



# VILLAGE OF GLENCOE

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## Virtual Meeting Information

The October 19, 2022 Glencoe Council for Inclusion and Community meeting will be held virtually via telephone and video conference (individuals may participate either by telephone or by video conference) pursuant to Governor Pritzker's Executive Order. In addition, at least one representative from the Village will be present at Village Hall in compliance with Section 7(e) of the Open Meetings Act.

Individuals may call the following to participate in the meeting:

### **By Telephone:**

Phone Number: (312) 626-6799

Webinar ID: 819 0970 9851

### **By Zoom Video Conference:**

[Zoom video conference link](#)

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### **Option 1: Submit Comments by E-Mail Prior to Meeting**

Public comments can be submitted in advance of the meeting by e-mail to

[glencoemeeting@villageofglencoe.org](mailto:glencoemeeting@villageofglencoe.org). Public comments received by 4:30 p.m. or one hour before the start of the meeting on the day of the meeting will be read during the meeting under Public Comment. Any comments received during the meeting may be read at the end of the meeting. All e-mails received will be acknowledged.

Public comment is limited to 400 words or less. E-mailed public comments should contain the following:

- The Subject Line of the e-mail should include the following text: "October 19 Glencoe Council for Inclusion and Community Public Comment"
- Name of person submitting comment (address can be provided, but is not required)
- Organization or agency person is submitting comments on behalf of, if applicable
- Topic or agenda item number of interest, or indicate if the public comment is on a matter not listed on the Commission meeting agenda

### **Option 2: Submit Comments by Phone Prior to Meeting**

Individuals without access to e-mail may submit their comments through a voice message by calling (847) 461-1100. Verbal public comments will be read aloud during the meeting and will be limited to three minutes.



**AGENDA**  
**VILLAGE OF GLENCOE**  
**GLENCOE COUNCIL FOR INCLUSION AND COMMUNITY**  
**MEETING**

**Virtual Meeting**  
**Wednesday, October 19, 2022 – 5:30 p.m.**

- 1. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL**
- 2. APPROVAL OF SEPTEMBER 7, 2022 MEETING MINUTES**
- 3. PUBLIC COMMENT (ON TOPICS NOT LISTED ON THE AGENDA)**
- 4. UPDATES ON COUNCIL ACTIVITIES AND INITIATIVES**
- 5. FAMILY SERVICE OF GLENCOE PRESENTATION ON MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AID**
- 6. OTHER BUSINESS**
- 7. ADJOURN**

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**MEETING MINUTES**  
**VILLAGE OF GLENCOE**  
**GLENCOE COUNCIL FOR INCLUSION AND COMMUNITY**

Virtual Meeting  
September 7, 2022 – 5:30 p.m.

**I. CALL TO ORDER**

The regular meeting of the Glencoe Council for Inclusion and Community of the Village of Glencoe conducted virtually in accordance with Governor Pritzker’s Executive Order was called to order by Co-Chair Rafael Guzman at 5:30 p.m. on September 7, 2022.

Prior to roll call, Co-Chair Guzman stated that pursuant to recently adopted amendments to the Illinois Open Meetings Act (OMA) included in Public Act 101-0640, the Council for Inclusion and Community was being conducted as a virtual meeting via Zoom video conferencing software. She also stated that a quorum of members of the Council were present via remote access and that Assistant Village Manager Sharon Tanner was physically present at Village Hall as required by the OMA.

<b>Attendee Name</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Status</b>
<b>Council for Inclusion and Community</b>		
Rafael Guzman	Co-Chair	Present, left at 6 p.m.
Hilary Scott	Co-Chair	Present, arrived at 5:38 p.m.
John Bjork	Member	Present
Sakura Evans	Member	Present
Margot Flanagan	Member	Present
Rev. Katrese Kirk McKenzie	Member	Absent
Vivek Mali	Member	Present
Annice Moses	Member	Present
Amy Mysel	Member	Present
Emily Robins	Member	Absent
Gary Ruben	Member	Present
Robert Young	Member	Present
<b>Village Staff</b>		
Sharon Tanner	Assistant Village Manager	Present

## II. APPROVAL OF AUGUST 3, 2022 MEETING MINUTES

Member Ruben made a motion to approve the August 3, 2022 meeting minutes, seconded by Member Young. Said motion was approved by the following roll call vote:

Aye – Bjork, Evans, Flanagan, Guzman, Mali, Moses, Mysel, Ruben, Young (9)

Nay – None (0)

Absent – Kirk-McKenzie, Robins, Scott (3)

## III. PUBLIC COMMENT

There were no public comments.

## IV. UPDATES ON COUNCIL ACTIVITIES AND INITIATIVES

### a. Recap of Summer Events and Activities

#### Farmers Market

Co-Chair Guzman shared that members of the Council attended the August 25 Farmers Market and shared information regarding the Glencoe Historical Society's upcoming exhibit regarding Glencoe's Black Heritage and spoke with Farmers Market attendees.

#### Speaker Series

Member Bjork said that he and Member Mysel are continuing to make progress on a speaker for an event in January or February related to refugee experiences.

### b. Upcoming Activities and Initiatives

#### Glencoe Historical Society Exhibit – Glencoe's Black Heritage

Co-Chair Guzman shared that the Glencoe Historical Society's upcoming exhibit, Glencoe's Black Heritage, will open on September 17. The exhibit will feature stories of community

Moving to a discussion regarding upcoming activities and initiatives, Co-Chair Scott began by recapping past activities that aligned with goals that the Council identified in April. She highlighted that GCIC members have had ongoing conversations with the Glencoe Clergy Association and North Shore United Methodist Church's Racial Justice Committee and there is shared interest in promoting the upcoming GHS exhibit and having a forum discussion related to the exhibit.

Over the summer, the GCIC was prepared to participate in the Fourth of July parade and participated in Farmers Market events on June 2 and August 25. Co-Chair Scott shared that conversations at the Farmers Market led to ongoing conversations with other community organizations, which led to conversations about shared participation in future events with the Park District and training with Family Service of Glencoe. She also shared that they have had conversations with Writers Theatre regarding possible collaboration as its show, *Tiger Style!*, opens. Co-Chair Scott noted that conversations with Glencoe Youth Services; however, due to a change in GYS leadership, the Getting to Know the Heart of Glencoe feature that was written was not published.

Co-Chair Scott outlined upcoming Council activities and initiatives and asked for volunteers.

Member Moses suggested that the Council could send a letter or other materials to new residents; Member Flanagin supported this suggestion.

Member Bjork shared progress on planning a speaker event in January or February focused on refugee experiences, and how inclusive communities can impact individuals. He shared that he and Member Mysel have been in contact with a prospective speaker who is interested in participating and sharing his experiences. The next steps in the planning process are to schedule a date and location.

Co-Chair Scott shared that Writers Theatre is planning a discussion in conjunction with its upcoming production, *Tiger Style!*, and its request for the Council to partner in offering the discussion.

#### **V. OTHER BUSINESS**

The Council discussed rescheduling the October meeting to October 19 at 5:30 p.m.

Myles Mendoza made a public comment that he feels it is important to show how individuals of color are succeeding and complimented the Council on its work.

#### **VI. ADJOURN**

Member Young made a motion to adjourn at 6:30 p.m., seconded by Member Mali. Said motion was approved by the following roll call vote:

Aye - Bjork, Evans, Flanagin, Mali, Moses, Mysel, Ruben, Scott, Young (9)

Nay - None (0)

Absent - Guzman, Kirk-McKenzie, Robins (3)