



Village of Skokie

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Awards and Distinctions

All America City Finalist
American Public Works Association
(APWA) Accreditation
Commission on Accreditation for
Law Enforcement Agencies (CALEA)
Commission on Fire Accreditation
International (CFAI)
Fitch IBCA AAA Financial
Bond Rating
Gold Level Clean Air Counts
Community
Governor's Hometown Award
Government Finance Officers
Association Budget Award
Government Finance Officers
Association Certificate of
Achievement for Excellence in
Financial Reporting
Insurance Services Office (ISO)
Class One Fire Department
State of Illinois Certified Health
Department
Tree City U.S.A. Distinction

Downtown Lamont Avenue Improvement Project

In mid-October 2009, the Village of Skokie implements the first of two Lamont Avenue improvement projects in Downtown Skokie. These enhancement projects include the section of Lamont Avenue between Mulford Street and Oakton Street, just north of the Oakton Community College (OCC) Ray Hartstein campus.

These projects will create and enhance the pedestrian connection between the OCC campus and Oakton Street. Improvements will include street and pedestrian lighting, new handicapped ramps, improved crosswalks, signage, benches, street resurfacing and increased parking.

This project requires grading at the curb and sidewalk installation to connect the OCC parking lot to the existing sidewalk along Lamont Avenue. Sidewalk, street resurfacing and parking improvements are scheduled to be completed in early November. The installment of streetlights and other pedestrian improvements will take place in the coming months.

Please contact the Village of Skokie Engineering Division for more information at 847/933-8232.

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