



PLAQUE DEDICATION IN HONOR OF BEVERLY ECKERT

Last October, GNA combined the annual Make a Difference Day with a plaque dedication ceremony in memory of Glenbrook resident Beverly Eckert. The plaque, provided by the City, with materials donated by Anthony Vaccaro, Sal Spadaro, and Armando Alves, was installed in the Liberty Garden at the Glenbrook train station. Forty people attended the ceremony, including Mayor Dannel Malloy, State Representative Carlo Leone, and three of Beverly's sisters and their husbands. Beverly helped to create the Liberty Garden after her husband Sean Rooney died in the September 11, 2001 attack on the World Trade Center. She also commissioned the Sterling Farms golf course mural at the train station and led the efforts to install a new sidewalk, fence, and gravel at the train station in 2008 and 2009.

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SPECIAL THANKS

GNA thanks the City of Stamford for the many ways it has supported our efforts as volunteers to help our neighborhood look better, be safer, and have a plan for its future. In particular we thank two City staffers for generously sharing their time and professional expertise. We thank Land Use Bureau Chief Robin Stein for empowering us to have a say in Glenbrook's future development as a neighborhood with its own train station. We also thank Deputy City Engineer/Transportation Director Edward Gentile for his guidance when our grant projects involved city departments and regulations.

GNA-related questions can be directed to
 Christie Fountain, 203 964-0078.

FUTURE MEETINGS

SEPTEMBER 14, 2010
 JANUARY 11, 2011
 MARCH 8, 2011

To cut costs, GNA will no longer mail meeting reminders. Notifications will be made by e-mail, notices in the Advocate, and website updates. If you would like a telephone call, please indicate this on your membership form.

BUDGET CHALLENGES AHEAD

Because the City of Stamford has drastically reduced its budget, GNA will no longer receive the level of city support it has for the past eleven years. Two examples of discontinued programs are the Neighborhood Empowerment Grant Program and Keep Stamford Beautiful, the office that spearheaded the citywide annual clean up and planting days that GNA participated in every year. To keep up that level of maintenance and new projects in Glenbrook, GNA will look for new funding sources.