a holiday-related fire, firefighters will replace one of the red bulbs with a white one. The goal is to keep the bulbs on the wreath red. This program is a constant reminder for citizens to use proper care when creating holiday displays that include lights, electrical cords, candles, Christmas trees and other decorations.

Village Adopts Updated Strategic Plan

The Village has adopted a new 2014 Strategic Plan. In the fall of 2013, the Village began the year long process of updating its comprehensive Strategic Plan, which will guide decision making for the next 3 years.

Fire Chief Craig A. Haigh, who helped facilitate development of the new plan, said, "The goal of the update process was to develop a written plan that is used daily to guide overall decision making. The plan is a living document that provides guidance, but is not so restrictive that it can't be adjusted and realigned to address changing demands within a dynamic community."



The process undertaken to develop the plan was multifaceted in nature and involved elected officials and senior staff. The groups looked at the Village as a whole and completed an in-depth analysis that focused on the Village's strengths and weaknesses as well as opportunities and threats. This analysis was then compared against our current operating environment, as well as the community's culture and values.

Based on the findings of the analysis, five focus areas were identified:

1. Fiscal Health of the Village
2. Focused economic development and redevelopment
3. Maintenance and enhancement of the Village's infrastructure
4. Effective governance
5. Community Image and Identity

Multiple goals and key outcome indicators were developed to target each of these areas. Village Manager Juliana Maller believes that the plan is aggressive but necessary in order to strengthen the Village's position in the competitive Chicagoland economic development market.

Mayor Rodney S. Craig said, "This plan is a marvelous opportunity to move the Village forward and will be used as a roadmap for success." The plan will focus on the next three years and will again be updated in 2017.

2014 CPR and First Aid Schedule

Date	Class
November 15	Heartsaver CPR/AED
December 20	HCP CPR

- Classes begin at 8:00 a.m. at Fire Station No. 1
- CPR and First Aid Fees: Resident \$30, Non-Resident \$50
- HCP CPR Fee: Resident and Non-Resident \$65.
- Call Administrative Assistant Robin Dubiel at 630-823-5803 for more information.



Public Works

2014 Environmental Award Nominees Sought

The Environmental Committee is seeking nominations for its 2014 Environmental Award. Businesses, non-profit entities, education institutions and private residents are all eligible to be nominated. The following criteria are used to evaluate the nominees.

- * Environmental Impact
- * Workplace Impact
- * Participation in Regional Activities
- * Environmental Projects



Nomination criteria and submittal information can be obtained at the Public Works Department or by calling the Environmental Hotline at 630-823-5706.

Past Recipients:

- 2009 – Suburban Tire
- 2010 – Residents Roger and Leslie Stavnem
- 2011 – First Eagle Bank
- 2012 – Liz Johnson/Walgreens, 2040 Army Trail Road

Nomination Deadline - December 5th

Holiday Trash Pick Up Schedule

Due to the approaching holidays, residential refuse pick up will be collected according to the following schedule:



Thanksgiving: Pick up will occur on Saturday, November 29th

Christmas: Pick up will occur on Saturday, December 27th

New Years: Pick up will occur on Saturday, January 3rd

*Please note that the final curbside yard waste collection will be on **Saturday, November 29th.***

Holiday Light Recycling



Recycle your old holiday lights and extension cords at the Public Works Department.

Drop off your old decorations between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

The Village accepts these items throughout the year.

Christmas Tree Recycling

Christmas trees will be recycled throughout the Village on Friday, January 9th and Friday, January 16th.



Place your Christmas tree in the parkway and follow these guidelines:

- Do not put trees in plastic bags.
- Remove the stand, decorations, lights, garland, tinsel, and metal (such as nails).
- Dispose of artificial or natural wreaths in regular household garbage.
- Do not place artificial trees at the curb for recycling.
- Set your tree out on the above dates. If you miss the special collection dates, Allied Waste Services will collect Christmas trees with your regular garbage and refuse collection.

This service is provided to homeowners associations not regularly serviced by Allied Waste Services.

Questions? Call the Village at 630.823.5700 or Allied Waste Services at 630.469.1036 or 847.429.7370.

Veterans Memorial and War Dog Statue

The Veterans Committee invites you to help grow the Village's Veterans Memorial by purchasing an engraved brick, sponsorship or by donating to the installation of a War Dog.

To participate visit us online at www.hpil.org or call the Department of Public Works at 630.823.5700.



Mail all donations for the War Dog statue to:

War Dog Memorial
Village of Hanover Park
Public Works Department
2041 Lake Street,
Hanover Park, IL 60133

*(Be sure to include your name, address, and donation amount.)
Donations are tax deductible.*

Holiday Lights Reminders:

Code Enforcement

Pursuant to Village Code 30-1(590.3B) holiday lights must be taken down within 90 days of the holiday. Christmas lights must be down by April 1st.

Community & Economic Development

You are invited to Attend

a

Realtor & Business Reception

*Hosted by Hanover Park
Business CONECT Committee*

Wednesday, November 5th

5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Hanover Park Park District

1919 Walnut Avenue

Hanover Park, IL 60133

Network and promote your business with other local business owners, Elected Officials, Village staff, representatives from your local Chamber of Commerce and others while enjoying wine samplings and appetizers.

Want to Showcase your Business??

Contact Kathleen Arnold to register for exhibitor space.

630.823.5778 or karnold@hpil.org



Learn why Hanover Park is "Where you Want to Be!"

Hosted by:
Hanover Park Business
CONNECT Committee



Spotlight on Businesses



2003 Irving Park Rd
Hanover Park, IL 60133
224-236-5045
www.dulcevidajuicebar.com

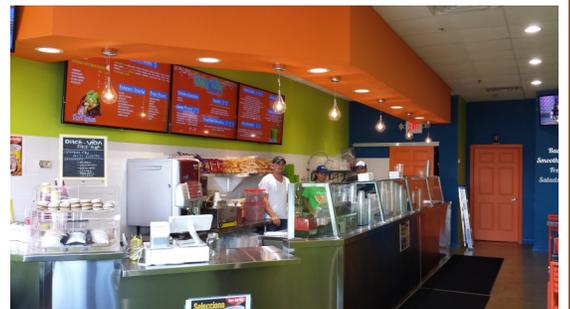
Hours: Open 6 a.m. to 10 p.m. 7 days a week

The Village of Hanover Park would like to welcome Dulce Vida Juice Bar to our town! They recently opened their doors and will be hosting a Ribbon Cutting/Grand Opening Ceremony in the early part of November.

Dulce Vida is located directly across the street from Streamwood Bowl and west of East Ave on Irving Park Road. The business is owned by Roberto Salazar and Gregorio Hernandez and this makes the second business for both of them. Roberto Salazar has owned and operated another Hanover Park business, Taco Patio, for over six years, and Gregorio Hernandez has owned a similar business in Melrose Park named La Dulce Vida Neveria for over four years.

The focus of Dulce Vida Juice Bar is to offer healthy options to for their patrons in the form of Fresh squeezed juices; fruit infused ice cream and salads.

The prices range from \$4.00 to \$7.00 dollars for smoothies and shakes—12 ounces to 32 ounces for Fresh Fruit Smoothies, Green Smoothies, Natural Juices, etc., and for ice cream you have the option of large or small. Trust me, you will want to go with the large for the Mango ice cream - it's delicious!! Be sure to stop in and welcome them to the neighborhood! Look for their coupon on page 9.





2013 Mayor's Choice Business of the Year

7406 Jenson Boulevard
Hanover Park, IL
630.830.8899

Bungalow Joes
(Hanover Park Location Only)

Receive Half Off a
"Large 4 ingredient Pizza"
(\$16.00 Value)

Valid only with coupon.
Expires April 30, 2015

Check us out on Facebook.



A & A Music Academy
27W281 Devon Ave
Hanover Park IL
630.837.7484

A & A Music Academy
Buy 3 Get One FREE
Private music lessons
(Piano, Guitar, Violin & Band)

Valid only with coupon.
Expires April 30, 2015

32 Years as your Neighborhood
Music Academy
www.aamusicacademy.com



5600 Arlington Dr. E
Hanover Park, IL
630.837.6307

Mini Steps
(Hanover Park Location Only)

Receive \$175 off Registration
Fee 1 Week Free

Valid only with coupon.
Expires April 30, 2015

www.ministepschildcare.com

HANOVER PARK
COMMUNITY BANK™
A WINTRUST COMMUNITY BANK

Member FDIC.
Equal Housing Lender.
1400 Irving Park Road
Hanover Park, IL
630.837.2700

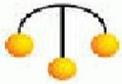
Hanover Park
Community Bank

Receive \$100 when you open a
Total Access Checking Account and
sign up for Direct Deposit.

(See personal banker for offer details.)
Valid only with coupon.
Expires April 30, 2015

www.hanoverparkbank.com/shop

Pawn Shop



7201 Olde Salem Circle
Hanover Park, IL
630-855-6896

Pawn Shop

10% off retail with this coupon.
(Corner of Irving Park Rd
and Wise Rd)

We're open 7 days a week.

Valid only with coupon.
Expires April 30, 2015

*Troyka Appraisal
Services, Inc.
Charles F. Troyka*

2071 Irving Park Rd,
Suite 202
Hanover Park, IL
630-736-9055

Troyka Appraisal Services, Inc.

Residential Appraisal \$250.00
Divorce, Estates, Tax Appeals,
Estimates of Market Values

*Additional Charges may apply

Valid only with coupon.
Expires April 30, 2015



MayJean

1801 Irving Park Road
Hanover Park, IL
630-830-2720

May Jean Market

\$2 off a purchase of \$20
or more of groceries only.

Must present coupon.

Valid only with coupon.

Expires April 30, 2015



6614 Barrington Road
Hanover Park, IL
630-830-4488

Chang Brothers
Taekwondo Academy

\$99.00 for 1 month of classes
and a free uniform.

Valid only with coupon.

Expires April 30, 2015

www.cbtausa.com



7450 Barrington Rd
Hanover Park, IL
630.289.8900

USA Payday Loans
1st PLRA Loan up to \$300
Interest Free
(New Customers)
Payday/Title/Installment Loans
(Restrictions Apply)
Expires April 30, 2015
www.USAPaydayLoanStore.com
Payday Advances should be used for
short-term financial needs only, not as
a long-term financial solution.
Customers with credit difficulties
should seek credit counseling.



7300 Barrington Road
Hanover Park, IL
630.540.9461

PLS Financial Services, Inc.
(Hanover Park Location Only)

Get \$25 Cash back with
minimum loan of \$350.00

One coupon per First time Customer
(Visit Store for Details.)
Valid only with coupon.

Expires April 30, 2015

www.plsfinancial.com



1114 Lake Street
Hanover Park, IL
630-855-2664

Rerun Trading Post

10% off any item
Come see our new
store near Caputo's

Valid only with coupon.
Expires April 30, 2015

Check us out on eBay
www.reruntradingpost.com



5533 Country Farm Rd
Hanover Park, IL
630-855-5465

Fair View Tax &
Accounting Services
Cheryl Winter

\$60 off tax preparation fees.
Coupon must be presented before
March 30, 2015.

Valid only with coupon.



5533 Country Farm Rd
Hanover Park, IL
630-736-2792

Country Financial
Cheryl Winter
Insurance Agent

Free Insurance
and Financial Review

Valid only with coupon.
Expires April 30, 2015

cheryl.winter@countryfinancial.com



2003 Irving Park Rd
Hanover Park, IL
224-236-5045

Dulce Vida Juice Bar

Buy any 32oz. Juice and get 1
Free 12oz. Juice
Orange, Carrot or Grapefruit
Limit 1 per person, per day.

Valid only with coupon.
Expires April 30, 2015

www.dulcevidajuicebar.com

Construction Highlights



Westview Shopping Center, 7500 Barrington Rd.

In conjunction with new tenants, a new façade will be installed on the existing shopping center, including stone columns, metal awnings and refinished walls and roofing in a warm color palette.



Westview Shopping Center Outlot, 7600 Barrington Rd.

Zoning approvals have been granted for a new outlot building at the center to replace the former Baker's Square restaurant. The design of the building will coordinate with upgrades to the main building and provide spaces for 3 new retail tenants.



Hanover Park Community Bank, 6800 Barrington Rd.

The bank is relocating from its current location along Irving Park Road to a new building at the location of the former Mobil gas station. The design will correlate with the neighboring Fire Station and provide space for a community room.

Welcome New Businesses

Cheryl Winter Insurance Agency
5533 County Farm Road

Chiro Center
7315 Cumberland Drive

Corrigan Moving & Storage
4800 Gary Avenue

Dulce Vida Juice Barr LLC
2003 Irving Park Road

Premier Furniture
7470 Barrington Road



Finance Department

Rate as of	WATER & SEWER RATES		
	Jan 1, 2013	Jan 1, 2014	Jan 1, 2015
Service/Infrastructure Fee	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$25.00
Water Rate (per 1,000 gallons)	\$7.07	\$8.13	\$9.35
DuPage Cty Sewer Rate (per 1,000 gallons)	\$5.25	\$5.41	\$5.57
Cook Cty Sewer Rate (per 1,000 gallons)	\$1.95	\$2.01	\$2.07

Water and Sewer Rates

Effective January 1, 2015, the Village’s water and sewer rates will change as part of the four-year rate adjustment approved on March 1, 2012. The \$25.00 service/infrastructure fee that replaced the 12,000 gallon minimum bill will remain in place to ensure that all residents pay an equal amount to help recover the costs of infrastructure replacement, repairs and overhead associated with supplying water. Some of the Village’s water and sewer infrastructure is over 50 years old and in need of replacement. Seniors who were exempt from the minimum bill will be exempt from the service charge. Residents enrolled in the Illinois Circuit Breaker Program can apply for an exemption from the service charge as well.



On January 1, 2015, the Village’s water rate will increase from \$8.13 to \$9.35 for each 1,000 gallons of water used. The City of Chicago, who supplies the Village with water, set a four-year rate increase starting with 25% in 2012, and an additional 15% each year for 2013, 2014 and 2015. The new sewer rate for Cook County residents is \$2.07 for each 1,000 gallons of water used. The new sewer rate for DuPage County residents is \$5.57 for each 1,000 gallons used. These were increased by 2% to cover the costs of inflation. Cook County resident’s sewer rates are lower as they pay an additional sewer charge on their real estate tax bills to the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District, while DuPage County residents submit their entire payment to the Village which provides their complete sewer service. Please contact the Village’s Water Billing Division at 630-823-5799 with any questions.

2014-2015 Michael H. Coleman Youth of the Year Scholarship Program

The Village of Hanover Park is seeking candidates for the 2014-2015 Michael H. Coleman Youth of the Year Award.

This award positively reinforces the outstanding qualities of our young people and publicly acknowledges their efforts.

2014-2015 Scholarship Program

Michael H. Coleman

Youth of the Year

This honor is bestowed on a high school senior (Class of 2015) and is accompanied by a \$1,000 scholarship awarded to the Youth the Year. There are also three \$500 scholarships awarded to the runner ups. The winner of the Youth of the Year Scholarship will be announced at the Village Awards’ Reception in January 2015.

Applicants must live in the Village of Hanover Park and write a one page essay sharing how they have been involved in improving both themselves and the Village, and merits they wish to be considered by the review team. They must also, include a letter of recommendation from a teacher, coach, or employer, etc. Letters may not be submitted by family members.

For more information, or to be sent a scholarship application, please call 630.823.5609 or visit our web site at www.hpil.org.

APPLICATION DEADLINE - Friday, December 5

2014 Mayor’s Choice Business of the Year Award

Nominate your favorite business! All residents and businesses are encouraged to nominate an outstanding Hanover Park business. Businesses are encouraged to nominate themselves.

- Categories:** Small Business with 50 or less employees
Large Business with 51 or more employees

Entrants must be located in Hanover Park and will be judged on the following criteria:

- Community Involvement
- Excellence in Customer Service
- Positive Image and Appearance
- Longevity in Hanover Park

Nominations can be found on the Village’s website at www.hpil.org, emailed to communitydevelopment@hpil.org or mailed to: Village of Hanover Park, Community Development, 2121 Lake Street, Hanover Park, IL 60133

New this year: People’s Choice
Once nominated, businesses can advertise and get voted for by their customers to win the People’s Choice Award.

Application Deadline - Friday, November 28



Visit Your Hanover Park Chamber of Commerce Website

- Become a Member
- Seek Job Opportunities
- Attend Upcoming Chamber Events

www.hanoverparkchamber.com
exec@hanoverparkchamber.com
847.727.5393

COMMUNITY EVENTS



“Flash Fiction Writing Contest”, Hanover Park Branch Library Runs thru Nov 15
Teens ages 12-19 are invited to enter. Go to teen/schaumburglibrary.org for contest details.



“Read to a Dog” Hanover Park Branch Library-Children ages 6-14 are invited from 4-5 p.m. on Thursday, Nov. 6. Call (630) 372-7800 to register for a free 15-minute session.



Holiday Toy Drive and Sponsor-A-Family

Applications are now being accepted at:
Hanover Township Community Center,
7431 Astor Avenue, Hanover Park.

- Families facing financial hardship can apply Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays from 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM.
- The last day to submit an application for Sponsor-A-Family will be on Friday, November 14.
- Applications for the toy drive will be accepted through Monday, December 15.
- For questions or more information, please contact the Hanover Township Astor Ave. Community Ctr. at 630-540-9085



Hanover Township’s Holiday Meal Box Giveaways

are set. Residents need to bring a valid ID and Food Pantry card or utility bill.

- **Thanksgiving giveaway:** Tuesday, November 25, from 8:00AM to 10:00AM, or while supplies last at the Hanover Township Main Campus, 250 S. IL Route 59 in Bartlett.
- **December Holiday giveaway:** Monday, December 22 from 10:00AM to 12:00PM, or while supplies last at St. John Evangelist Catholic Church, 502 S. Park Blvd, Streamwood.
- For questions or more information please contact Hanover Township Welfare Services at 630-540-9085.



Realtor & Business Reception - November 5

Hosted by Hanover Park CONECT Committee
At Hanover Park Park District - 1919 Walnut
5:00 pm - 7:00 pm. See Page 7 for details.



Veterans’ Day Event - November 11

Village Hall Veterans’ Memorial
2121 Lake Street
7:00 pm



Tree Lighting Ceremony - December 5

Frozen Winterland - 6:00 pm
Village Hall Complex - 2121 Lake Street
See Page 3 for more details.



Municipal Center Holiday Closings:

November 27 & 28
December 24 & 25
January 1, 2015

Village Calendar

November, 2014

Date	Meeting/Event	Time	Location
2	Historical Committee	9:00 a.m.	Municipal Ctr.
5	Realtor & Business Recep.	5:00 p. m.	Park District
6	Village Board Meeting	7:00 p.m.	Room 214
8	Coffee with the Board	9:00 a.m.	St. Ansgar
11	Veteran’s Memorial	7:00 p.m.	Room 214
11	CONECT Committee	12:30 p.m.	Room 214
11	Sister Cities Committee	7:00 p.m.	PD Comm. Rm.
12	STAARS Program	6:00 p.m.	Municipal Ctr.
13	Development Commission	7:00 p.m.	Room 214
13	Citizen Corps Council	6:00 p.m.	PD Comm. Rm.
15	Heartsaver CPR/ACD	8:00 a.m.	Fire Station #1
18**	CIDC	6:15 p.m.	Room 214
19	Cook County Water Bills Due		
20	Village Board Meeting	7:00 p.m.	Room 214
25	Finance Committee	4:30 p.m.	Room 101
25	Environmental Committee	7:00 p.m.	Room 214

December, 2014

Date	Meeting/Event	Time	Location
4	Village Board Meeting	7:00 p.m.	Room 214
5	Tree Lighting Ceremony	6:00 p.m.	Municipal Ctr.
7	Historical Committee	9:00 a.m.	Municipal Ctr.
9	CONECT Committee	12:30 p.m.	Room 214
9	Sister Cities Committee	7:00 p.m.	PD Comm. Rm.
10	STAARS Program	6:00 p.m.	Municipal Ctr.
11	Development Commission	7:00 p.m.	Room 214
16	**CIDC	6:15 p.m.	Room 214
16	DuPage County Water Bills Due		
19	Village Board Meeting	7:00 p.m.	Room 214
20	HCP CPR	8:00 a.m.	Fire Station #1

**CIDC—Cultural Inclusion & Diversity Committee

Daylight Savings Time ends Sunday, November 2nd at 2:00 a.m.

Remember to set your clocks back one hour and change the batteries of your inside smoke alarms.





Hi-Lighter

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Important Telephone Numbers

Police, Fire & Ambulance - 9-1-1

Community & Economic

Development 630.823.5780
 Municipal Building 630.823.5600
 Police Information 630.823.5500
 Public Works Dept. 630.823.5700
 Fire Department 630.823.5800
 Finance Department 630.823.5790
 Water Billing 630.823.5799

Code Enforcement Hotline 630.823.5572

Municipal Building fax 630.823.5786
 Police Department fax 630.823.5499
 Public Works fax 630.823.5704

Village Board Meetings:

Meetings are held the first and third Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m. at the Municipal Building, 2121 Lake Street.

Standing committee meetings:

Call the Village Clerk's Office at 630.823.5601 for dates, times and locations of the following regularly scheduled meetings or [visit www.hpil.org](http://www.hpil.org)

- Development Commission
- Hanover Park CONECT Committee
- Sister Cities Committee
- Environmental Committee
- Cultural Inclusion & Diversity Comm.
- Veteran's Committee

Curfew hours:

For those under 17 years of age are 10:00 p.m. Sunday-Thursday, and 11:00 p.m. on Friday and Saturday.

Neighborhood Watch:

Interested in becoming a Neighborhood Watch block captain? Contact 630.823.5635 for more information.

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For questions or concerns regarding Village services, call 630.823.5600.

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Making Hanover Park "Where you want to Be!"

You are our "eyes and ears" in your resident and business neighborhoods, and your input and feedback is appreciated in helping us do the best job possible. Let us know what you think by faxing (630-823-5607), mailing or emailing (skrauser@hpil.org) your advice, suggestions, or questions.

We Want Your Input on the Hi-Lighter Newsletter!



Do you have ideas of topics that you, as a resident or business in Hanover Park, would like to see in our Hi-Lighter Newsletter? What would be beneficial to you to read or learn about? We want your input!!

Please let us know how we can make this newsletter better, by sending your ideas to us at communitydevelopment@hpil.org or call us at 630-823-5780.

Did you also know that, besides our Hi-Lighter Newsletter, the Village has other informational resources available to you?

Cable Channel 17 - Available to both Comcast and AT&T subscribers, our cable channel lists information on upcoming events, Village services, and other announcements and important information.

Website - Visit us at www.hpil.org

Facebook Page - Be sure to like our Facebook page at www.facebook.com/VillageofHanoverPark to get up-to-date information and announcements.

eNewsletter - You can sign up for this valuable resource by visiting our website. Our eNewsletter is delivered to your e-mail address and contains timely information and announcements.

eAlerts - Our eAlerts are sent out as needed when there is emergency or time sensitive information that we need to get out to our residents and businesses. This can also be signed up for by visiting our website at www.hpil.org and clicking on "Join our Mailing List" under Community Services on the right side of the page.

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Village Hall Hours:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
 Thursday 8:00 a.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Elected Officials:

Village President - Rodney S. Craig
Village Clerk - Eira L. Corral

Village Trustees:

- William Cannon, Trustee
- James Kemper, Trustee
- Jenni Konstanzer, Trustee
- Jon Kunkel, Trustee
- Rick Roberts, Trustee
- Edward J. Zimel, Jr., Trustee

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