



Agenda
Village of Glen Ellyn
Finance Commission Meeting
Friday, January 15, 2021
7:00 AM
Glen Ellyn Civic Center, Galligan Board Room
Meeting Held Virtually - Via Zoom Only

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- A. Call to Order**
- B. Public Comment (Non Agenda Items)**
- C. Approval of Minutes**
 - 1) Finance Commission Minutes - December 11, 2020
- D. Financial Reports**
 - 1) Village Links/Reserve 22 Financial Statements - November 2020
 - 2) General Fund Update - November 2020
- E. Policy Review**
 - 1) Financial Policy Review
- F. Trustee Liaison's Report**
- G. Chairman's Report**
- H. Other Business**
 - 1) Economic Development Update
 - 2) Next Meeting: Friday, February 12, 7:00 AM
- I. Adjournment**

**FINANCE COMMISSION
MINUTES
DECEMBER 11, 2020**

CALL TO ORDER:

Matthew L. Halkyard	Chairman	Present
Jeremy S. VanEk	Vice-Chairman	Present
Michael Campagna	Commissioner	Present
Lea Dan	Commissioner	Present
Lisa A. Cleaver	Commissioner	Present
Scott R. Greeno	Commissioner	Excused Absence
Christopher Oakes	Commissioner	Present
Jose DeLeon	Commissioner	Excused Absence
Brenton J. Peck	Commissioner	Present
Kevin VanEk	Student Commissioner	Present

Also, present: Village Manager Franz, Finance Director Finance Director Coyle, Assistant Finance Director Thomas, and Recording Secretary Haslett.

A. Call To Order

The meeting was called to order at 7:00AM.

B. Public Comments

None.

C. Approval of Minutes

1. Finance Commission - Regular Meeting – November 20, 2020 7:00 AM

Finance Director Coyle noted Student Commissioner Kevin VanEk is a non-voting member and the minutes will be corrected to reflect this.

MOVE TO APPROVE MINUTES OF FINANCE COMMISSION MEETINGS AS AMENDED FROM 11/20/20.

RESULT Motion Unanimously Carried
MOVER: Commissioner Oakes
SECONDER: Commissioner Cleaver
AYES: Campagna, Dan, Cleaver, Halkyard, J. VanEk, Oakes, and Peck
ABSENT: DeLeon and Greeno

D. Financial Reports

1. Village Links/Reserve 22 Financial Statements – September 2020
2. Village Links/Reserve 22 Manager's Report and Financial Statements – October 2020

Finance Director Coyle referenced the October 2020 Manager's report included in the agenda packet and noted the October 2020 financials were discussed at the last meeting.

E. Budget Update

1. Finance Director Coyle will update the Commission on the 2021 budget.

Finance Director Coyle stated the Village Board approval of the budget will be on Monday, December 14, 2020. The draft budget has been available online and at the Glen Ellyn Public Library. Finance Director Coyle went on to discuss some of the changes from the 2021 draft budget to the final budget being presented on December 14, 2020. There will be an increase for the Glen Ellyn Youth and Family Services from \$35,000 to \$85,000. The only new position in the 2021 budget is for a Civil Engineer and this will be funded through the Capital Projects Fund. This position is needed because there are multiple capital projects and developments taking place that require engineering services. Finance Director Coyle noted three (3) positions have been frozen in the upcoming budget saving approximately \$250,000. An additional \$25,000 was placed in the Capital Projects Fund for work at Panfish Park. A \$50,000 light controller was added for the Park/Sheehan intersection. An additional \$50,000 was added for Office and \$50,000 for network equipment in the IT department.

Finance Director Coyle noted the 2020 levy included the CPI and new growth, representing a 3% increase from the prior year tax levy. Finance Director Coyle explained that an abatement was also included in the tax levy calculation, such that the increase is the levy is limited only to a small portion of new growth. The net effect on existing property owners will be same tax bill or possibly a decrease from last year. Village Manager Franz noted the Village comprises about 6% of the total tax bill.

The capital budget was reduced by \$250,000 because the Village Links will be leasing golf carts instead of purchasing them, which will improve cash flow. The golf cart purchase will be leveraged over four (4) years. Also, there were minor adjustments made to the budget, resulting in a decrease of \$220,025 in expenses from the draft budget. Overall, the 2021 budget is a maintenance budget with no increases to water and sewer rates. The budget has a 2.5% increase in operational costs, however once you remove the COVID-19 expenses, the budget has a 1.3% increase from the prior year.

Commissioner VanEk summarized the 2021 budget as hold the line on expenses, conservative revenue estimates, thereby balancing the budget so we can take it easy on property taxpayers. Finance Director Coyle projected a General Fund surplus of \$1,037,210 for the current year, which will carry the Village through 2021. The 2021 budget has a projected deficit of \$1,904,467.

Commissioner Oakes inquired about the status of any future local government stimulus programs. Village Manager Franz responded there were some discussions about four (4) to five (5) months ago, but it looks like the Village cannot anticipate additional federal assistance at this time. Commissioner VanEk inquired about the \$700,000 year-over-year

variance in the Police Department. Finance Director Coyle replied this variance is due to a higher police actuarial contribution, increased training costs, and monies for a Police Department staffing study. Village Manager Franz added overtime costs increased due to shift coverage needs resulting from possible employee COVID-19 quarantines.

Village Manager Franz discussed some of the key capital improvements included in the 2021 budget. The new parking garage should be completed by May 1, 2021. The phase one (1) of the streetscape project will begin next year. Currently, the Village is engaging local businesses for their input regarding this program.

F. Trustee Liaison Report

Village Manager Franz updated the Finance Commission on recent Village Board activities.

G. Chairman's Report

Chairman Halkyard said he along with Commissioner VanEk would likely meet with the new Village President next year after this transition takes place.

H. Other Business

1. Economic Development Update

Village Manager Franz provided the Economic Development update.

2. Next Meeting Friday, January 15, 2020, 7:00AM

I. Adjournment

1. Motion to Adjourn

Commissioner Dan moved and Commissioner Cleaver seconded, to adjourn the meeting. The meeting was adjourned at 7:40AM.

Submitted by Aileen Haslett, Recording Secretary



**Glen Ellyn Finance
Commission**
535 Duane Street
Glen Ellyn, IL 60137

Meeting 1/15/2021 7:00 AM
Department: Finance
Department Head: Christina Coyle
Category: Report
Prepared By: Christina Coyle

**AGENDA ITEM (ID # 2021-
815)**

DOC ID: 2021-815

Village Links/Reserve 22 Financial Statements - November 2020

Statement of the Issue:

Please see the attached report.

Analysis:

N/A

Budget Impact:

N/A

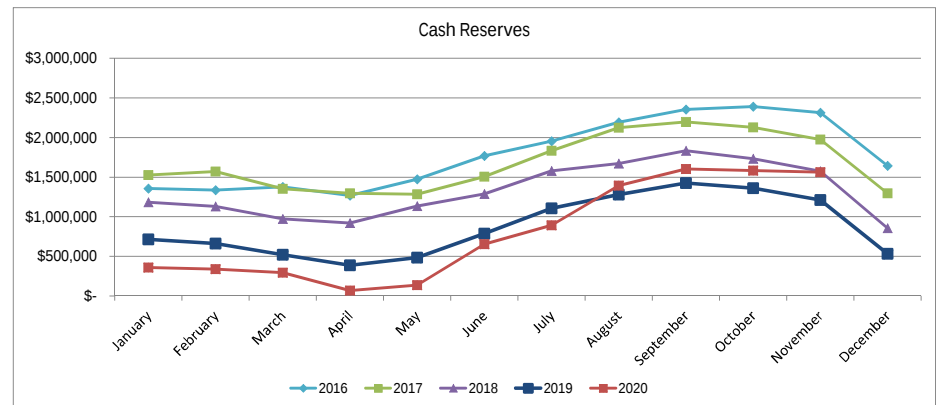
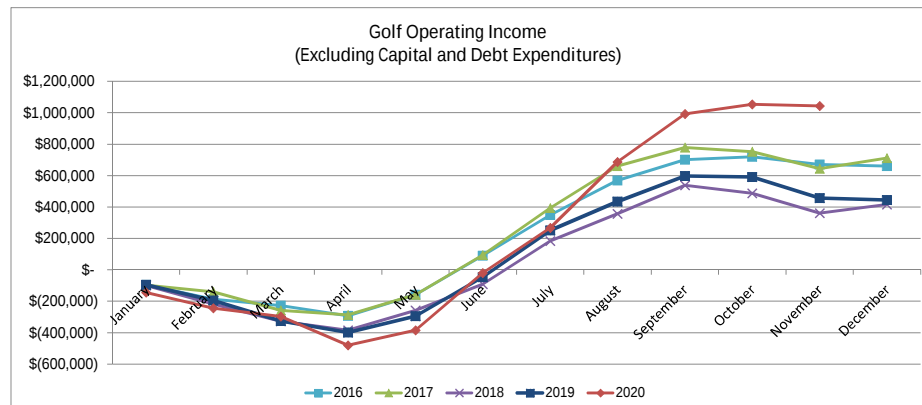
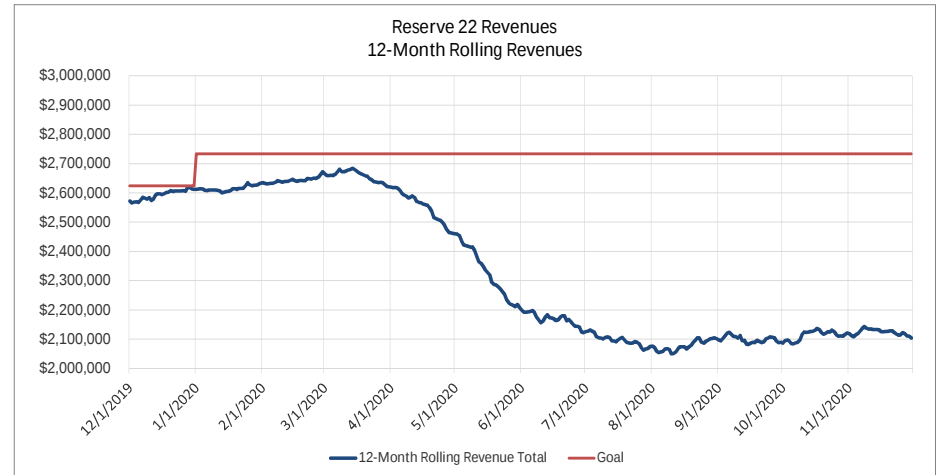
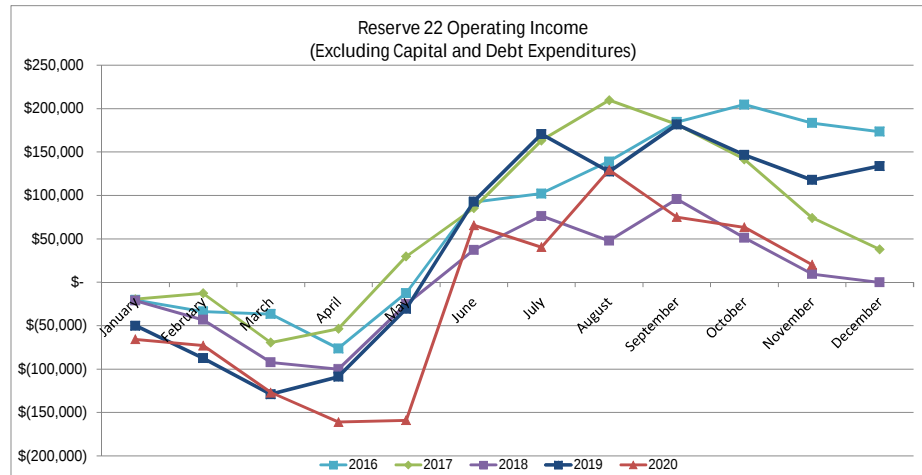
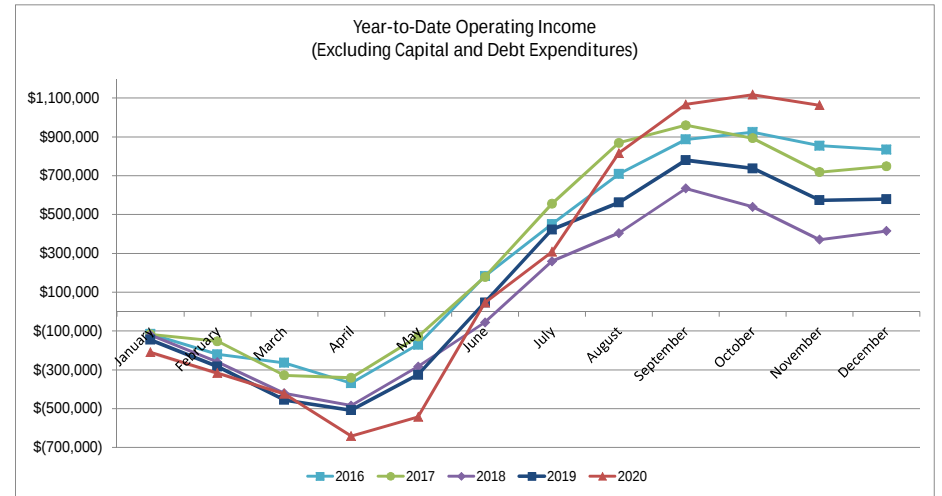
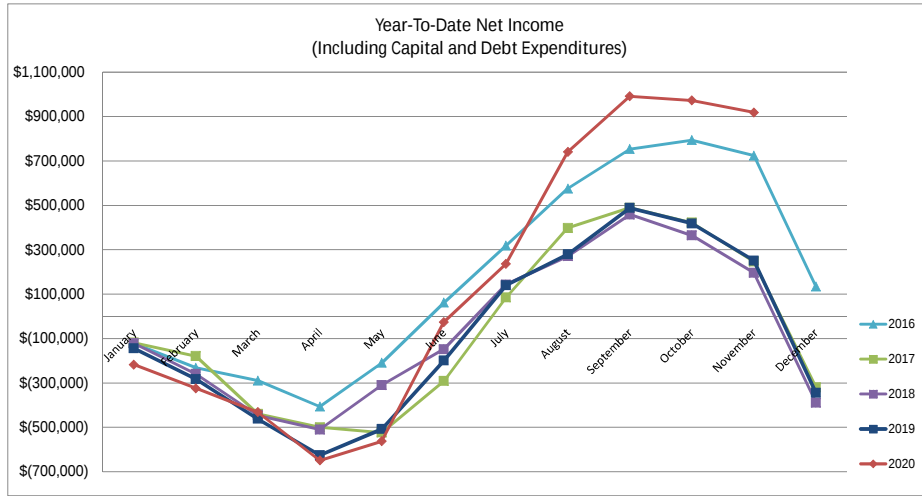
Action Requested:

N/A

Attachments:

1. Village Links Reserve 22 - Financial Statements - November 2020

Village Links / Reserve 22
Dashboard Financial Report
As of November 30, 2020



VILLAGE LINKS / RESERVE 22
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION
As of November 30, 2020

ORG	DESCRIPTION	2020 BUDGET	MONTH				YEAR-TO-DATE			
			2020	2019	DIFF	% DIFF	2020	2019	DIFF	% DIFF
REVENUES:										
5500	Village Links Revenues	\$ 2,997,700	\$ 176,479	\$ 13,298	\$ 163,181	1227%	\$ 3,161,005	\$ 2,603,728	\$ 557,276	21%
5520	Reserve 22 Revenues	2,733,000	96,157	113,762	(17,606)	-15%	1,922,732	2,432,289	(509,557)	-21%
Total Revenues		\$ 5,730,700	\$ 272,636	\$ 127,061	\$ 145,576	115%	\$ 5,083,737	\$ 5,036,017	\$ 47,720	1%
EXPENDITURES:										
55700	Administration	\$ 457,977	\$ 35,874	\$ 33,814	\$ 2,060	6%	\$ 408,443	\$ 378,941	\$ 29,502	8%
55710	Golf Course Maintenance	820,822	63,048	65,475	(2,428)	-4%	725,421	736,311	(10,890)	-1%
55720	Golf Services	725,176	56,193	34,936	21,257	61%	653,422	673,398	(19,975)	-3%
55730	Reserve 22	2,452,699	139,450	142,359	(2,909)	-2%	1,902,713	2,314,426	(411,713)	-18%
55740	Stormwater Management	28,823	2,159	277	1,882	679%	7,237	19,880	(12,643)	-64%
55750	Pro Shop Merchandise	157,234	10,753	5,257	5,497	105%	131,963	132,127	(164)	0%
55780	Motorized Carts	43,448	2,379	1,737	642	37%	44,235	39,425	4,810	12%
557X5	Mechanical Maintenance	184,873	17,249	6,705	10,543	157%	147,500	167,692	(20,192)	-12%
Total Operating Expenses		\$ 4,871,052	\$ 327,104	\$ 290,560	\$ 36,544	13%	\$ 4,020,935	\$ 4,462,201	\$ (441,266)	-10%
Operating Income (Loss)		\$ 859,648	\$ (54,468)	\$ (163,499)	\$ 109,032	-67%	\$ 1,062,802	\$ 573,817	\$ 488,985	85%
Debt Service		657,696	-	-	-	0%	51,348	59,035	(7,688)	-13%
Capital Expenditures		192,000	-	3,760	(3,760)	-100%	93,045	263,428	(170,383)	-65%
CHANGE IN NET POSITION		\$ 9,952	\$ (54,468)	\$ (167,260)	\$ 112,792	-67%	\$ 918,409	\$ 251,353	\$ 667,056	265%

KEY METRICS

	<u>Goal</u>												
Personnel Expenses as % of Sales	48%		68%		133%		-65%		44%		48%		-3%
Cash Balance (End of Month, in \$000's)	\$	1,218	\$	1,562	\$	1,212	\$	350					

VILLAGE LINKS
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION
GOLF
(Including Administration, Grounds, & Mechanical Maintenance)
As of November 30, 2020

ORG/ OBJECT	DESCRIPTION	2020 BUDGET	MONTH				YEAR-TO-DATE			
			2020	2019	DIFF	% DIFF	2020	2019	DIFF	% DIFF
5500	VILLAGE LINKS REVENUES:									
440550	Green Fees	\$ 1,850,000	\$ 114,017	\$ 5,747	\$ 108,270	1884%	\$ 2,043,963	\$ 1,614,817	\$ 429,147	27%
440554	Pro Shop - Sales	180,000	7,286	2,928	4,357	149%	142,979	142,917	62	0%
440555	Motor Carts	525,000	34,682	452	34,230	7573%	520,855	440,034	80,821	18%
440556	Driving Range	285,000	17,777	1,296	16,481	1272%	310,742	258,074	52,668	20%
440557	Resident Cards	32,000	20	-	20	0%	32,360	31,110	1,250	4%
460100	Investment Income	13,200	16	1,024	(1,008)	-98%	2,360	10,316	(7,956)	-77%
489000	Miscellaneous Revenue	112,500	2,767	1,894	873	46%	108,512	106,521	1,991	2%
489100	Miscellaneous - Over/Short	-	(85)	(43)	(42)	98%	(767)	(61)	(706)	1155%
	Total Revenues	\$ 2,997,700	\$ 176,479	\$ 13,298	\$ 163,181	1227%	\$ 3,161,005	\$ 2,603,728	\$ 557,276	21%
	COST OF GOODS SOLD:									
520945	Cost of Goods Sold - Pro Shop	\$ 126,000	\$ 8,440	\$ 2,956	\$ 5,484	186%	\$ 103,871	\$ 105,196	\$ (1,325)	-1%
	Total Cost of Goods Sold	\$ 126,000	\$ 8,440	\$ 2,956	\$ 5,484	186%	\$ 103,871	\$ 105,196	\$ (1,325)	-1%
	Gross Profit	\$ 2,871,700	\$ 168,039	\$ 10,343	\$ 157,697	1525%	\$ 3,057,133	\$ 2,498,532	\$ 558,601	22%
	OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES:									
510100	Salaries - Pensionable	\$ 898,265	\$ 66,165	\$ 65,152	\$ 1,012	2%	\$ 793,887	\$ 756,923	\$ 36,965	5%
510120	Salaries - Non-Pensionable	168,200	13,676	5,102	8,574	168%	177,440	207,724	(30,284)	-15%
510200	Salaries - Overtime	4,500	580	156	424	272%	4,101	5,872	(1,771)	-30%
510400	FICA Taxes	81,928	5,921	5,227	694	13%	72,261	72,740	(479)	-1%
510500	IMRF	81,653	5,788	4,520	1,267	28%	69,529	52,777	16,752	32%
590600	Health Insurance	132,375	10,355	9,839	516	5%	122,586	106,613	15,973	15%
52XXXX	Contractual Services	630,932	55,480	33,708	21,771	65%	538,403	551,982	(13,579)	-2%
53XXXX	Commodities	294,500	21,251	21,542	(291)	-1%	236,143	287,948	(51,805)	-18%
	Total Operating Expenses	\$ 2,292,353	\$ 179,214	\$ 145,246	\$ 33,969	23%	\$ 2,014,350	\$ 2,042,578	\$ (28,228)	-1%
	Operating Income (Loss)	\$ 579,347	\$ (11,175)	\$ (134,903)	\$ 123,728	-92%	\$ 1,042,783	\$ 455,954	\$ 586,829	129%
	Operating Income (Loss) Percentage	19%	-6%	-1014%			33%	18%		

KEY METRICS

	Goal								
Rounds Played	70,000	5,287	418	4,869	74,528	61,064	13,464		
Revenue Per Round	\$ 42.82	\$ 33.38	\$ 31.81	\$ 1.57	\$ 42.41	\$ 42.64	\$ (0.23)		
Resident Cards Sold	N/A	1	-	1	2,560	2,456	104		
Cost of Goods Sold % - Pro Shop	70%	116%	101%	15%	73%	74%	-1%		
Personnel Expenses as % of Sales	46%	58%	677%	-619%	39%	46%	-7%		

VILLAGE LINKS
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION
GOLF
(Including Administration, Grounds, & Mechanical Maintenance)
As of November 30, 2020

ORG/ OBJECT	DESCRIPTION	2020 BUDGET	MONTH				YEAR-TO-DATE			
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<u>MISCELLANEOUS REVENUE</u>										
Miscellaneous Revenue includes the following items, which don't fit into any of the major revenue categories:										
Handicaps			\$ -	\$ -	\$ -		\$ 37,280	\$ 37,535	\$ (255)	
Hand Cart Rentals			1,706	221	1,485		22,568	22,902	(334)	
Adult & Junior Golf Lessons			-	-	-		38,990	24,701	14,289	
Golf Club Rentals			-	-	-		720	4,590	(3,870)	
Golf Club Repairs			-	94	(94)		515	3,647	(3,132)	
Locker Rentals			-	-	-		2,800	3,200	(400)	
Illinois Sales Tax (1.75%)			281	208	73		2,732	3,239	(507)	
Glen Ellyn Food & Beverage Tax (1%)			17	22	(4)		124	(7)	130	
Misc. Tournament Prize			-	-	-		638	-	638	
Memorial Tree Donation			-	-	-		-	500	(500)	
FootGolf Ball Rentals			-	-	-		70	270	(200)	
ATM Machine Commission			-	27	(27)		28	234	(206)	
Miscellaneous			763	1,323	(560)		2,048	5,710	(3,662)	
Total		\$ 112,500	\$ 2,767	\$ 1,894	\$ 873		\$ 108,512	\$ 106,521	\$ 1,991	

RESERVE 22
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION
As of November 30, 2020

ORG/ OBJECT	DESCRIPTION	2020 BUDGET	MONTH				YEAR-TO-DATE			
			2020	2019	DIFF	% DIFF	2020	2019	DIFF	% DIFF
5520	RESERVE 22 REVENUES:									
441100	Food	\$ 1,500,000	\$ 56,298	\$ 68,744	\$ (12,446)	-18%	\$ 1,028,066	\$ 1,338,804	\$ (310,737)	-23%
441101	Liquor	260,000	9,858	10,537	(679)	-6%	206,373	229,356	(22,983)	-10%
441102	Beer	485,000	18,346	11,571	6,775	59%	389,957	452,629	(62,671)	-14%
441103	Wine	235,000	7,948	15,135	(7,186)	-47%	169,004	204,749	(35,745)	-17%
441104	NA Beverages	85,000	2,946	1,951	996	51%	80,153	79,515	639	1%
441106	Room Charges	4,000	-	-	-	0%	4,852	5,375	(523)	-10%
441107	Service Charges	160,000	723	5,759	(5,036)	-87%	42,622	118,203	(75,581)	-64%
489000	Miscellaneous Revenue	4,000	38	66	(29)	-43%	1,705	3,660	(1,955)	-53%
	Total Revenues	\$ 2,733,000	\$ 96,157	\$ 113,762	\$ (17,606)	-15%	\$ 1,922,732	\$ 2,432,289	\$ (509,557)	-21%
55730	COST OF GOODS SOLD:									
530400	Cost of Goods Sold - Beer	\$ 121,250	\$ 4,772	\$ 6,907	\$ (2,135)	-31%	\$ 97,514	\$ 113,354	\$ (15,840)	-14%
530401	Cost of Goods Sold - Wine	68,150	5,574	4,885	688	14%	51,297	64,935	(13,639)	-21%
530402	Cost of Goods Sold - Liquor	46,800	8,383	4,430	3,954	89%	49,475	56,519	(7,044)	-12%
530405	Cost of Goods Sold - NA Beverages	28,050	2,327	1,467	860	59%	40,407	46,713	(6,306)	-14%
530420	Cost of Goods Sold - Food	495,000	17,191	21,289	(4,098)	-19%	343,722	486,175	(142,453)	-29%
	Total Cost of Goods Sold	\$ 759,250	\$ 38,247	\$ 38,977	\$ (730)	-2%	\$ 582,415	\$ 767,697	\$ (185,282)	-24%
	Gross Profit	\$ 1,973,750	\$ 57,910	\$ 74,785	\$ (16,875)	-23%	\$ 1,340,317	\$ 1,664,593	\$ (324,275)	-19%
	Gross Profit Percentage	72%	60%	66%			70%	68%		
55730	OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES:									
510100	Salaries - Pensionable	\$ 640,000	\$ 37,678	\$ 44,954	\$ (7,276)	-16%	\$ 479,984	\$ 589,626	\$ (109,643)	-19%
510120	Salaries - Non-Pensionable	465,000	28,366	19,609	8,758	45%	337,617	386,584	(48,966)	-13%
510200	Salaries - Overtime	5,000	542	-	542	0%	9,168	16,942	(7,774)	-46%
510399	Tips Paid Through Payroll	-	1,636	(3,811)	5,447	-143%	2,218	(1,619)	3,836	-237%
510400	FICA Taxes	115,440	6,354	5,707	648	11%	83,870	95,751	(11,881)	-12%
510500	IMRF	58,176	4,028	3,427	602	18%	51,679	47,640	4,039	8%
590600	Health Insurance	86,200	5,574	4,877	696	14%	62,358	68,264	(5,906)	-9%
52XXXX	Contractual Services	178,883	6,579	12,045	(5,466)	-45%	193,024	175,451	17,573	10%
53XXXX	Commodities	144,750	10,445	16,574	(6,129)	-37%	100,381	168,091	(67,710)	-40%
	Total Operating Expenses	\$ 1,693,449	\$ 101,203	\$ 103,382	\$ (2,179)	-2%	\$ 1,320,298	\$ 1,546,730	\$ (226,432)	-15%
	Operating Income (Loss)	\$ 280,301	\$ (43,293)	\$ (28,596)	\$ (14,697)	51%	\$ 20,019	\$ 117,863	\$ (97,844)	-83%
	Operating Income (Loss) Percentage	10%	-45%	-25%			1%	5%		

RESERVE 22
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION
As of November 30, 2020

ORG/ OBJECT	DESCRIPTION	2020 BUDGET	MONTH				YEAR-TO-DATE			
			2020	2019	DIFF	% DIFF	2020	2019	DIFF	% DIFF
KEY METRICS										
		Goal								
Revenue Source:										
Restaurant/Bar	N/A		\$ 80,841	\$ 77,846	\$ 2,995	4%	\$ 1,436,495	\$ 1,524,222	\$ (87,727)	-6%
Banquets	N/A		4,899	35,719	(30,820)	-86%	245,915	714,901	(468,987)	-66%
Other	N/A		10,417	197	10,220	5180%	240,322	193,166	47,156	24%
Total	\$	2,733,000	\$ 96,157	\$ 113,762	\$ (17,606)	-15%	\$ 1,922,732	\$ 2,432,289	\$ (509,557)	-21%
Reserve 22 Revenues (Last 12 Months)	\$	2,733,000					\$ 2,102,931	\$ 2,582,861	\$ (479,929)	-19%
Reserve 22 Expenses (Last 12 Months)	\$	2,452,699					\$ 2,067,007	\$ 2,474,713	\$ (407,707)	-16%
# Guest Checks (Restaurant/Bar)	N/A		1,890	1,840	50		34,304	45,589	(11,285)	
Revenue Per Guest Check	N/A		\$ 42.77	\$ 42.31	\$ 0.47		\$ 41.88	\$ 33.43	\$ 8.44	
# Guests (Restaurant/Bar)	N/A		2,822	3,094	(272)		59,376	77,908	(18,532)	
Average Guest Spend	N/A		\$ 28.65	\$ 25.16	\$ 3.49		\$ 24.19	\$ 19.56	\$ 4.63	
Cost of Goods Sold %	28%		40%	34%	6%		30%	32%	-1%	
Cost of Goods Sold % (By Category):										
Cost of Goods Sold - Beer	25%		26%	60%	-34%		25%	25%	0%	
Cost of Goods Sold - Wine	29%		70%	32%	38%		30%	32%	-1%	
Cost of Goods Sold - Liquor	18%		85%	42%	43%		24%	25%	-1%	
Cost of Goods Sold - NA Beverages	33%		79%	75%	4%		50%	59%	-8%	
Cost of Goods Sold - Food	33%		31%	31%	0%		33%	36%	-3%	
Personnel Expenses as % of Sales	50%		85%	69%	16%		53%	50%	3%	
Prime Cost (Cost of Goods Sold + Personnel Expenses) as % of Sales	78%		126%	103%	22%		84%	81%	2%	



**Glen Ellyn Finance
Commission**
535 Duane Street
Glen Ellyn, IL 60137

Meeting 1/15/2021 7:00 AM
Department: Finance
Department Head: Christina Coyle
Category: Report
Prepared By: Christina Coyle

**AGENDA ITEM (ID # 2021-
816)**

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General Fund Update - November 2020

Statement of the Issue:

See reports attached.

Analysis:

N/A

Budget Impact:

N/A

Action Requested:

N/A

Attachments:

1. General Fund Update November 2020
2. Finance Commission Monthly Report - FY20 Nov

MEMORANDUM

TO: Finance Commission

FROM: Lori Thomas, Assistant Finance Director

DATE: January 15, 2021

RE: November 2020 Financial Update



General Fund Dashboard: Page 1

Revenues in November were 114% higher than the prior November and 105% higher than the November budget. This large variance is due to the federal Cares Act Funding that we received in November. Expenditures for November were 3% higher than the prior November and 10% lower than the November budget.

Revenues year-to-date (YTD) are \$1,561,709 higher than the prior year, and \$1,190,371 higher than budget. This positive variance is also due to the Cares Act dollars received in November.

Expenditures year-to-date are 4% or \$663,920 higher than prior year, and 2% or \$382,859 below the year-to-date budget.

General Fund Budget Summary: Page 2

Key revenues are discussed on Page 3. Other notable variances include:

- Sales Taxes: Sales tax was ahead from prior year by \$42,344 however, lower by \$136,820 from current year budget. This is an improvement from the Covid-19 projections.
- Home Rule Taxes: Home rule tax is trending downward most likely due to Covid-19 pandemic restrictions.
- State Income Taxes: State income tax are trending upward compared to prior November. Increases in unemployment statewide were mitigated by unemployment insurance benefits paid.
- Other Taxes: Use tax includes internet sales taxes, has seen an increase compared to prior November. Year-to-date, this revenue is 5% or \$78,086 above the prior year.
- Vehicle Licenses: Vehicle licenses revenue is down 12% or \$42,041 year-to-date from prior year and 19% lower than budget.
- Business Registration: Business registration revenue is down \$71,715, as the Village Board made the decision to waive the 2020/2021 renewal for business registrations due to the Covid-19 pandemic.
- Liquor Licenses: Liquor license revenue is down \$39,204 from prior year due to waiving 25% of the fees in 2020 due to Covid-19.
- Building Permits: Building permit revenues are ahead from prior year by \$473,265 mainly attributed to the APEX 400 and Avere on Duane projects.
- Ambulance Service Fees: The revenue thresholds under the current contract were not met for the Village to receive a cost sharing reimbursement this year.

- **Police/Court Fines/Adjudication:** Adjudication fees are down 33% year-to-date from prior year. This is due to the impacts of the Covid-19 pandemic which caused reductions in tickets during the early stages of the pandemic as well as deferrals of adjudication and hearings.
- **Investment Income:** Investment income is trending downward due to the decreased interest rates during the Covid-19 pandemic. Investment revenue is down from prior year by 64% and down by 169% year-to-date budget.
- **Miscellaneous Income:** Miscellaneous income was higher than prior November, due to the Cares grant that we received in the amount of \$1,436,693.
- **Village Manager:** The Village Manager's department expenses increased from the prior year mainly due to Covid-19 supply expenses.
- **Facilities Maintenance:** This division included costs in the prior year to repair the History Center flood, increasing 2019 expenditures.
- **Information Technology:** The IT department made both upgrades to its Storage Area Network and to the Audio Visual System in 2020, increasing costs to the prior year.
- **Law:** General Counsel Legal fees have increased from the prior year due to projects ongoing during the year.
- **Finance Administration:** To reduce expenditures due to Covid-19, a Payroll Specialist position was held vacant from April onwards.
- **Building:** Salary expenses increased from prior year due to an added Senior Building Inspector position in November 2019 and a Permit Coordinator in August 2020. Building review and inspection expenses also increased from the prior year.
- **Economic Development:** Economic Development incentives are lower than budgeted, some of which will be trued-up as part of the audit accrual process. The full-time Coordinator position was changed to part time in May 2020.
- **Streets:** Street maintenance expenses decreased from the prior year and year-to-date budget.
- **Forestry:** The variance is due to the timing of tree removal work and payments, much of which is due to reductions that were made for Covid-19. .

Key General Fund Revenues: Page 3

Sales Tax: Sales Tax receipts in November are for sales that originated in August. The month's receipt was 3% lower than prior year and 6% below budget. Year-to-date sales tax has a negative year-to-date budget variance of 4% or \$136,820. The year-to-date sales tax revenue is trending upward.

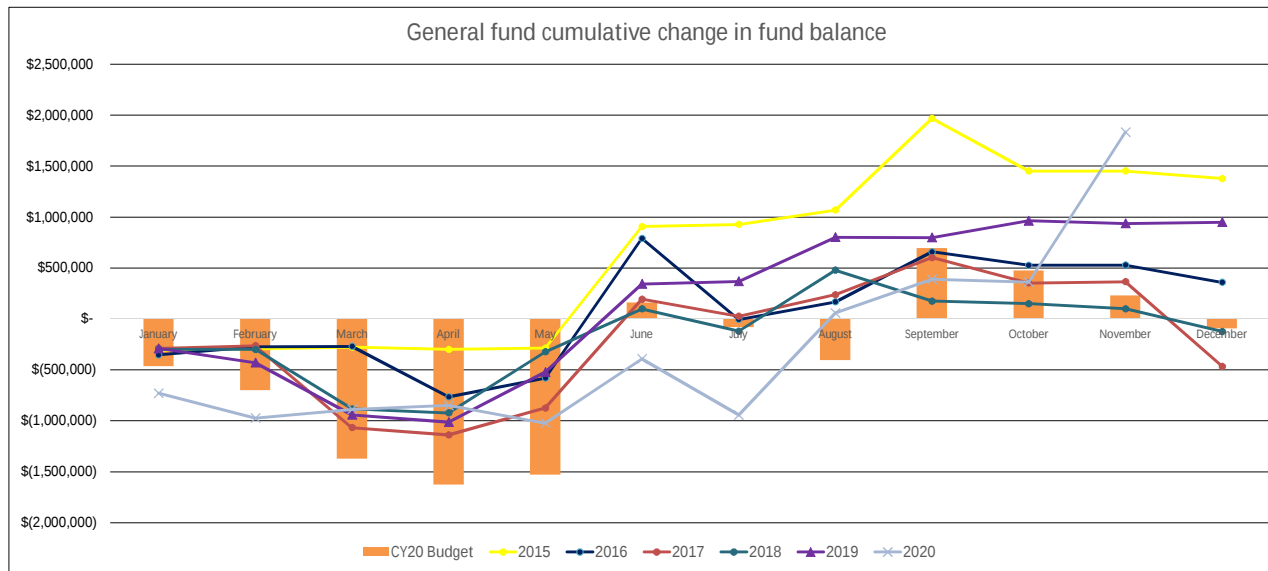
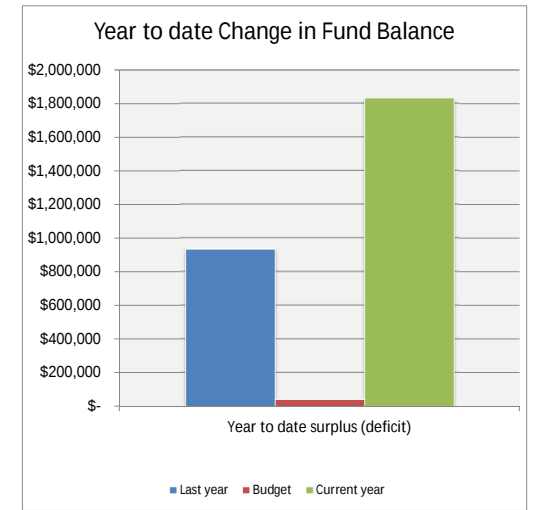
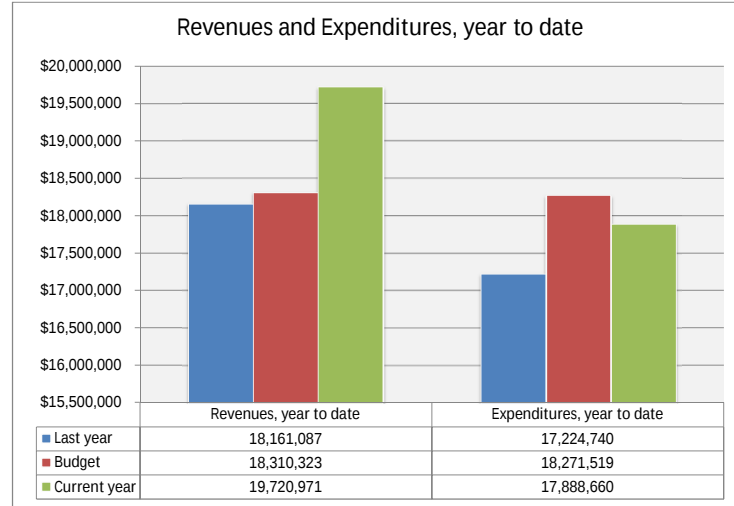
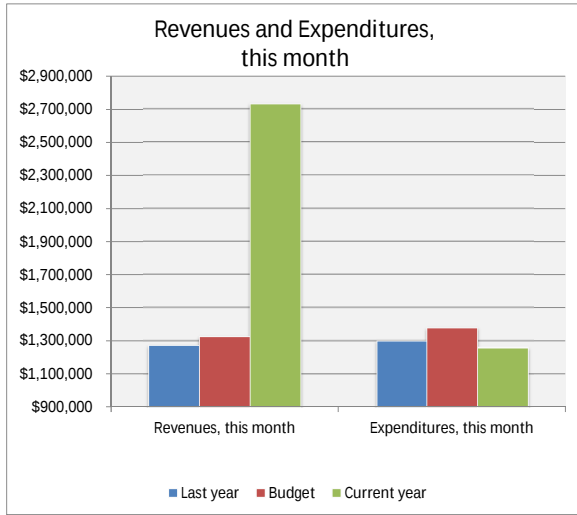
Home Rule Sales Tax: Home Rule Sales Tax receipts in November are for sales that also originated in August. Home Rule Sales Tax is not collected on vehicle sales and food for human consumption that is to be consumed off the premises where it is sold (other than alcoholic beverages, soft drinks, and food which has been prepared for immediate consumption) and certain other medical prescriptions and supplies. Year-to-date Home Rule Sales Tax for November was 4% or \$126,215 lower than prior year-to-date and 6% or \$131,666 lower than prior year-to-date budget.

- Income Tax: Income tax received in November is for remittances to the state in October. The month's receipt were up 8% from the prior year and up 17% from the month budget. Year-to-date, income tax was up \$58,922 from the prior year and up \$253,290 from the year-to-date budget.

Attachments

November Financials

General Fund Budget Summary
For the Period Ended November 30, 2020



General Fund Budget Summary
For the Period Ended November 30, 2020

REVENUES

MONTH							
	Last Year	Current Budget	Current Year	Variance from LY		Variance from Budget	
				\$	%	\$	%
TAXES							
Property Tax	38,954	46,738	38,224	(730)	-2%	(8,514)	-18%
Econ Dev SSA Tax	2,154	2,396	644	(1,510)	-70%	(1,752)	-73%
Sales Tax	321,859	329,657	310,954	(10,905)	-3%	(18,703)	-6%
Home Rule Sales Tax	237,218	247,868	220,309	(16,909)	-7%	(27,559)	-11%
State Income Tax	192,387	177,675	208,724	16,337	8%	31,049	17%
Other Taxes	82,181	79,022	111,200	29,019	35%	32,178	41%
Subtotal Taxes	874,753	883,357	890,055	15,302	2%	0%	0%
LICENSES & PERMITS							
Vehicle Licenses	3,433	3,117	2,590	(843)	-25%	(527)	-17%
Business Registration	13,885	9,163	(75)	(13,960)	-101%	(9,238)	-101%
Liquor Licenses	20	549	-	(20)	-100%	(549)	-100%
Building Permits/Reg./Fees	59,729	73,704	61,705	1,976	3%	(11,999)	-16%
Subtotal Licenses & Permits	77,067	86,533	64,220	(12,847)	-17%	(22,313)	-35%
CHARGES & FEES							
Cable Franchise Fees	109,864	133,648	109,454	(410)	0%	(24,194)	-18%
Ambulance Service Fees	84	-	-	(84)	-100%	-	0%
Police Service Reimbursements	4,677	5,285	2,764	(1,913)	-41%	(2,521)	-48%
Reimbursements - Other Agencies	11,077	10,662	11,286	209	2%	624	6%
Subtotal Charges & Fees	125,702	149,595	123,504	(2,198)	-2%	(26,091)	-21%
OTHER							
Police/Court Fines/Adjudication	37,262	44,015	16,452	(20,810)	-56%	(27,563)	-63%
Investment Income	14,841	3,167	5,745	(9,096)	-61%	2,578	81%
Miscellaneous Income	10,128	21,910	1,539,057	1,528,929	15096%	1,517,147	6924%
Transfers from Other Funds	134,783	137,500	91,667	(43,116)	-32%	(45,833)	-33%
Subtotal Other	197,014	206,592	1,652,921	1,455,907	739%	1,446,329	700%
Revenue Totals	1,274,536	1,326,076	2,730,700	1,456,164	114%	1,397,925	105%

EXPENDITURES

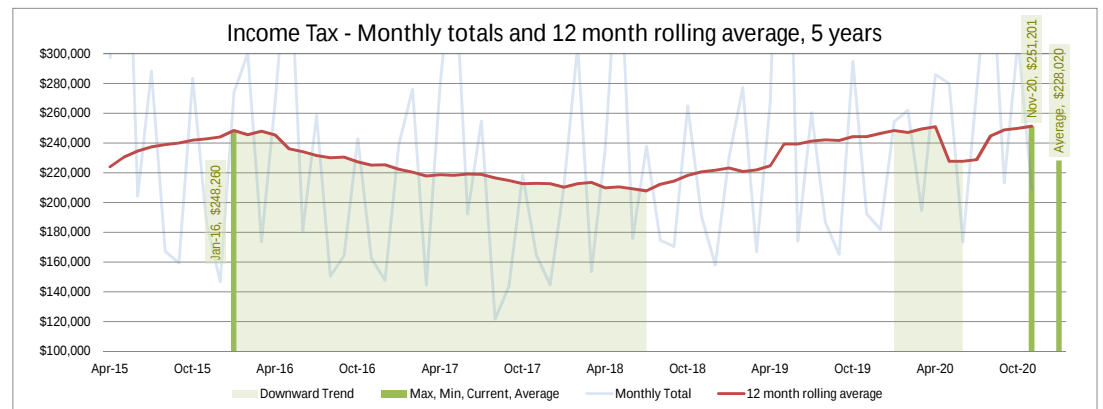
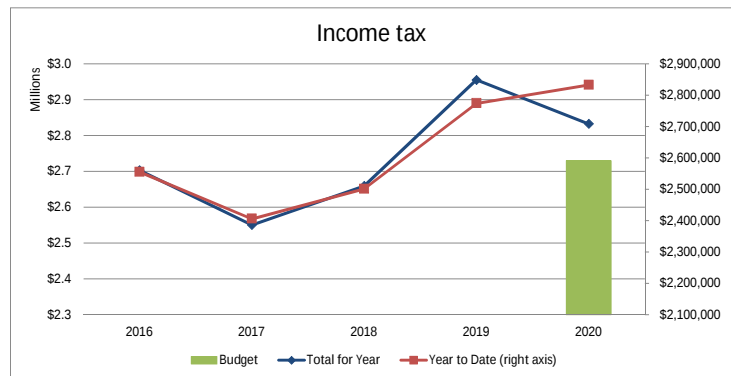
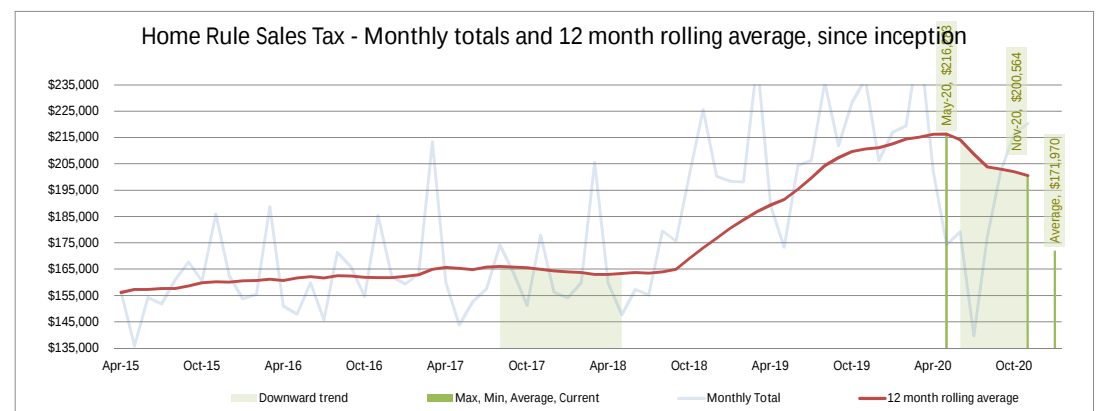
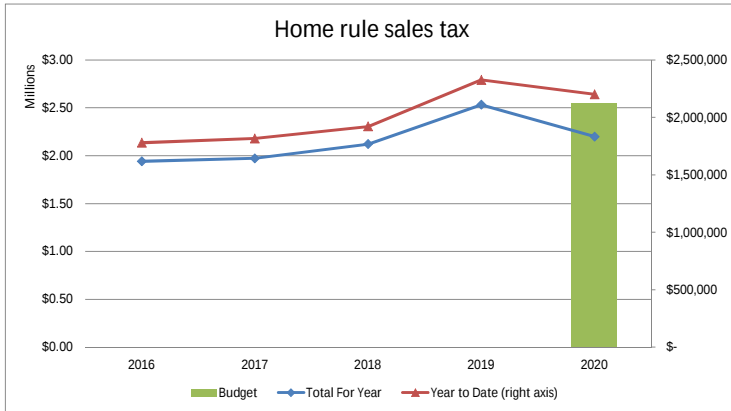
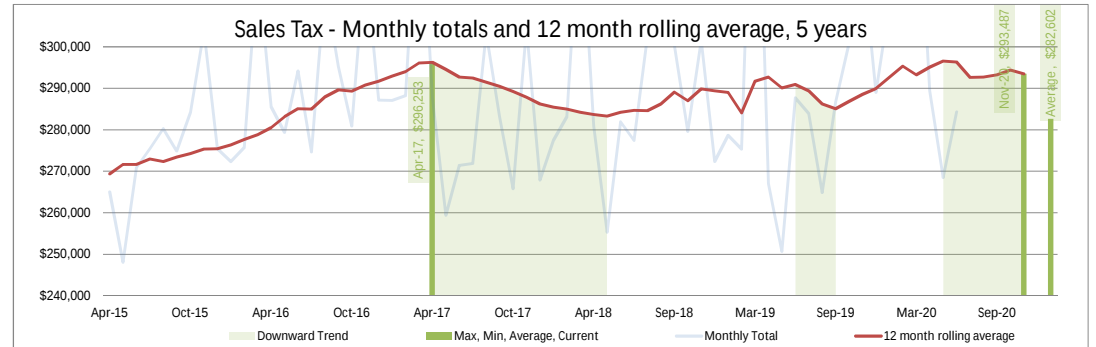
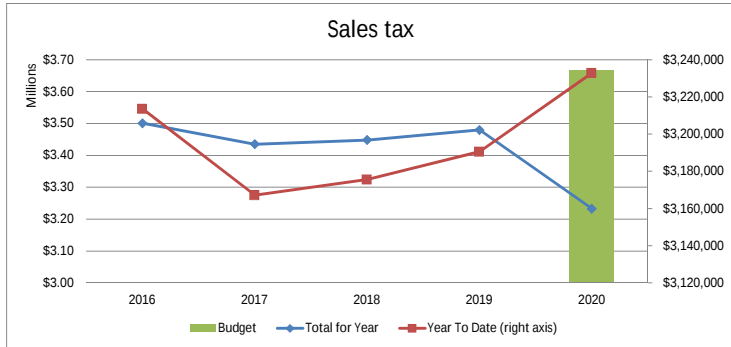
Village Board & Clerk	8,032	9,157	3,280	(4,752)	-59%	(5,877)	-64%
Village Manager's Office	52,969	61,904	89,803	36,834	70%	27,899	45%
Facilities Maintenance	43,981	67,456	51,917	7,936	18%	(15,539)	-23%
Information Technology*	119,228	52,477	112,570	(6,658)	-6%	60,093	115%
Senior Services	7,366	7,184	7,765	399	5%	581	8%
History Park	305	2,227	1,115	810	266%	(1,112)	-50%
Law	40,564	25,827	15,014	(25,550)	-63%	(10,813)	-42%
Finance - Administration	46,148	51,646	42,400	(3,748)	-8%	(9,246)	-18%
Finance - Cashiers Office	23,107	26,111	22,964	(143)	-1%	(3,147)	-12%
Planning	44,986	45,491	43,132	(1,854)	-4%	(2,359)	-5%
Building	87,891	98,911	86,827	(1,064)	-1%	(12,084)	-12%
Economic Development	8,284	29,707	9,227	943	11%	(20,480)	-69%
Police - Administration	91,679	99,263	87,744	(3,935)	-4%	(11,519)	-12%
Police - Operations	331,579	394,787	387,664	56,085	17%	(7,123)	-2%
Police - Investigations	78,525	75,012	75,044	(3,481)	-4%	32	0%
Fire	24,805	28,322	22,655	(2,150)	-9%	(5,667)	-20%
EMS	33,651	41,673	-	(33,651)	-100%	(41,673)	-100%
Public Works - Admin & Eng.**	62,006	64,026	60,369	(1,637)	-3%	(3,657)	-6%
Public Works - Streets	110,731	107,433	84,194	(26,537)	-24%	(23,239)	-22%
Public Works - Forestry	85,243	90,448	56,411	(28,832)	-34%	(34,037)	-38%
Expenditure Totals	1,301,080	1,379,063	1,260,095	(40,985)	-3%	(118,968)	-9%
Net Surplus / (Deficit)	(26,544)	(52,987)	1,470,605	1,497,149		1,523,592	

YTD

Last Year	Current Budget	Current Year	Variance from LY		Variance YTD Budget	
			\$	%	\$	%
3,498,573	3,565,209	3,588,794	90,221	3%	23,585	1%
142,542	146,188	139,276	(3,266)	-2%	(6,912)	-5%
3,190,490	3,369,654	3,232,834	42,344	1%	(136,820)	-4%
2,326,688	2,332,139	2,200,473	(126,215)	-5%	(131,666)	-6%
2,773,696	2,579,328	2,832,618	58,922	2%	253,290	9%
1,435,001	1,463,593	1,513,087	78,086	5%	49,494	3%
13,366,990	13,456,111	13,507,082	140,092	1%	50,971	0%
359,342	377,028	317,301	(42,041)	-12%	(59,727)	-19%
76,355	81,108	4,640	(71,715)	-94%	(76,468)	-1648%
132,898	134,172	93,694	(39,204)	-29%	(40,478)	-43%
918,660	1,014,590	1,391,925	473,265	52%	377,335	27%
1,487,255	1,606,897	1,807,560	320,305	22%	200,663	11%
565,543	575,000	578,201	12,658	2%	3,201	1%
281	25,500	75	(206)	-73%	(25,425)	-33900%
177,268	189,121	171,742	(5,526)	-3%	(17,379)	-10%
168,297	171,766	180,013	11,716	7%	8,247	5%
911,389	961,387	930,031	18,642	2%	(31,356)	-3%
465,163	488,386	313,814	(151,349)	-33%	(174,572)	-56%
186,010	181,292	67,485	(118,525)	-64%	(113,807)	-169%
337,682	253,749	1,663,216	1,325,534	393%	1,409,467	85%
1,406,598	1,362,500	1,431,783	25,185	2%	69,283	5%
2,395,453	2,285,927	3,476,298	1,080,845	45%	1,190,371	34%
18,161,087	18,310,323	19,720,971	1,559,884	9%	1,410,648	7%

113,760	104,343	94,364	(19,396)	-17%	(9,979)	-10%
694,693	730,741	927,650	232,957	34%	196,909	27%
875,039	771,929	707,303	(167,736)	-19%	(64,626)	-8%
470,997	599,693	716,349	245,352	52%	116,656	19%
89,750	83,666	81,169	(8,581)	-10%	(2,497)	-3%
21,516	24,953	20,122	(1,394)	-6%	(4,831)	-19%
302,949	300,803	337,926	34,977	12%	37,123	12%
565,556	608,294	549,919	(15,637)	-3%	(58,375)	-10%
295,528	309,164	286,152	(9,376)	-3%	(23,012)	-7%
498,582	540,009	531,717	33,135	7%	(8,292)	-2%
929,077	1,148,489	1,186,667	257,590	28%	38,178	3%
323,295	612,773	344,252	20,957	6%	(268,521)	-44%
1,325,672	1,385,440	1,313,052	(12,620)	-1%	(72,388)	-5%
5,722,657	6,074,574	6,226,966	504,309	9%	152,392	3%
1,180,900	1,206,696	1,164,481	(16,419)	-1%	(42,215)	-3%
306,283	311,538	282,471	(23,812)	-8%	(29,067)	-9%
484,003	458,402	467,612	(16,391)	-3%	9,210	2%
722,486	753,870	731,200	8,714	1%	(22,670)	-3%
1,316,262	1,222,627	1,120,660	(195,602)	-15%	(101,967)	-8%
985,735	1,023,516	798,628	(187,107)	-19%	(224,888)	-22%
17,224,740	18,271,519	17,888,660	663,920	4%	(382,859)	-2%
936,347	38,804	1,832,311	895,964		1,793,507	

Key General Fund Revenues
For the Period Ended November 30, 2020





**Glen Ellyn Finance
Commission**

535 Duane Street
Glen Ellyn, IL 60137

Meeting 1/15/2021 7:00 AM
Department: Finance
Department Head: Christina Coyle
Category: Policy
Prepared By: Christina Coyle

**AGENDA ITEM (ID # 2021-
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Financial Policy Review

Statement of the Issue:

During the 2021 budget discussions, it was determined that the Village should review its financial policies and make modifications where necessary. Any financial policy would first be reviewed by the Finance Commission before it is reviewed by the Village Board.

Analysis:

The Finance Commission has reviewed and approved several financial policies over the past five years. Those policies are:

1. Purchasing Policy - 2019 update
2. Investment Policy - 2018 update
3. Fund Balance/Reserve Policy - 2018 update
4. Pension Funding Policy - 2017 update

These four policies are attached. As the first step in this process, staff is requesting that the Finance Commission review these recently updated policies and make a determination if any further review is deemed necessary or if the Commission can affirm the current policy. At the January meeting, staff is requesting feedback from the Commission on these more recently adopted policies.

Going forward, staff will review those policies that have not been updated recently. Those include:

1. Debt Policy
2. Budget Policy
3. Revenue and Expenditure Policy
4. Accounting, Auditing and Financial Reporting

Staff will move forward in updating these policies and bring new policies to the Finance Commission for their review at future meetings.

Lastly, the Village may want to consider some additional financial policies, including:

1. Capital Improvement Policy

2. Long-term Financial Planning Policy
3. Property Tax Policy

Budget Impact:

N/A

Action Requested:

Please review the four policies already completed and provide feedback if we need to revisit any portion of those policies.

Attachments:

1. Purchasing Policy - FINAL - Updated 2019-09-23
2. Investment Policy - 2018 Update - FINAL - 2018-05
3. EXHIBIT A - FUND BALANCE AND NET POSITION RESERVE POLICY - 2018-08
4. Pension Funding Policy Updated 2017-02-27 CLEAN



ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. #3

Subject: Village Purchasing Policies and Procedures

Original order approved December 7, 2011, revised September 16, 2013, November 14, 2016, and September 23, 2019

Applicability

This policy shall apply to the procurement and purchase of goods, supplies, equipment, and services by the Village.

Purpose

The purpose of this policy is to assist in obtaining supplies, equipment and services as economically and efficiently as possible. It is intended to:

1. Simplify and clarify existing purchasing practices and policies;
2. Provide guidance for compliance with applicable purchasing rules;
3. Ensure the fair and equitable treatment of all persons who deal with purchasing activities;
4. Promote increased economy in purchasing activities;
5. Foster broad-based competition within the free enterprise system; and
6. Provide safeguards for the maintenance of a procurement system of quality and integrity.

Policy

A. ETHICAL CONDUCT

1. Elected officials and employees shall adhere to the Village's Ethics Policy when making all purchasing decisions.
2. Elected officials and employees may not participate directly or indirectly in a purchase when the elected official or employee or any member of his immediate family will benefit. Any attempt by an employee to realize personal gain through public employment by conduct inconsistent with these policies is subject to discipline and/or dismissal.

3. No elected official or employee, either on that person's behalf or on behalf of any other person, shall have any financial or personal interest in any business or transaction with any Board, Commission, Committee or other public body of the Village unless that official or employee makes full public disclosure of the nature and full extent of such interest and recuses him or herself from participating in and acting upon the resolution of the business or transaction.
4. Employees shall adhere to this policy consistent with the philosophy above to ensure cost savings and efficiency. When competitive bidding, employees shall attempt to solicit as many bids as reasonably possible. Employees shall not subdivide any contract or purchase with the intent to circumvent the bidding requirements or approval limits established within this policy.
5. If any portion of this policy is found to be in conflict with any federal, state or local law, the federal, state or local law shall apply. However, if this policy is more restrictive than the federal, state or local law, the policy shall apply.

B. AUTHORITY

1. Up to \$5,000: Department Directors may approve purchases up to \$5,000. It is the Department Director's responsibility to ensure budgeted funds are available and competitive pricing is obtained prior to purchase. A Department Director may delegate any level of purchasing authority under \$5,000 to other department employees with approval by the Village Manager and Finance Director.
2. Up to \$35,000: The Village Manager may approve purchases up to \$35,000. It is the Village Manager's responsibility to ensure budgeted funds are available and competitive pricing is obtained prior to purchase.
3. Greater than \$35,000: Any single purchase or contract with a single vendor over \$35,000 requires Village Board approval. Glen Ellyn Village Code (1-10-1) requires that all contracts for labor, services or work, or for the purchase of personal property, materials, equipment or supplies involving amounts estimated to be in excess of \$35,000 shall be let only by competitive bidding after advertisement for bids to the lowest responsible bidder submitting a bid in conformance with the advertisement. Bi-annually, the Village Manager and Finance Director will review cumulative spending with the Village's vendors to identify if the scope of products and/or services provided by said vendor to determine if the aggregate purchases should be considered for approval by the Village Board. The Village Manager and Finance Director will base his or her decisions on this administrative order.
4. Payments greater than \$35,000 not requiring current purchase order or explicit Village Board approval: Required or routine payments will be made through the normal check issuance procedures, without the need for prior purchase order or explicit Village Board authorization, under the following circumstances:

- a. Government or utility payments. The Village is required to make payments to regulatory agencies or other governments with authority over the Village or Village activity. Examples include, but are not limited to: the State of Illinois, Federal Government, County of DuPage, each in their official or oversight capacity, the Illinois Department of Employment Security (unemployment insurance), the Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund, the Illinois Department of Revenue (sales tax remittances), and utility companies. These payments are not limited to the amount budgeted, but amounts spent over the budget amount will be reported to the Village Board in a timely manner as appropriate.
 - b. Village Contracts. The Village Board periodically approves contracts or service agreements that span multiple years, which later require periodic and ongoing payments that exceed \$35,000 individually or in aggregate. Examples include, but are not limited to, DuComm, DuPage Water Commission, Glenbard Wastewater Authority, GIS Consortium legal services, insurance providers, debt service principal and interest, and waste haulers. Payments for these Village Contracts are not limited to the amount budgeted, but amounts spent over the budget amount will be reported to the Village Board in a timely manner as appropriate.
 - c. Village support of other organizations. Payments are made to various service providers, such as the Glen Ellyn Volunteer Fire Company, and the Downtown Alliance of Glen Ellyn. For such arrangements, payments for service shall be limited to the original Village Board approval and/or the Village budget for such services.
 - d. Subdividing or Split Purchases. Purchases shall not be split or subdivided to avoid a level of review or approval or to avoid competitive selection.
5. Change Orders: The Village Manager is authorized to approve any change order to a Village contract which is less than \$35,000. Any change order equal to, or in excess of, \$35,000 must be submitted to the Village Board as an agenda item for the Board's consideration. The Village Manager is also authorized to execute change orders above \$35,000 in instances where the change order falls within a contract contingency authorized by the Village Board.

6. Quotes: Employees are responsible for obtaining quotes for purchases as follows:

Amount	Quotes Required	Description
\$1,000-\$2,499	Informal Quotes	Employees are encouraged to seek one or more quotes when possible to ensure that competitive prices are obtained. Informal quotes include taking telephone prices, prices through catalogs/online, etc.
\$2,500-\$4,999	Combination of Formal / Informal Quotes	At least two quotes must be obtained. Documentation must be submitted to the Finance Department, but can include taking telephone prices, prices through catalogs/online, requests for proposals, and documented quotes from vendors. If less than two quotes were obtained, written justification must be submitted to the Finance Department.
\$5,000-\$34,999	Formal Quotes	At least three formal quotes must be obtained or sufficient justification to warrant the purchase from a specific vendor. Formal quotes should include documented quotations including sealed bids, requests for proposals, or any other appropriate form of written quotation. These quotations must be submitted to the Finance Department. If less than three quotes were obtained, written justification must be submitted to the Finance Department.

- a. Local Preference: Every effort should be made to solicit a quote from a business located in the Glen Ellyn corporate boundaries. In evaluating quotes, costs such as delivery or freight should be considered to arrive at the lowest possible cost.
- b. Recurring purchases: If a purchase of goods or services is recurring and/or ongoing, a quote may be obtained once every three years, so long as the cost remains competitive and there is no significant (i.e. 10%) change to the scope of goods/services.

6. Transportation and Delivery Charges: The Department Director shall make every effort to determine any transportation or delivery charges prior to proceeding with a purchase. Transportation charges must be included when determining cost of a purchase.
7. Maximum Practicable Competition: All specifications for purchases shall be drafted so as to promote overall economy for the purposes and encourage competition in satisfying the Village's needs, and shall not be unduly restrictive.

8. Budget: Careful consideration of the budget must be undertaken when purchasing. It is the Department Manager's responsibility to ensure they are within their budget constraints. If an item would cause the fund to exceed budget, then it should be taken to the Village Board along with a budget amendment.
9. Contracts: All contracts must be reviewed and approved by the Village Attorney prior to execution. Contracts under \$5,000 may be signed by a Department Head. Contracts \$5,000 to under \$35,000 may be signed by the Village Manager. Contracts greater than \$35,000 must be approved by the Village Board and signed by the Village Manager.
10. Disposal of Village property: The Village Manager may authorize disposal of any Village property valued up to \$35,000 in a manner deemed most beneficial to the Village. All items above \$35,000 must be authorized for disposal by the Village Board.

C. COMPETITIVE SEALED BIDDING

An openly publicized competitive process for the procurement of goods, supplies, equipment, services, and construction, is the most effective means of determining the lowest cost from a responsible source and should be utilized whenever possible.

1. Exceptions to Competitive Bidding: A purchase or contract over \$35,000 that is by its nature not adapted to award by competitive bidding may be approved by a 2/3rd vote of the Village Board.

Examples of exceptions to competitive bidding are listed below.

- a. Professional services requiring individual skill or expertise shall be governed by the policy on professional services in Section D. Such services include, but are not limited to, engineers, financial advisors, search firms, accountants, architects, inspectors, attorneys, and professional consultants.
- b. Emergency purchases are purchases obtained in circumstances which include threats to public health or safety, where immediate repairs to Village property are required to protect or prevent against further loss or damage, or where immediate action is needed to prevent or minimize serious disruption to Village services. Emergency purchases shall be authorized if timing is critical. The Village Manager shall report to the Village Board regarding emergency purchases as soon as practicable.
- c. State or federal contracts are exempted from the competitive bidding process. The Village may take advantage of the favorable prices obtained under a State contract whenever practical to do so.

- d. Cooperative purchases, defined as more than one unit of government purchasing goods and services together by competitive bid.
- e. Single Source purchases, defined as material or services that are available from only one vendor but are deemed necessary to Village operations may be exempted from bidding requirements.
- f. Standardization purchases, defined as technical nature of certain items or services may result in the standardization of a particular supplier's specifications being necessary or desirable to Village operations. Competitive bidding may be waived if the Village requires compatibility with existing software, machinery or other existing equipment.
- g. Certain items are purchased by the Village Links/Reserve 22 for resale. These items are generally offered for resale in the Pro Shop or food/hospitality products. Merchandise items are chosen for their marketability and public demand and cannot be purchased through the formal bidding process. Food and hospitality items may be purchased based on immediate need or demand, product quality, availability schedule, or other factors deemed necessary to properly run the food and hospitality functions of the Department. The management of the Village Links/Reserve 22 will make every effort to obtain these items at the best possible prices.

2. Procedures for Competitive Bidding

- a. Invitations for Bids: An Invitation for Bids shall be issued and shall include a purchase description, and all necessary contractual terms, specifications, and conditions applicable to the purchase.
- b. Bids for Installation of Equipment: For all bids for the installation of products and equipment, consideration shall be given to requesting bids for the product or equipment separate from bids for the labor involved in installing the equipment in order to reduce the overall costs.
- c. Review by Village Attorney: When practicable, all invitations for bids shall be reviewed and approved by the Village Attorney prior to being issued.
- d. Public Notice: Adequate public notice of the Invitation for Bids shall be given at a reasonable time prior to the date set for the opening of bids. It is the policy of the Village to seek as broad an advertisement for bids as is practical under the circumstances. As a minimum, advertisement for bids shall be as follows:
 - a. Notice inviting bids shall be published once in at least one newspaper of general circulation in the village and at least ten (10) days prior to the last day set for the receipt of bid proposals.
 - b. The newspaper notice required herein shall include at least a general description of the work to be performed or the articles to be purchased, shall state where bid proposals forms and detailed specifications may be secured, and shall state the time and place for opening bids.

- c. Bids and proposals shall, to the extent possible, be solicited from all responsible prospective suppliers who have requested to be notified of purchases of the type being proposed or who are known to the village to do work or provide supplies of the type being sought, by sending those responsible prospective suppliers a copy of the notice to acquaint them with the proposed purchase or sale.
- d. Bid announcements shall be advertised on the Village website.
- e. Requirement for Bid Security: Bid Security will be required for all competitive sealed bidding for construction contracts. Bid security shall be a bond provided by a surety company authorized to do business in the State of Illinois, or a certified check, bank draft, or cashier check, or other form satisfactory to the Village.
- f. Amount of Bid Security: Bid security amount is to be determined by the requisitioning department and shall be in an amount no less than 5% of the bid and no more than 10% of the bid.
- g. Bid Opening: Bids shall be opened publicly by the Finance Director or the Finance Director's designee and in the presence of one or more witnesses at the time and place designated in the Invitation for Bids. The amount of each bid, together with the name of each bidder, shall be recorded, and the record of each bid shall be open to public inspection.
- h. Bid Evaluation and Acceptance: Bids shall be unconditionally accepted without alteration or correction, except as addressed in this policy statement. Bids shall be evaluated based on the requirements described in the Invitation for Bids, which may include criteria to determine acceptability such as inspection, testing, quality, workmanship, delivery and suitability for a particular purpose. The Invitation for Bids shall set forth the evaluation criteria to be used. No criteria may be used in bid evaluation that is not set out in the Invitation for Bids. At no time should any information be made available to any prospective bidder which is not available to all prospective bidders.
- i. Correction or Withdrawal of Bids: After a bid opening, no changes in bid prices or other provisions of bids prejudicial to the interest of the Village or fair competition shall be permitted. Decisions to permit correction or withdrawal of bids, or to cancel awards or contracts based on bid mistakes prior to approval by the Village Board should be based upon the following criteria:
 - a. A bidder will not be permitted to correct a bid mistake after bid opening that would cause the bidder to have the low bid, unless the mistake is clearly evident from examining the bid document, and is supported by proof that has evidentiary value--for example, extension of unit prices or errors in addition.

- b. A low bidder will not be permitted to correct a bid for errors in judgment.
- c. In lieu of bid correction, the Village may permit a low bidder alleging a material mistake of fact to withdraw its bid when there is reasonable proof that a mistake was made and the intended bid cannot be ascertained with reasonable certainty.
- d. After bid opening, an otherwise low bidder will not be permitted to delete exceptions to the bid conditions which affect price or substantive obligations.
- e. If the Village suspects a mistake has been made by a bidder, it may request confirmation of a bid.
- j. Award: Contracts shall be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder. In determining "lowest responsible bidder", in addition to the price, the Village may consider the following factors:
 - a. The ability, capacity and skill of the bidder to perform the contract or provide the service required;
 - b. Whether the bidder can perform the contract or provide the service promptly, or within the time specified, without delay or interference;
 - c. The character, integrity, reputation, judgment, experience and efficiency of the bidder;
 - d. The quality of performance of previous contracts or services;
 - e. The previous and existing compliance by the bidder with laws and ordinances relating to the contract or service;
 - f. The sufficiency of the financial resources and the ability of the bidder to perform the contract or provide the service;
 - g. The quality, availability and adaptability of the supplies or contractual services to the particular use required by the village;
 - h. The ability of the bidder to provide future maintenance and service for the use of the contract; and
 - i. The number and scope of conditions attached to the bid, if any.
- k. Notice of Award: After approval by the Village Board, the award shall be processed with reasonable promptness by written notice to the successful bidder.
- l. Non-monetary Change Orders: The Village Manager may execute change orders to extend the length of a construction contract by up to 30 days or other terms and

conditions of a contract deemed necessary or in the best interest of the Village.

D. PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

1. Qualification Based Selection (QBS) Procedures shall be utilized to procure all federally funded professional services, or as otherwise deemed applicable by the Village Manager. The Village's QBS Procedures shall follow the Federal QBS Requirements in IDOT's Bureau of Local Roads and Streets (BLRS) Manual. The Village's QBS Procedures, included within Appendix A of this Administrative Order, and shall be maintained and updated administratively as dictated by changes in the IDOT BLRS Manual.
2. For all locally funded professional services contracts/agreements related to Architectural, Engineering, and Land Surveying Services shall be governed by the requirements of the Local Government Professional Services Selection Act (50 ILCS 510/1 et seq.). Proposals shall be requested and evaluated based upon the requirements set forth in a request for proposals document, which may include firm information, experience with similar projects, qualifications of personnel, ability to meet project deadlines, completeness of project approach, additional services/tasks, and project costs. Cost may be considered, but may not alone determine the provider of the professional services. Competitive proposals are required where the total contract is \$35,000 or greater. Where the cost is less than \$35,000, the respective Department Head and the Village Manager shall determine whether such contract will be awarded on the basis of obtaining at least three quotes or on the basis of competitive request for proposals. To aid staff in maintaining a list of qualified firms from which proposals may be requested, the Village shall publish a legal notice in the Daily Herald on a 3-year basis to request statements of interest/qualifications.

For professional services *other* than architectural, engineering, and land surveying services, where the cost is less than \$35,000, the respective Department Head and the Village Manager shall determine whether such contract will be awarded on the basis of obtaining at least three quotes or on the basis of competitive request for proposals. For those where the cost is \$35,000 or greater, the contract shall be awarded based upon a competitive request for proposal, unless it is determined that an exception listed in Section C(1) applies. The Village Attorney shall determine if an exception is applicable.

E. RECEIPT

The person signing and approving the invoice for payment must determine that goods or services have been received in good order. By approving the invoice for payment with their signature, the individual is verifying proper receipt of goods or services has occurred.

F. SALES TAX EXEMPTION

The Village is a sales tax exempt organization in the State of Illinois. When making purchases for the Village, all reasonable attempts should be made to make purchases exempt from sales tax, which may require presenting the Village's sales tax exempt certificate and completing forms or other documentation. Village policy is that we do not pay sales tax or reimburse employees for sales tax paid out of pocket. In those unusual situations when sales tax payments are reasonably unavoidable, Department Managers can authorize payment or reimbursement of a nominal amount sales tax.

G. PAYMENT

1. Checks: Invoices for payment by check shall be submitted to the Finance Department. Invoices must be coded with the appropriate budget account and signed by the Department Director or valid designee. The invoice must also clearly state the purpose of the purchase. Purchases of food or meals must include a list of the individuals or groups receiving the food or meal. If purchase exceeds \$5,000, the Village Manager must also sign the invoice, except utilities, postage, developer donations, health insurance and routine refunds. All invoices must describe the Village business purpose for which the goods or services were purchased. Lien waivers from all contractors and subcontractors must be included with invoices for construction contracts and submitted to the Village Attorney before any payment will be authorized.

All invoices will be reviewed by the Accounts Payable Coordinator for proper approval and coding and entered into the accounting system. The Assistant Finance Director will review and approve the invoices and reports for proper approvals and accuracy prior to printing checks.

Checks will be printed every Friday. All invoices to be included in a Friday check run must be submitted to the Finance Department by 5PM the Wednesday before the check run. If the schedule is adjusted, Finance will alert departments as early as practical. Checks will not be sent out until all required signatures and documentation are received by the Finance Department. The Finance Department will distribute checks via U.S. mail. If a vendor wishes to pick up a check, the individual will need to provide identification sufficient to show their affiliation with the vendor, and will be required to sign a log provided by the Finance Department.

2. Purchasing Cards: Purchasing cards are issued to improve efficiency and make additional vendors available to provide goods for the Village through internet sales.
 - a. Issuance of Purchasing Cards: Employees may be issued a purchasing card upon request by the Department Director and approval by Finance Director and the Village Manager. Each card has a monthly purchase limit based upon the purchasing requirements of the employee. Employees must sign an agreement that they will use the card only for Village related purchases.
 - b. Use of Purchasing Cards: Use of a purchasing card does not change the approval structure established in Section B of this policy.

Each employee provided a Purchasing Card is responsible for the security of the card and should not permit its use for means other than those permitted by this policy. If an employee's card is used for egregious or repeated unauthorized purposes or uses, monthly reporting is not made in a timely manner, or it is used outside of the permissions of this policy, the employee's purchasing card may be immediately suspended or revoked, temporarily or permanently. If such action is taken, the employee's supervisor will be advised of the action and reasons for such action.

As with all purchases made on the Village's behalf, goods purchased with a purchasing card are exempt from sales tax. This is indicated on the front of all cards and should be pointed out to the vendor to prevent sales tax from being charged on any purchases made with the card. Depending on the vendor, card holders may still need to present the tax exempt letter or complete other documentation in order to receive the exemption.

The Village's purchasing card shall be used for Village purchases only. Absent approval from the Village Manager or Finance Director, the purchasing cards shall not be used for purchases for other people or organizations, even if the Village is reimbursed for the purchase.

- c. Submission of Purchasing Card Expense Reports: Each month, the Accounts Payable Coordinator will receive a summary of all employee charges. Individual statements will be sent to each card holder for coding and approval. Card holders must review their monthly statement and return it to the Finance Department with their signature and an itemized invoice or receipt for each purchase. Department heads must review and approve the purchasing card statements of their employees. Such information shall be submitted to the Finance Department no later than 3 business days prior to the due date on the statement, unless other arrangements are agreed upon, in advance, with the Finance Department. Each month, the Finance Department will advise card holders of the due date via email, providing at least one week notice. All receipts or invoices must describe the Village business purpose for which the goods or services were purchased. All purchases of food or meals must list the individuals or groups that benefited from the meal.

The Accounts Payable Coordinator will review all card purchases for proper approval, coding and documentation and enter the charges into the accounting system. The Assistant Finance Director will review the invoices and accounting system reports for proper approvals and accuracy. All monthly purchasing card statements will be reviewed and signed off by the Department Director, Finance Director and the Village Manager.

3. **Open Accounts:** To allow for the efficient procurement of routine supplies, the Village has established a limited number of open accounts at local vendors. Only employees authorized by their Department Director may utilize an open account. When available, purchasing cards should be utilized rather than charging an item to an open account. The Department Director is responsible for ensuring all purchases made on an open account are utilized only for Village business purposes.

Use of an open account does not exempt an employee from obtaining quotes for items over \$1,000. If an item is over \$1,000, quotes must still be obtained as required in Section B (4).

Employees must submit receipts for all purchases made on an open account to the Finance Department. Receipts must describe the Village business purpose for which the items were purchased and include the signature of the employee approving the purchase.

4. **Petty Cash:** Petty cash has been established to expedite miscellaneous purchases and paying of small bills which need not be handled through check payment. These funds are to be used by all departments for facilitating purchases and are not to be used for the purpose of circumventing normal purchasing procedures.

Petty cash requests shall be limited to \$50, unless approved by the Finance Director. Any amount above \$50 must be reimbursed via a check request submitted to the Finance Department.

Each petty cash location shall have a designated custodian who is responsible for disbursing and maintaining the petty cash funds.

The petty cash custodian shall ensure that all petty cash disbursements are properly approved and that a record of each disbursement includes the following information:

- a. Description of purchase.
- b. Budget account.
- c. Signature of employee approving disbursement.
- d. Signature of petty cash custodian.
- e. Signature of petty cash recipient.
- f. Original itemized receipt.

As petty cash is depleted, the custodian shall submit a request to replenish petty cash to the Finance Department. The request shall include all the required documentation for disbursements made since the previous request. The AP Fiscal Clerk will review all purchases for proper approval, coding and documentation and enter the charges into the accounting system. The Assistant Finance Director will review the invoices and accounting system reports for proper approvals and accuracy and a check will then be issued to the petty cash custodian. The Finance Department may conduct periodic cash counts and/or audits of petty cash.

5. Review of Vouchers:

1. Accounts Payable Coordinator: The Accounts Payable Coordinator will review invoices submitted for payment to ensure proper documentation, amount, account coding, and approval.
2. Assistant Finance Director: The Assistant Finance Director will perform a detailed review of the vouchers after the Accounts Payable Coordinator to ensure proper documentation, amount, account coding, and approval.
3. Finance Director: The Finance Director will receive from the Accounts Payable Coordinator a list of the vouchers for review. The Finance Director shall review the list and pose questions and request documentation as he or she deems necessary.
4. Village Attorney: The Village Attorney shall review the vouchers in advance of the board meeting to review items of a legal nature.
5. Village Manager: The Accounts Payable Coordinator will provide the Village Manager with a listing of paid invoices for inclusion on a Village Board Agenda. The Village Manager shall review said listing.

6. Village Board Approval of Vouchers: All payments will be approved by the Village Board. The Accounts Payable Coordinator will provide the Village Manager's office with a listing of paid invoices for inclusion on a Village Board meeting agenda. The invoice list will also be provided to all Trustees and a Trustee will be designated to review the invoices prior to Village Board payment approval. To ensure prompt payment, checks will be released prior to the Village Board meeting if the purchase has been properly approved and all required signatures and documentation have been received by the Finance Department.

H. MANAGEMENT CONTROLS

1. **Purchase Orders:** Purchase orders will be created for amounts greater than \$35,000, which require board approval prior to purchasing. Purchase orders may be issued for lower dollar amounts if requested by a department. The Accounts Payable Coordinator will create the purchase orders in the accounting system following board approval of a purchase. The purchase order is then sent to the Finance Director for review. A copy of the original purchase order is forwarded to the department making the purchase. The purchase order number must be included on all payment requests.
2. **Inspection and Testing:** The inspection and testing of delivered materials or equipment should occur at the time of delivery. Department Directors are responsible for ensuring that the quantity and quality of the delivered goods are as ordered and that all purchases made within their department are received and utilized solely for Village business. In the case of items for inventory or resale, Department Directors are responsible for maintaining an ongoing inventory record of such items. The Finance Department may review inventory records on a periodic basis and as part of the annual audit process.
3. **Internal Audits:** The Finance Department will conduct periodic audits of purchases. It shall be the responsibility of each Department Director to provide the Finance Department with the necessary information to verify any purchases chosen for an audit.
4. **External Audits:** The Village will engage an external public accounting firm to perform an annual audit of the financial statements. Such an audit will include an assessment of internal controls related to purchasing.
5. **Treasurer's Report:** The Village will produce an annual Treasurer's Report in accordance with State statutes, which includes all payments to vendors for the past year. The report will be reviewed to assess potential areas to increase purchasing efficiencies.
6. **Public Disclosures:** The Village will produce and publish other reports and disclosures related to payments and disbursements, which may be published on the Village website, hard copy available for public inspection or in another manner as required or allowed by law.
7. **Additional Policies:** Village Management will periodically review and revise additional policies related to purchasing including, but not limited to, uniforms, travel, and cell phones. Such policies may be implemented as administrative orders.

Mark Franz, Village Manager

Revision Date

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Village of Glen Ellyn QBS Procedures

Background

The Village of Glen Ellyn receives federal funds, which may be used to fund engineering and design related consultant services. For federally funded engineering assignments, the Village's written policies and procedures as described hereinafter for Qualification Based Selection (QBS) Procedures will be utilized to procure engineering and design related services.

Overview of Village QBS Procedures

The Village's QBS Procedure is generally summarized as follows:

- 1) The scope of the proposed engineering assignment is defined in a request for qualifications/proposals document.
- 2) The proposed engineering assignment is advertised (via Public Notice in a newspaper, website, magazines, etc.) with a request for qualifications/proposals.
- 3) The received proposals are evaluated by a selection committee to short-list at least three firms that are capable of completing the assignment within the specified parameters.
- 4) A minimum of three firms are selected for interviews and presentations by the firms. Based on the evaluations, discussions and presentations, the short-listed firms are ranked on the merits of their qualifications to provide the services for the project.

It is emphasized that during steps 1-4, cost is not part of the evaluation process.

- 5) The most qualified firm is then contacted and an attempt is made to negotiate an agreement at a fair and reasonable means of compensation based on the Municipality's estimated value of the services being rendered. This process involves developing a specific scope of services with the project schedule, staffing and hours, engineering effort, responsibility/liability, and other critical parameters clearly identified and agreed to as part of the negotiation of the agreement. The independent estimate is to be prepared by the municipality prior to negotiating the agreement.

Specific Village QBS Procedures

The Village's QBS procedures meet the requirements of 23 CFR 172 and the Brooks Act. As it relates to the 13 specific procedural requirements in Section 5-5 of the BLRS Manual, the Village's QBS Procedures are as follows:

1. Initial Administration – The Village of Glen Ellyn QBS policy and procedures assigns responsibilities to the Village Manager, Village Attorney, Finance Director, Public Works Director, and Professional Engineer within the Village of Glen Ellyn organization for the procurement, management, and administration for consultant services.
2. Written Policies and Procedures – The Village of Glen Ellyn believes its adopted QBS written policies and procedures substantially follows Section 5-5 of the BLRS Manual and specifically Section 5-5.06(e), therefore; approval from IDOT /FHWA is not required.

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3. Project Description – The Village of Glen Ellyn will include the following five items when developing the project description in its request for qualifications/proposals and may include additional items when unique circumstances exist.
 - Describe in general terms the need, purpose, and objective of the project;
 - Identify the various project components;
 - Establish the desired timetable for the effort;
 - Identify any specific challenges, problems, and concerns;
 - Determine the total project budget.
4. Public Notice – The Village of Glen Ellyn will publish an ad/legal notice in the Daily Herald soliciting qualifications/proposals. The legal notice shall be published at least 14 calendar days prior to the last date of acceptance of qualifications/proposals. Interviews of short-listed firms will be required and so noted in the Public Notice.
5. Conflict of Interest – The Village of Glen Ellyn requires consultants to submit with their qualifications/proposals a disclosure statement through the use of the IDOT BDE DISC 2 Template as the conflict of interest form.
6. Suspension and Debarment – The Village of Glen Ellyn procedures require verification of suspension and debarment actions to ensure the eligibility of firms short listed and selected for projects. The Village shall utilize the SAM Exclusions, IDOT CPO's website and the three other state CPO's websites to verify suspensions and debarments.
7. Evaluation Factors – The Village of Glen Ellyn allows the Professional Engineer to set the evaluation factors for each project, but must include a minimum of 4 qualification based criterion including Technical Approach (10-30%), Firm Experience (10-30%), Specialized Expertise (10-30%), Staff Capabilities (Prime/Sub)(10-30%), Work Load Capacity (10-30%), Past Performance (10-30%), and other qualification based criterion included in Figure 5-5B of the BLRS Manual and as set by the Professional Engineer. The criterion and weighting form shall be included within each request for qualifications/proposals as to aid firms in understanding how they will be evaluated. The criterion weighting factors shall not include any consideration of costs.
8. Selection – The Village of Glen Ellyn requires a minimum (3) person selection committee. Typically, the selection committee members include the Village Manager, Public Works Director, Professional Engineer, and/or other staff as deemed necessary by the Village Manager. Members of the selection committee may delegate this responsibility to other staff members.

The selection committee members must certify that they do not have a conflict of interest. Following consultation by the Professional Engineer, the selection committee members are chosen by the Village Manager for each project. The Village of Glen Ellyn requires each member of the selection committee to provide an independent score for each proposal using the criterion, weighting factor, and evaluation form provided by the Professional Engineer in the Request for Qualifications/Proposals document, prior to the selection committee meeting. The

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selection committee members' scores are averaged for a committee score which is used to establish a short list of three firms. If there are other firms within 10% of the top three firms' scores, the Village Manager may choose to expand the short list to include more than 3 firms. The short listed firms are then interviewed, including a presentation by the firms. The committee score is adjusted by the committee based on a group discussion and information gained from presentations and interviews to develop a final ranking of the short listed firms. The product of these efforts will yield identification of the most qualified firm for the assignment.

9. Independent Estimate – The Village of Glen Ellyn will prepare an independent in-house estimate for the project prior to contract negotiation. The estimate is used in the negotiation.
10. Contract Negotiation – The Village of Glen Ellyn requires a minimum (3) person team to negotiate with firms. The team typically consists of the Village Manager, Village Attorney, and Professional Engineer, and/or other staff as deemed necessary by the Village Manager. Members of the negotiation team may delegate this responsibility to other staff members. The Village will attempt to negotiate an agreement with the most qualified firm. Should
11. Acceptable Costs – The Village of Glen Ellyn requires the Village Manager, or delegate, to review the contract costs and the indirect cost rates to assure they are compliant with Federal cost principles prior to submission to IDOT.
12. Invoice Processing – The Village of Glen Ellyn requires the Finance Director, or delegate, to review and approve all invoices prior to payment and submission to IDOT for reimbursement.
13. Project Administration – The Village of Glen Ellyn requires the Professional Engineer to monitor work on the project in accordance with the contract and to file reports with the Village Manager. The Village of Glen Ellyn procedures require an evaluation of the consultant's work at the end of each project. These reports are maintained in the Village of Glen Ellyn's project records. The Village of Glen Ellyn follows IDOT's requirements and the required submission of BLRS Form 05613 to the IDOT district at contract close-out along with the final invoice.



VILLAGE OF GLEN ELLYN

INVESTMENT POLICY

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1.0 **Policy:**

It is the policy of the Village of Glen Ellyn to invest public funds in a manner which will provide the highest investment return with the maximum security while meeting the daily cash flow demands of the Village and conforming to all state statutes governing the investment of public funds.

2.0 **Scope:**

This investment policy applies to all financial assets of the Village of Glen Ellyn except for the Glen Ellyn Police Pension Fund which is subject to the direction of the Police Pension Board of Trustees. These funds are accounted for in the Village of Glen Ellyn's Comprehensive Annual Financial Report and include:

2.1 **Funds:**

The following funds are covered by this investment policy, plus any new funds that are created by the Village Board, unless specifically exempted by the Village Board or other authority.

- General Fund
- Corporate Reserve Fund
- Motor Fuel Tax Fund
- Central Business District TIF Fund
- Roosevelt Road TIF Fund
- Forfeiture Fund
- Fire Services Fund
- Debt Service Fund
- Capital Projects Fund
- Facilities Maintenance Reserve Fund
- Water and Sanitary Sewer Fund
- Parking Fund
- Residential Solid Waste Fund
- Village Links/Reserve 22 Fund
- Insurance Fund

- Equipment Services Fund

3.0 **Prudence:**

Investments shall be made with judgment and care - under circumstances then prevailing - which persons of prudence, discretion and intelligence exercise in the management of their own affairs, not for speculation, but for investment, considering the probable safety of their capital, as well as the probable income to be derived.

3.1 The standard of prudence to be used by investment officials shall be the “**prudent person**” standard and shall be applied in the context of managing an overall portfolio. Investment officers acting in accordance with written procedures and the investment policy and exercising due diligence shall be relieved of personal responsibility for an individual security’s credit risk or market price changes, provided deviations from expectations are reported in a timely fashion and appropriate action is taken to control adverse developments.

4.0 **Objective:**

The primary objectives, in priority order, of the Village of Glen Ellyn investment activities shall be:

4.1 **Safety:**

Safety of principal is the foremost objective of the investment program. Investments of the Village of Glen Ellyn shall be undertaken in a manner that seeks to ensure the preservation of capital in the portfolio.

A. Credit Risk:

Credit risk is the risk of loss due to the failure of the security issuer or backer. Credit risk may be mitigated by:

- Limiting investments to the safest types of securities
- Pre-qualifying the financial institutions, broker/dealers, intermediaries, and advisors with which an entity will do business, and
- Diversifying the investment portfolio so that potential losses on individual securities will be minimized.

B. Interest Rate Risk:

Interest rate risk is the risk that the market value of securities in the portfolio will fall due to changes in general interest rates. Interest rate risk may be mitigated by:

- Structuring the investment portfolio so that securities mature to meet cash requirements for ongoing operations, thereby avoiding the need to sell securities on the open market prior to maturity, and
- By investing operating funds primarily in shorter-term securities.

4.2 Liquidity:

The investment portfolio shall remain sufficiently liquid to meet all operating requirements that may be reasonably anticipated. This is accomplished by structuring the portfolio so that securities mature concurrent with cash needs to meet anticipated demands (static liquidity). Furthermore, since all possible cash demands cannot be anticipated, the portfolio should consist largely of securities with active secondary or resale markets (dynamic liquidity).

4.3 Return on Investments:

The investment portfolio shall be designed with the objective of attaining a market rate of return throughout budgetary and economic cycles, taking into account the investment risk constraints and liquidity needs. Return on investment is of least importance compared to the safety and liquidity objectives described above. The core of investments is limited to relatively low risk securities in anticipation of earning a fair return relative to the risk being assumed. Securities should not be sold prior to maturity with the following exceptions:

- 1) a declining credit security could be sold early to minimize loss of principal; or
- 2) liquidity needs of the portfolio require that the security be sold.

4.5 Investment Strategy/Philosophy:

The Village's investment philosophy is passive. That is, notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph 4.3, once an investment instrument is purchased, it will generally be held until its maturity ("buy and hold"). Given this philosophy, the Village will endeavor to earn a rate of return which is commensurate with similar investments in the marketplace at the time the investment is purchased. It is not a function or objective of the Village's investment policy to speculate as to the possible direction of future interest rates or to actively buy and sell securities in response to market conditions or events.

5.0 Delegation of Authority:

Authority to manage the Village of Glen Ellyn's investment program is derived from the following:

The establishment of investment policies is the responsibility of the Village Board. Management and administrative responsibility for the investment program is hereby delegated to the Finance Director who, under the direction of the Village Manager, shall establish written procedures for the operation of the investment program consistent with this investment policy. Procedures should include references to: internal controls, compensating controls, safekeeping, delivery vs. payment, investment accounting, repurchase agreements, wire transfer agreements, collateral/depository agreements and banking service contracts where applicable. Such procedures shall include explicit delegation of authority to persons responsible for investment transactions. No person may engage in an investment transaction except as provided under the terms of this policy and the approved written procedures. The Finance Director shall be responsible for all transactions undertaken and shall establish a system of controls to regulate the activities of subordinate staff. The Finance Director, with the approval of the Village Manager and in

consultation with the Finance Commission Investment Subcommittee (Section 13 and 17), may from time to time amend the written procedures in a manner not inconsistent with this policy, with state statutes, or other governing laws or rules.

The responsibility for investment activities of the Police Pension Fund rests with the Board of Trustees of the Police Pension Fund.

The Village Treasurer, appointed by the Village President with concurrence of Village Trustees, advises the Village Board on investment policy and is, by Illinois statute, an ex-officio member of the Police Pension Fund. By Village ordinance, the Finance Director is the Village Treasurer.

6.0 Ethics and Conflicts of Interest:

Officers and employees involved in the investment process shall abide by the terms established in the Village Ethics Ordinance (Title 1, Chapter 12 of the Village of Glen Ellyn Code of Ordinances), particularly, but not limited to, section 1-12-5, Conflicts of Interest. Officers and employees involved in the investment process shall refrain from personal business activity that could conflict with the proper execution and management of the investment program, or that could impair their ability to make impartial decisions. Employees and investment officers shall provide appropriate notification (as described in 1-12-5 (c) Notification) of “Financial Interests” or “Non Financial Interests” as defined in the Ethics Ordinance. They shall further provide appropriate notification of any personal financial/investment positions that could be related to the performance of the investment portfolio. Employees and officers shall refrain from undertaking personal investment transactions with the same individual/firm with whom business is conducted on behalf of the Village of Glen Ellyn.

7.0 Authorized Financial Dealers and Institutions:

The Finance Director will maintain a list of financial institutions authorized to provide investment services. In addition, a list will also be maintained of approved security broker/dealers selected by credit worthiness. These may include “primary” dealers or regional dealers that qualify under Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 15C3-1 (uniform net capital rule). No public deposit shall be made except on qualified public depository as established by state statutes.

The Village Board authorizes the Finance Director to invest up to FDIC limits in any federally insured financial institution, subject to appropriate diversification (see section 11 of this policy). Fund splitting programs wherein investments in CDs, money market accounts, or other allowable investments are held by various participating banks as part of a larger umbrella corporation are allowed so long as FDIC insurance protection secures the full value of the Village’s investment.

All financial institutions and broker/dealers who desire to become qualified bidders for investment transactions must supply the Finance Director with the following:

- audited financial statements
- proof of Financial Industry Regulatory Authority (FINRA) certification
- proof of state registration
- certification of having received and read the Village’s investment policy

- depository contracts

8.0 **Authorized and Suitable Investments:**

The Village may invest in any type of security authorized by the State of Illinois Public Funds Investment Act (30 ILCS 235/) regarding the investment of public funds. Approved investments include:

- Bonds, notes, certificates of indebtedness, treasury bills or other securities now or hereafter issued, which are guaranteed by the full faith and credit of the United States of America as to principal and interest.
- Bonds, notes, debentures, or other similar obligations of the United States of America or its agencies.
- Interest bearing savings accounts, interest bearing certificates of deposit or interest bearing time deposits or any other investments constituting direct obligations of any bank as defined by the Illinois Banking Act and which are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.
- Illinois Public Treasurer's Investment Pool (Illinois Funds)
- Illinois Municipal Investment Fund (IMET)
- Other local government investment pool, organized in accordance with state statute
- Short-term obligations of corporations (commercial paper) organized in the United States with assets exceeding \$500 million and rated at the time of purchase at one of the three highest classifications established by at least two standard rating services. Investments must mature within 270 days from the date of purchase. Such purchase may not exceed 10% of the corporation's outstanding obligations and no more than 10% of the Village's funds may be invested in commercial paper.
- Short-term discount obligations of the Federal National Mortgage Association or in shares or other forms of securities legally by savings and loan associations incorporated under the laws of this state or any other state or under the laws of the United States. Investments may be made only in those savings and loan associations of which the shares, or investment certificates are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.
- Interest bearing bonds of any county, township, city, village, incorporated town, municipal corporation, or school district, of the State of Illinois, of any other state, or of any political subdivision or agency of the State of Illinois or of any other state, whether the interest earned thereon is taxable or tax-exempt under federal law. The bonds shall be registered in the name of the Village or held under a custodial agreement at a bank. The bonds shall be rated at the time of purchase within the 4 highest general classifications established by a rating service of nationally recognized expertise in rating bonds of states and their political subdivisions.

See section 11.1 Rebalancing for information on a regular review of the Village's investments.

9.0 **Collateralization:**

It is the policy of the Village of Glen Ellyn and in accordance with the GFOA's Recommended Practices on the Collateralization of Public Deposits (attachment 1), the Village requires that funds on deposit in excess of FDIC limits be secured by some form of collateral. The Village will accept any of the following assets as collateral:

- Government Securities
- Obligations of Federal Agencies
- Obligations of Federal Instrumentalities
- Obligations of the State of Illinois

The Village reserves the right to accept/reject any form of the above named securities.

The Village also requires that all depositories that hold Village deposits in excess of the FDIC limit must utilize and execute a collateral agreement which is of a form approved by the Village.

The amount of collateral provided will not be less than 110% of the fair market value of the net amount of public funds secured. The ratio of fair market value of collateral to the amount of funds secured will be reviewed monthly, and additional collateral will be required when the ratio declines below the level required and collateral will be released if the fair market value exceeds the required level. Pledged collateral will be held in safekeeping, by an independent third party depository, or the Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago, designated by the Village of Glen Ellyn and evidenced by a safekeeping agreement. Collateral agreements will preclude the release of the pledged assets without an authorized signature from the Village of Glen Ellyn. The Village of Glen Ellyn realizes that there is a cost factor involved with collateralization and the Village will pay any reasonable and customary fees related to collateralization.

10.0 **Safekeeping and Custody:**

All security transactions, including collateral for repurchase agreements, entered into by the Village of Glen Ellyn shall be conducted on a delivery-verses-payment (DVP) basis. Securities will be held by a third party custodian designated by the Finance Director and evidenced by safekeeping receipts.

11.0 **Diversification and Rebalancing:**

In order to reduce the risk of default, the investment portfolio of the Village of Glen Ellyn shall not exceed the following diversification limits unless specifically authorized by the Village Board:

- No financial institution shall hold more than 25% of the Village's investment portfolio, exclusive of U.S. Treasury securities in safekeeping and public investment pools. This does not include custodial accounts, where a financial institution will hold individual securities that are in the Village's name. Public investment pools, such as the Illinois Metropolitan Investment Fund and the Illinois Trust, may comprise up to 25% each of the Village's investment portfolio. The Illinois Treasurer's Investment Pool (the Illinois Funds), may comprise up to 75% of the Village's investment portfolio.
- Monies deposited at a financial institution shall not exceed 15% of the capital stock and surplus of that institution.
- Commercial paper shall not exceed 10% of the Village's investment portfolio.

11.1 **Rebalancing:**

On a quarterly basis, the investment portfolio shall be evaluated to determine if the investment mix should be rebalanced to achieve appropriate diversification. If the Village becomes aware of issues or concerns with a particular investment, the Village will take steps to address them in a timely manner, including ending the relationship or rebalancing the portfolio, or other action as appropriate.

At least annually, the Village will verify that each investment remains consistent with the Village's investment objectives. If one or more investments do not, or have changed its risk perspective, duration, or other factor that is not favorable to the Village or its portfolio, the Village will consider replacement of said investment, or rebalancing so the Village's overall portfolio remains consistent with this policy.

When the portfolio is rebalanced, efforts should be made to minimize negative effects that may occur from selling assets prior to maturity.

11.2 Target diversification:

The Finance Commission Investment Subcommittee will develop a target diversification. Changes to the target diversification may occur with the quarterly review of the investment portfolio, or more often if necessary. In an emergency situation, where the Village Staff believes there is significant risk by one financial institution or type of security, with both Village Manager and Finance Director approval, the Village may exceed these diversification limits, so long as the legal limits outlined by 30 ILCS 235 are not exceeded. In such an event, both the Village Board and Finance Commission shall be promptly notified of the event.

11.3 Criteria for ending an investment relationship:

The Village will objectively evaluate the performance of all investments within the portfolio. Each investment will be evaluated relative to its benchmark and peer investments in the order of the Village's investment objectives (section 4 of this policy) to determine if an investment should be retained or sold. Other considerations may include, but are not limited to, costs (or benefits) to liquidate versus hold, suitable replacement investment alternatives, portfolio diversification or rebalancing, change in credit rating or other credit risk factor, change in one or more risk factor, change in the investment's strategy or methodology, change in legal status or environment, customer service issues, among others.

12.0 Maximum Maturities:

To the extent possible, the Village of Glen Ellyn will attempt to match its investments with anticipated cash flow requirements. Unless matched to a specific cash flow, the Village will not directly invest in securities maturing more than five years from the date of purchase.

Reserve funds may be invested in securities exceeding five years if the maturity of such investments is made to coincide as nearly as practicable with the expected use of the funds. Any investment purchased with a maturity longer than five years must be supported with written documentation explaining the reason for the purchase and must be specifically approved by the Village Board.

13.0 **Internal Controls:**

The Finance Director, with the approval of the Village Manager, is responsible for establishing and maintaining an internal control structure designed to protect the assets of the Village of Glen Ellyn from loss, theft or misuse. The internal control structure shall be designed to provide reasonable assurance that these objectives are met. The concept of reasonable assurance recognizes that (1) the cost of the control should not exceed the benefits likely to be derived; and (2) the valuation of costs and benefits require estimates and judgments by management.

Accordingly, the Finance Director shall establish a process for annual independent review by an external auditor to assure compliance with policies and procedures. The best controls prevent frauds from taking place. When that is not possible, compensating controls will be implemented to detect fraud. Internal controls and compensating controls will be documented as part of the written procedures (Section 5.0).

Internal controls, including, but not limited to, the following subject matters will be in place:

- Segregation of duties and clear delegation of authority,
- Multiple signers required for wire transfers,
- Bank reconciliations performed and reviewed on a monthly basis,
- Monitoring bank and investment activity by multiple individuals,
- Monthly balance sheet reports provided to and reviewed by department managers,
- Monitoring of collateral agreements and custodial safekeeping,
- Establishing new accounts, new wire transfers/ACH, and new investment relationships.

14.0 **Performance Standards:**

The investment portfolio will be managed in accordance with the parameters specified within this policy. The portfolio should obtain a market average rate of return during a market/economic environment of stable interest rates. Portfolio performance should be compared to appropriate benchmarks on a regular basis.

14.1 **Market Yield (Benchmark):**

The Village's investment strategy is passive. Given this strategy, the basis used by the Finance Director to determine relative performance with comparable market yields shall be the three-month U.S. Treasury Bill. An additional benchmark of the average Illinois Funds rate will be utilized to track investment performance against the Village's liquid/short-term investment earnings.

15.0 **Reporting:**

The Finance Director shall prepare quarterly investment reports to the Village Manager, Village Board and Finance Commission that provide a clear picture of the status of the current investment portfolio. This management summary will be prepared in a manner which will allow the entity to ascertain whether investment activities during the reporting period have conformed to the investment policy. The report will include the following:

- A listing of individual securities held at the end of the reporting period,
- Average weighted yield to maturity of portfolio on Village investments as compared to applicable benchmarks,
- Listing of investments by maturity date,
- The percentage of the total portfolio which each type of investment represents,
- The percentage of the total portfolio which each institution is holding,
- The percentage of the total portfolio broken down by defined maturity periods, and
- Principal and type of investment by fund.

Each month, the Finance Director will provide a report to the Village Manager, Village Board, and Finance Commission covering more basic investment reporting including asset value, investment rate of return, and investment income.

15.1 Marking to Market:

A statement of the market value of the portfolio shall be issued at least quarterly. Review should be consistent with the GFOA Recommended Practice on Mark-to-Market Practices for State and Local Government Investment Portfolios and Investment Pools (attachment 2).

16.0 Investment Policy Adoption:

The Village of Glen Ellyn's investment policy shall be adopted by resolution of the Village Board of Trustees. This policy shall be reviewed on an annual basis by the Finance Commission Investment Subcommittee and any modifications made thereto must be approved by the Village Board of Trustees.

17.0 Finance Commission Investment Subcommittee:

The Finance Commission Chair, with the advice and consent of the Village President, shall appoint two Finance Commission members to a Finance Commission Investment Subcommittee. This subcommittee will review and provide recommendations regarding the Village's investment portfolio, policies, practices, and reporting.

Appendix

Calendar of activity

Monthly

- Abbreviated investment reporting (section 15.0)
- Review collateral (9.0)

Quarterly

- Investment report (15.0)
- Marking to market (15.1)
- Review portfolio for rebalancing (11.1)
- Review target diversification (11.2)

Annually

- Detailed review of investments for continued compliance (11.1)
- Finance Commission Investment Subcommittee review investment policy (16.0)

Attachment 1

GFOA Best Practice

Collateralizing Public Deposits (1984, 1987, 1993, 2000, 2007, 2010) (TIM)

Background. The safety of public funds should be the foremost objective in public fund management. Collateralization of public deposits through the pledging of appropriate securities or other instruments (i.e. surety bonds or letters of credit) by depositories is an important safeguard for such deposits. The amount of pledged collateral is determined by a governmental entity's deposit level and the policy or legal required collateral margin. Some states have established programs for the pooling of collateral for deposit of public funds.

Federal law imposes certain limitations on collateral agreements between financial institutions and public entities in order to secure governmental entity deposits. Under certain circumstances, as are discussed in recommendations below, the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) may void an otherwise perfected security interest and leave the governmental depositor with only the right to share with other creditors in the pro rata distribution of the assets of a failed institution for the amount of deposits that exceed the FDIC coverage. Separate governmental "corporations" such as economic development corporations or water supply corporations, etc., do not fulfill the FDIC's definition of "public unit"¹ and therefore even accurately completed collateral definition may not be honored by the FDIC on a bankruptcy.

Recommendation. The Government Finance Officers Association (GFOA) recommends the use of a written agreement with pledging requirements as protection for state or local government's deposits. GFOA encourages governmental entities to establish adequate and efficient administrative systems to monitor such pledged collateral, including state or locally administered collateral pledging or collateral pools. To accomplish these goals, GFOA recommends the following:

1. Governmental entities should implement programs of prudent risk control. Such programs could include a formal depository risk policy, credit analysis, and use of fully secured investments. In the absence of a state program for pooling collateral, public entities should establish and implement collateralization procedures, including procedures to monitor their collateral positions. Monitoring informs a public entity of undercollateralization, which may threaten the safety of an entity's deposits, and overcollateralization, which may increase the cost of banking services. Governmental entities however can not and should not accept the liability for maintaining collateral levels which liability must fall to the financial institution.
2. Governmental entities/depositors should take all possible actions to comply with state and federal requirements in order to ensure that their security interests in collateral pledged to secure deposits are enforceable against the receiver of a failed financial institution. Federal law provides that a depositor's security agreement, which tends to diminish or defeat the interest of the FDIC in an asset acquired by it as receiver of an insured depository, shall not be valid against the FDIC unless the agreement:
 - o is in writing;
 - o was approved by the board of directors of the depository or its loan committee and²
 - o has been, continuously, from the time of its execution, an official record of the depository institution.³

3. Governmental entities should have all pledged collateral held at an independent third-party institution outside the holding company of their bank, and evidenced by a written agreement in an effort to satisfy the Uniform Commercial Code (UCC) requirement for control. The UCC states that the depositor does not have a perfected interest in a security unless the depositor controls it. Control means that swaps, sales, and transfers cannot occur without the depositor's written approval.

- o The value of the pledged collateral should be marked to market monthly, or more frequently depending on the volatility of the collateral pledged. Some state statutes do dictate a minimum margin level for collateral based on deposit levels (e.g., Georgia and Minnesota statutes require 110 percent). If not, the margin levels should be at least 102 percent, depending on the liquidity and volatility of the collateral pledged. State statutes also govern whether minimum margin levels apply to principal only or to accrued interest as well. On a sale, accrued interest would be received. Governmental entities should review applicable state statutes and confirm compliance.
- o Substitutions of collateral should meet the requirements of the collateral agreement, be approved, by the entity in writing prior to release, and the collateral should not be released until the replacement collateral has been received.
- o The public entity should require reporting directly from the custodian. The custodian should warrant and be signatory to the agreement
- o Reporting by the third party institution should at a minimum be monthly.

4. The pledge of collateral should comply with the investment policy or state statute, whichever is more restrictive. Governmental entities should know and understand securities pledged as collateral.

5. Governmental entities that use surety bonds in lieu of collateral should limit the insurers to those of the highest credit quality as determined by a nationally recognized insurance rating agency. A thorough review of the terms of the bond is required.

6. The governmental entity should thoroughly review the terms and conditions of any letters of credit, including those issued by a federal agency or government sponsored enterprise.

7. The governmental entity should establish and follow procedures for on-going review of collateral.

Note: As a result of the court case North Arkansas Medical Center v. Barrett, 963 F.2d 780 (8th Cir. 1992), the FDIC issued a policy statement in March 1993 indicating that it would not seek to void a security interest of a federal, state, or local public unit solely because the security agreement did not comply with the contemporaneous execution requirement set forth in Section 13(e) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act 12 U.S.C.1823(e). The policy statement was officially enacted by Section 317 of the Riegle Community Development and Regulatory Improvement Act of 1994 (Public Law 103-325).

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- An Introduction to Collateralizing Public Deposits for State and Local Governments, Second Edition, M. Corinne Larson, GFOA, 2006.

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Approved by the GFOA's Executive Board, October 23, 2007.

¹For deposit insurance purposes, the term "public unit" includes a state, county, municipality, or "political subdivision" thereof. Governments should review Section 330.15 of the FDIC's regulations (12 C.F.R. 330.15) to identify if they fall within the FDIC's definition of 'public unit' and to determine whether they are public entity qualifying for collateral protection under the definition. This information can be found at <http://www.fdic.gov/deposit/deposits/FactSheet.html>

²The FDIC does not require every transaction to be reviewed by the board of directors. The board may fulfill this function by setting parameters and authorizing a particular officer to carry out its wishes. The officer would be performing ministerial acts on behalf of the board. (FDIC Interpretive Letters)

³Corporate resolutions that list specific officers who are authorized by the board of directors to execute agreements securing public deposits will meet this requirement.

Attachment 2

BEST PRACTICE

Mark-to-Market Reporting Practices for State and Local Government Investment Portfolios (1995, 2000, 2003, 2005, and 2008) (TIM)

Background. Market risk is significant in public investment portfolios. Due to price volatility, valuing investments at their current price is necessary to provide a realistic measure of a portfolio's true liquidation value. Over time, reporting standards for state and local government investment portfolios have been enhanced so that investors, governing bodies, and the public remain informed of the current market value of the portfolio. Regular disclosure of the value of a governmental entity's investments is an important step to furthering taxpayer and market confidence in state and local government investment practices. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) has also recognized the need to report investments at fair value at fiscal year end. Government officials should be aware of state, local, accounting, and rating agency requirements regarding mark to-market practices.

Recommendation. The Government Finance Officers Association (GFOA) recommends that state and local government officials responsible for investment portfolio reporting determine the market value of all securities in the portfolio on at least a quarterly basis. These values should be obtained from a reputable and independent source and disclosed to the governing body or other oversight body at least quarterly in a written report. The independent source of pricing should not be one of the parties to the transaction being valued and could include:

1. a broker or other financial institution who was not a counterparty to the transaction,
2. the custodial bank if the bank was not a counterparty to the transaction,
3. publicly available publications such as the Wall Street Journal, or
4. other pricing services for which a separate fee would be paid.

It is recommended that the written report include the market value, book value, and unrealized gain or loss of the securities in the portfolio.

If there is a significant event in the local or national economy that might affect the value of the portfolio, then a mid-term valuation of the portfolio should be conducted. Governments that employ a more active portfolio management style should consider more frequent marking to market and reporting.

References

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- *Investing Public Funds, Second Edition*, Girard Miller with M. Corinne Larson and W. Paul Zorn, GFOA, 1998.
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Approved by the GFOA's Executive Board, February 22, 2008.

EXHIBIT A: FUND BALANCE AND NET POSITION POLICY

1. Statement of Purpose:

It is the Village's philosophy to support long-term financial strategies, where fiscal sustainability is its first priority, while also building funds for future growth. It is essential to maintain adequate levels of funds balance/net position to mitigate current and future risks. Fund balance/net position levels are also crucial consideration in long-term financial planning. Credit rating agencies carefully monitor levels of fund balance/net position to evaluate the Village's continued creditworthiness.

Fund Balance (governmental funds) or Net Position (proprietary funds) provides for the operational stability of the Village of Glen Ellyn and provides the capacity to:

- a) offset significant economic downturns or revenue shortfalls,
- b) provide sufficient cash flow for daily financial needs,
- c) maintain or improve the village's bond ratings, and
- d) provide funds for unforeseen expenditures related to emergencies or opportunities.

2. Definitions

- a. Fund Balance – The difference between assets, deferred outflows, liabilities, and deferred inflows in a governmental fund.
- b. Nonspendable Fund Balance – the portion of a Governmental Fund's fund balances that are not available to be spent, either short term or long term, in either form (e.g. prepaid assets) or through legal restrictions.
- c. Restricted Fund Balance – the portion of a governmental fund's fund balances that are subject to external enforceable legal restrictions as to what the fund balance can be spent on.
- d. Committed Fund Balance – the portion of a governmental fund's fund balances with self-imposed constraints or limitations that have been placed by formal action at the highest level of decision making.
- e. Assigned Fund Balance – the portion of a governmental fund's fund balances to denote an intended use of resources.
- f. Unassigned Fund Balance – available spendable financial resources in a governmental fund that are not the object of tentative management plan (i.e. assignments).
- g. Net Position – The difference between assets, deferred outflows and liabilities and deferred inflows in a proprietary fund, trust fund, or entity wide financial statements.

3. Desired Reserve Policies:

General Fund: Cash reserves of the General Fund should be maintained at thirty percent (30%) of the current year's budgeted operating expenditures (excluding debt and capital outlay expenditures). At any point should the unreserved balance reach above 40% at the low point of the year (April or May), an item shall be brought to the Village Board for action on the excess balance.

Water & Sanitary Sewer Fund: The Village will maintain \$2,000,000 in cash reserves in the Water and Sanitary Sewer Fund for FY2011/12, increased annually by the 12-month change in the CPI-U (December before the beginning of the fiscal year) or 3%, whichever is less. [For FY18, the amount of required cash reserves will be \$2,261,000.] Amounts held in the fund

above the reserve policy limit are assigned for water and sewer capital projects.

Village Links/Reserve 22 Fund: The Village will maintain adequate cash reserves in the Village Links/Reserve 22 Fund, in an amount equal to or greater than 25% of the current year fund operating expense budget (excluding debt and capital).

Residential Solid Waste Fund: The Village will maintain adequate cash reserves in the Residential Solid Waste Fund, in an amount equal to or greater than 25% of the current year fund operating expense budget (excluding debt and capital).

Parking Fund: The Village will maintain adequate cash reserves in the Parking Fund, in an amount equal to or greater than 25% of the current year fund operating expense budget (excluding debt and capital).

4. Attaining and Maintaining Desired Reserve Levels:

Should the reserves in one or more funds fall below the benchmark established by this policy, the Village Manager will notify the Village Board in a timely manner and will develop and present to the Village Board as part of the annual budget a plan to return fund balance to the benchmark level within three (3) fiscal years.

5. Use of Fund Balance or Net Position:

The Village will spend the most restricted dollars before less restricted, in the following order:

1. Restricted
2. Committed
3. Assigned
4. Unassigned.

The Finance Director will determine if a portion of fund balance should be assigned and will document said assignment by a memorandum to the Village Manager and appropriate disclosure in the audited financial statements.

Note: In non-governmental funds, management may decide to “assign” funds for a specific purpose. This will be done as an internal budgeting procedure rather than as a formal accounting entry. Creating a governmental fund automatically assigns fund balance in that fund to the purpose of the fund.

Fund balance or net position should only be used or depleted in the following situations:

1. Revenue shortfalls result in an operating deficit.
2. Unforeseen material expenditures arise which cannot be avoided or delayed.
3. Excess fund balance exists and the village intentionally draws down on the balance to come into compliance with this policy.



VILLAGE OF GLEN ELLYN

POLICE PENSION FUNDING

POLICY

Updated by the Village Board on 02-27-2017

1.0 Applicability

This policy applies to the calculation of the Village of Glen Ellyn's "annual required contribution" (ARC) to the Glen Ellyn Police Pension Fund, a police pension trust fund organized under Article III of the Illinois Pension Code.

2.0 Background

The financial objective of a defined benefit pension plan is to fund the long-term cost of benefits provided to the plan participants. In order to assure that the plan is financially sustainable, the plan should accumulate adequate resources in a systematic and disciplined manner over the active service life of benefitting employees. This funding policy outlines the method the Village will utilize to determine its actuarially determined contribution to the Glen Ellyn Police Pension Fund to fund the long-term cost of benefits to the plan participants and annuitants.

The Village believes that this funding policy meets the guidelines for state and local governments set by the Pension Funding Task Force convened by the Center for State and Local Government Excellence. The guidelines set by this task force outline the following objectives for pension funding policy:

- **Actuarially Determined Contributions.** A pension funding plan should be based upon an actuarially determined annual required contribution (ARC) that incorporates both the cost of benefits in the current year and the amortization of the plan's unfunded actuarial accrued liability.
- **Funding Discipline.** A commitment to make timely, actuarially determined contributions to the retirement system is needed to ensure that sufficient assets are available for all current and future retirees.
- **Intergenerational equity.** Annual contributions should be reasonably related to the expected and actual cost of each year of service so that the cost of employee benefits is paid by the generation of taxpayers who receives services from those employees.
- **Contributions as a stable percentage of payroll.** Contributions should be managed so that employer costs remain consistent as a percentage of payroll over time.
- **Accountability and transparency.** Clear reporting of pension funding should include an assessment of whether, how, and when the plan sponsor will ensure sufficient assets are available for all current and future retirees.

3.0 Policy

3.1 Village Annual Required Contribution (ARC)

The Village will determine its ARC to the Glen Ellyn Police Pension Fund using the following principles:

- a. The ARC will be calculated by an enrolled actuary.
- b. The ARC will include the normal cost for current service and amortization to collect or refund any under- or over-funded amount.
- c. The normal cost will be calculated using the entry age normal level of percentage of payroll actuarial cost method using the following assumptions:
 - i. The investment rate of return assumption will be 6.50% for the Calendar Year 2017 budget year.
 - ii. The salary increase assumption will be 5.00% per year.
 - iii. Non-economic assumptions, such as rates of separation, disability, retirement, mortality, etc., shall be determined by Village management in consultation with the actuary to reflect current experience.
- d. The difference between the accrued liability and actuarial value of assets will be amortized to achieve 100% funding in 2040 (a 30 year closed period that began in 2011) based upon a level percentage of payroll.
- e. Actuarial assets will be determined using market valuation.

The Village will make its actuarially determined contribution to the Glen Ellyn Police Pension Fund in two equal installments in or around June and September of each year.

3.2 Transparency and Reporting

Funding of the Glen Ellyn Police Pension Fund should be transparent to vested parties including plan participants, annuitants, the Glen Ellyn Police Pension Fund Board of Trustees, the Village Board, and Glen Ellyn residents. In order to achieve this transparency, the following information shall be distributed:

- a. A copy of the annual actuarial valuation for the Glen Ellyn Police Pension Fund shall be made available to the Village Board and the Glen Ellyn Police Pension Fund Board of Trustees.
- b. The Village's Comprehensive Annual Financial Report shall be published on its website. This report includes information on the Village's annual contribution to the Glen Ellyn Police Pension Fund, and funded status of the Glen Ellyn Police Pension Fund.
- c. Each year, the Village Board shall approve the Village's annual contribution to the Glen Ellyn Police Pension Fund.
- d. The Village's annual operating budget shall include the Village's contribution to the Glen Ellyn Police Pension Fund as well as a budget for the Glen Ellyn Police Pension Fund. The budget for the Glen Ellyn Police Pension Fund is controlled by the Glen Ellyn Police

Pension Fund Board of Trustees, in accordance with state law. The budget document shall be published on the Village website and made available for public inspection at the Civic Center and Glen Ellyn Public Library.

3.3 Review of Funding Policy

Funding a defined benefit pension plan requires a long-term horizon. Assumptions and inputs into the policy should focus on long-term trends, not year-to-year shifts in the economic or non-economic environments. Generally, assumptions or inputs should be evaluated and changed if long-term economic or noneconomic inputs have fundamentally changed or are no longer reasonable. As such, the Village will review this policy at least every five years to determine if changes to this policy are needed to ensure adequate resources are being accumulated in the Glen Ellyn Police Pension Fund. The Village reserves the right to make changes to this policy at any time if it is deemed appropriate.



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