### VILLAGE OF GLENCOE HUMAN RELATIONS FORUM

Regular Meeting Village Hall Hagenah Conference Room 675 Village Court

Wednesday, March 26, 2014 6:30 p.m.

### AGENDA

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### 1. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

Reverend David Wood, Chairman
Scott Pearce, Village Board Representative
Paula Alexander, Forum Member
Margot Flanagin, Forum Member
Peggy Wagner-Kimble, Forum Member
John O'Dwyer, Forum Member
Hilary Price, Forum Member
Rabbi Steven Stark Lowenstein, Forum Member
Cary Lewandowski, Ex-officio Member

- 2. APPROVE MINUTES FROM FEBRUARY 19, 2014 MEETING
- 3. PUBLIC COMMENT
- 4. <u>INTRODUCTION OF NEW HUMAN RELATIONS FORUM MEMBER,</u> JOHN O'DWYER
- 5. COMMUNITY OPEN HOUSE EVENT
- 6. FOURTH OF JULY
- 7. OTHER BUSINESS
- 8. ADJOURN

## Village of Glencoe Human Relations Forum

## Meeting Minutes February 19, 2014

### 1. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

The meeting of the Glencoe Human Relations Forum, held in the Village Hall, Hagenah Conference Room, was called to order at 6:38 p.m. on the 19th day of February, 2014 by Chairperson Wood.

The following members were present:

Reverend David Wood, Chairperson Scott Pearce, Village Board Representative Paula Alexander Cary Lewandowski, Ex-officio Member

The following members were absent:

Margot Flanagin Peggy Wagner-Kimble Karen Parker (resigned, no longer a Glencoe resident) Hilary Price Rabbi Steven Stark Lowenstein

### Also in attendance:

Deborah Cogan, ex-Chairperson Phil Kiraly, Village Manager

# 2. <u>APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM THE NOVEMBER 20, 2013 MEETING</u> The minutes of the November 20, 2013 meeting were approved - Motion by Member Pearce, Second by Member Alexander, all in favor.

### 3. PUBLIC COMMENT TIME

None – There were no members from the public in attendance.

# 4. <u>INTRODUCTION OF NEW HUMAN RELATIONS FORUM CHAIR,</u> REVEREND DAVID WOOD

Deborah Cogan said farewell and welcomed Reverend David Wood as her replacement. She pointed out the critical role the Forum plays in Village government. Reverend Wood introduced himself to the group, stating that he was looking forward to engaging in community service through the Forum. Village Manager Phil Kiraly and Forum members likewise introduced themselves to Reverend Wood and the membership.

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### 5. OTHER BUSINESS

Chairperson Wood initiated a conversation regarding the definition of the Forum's mission, with a focus on engaging Glencoe residents. Members discussed the use of community events and dialogues to determine what residents expect from Village government, which will help define and focus that mission for the long term. A short term project will involve providing an opportunity to introduce newly hired staff to the community, specifically Phil Kiraly and Cary Lewandowski. A possible venue for this initial event will be a combined Village Hall / Public Safety Department Open House conducted in the Spring. Further details will be discussed at the next Forum meeting.

### 6. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 7:51 p.m. - Motion by Member Pearce, Second by Member Alexander, all in favor.

Next Meeting: Scheduled for Wednesday March 19, 2014 at 6:30 p.m.