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PRESS RELEASE

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Valentine's for Veterans

Glendale Heights, Illinois (January 11, 2017) – The Village of Glendale Heights is partnering with numerous organizations throughout the Glendale Heights Community to celebrate National Salute to Hospitalized Veterans Month by participating in the Valentine's for Veterans collection efforts. Annually, the Village collects and delivers thousands of written and decorated Valentine's Day Cards collected from the community to Illinois veterans homes and veteran hospitals.

The Village of Glendale Heights has collected over 5,000 cards in past years with support from Glenbard District 87, Queen Bee School District 16, Marquardt School District 15, St. Matthew Parish School, Glenside Public Library District, Sports Hub Preschool, PATH Afterschool Program, scout troops and many more. Organizations, community groups and businesses are encouraged to participate and send their Valentine's Day Cards to Veterans throughout Illinois. Collection bins are located throughout all Village of Glendale Heights facilities.

If you are submitting Valentine's Day Cards, please do not decorate cards with glitter or add personal information like social media. Also, please do not include envelopes with the cards. Cards can be dropped off to:

Glendale Heights Village Hall c/o Nicole Lewis 300 Civic Center Plaza Glendale Heights, IL 60139

Valentine's Day Cards must be turned in no later than Wednesday, February 1st to ensure a timely delivery for Valentine's Day. Should you have any questions, please call Nicole at 630.909.5327.