

# Glendale 2nd District Report

January 4th, 2010



I hope everyone had a very Happy Holiday and I would like to encourage all of you to join my e-mail list by e-mailing me at [brice0829@sbcglobal.net](mailto:brice0829@sbcglobal.net). I will update you with any important City business and all other important municipal and local updates, including Common Council agendas. You can also visit [www.glendale-wi.org](http://www.glendale-wi.org), to get an update of my monthly District Report.

I would also like to offer the option of having a print version of my Monthly Report delivered to your residence. I am willing to deliver a copy of my Monthly District report and/or the Glendale City Newsletter per your request. I would be more than happy to drop a copy off at your request. Please contact me if this is a better alternative to the electronic copies.

I want you to know that many of your concerns are also my concerns and I will always try to rectify all of your issues in a manner that you would like to see them rectified. I look forward to seeing you at the Common Council meetings.

## **Glendale City Assessment Services**

With the retirement of the previous City property assessor in 2009, the City of Glendale asked for requests for proposals for assessment services.

The Common Council has approved and authorized entering into an agreement with Accurate Appraisal, L.L.C. for assessment services. Accurate Appraisal will assume responsibility for the assessment of all real estate and personal property effective January 1, 2010.

This contract for assessment services with Accurate Appraisal is valid from 2010 – 2014, with a complete re-evaluation scheduled for 2011. The current contract is estimated to save the City over \$60,000 per year over the next 5 years.

## **Green Tree Road Litigation**

Many of you know that River Hills has been contemplating the closure of Green Tree Road in River Hills. Green Tree Road is vital to the efficient and effective response from the North Shore Fire Department and other emergency services to the rest of the North Shore Communities. The road is also an important busing route for Nicolet High School as well as being an important route for residents coming and going to the Glendale Market. The City of Glendale has worked very hard to resolve this issue with River Hills, while maintaining that we are absolutely opposed to a partial or complete closure.

The City of Glendale has received a preliminary copy of a traffic study conducted in the late fall of Green Tree Road. The City is currently reviewing the preliminary findings of the study to determine how to proceed in a collaborative effort and resolve this issue.

A request for an injunction to stop River Hills from closing the road has been filed by the City of Glendale and the Nicolet School Board.

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## **Bayshore Town Center**

Bayshore Town Center is announcing a new effort aimed at strengthening a more family-friendly atmosphere.

Effective Friday, January 1, 2010, a youth curfew will begin at 3:00 p.m. and continue for the following three weekends on Friday and Saturday. Youth ages 17 and under may not remain in the public spaces of Bayshore Town Center after 3:00 p.m. on Fridays and Saturdays unless accompanied by a parent or legal guardian ages 21 or older. One adult may accompany up to four youths. All accompanied youth must remain with a supervising adult at all times. Guests visiting Bayshore may be asked to present proper identification to verify proof of age. This policy does not apply to Bayshore employees.

Bayshore will also implement a strategic community relations effort to engage various community leaders, area youth and elected officials, seeking input on best practices and recommendations. This feedback will be included in a longer-term strategy to address various traffic and behavioral trends.

## **Final Note**

I have decided to run for 2<sup>nd</sup> District Alderperson in the spring of 2010. I hope that those of you who have contacted me and worked with me have seen that I understand that I work for you and that your concerns become my concerns on the Common Council. I do not take this position lightly and will continue to work for you and your concerns for as long as you will allow me to. I try to keep everyone as informed as possible on all City business and I hope that I have your confidence moving forward.

## **Calendar of events for January**

- Planning Commission Meeting  
Tuesday January 5<sup>th</sup>, 7:00pm
- Common Council meeting Monday  
January 11<sup>th</sup>, 7:00pm
- Common Council Meeting Monday  
January 25<sup>th</sup>, 7:00pm

I urge all of you to try and attend Common Council Meetings throughout the month.

Please encourage others to join my email list or visit the Glendale website to read this report.

Please visit often: [www.glendale-wi.org](http://www.glendale-wi.org)

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