

Village Board News

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Community Development

The board approved building permits 2009 – 1060 thru 1100, 40 permits representing \$234,052.00 of investment in the community. Permits were approved for a variety of projects, including a building upgrade for Calumet Carton, remodeling for a tenant of Cobalt Industrial REIT II, and new signage for Amore Mio Pizza at 514 East 162nd Street.

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Village Board meetings are generally held on the first and third Mondays of each month. The next meeting will be held at 8 p.m. on Monday, November 16, 2009 at the Village Hall.

Information in this newsletter is intended only to highlight some of the activities of the Village Board. Residents desiring to see a complete record of the Village Board meetings can request copies of the meeting minutes from the Village Clerk's office in the Municipal Bldg.

Village Hall Closed

In observance of Veterans Day, the Village Hall will be closed Wednesday, November 11, 2009.

Public Works

Trustee James announced that on Wednesday, November 11, electrical service to the new traffic signal will be established at 168th and State Street.

Improvements to the Village Hall parking lot are well underway. The enhancements will improve public safety in and around this area, as well as provide improved customer service options for our water service customers. The upgrades planned for the parking lot are resurfacing of the existing lot, construction of a new circle driveway, and adding a customer-friendly bill payment drop-box for motorists. Weather permitting, the majority of the work will be complete by Thanksgiving.

Community Coordination

Trustee Doorn announced upcoming community events:

* **Lions Club 7th Annual Chili Supper** - Wednesday, November 11, 4:30 to 7:30 p.m., at the Community Center, 501 East 170th Street. Enjoy an all-you-can-eat meal for \$7. Children 6 and under eat free!



* **Mayor's Coffee** - Tuesday, December 1, 7:30 a.m., at the South Holland Community Center.



Save the Date

* **Santa Comes to Town** - Friday, December 4, 6:00 p.m. The event is free for South Holland children up to age 10. Location will be announced soon. Registration is required at 210-2905.

* **The 2010 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.** celebration, hosted by the Village of South Holland, will be held Saturday, January 16, 10:00 a.m. at First Reformed Church, 15924 South Park Avenue.

Other Notables

◆ Reverend Peter Tassio from King's Community Church. opened the meeting with prayer.

◆ The board approved two Motor Fuel Tax resolutions: one for the village hall parking lot improvement, and the other for eligible street maintenance projects.

◆ The board approved financial registers 668 and 669, totaling \$571,661.20, covering day-to-day operations, vendor payments and salaries.

◆ The board approved a resolution authorizing a Village of South Holland representative to serve as a voting member of the South Suburban Housing Collaborative.

◆ The board approved a Class 8 resolution for the construction of a 5,200 sq.ft. facility for a new business - Physicians Immediate Care Occupational Health Medical Center at 173rd & Halsted (the former Yellow Ribbon property).