

VILLAGE OF GLENCOE
HUMAN RELATIONS FORUM
Wednesday, September 21, 2011
6:30 p.m.

Regular Meeting
Village Hall Hagenah Conference Room
675 Village Court

A G E N D A

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1. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

Deborah Cogan, Chairman
Keki Bhote, Forum Member
Patricia Cantor, Forum Member
Margot Flanagan, Forum Member
Joel Heifitz, Forum Member
Peggy Wagner-Kimble, Forum Member
Pamela Louik, Forum Member
Hilary Price, Forum Member
Rabbi Steven Stark Lowenstein, Forum Member
Mike Volling, Ex-officio Member

2. APPROVAL OF AUGUST 17, 2011 MINUTES

3. PUBLIC COMMENT

4. VEHICLE STICKER CONTEST

5. GLENCOE "LIGHT THE NIGHT"

6. WEBSITE

7. OTHER BUSINESS

8. ADJOURN

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MEETING MINUTES

August 17, 2011

6:30 p.m.

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 6:42 p.m. on the 17th day of August, 2011.

The following members were present:

Deborah Cogan, Chairperson
Hillary Price
Peggy Wagner-Kimble
Keki Bhote
Joel Heifitz
Rabbi Lowenstein
Mike Volling, Ex-officio member

The following members were absent:

Patricia Cantor
Margot Flanagin

2. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES FROM THE JUNE 15, 2011 MEETING

An error in the minutes of June 15, 2011 was noted as it mistakenly listed Rabbi Bronstein as making the motion to adjourn. It should have read Rabbi Lowenstein. The correction was made and meeting minutes of June 15, 2011 were approved.

Motion by Member Heifitz, Second by Member Rabbi Lowenstein.

3. JULY 4TH EVENTS

Discussion was held on the 4th of July festivities. The Talent Show was well received with a good turnout. There were all new acts this year as none of the previous year acts returned. Member Price related that could use more help in the green room next year. The Talent Show will be repeated next year with few changes as the format we have now seems to work well. Irv Leavitt (Pioneer Press Reporter) gave good publicity to the show with an article he wrote in the Glencoe News. Collections for the food drive went well as a great deal of food was collected.

4. VILLAGE VEHICLE STICKER CONTEST

The Glencoe Park District is celebrating its Centennial in 2012. Park District Executive Director Don Van Arsdale contacted the HRF and asked if the Village would consider putting a Park District theme on the annual Village vehicle sticker to commemorate their 100 year anniversary. Ironically, the Glencoe Girl Scouts are celebrating their Centennial next year and also asked if they could be on the vehicle sticker. A discussion was held on which organization might appear on the sticker as well as the possibility of putting them both on the sticker. It was noted that the Park District is a public entity and made their request before the Girl Scouts did. The Girl Scouts are technically a private entity so the decision was made to put the Park District on the 2012 Village Vehicle Sticker. Glencoe School Children will again be asked to design the vehicle sticker with the Park District as the theme. The schools will be contacted and a date will be set for next year's submissions. The winning design will again be chosen by the HRF.

5. TASTE OF GLENCOE

Discussion was held on the "Taste of Glencoe" to be held the day after Thanksgiving. It was suggested the name be changed to "Light the Night" as it will coincide with the Village tree lighting ceremony. It was suggested we contact St. Paul AME Church to see if their choir would perform at the ceremony. Additional discussion will be held at the next HRF meeting.

6. OTHER BUSINESS

Am Shalom will hold their annual 9/11 ceremony on September 11. Rabbi Lowenstein inquired about T-shirts for Public Safety Officers to wear for the first 10 days after 9/11.

There was also limited discussion held on people who may be interested in becoming members of the HRF. To be continued next meeting.

7. NEXT MEETING

Motion to adjourn at 7:33 PM by Member Heifitz, second by Member Wagner-Kimble.

NEXT MEETING: Scheduled for September 21, 2011.