



**VILLAGE OF HAWTHORN WOODS
SUSTAINABILITY COMMITTEE SPECIAL MEETING
2 LAGOON DRIVE, HAWTHORN WOODS, ILLINOIS
THURSDAY, JANUARY 8, 2026
6:30 PM**

AGENDA

- I. CALL TO ORDER/ATTENDANCE**
- II. OPPORTUNITY FOR THE PUBLIC TO ADDRESS THE COMMITTEE**
- III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:** October 30, 2025
- IV. STAFF REPORTS**
 - a. Kim Stewart, Grants & Sustainability Coordinator
 - b. Amy Mason, Director of Parks and Recreation
- V. COMMITTEE UPDATES**
 - a. Public Education
 - i. SWALCO Holiday Lights Recycling
 - ii. Waste Management Christmas Tree Pick Up
 - iii. Recycle Coach
 - b. Spring 2026 Planning
 - i. Lake County Spring Tree Planting Program
 1. Acorn Acres
 2. Countryside Meadows
 - ii. Tree Sapling Giveaway
 - iii. Adopt A Highway
 - c. Designations and Awards
 - i. Mayors' Monarch Pledge
 - The 2025 Village of Hawthorn Woods Mayors' Monarch Pledge Annual Report has been submitted and approved by the National Wildlife Federation Mayors' Monarch Pledge Team
 - ii. Tree City USA Renewal & Growth Award
 - iii. International Dark Sky Community
 - iv. Bee City USA
- VI. ADJOURNMENT**