



VILLAGE OF GLENCOE
& GLENCOE PARK DISTRICT



Lakefront Park Task Force Application

(to Study Parking in the Area Surrounding Lakefront Park)

Now Accepting Applicants!

The Glencoe Park District and the Village of Glencoe are establishing a joint task force to conduct a comprehensive review of parking areas surrounding Lakefront Park and Beach. The task force will also review parking-related changes implemented by the Village for the 2026 season and assess their effectiveness.

In addition, the task force will consider pedestrian safety along the beach access drive and determine whether any additional measures should be considered.

The task force will receive information on current parking conditions, usage patterns, and operational considerations. The group will evaluate potential options, consider the impacts of any proposed changes on residents and beach users, and seek to balance access, safety, neighborhood impacts, and community needs.

We are seeking no more than 9 Glencoe residents representing various areas of the community. A Village Trustee and a Park District Board Member will serve as co-chairs and are not included in the 9 members.

This will be a short-term task force that will conclude its work no later than January 2027. Any recommendations developed by the task force will be advisory in nature and presented to the respective Boards for consideration. The Village Board retains final authority over any parking-related changes within the Village. The Park District retains final authority over any beach operations changes. Any recommendations regarding modifications to the beach access drive will be subject to review and approval by both the Village Board and the Park District Board.



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We are looking for task force members who possess critical thinking skills, are collaborative, representative of different stakeholder groups, and are willing to focus on solutions rather than simply advocate for a single position.

The meetings will be held on the dates listed below, starting at 6:30 pm and ending at approximately 8:30 pm. The meetings will be held at the Takiff Community Center. Applicants must commit to attending every meeting. The task force will conclude no later than January, 2027

Wednesday, September 16

Wednesday, October 14

Wednesday, November 11

Wednesday, December 16

Wednesday, January 13 (if needed)

If you are interested, please fill out the attached application and email to edoroghazi@glencoeParkdistrict.com and/or ahall@villageofglencoe.org by July 24, 2026.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Years as Glencoe Resident: _____

Phone: _____ Day Evening

Email: _____

Please check all that apply

Nearby resident

Beach user

Park user

Business owner

Parent of program participant

Senior resident

Other



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Have you participated in any community boards, committees, task forces, or volunteer organizations? _____ Yes _____ No

If yes, please describe.

Interest and Background

Why are you interested in serving on the Task Force?

What specific parking concerns or opportunities would you like the task force to address?

What perspectives or experiences would you bring to the task force?



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What does a successful outcome for this task force look like to you?

Describe a time your viewpoint did not fully align with another's viewpoint and how you came to a resolution that benefited the broader community?

Please share any additional information that would help the Board select a balanced and effective task force.

Selection and Commitment Statement

I understand that the Lakefront Parking Task Force will serve in an advisory capacity to evaluate parking conditions, review community input, and develop recommendations. Members will be selected to ensure a diversity of perspectives, experiences, and stakeholder representation. Appointment to the task force is at the discretion of the Park and Village Board.

I understand that I am committed to attending each taskforce meeting on the dates listed (9/16, 10/14, 11/11, 16, 16, 1/13) from 6:30-8:30 pm, and missing two meetings will result in removal from the Taskforce.

Name: _____ **Signature:** _____