

Village Board News

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Community Development

The board approved building permits 2010-0010 thru 0034, 23 permits representing \$237,413.00 of investment in the community. The approved permits include a build-out for a new tenant at 16901 State Street, and lettering on the Heritage Center building for MetroSouth Health Center.

Village Board Members

Don A. De Graff
President

Sallie D. Penman
Clerk

Trustees

N. Keith Chambers
Larry W. DeYoung
Cynthia L. Doorn
Mathew James
Andrew Johnson, Jr.
John F. Sullivan

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 Tuesday, February 16, 2010 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.

Community Coordination

Trustee Doorn made the following announcements:

- Free heart health screening is available Thursday, February 11 at MetroSouth Medical Center, 401 East 162nd Street, Suite 207. For more information and times available for the screening, call 210-2001.
- The February 2010 issue of *South Holland Today* features the Mayor's State of the Village address, as well as great "Business at Hand" stories, and an article about the new public media coordinator. Residents are also encouraged to read about this month's Resident You Should Know, Wisdom from our Churches, Ask South Holland Today, and all the other great information provided.
- Throughout the month of February, residents can view on public access the 2010 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. tribute. In coming weeks, the Mayor's State of the Village will also air on public access. The channels are Comcast - 4, WOW! - 6; AT&T - 99.
- The Village of South Holland will host a 2010 Census Questionnaire Assistance Center, February 27 - April 17 at the Community Center, 501 East 170th Street. The hours are Tuesdays and Thursdays, 5 - 10 p.m. and Saturdays 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Census officials will be on hand to answer questions, provide language assistance, and help with completing questionnaires.
- The next Mayor's Coffee is Tuesday, March 2, 7:00 p.m. at the Community Center.



Parks & Recreation



A Mardi Gras celebration is scheduled at the Community Center on Saturday, February 13, beginning at 6:30 p.m. For more information, including ticket prices, call 331-2940.

Other Notables

- ◆ Pastor Shawn Dalcour from New Jerusalem Kingdom Ministries opened the meeting with prayer.
- Mayor Don De Graff issued a proclamation in honor of National African American History Month.
- ◆ The board approved an ordinance that places a 12-month expiration on building permits and requires commercial construction sites to have a six foot fence with canvass screening.
- ◆ The board approved a resolution deeding to the Village of South Holland a 15ft strip of property located at 1001 East 162nd Street.
- ◆ The board approved two financial registers covering day-to-day operations, vendor payments and salaries:
-677 - \$435,771.25,
-678 - \$402,331.82.

