



MANAGER'S REPORT FOR JULY 13, 2018
GENERAL INFORMATION AND RESPONSES TO MAYOR & COMMISSIONER REQUESTS

Places to be this Week...

Village Council Meeting - The next Village Council meeting will be held on **July 17 at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers** at Village Hall.

Coffee with the Council - Coffee with the Council will be held on **Saturday, July 21 at 9:00 a.m. to 10 a.m.** at the Main Street Metra Station.

Future Calendar Reminders...

Village Council Meeting - The next Village Council meeting will be held on **August 7 at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers** at Village Hall.

Village Commended by Chicago Area Clean Cities

The attached letter from Chicago Area Clean Cities congratulates the Village for environmental accomplishments for 2017, including reducing petroleum use by 48,055 gallons and greenhouse gas emissions by 254.6 tons.

Attachments

Clean Cities Recognition Letter



Encouraging the Use of Clean Vehicles
in the Chicago Metro Area for Over 20 Years
Clean Cities Coordinator Council

6/14/2018

Dear Mr. Vinnie Pasquinelli,

Stakeholders like the Village of Downers Grove are the reason the Chicago Area Clean Cities Coalition (CACC) is one of the U.S. Department of Energy's (USDOE) top performing coalitions year after year. We are able to demonstrate our region's success through data the coalition submits on behalf of its stakeholders to USDOE each year. Thank you for taking the time to complete and submit the CACC annual report for 2017.

With all the reports now in, we have some exciting news to share. In 2017, CACC stakeholders reduced 19,968,624 gasoline gallon equivalents (GGEs) of petroleum and 159,242 tons of greenhouse gas emissions! This is equivalent to carbon dioxide emissions from 2,349 tanker trucks' worth of gasoline! This incredible achievement would not have been possible without your efforts.

Furthermore, according to the report you submitted the Village of Downers Grove's own fleet reduced 48,055 gal of petroleum and 254.6 tons of greenhouse gas emissions. This reduction is the equivalent of 989 barrels of oil and the carbon sequestered by 11068 tree seedlings grown for 10 years.

Once again, thank you for your dedication to the Clean Cities mission and your help in making the Chicago area more livable and sustainable.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Samantha J. Bingham".

Samantha Bingham on behalf of CACC's Executive Board