

**VILLAGE OF
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HUMAN RELATIONS
COMMISSION**

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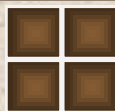
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The Lincolnwood Human Relations Commission is seeking for volunteers to help on a variety of projects.

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PURPOSE

In 1997, the Village of Lincolnwood created the Human Relations Commission to act as an advisory board to the Corporate Authorities on the issues of cultural diversity and community integration within the Village.

The purpose of the Commission is to promote understanding, mutual respect and neighborly cooperation among all residents.

The Human Relations Commission is comprised of members from our community who reflect the various racial, ethnic and religious groups in the Village. Commissioners are volunteers whose training, interests, and backgrounds serve to achieve the mission of the Commission, which is the formation of a more friendly and socially responsive community. Commissioners are appointed by the Board of Trustees and serve without compensation for a three-year term.

MISSION STATEMENT

The Village of Lincolnwood is a diverse community composed of people from different racial, ethnic, national and religious backgrounds. Our community encompasses residents of all ages, educational and economic levels.

The Human Relations Commission understands that cultural diversity can sometimes become a cause for social unrest and disharmony. Therefore, the Commission is committed to promoting recognition and respect for the dignity of each member of the community. With this in mind, the Human Relations Commission strives to provide opportunities for the community to participate in to create positive interpersonal experiences by:

- sponsoring enjoyable events and activities for citizen involvement
- by providing educational enrichment; and,
- by serving as a resource and facilitator for the citizens of Lincolnwood.

ACTIVITIES & ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Annual recognition award of extraordinary individuals
- Neighbor Relations
- Village-wide food drive March—April
- Educational seminars for businesses
- Support Village programs in collaboration with other departments
- Promote unity awareness
- Guest speakers/forum

Meetings are held on the second Monday of each month at 7:00 PM in the Village Hall, Council Chambers Residents are invited to attend.

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