



# City of Highland Park

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## Media Advisory

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## City of Highland Park Hosts Community Candlelight Vigil

*Wednesday, July 13, 7:00 PM at City Hall (1707 St. Johns Ave.)*

**Highland Park, Illinois** – On Wednesday, July 13 at 7:00 PM, the City of Highland Park will host a vigil at City Hall (1707 St. Johns Avenue) for the community to gather together and honor the memory of the victims.

El Miércoles 13 de Julio a las 7:00 PM, la Ciudad de Highland Park organizará una vigilia en el Ayuntamiento (1707 St. Johns Avenue) para que la comunidad se reúna y honre la memoria de las víctimas del 4 de Julio.

**Date:** Wednesday, July 13

**Time:** 7:00 PM

**Location:** Highland Park City Hall Lawn, 1707 St. Johns Ave., Highland Park

**Event Flow:** Highland Park Strings will provide musical accompaniment beginning at 6:30. The event will begin at 7:00 PM and will include remarks from Mayor Nancy Rotering, musical interlude by the Pipes & Drums of the Chicago Police & Fire Departments, and remarks from faith leaders. A solemn candle lighting ceremony and moment of silence will follow the Mayor's remarks. An event overview will be provided to all media on site.

**Media Parking:** Media parking is available at the north and south ends of the Metra parking lot on St. Johns Avenue, just west of City Hall. Please find a photo highlighting media parking below. **Members of the media are requested to arrive before 5:00 PM** when St. Johns Avenue will be closed to traffic. If arriving after 5:00 PM, please request entry from the Public Works staff monitoring each closure.

**Sound Considerations:** The sound crew will provide a press box, and will be onsite from 3:00 PM.

**Attendance Overflow:** The City will close the east side of the Metra parking lot located on St. Johns Ave. opposite City Hall for overflow attendance.

**Public Parking:** Members of the public will be able to park in the two-story parking deck located on the north side of Laurel Avenue at St. Johns and Laurel. Additional public parking options are available at [cityhpil.com/parking](http://cityhpil.com/parking).

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