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Village of Glendale Heights Recognized for Budget Presentation

Glendale Heights, Illinois (February 1, 2017) – For the 4th consecutive year, the Village of Glendale Heights has received the Government Finance Officers Association (GFOA) of the United States and Canada’s Distinguished Budget Presentation Award for its Fiscal Year 2016/2017 budget.

The award represents a significant achievement by the Village of Glendale Heights. It reflects the commitment of the governing body and staff to meeting the highest principles of governmental budgeting. In order to receive the budget award, the Village had to satisfy nationally recognized guidelines for effective budget presentation. These guidelines are designed to assess how well the Village’s budget serves as a policy document, financial plan, an operations guide and a communications device.

According to the GFOA, a budget document must be rated “proficient” in all four categories and the 14 mandatory criteria within those categories, in order to receive the award. Since 2015, just 1,565 participants have received this award throughout North America. Recipients have helped improve the quality of budget management for other governments throughout the United States and Canada.

The Government Finance Officers Association is a major professional association servicing the needs of nearly 19,000 appointed and elected local, state and provincial-level government officials and other finance practitioners. It provides top quality publications, training programs, services and products designed to enhance the skills and performance of those responsible for government finance policy and management. The association is headquartered in Chicago, Illinois with offices also located in Washington D.C. The GFOA’s Distinguished Budget Presentation Awards program is the only national awards program in governmental budgeting.

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