

1	633 St. Charles Rd. <i>Log Cabin altered to Frame</i>	John D. Ackerman	1840
2	557 Geneva Rd. <i>Greek Revival Farmhouse</i>	Stacy's Tavern	1846
3	416 Pennsylvania Ave. <i>Part of a Gabled Ell Farmhouse, moved in 1893</i>	Dr. Lewey Q. Newton	1850
4	367 Duane St. <i>Gabled Ell Farmhouse, moved in 1923</i>	Henry Benjamin	1856
5	861 Hill Ave. <i>Vernacular Farmhouse</i>	Joseph D. Smith	1865
6	844 Crescent Blvd. <i>Altered in 1916</i>	Frederick Surkamer	1874
7	563 Main St. <i>Gothic Revival</i>	Henry Finamore	1874
8	475 Cottage Ave. <i>Queen Anne</i>	John C. Cox	1875
9	591 Main St. <i>Greek Revival</i>	John Newton Nind	1876
10	549 Main St. <i>Italianate</i>	Nelson P. Dodge	1884
11	579 Forest Ave. <i>Queen Anne</i>	George D. Woodworth	1884
12	580 Lakeview Terrace <i>Original carriage house and ice barn</i>	Thomas E. Hill	1886
13	392 Prospect Ave. <i>Shotgun</i>	Joseph Stadtler	1888
14	583 Main St. <i>Queen Anne</i>	Whittle-Meacham	1889
15	592 Main St. <i>1st Public School in Danby</i>	Benjamin T. Gault	1850 1890
16	705 Main St. <i>Queen Anne</i>	Davitt D. Chidester	1890
17	439 Pennsylvania Ave. <i>Gabled Ell Farmhouse</i>	Daniel B. Roby	1890
18	589 Forest Ave. <i>Queen Anne</i>	John F. McNab	1891
19	542 Hillside Ave. <i>Queen Anne</i>	Orrin D. Dodge	1891
20	378 Main St. <i>Embellished Temple-Front Victorian</i>	Laura Hubbard	1891
21	564 Main St. <i>Queen Anne (Altered)</i>	William C. Newton	1891
22	574 Main St. <i>Shingle Style Queen Anne</i>	Joseph D. McChesney	1891
23	679 Main St. <i>Shingle Style Queen Anne</i>	Seth L. Baker	1891
24	401 Ridgewood Ave. <i>Farmhouse, moved in 1911</i>	Henry Buhr	1891
25	586 Glen Ellyn Place <i>Queen Anne</i>	Annie Arnold	1892
26	366 Glenwood Ave. <i>Victorian</i>	William A. Newell	1892
27	475-477 Main St. <i>McChesney Grocery Store</i>	McChesney Bros. Store	1892

How are plaques awarded?

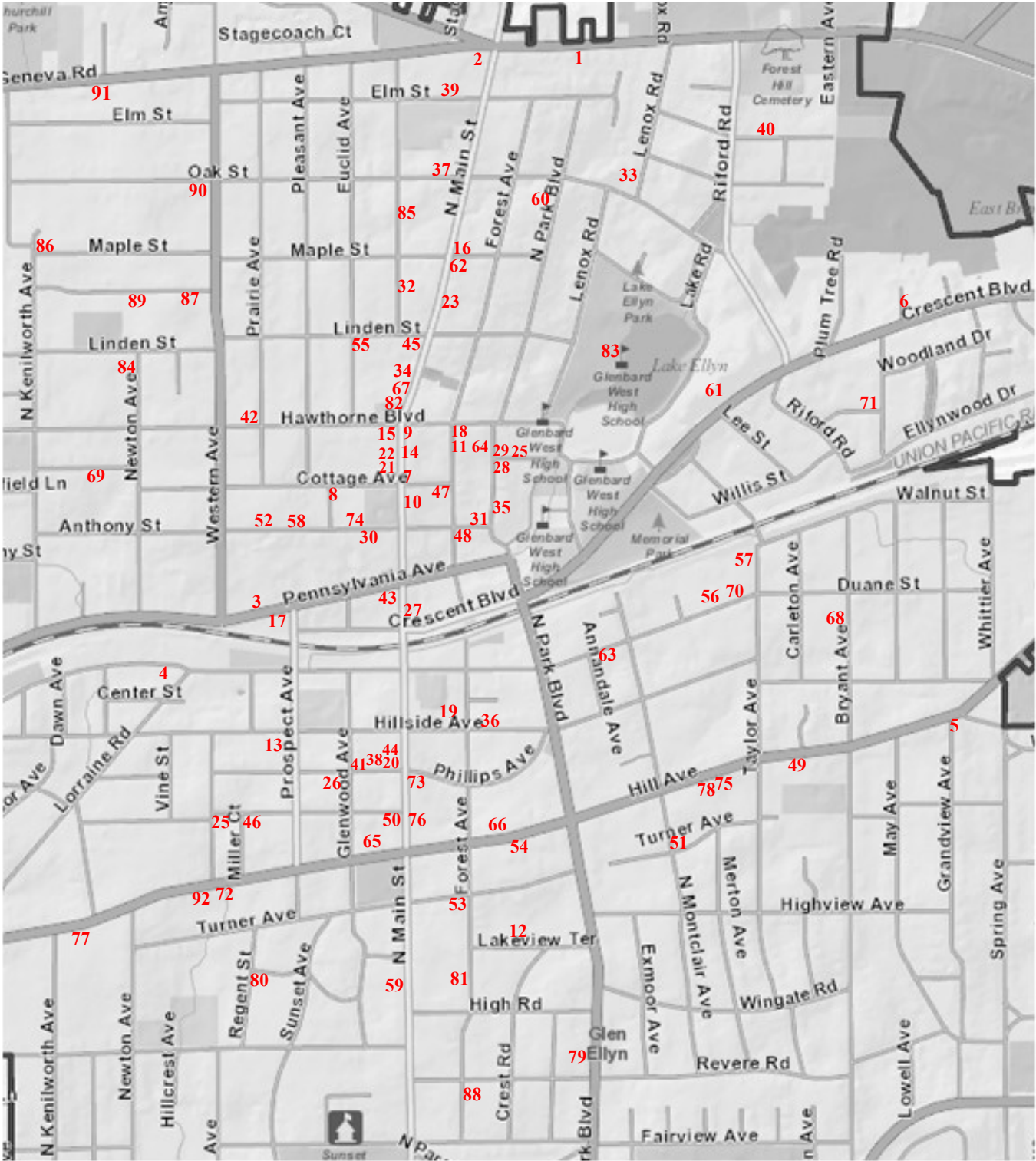
Requests for plaquing of a structure may be made in person at the History Center, by submitting a letter via USPS or by email. Include the address of the building and the name and contact information of the current owner. A contribution to the Glen Ellyn Historical Society allows volunteers to research a house or building. Tax records and inspection are used to determine if the house meets the following criteria:



- Age: Over 80 years old
- Historic Significance
- Architectural Significance
- Maintenance

If the house meets the criteria, a second contribution funds the creation of the plaque and a report with complete information on the history of the house. A short ceremony is held at the house or building to deliver the plaque. A volunteer presents the findings of the research and provides a copy for the homeowner to keep.

Detailed information on the House Plaque Program may be found on the GEHS website at www.GlenEllynHistory.org



28	567 Park Blvd. <i>Queen Anne</i>	Annie & Ina Gauch	1892
29	577 Park Blvd. <i>Stick Style Queen Anne</i>	D. & Ada Harmon	1892
30	499 Anthony St. <i>Gable-Front Farmhouse</i>	Louie Q. Newton	1893
31	570 Anthony St. <i>Queen Anne</i>	Ward B. LeStage	1893
32	677 Highland Ave. <i>Stick Style Queen Anne, moved</i>	Philo W. Stacy	1893
33	754 Lenox Rd. <i>Gable L-Form</i>	Levi S. Stevens	1893
34	620 Main St. <i>Folk Victorian</i>	Leroy Newton	1893
35	545 Park Blvd. <i>Queen Anne</i>	Lawrence C. Cooper	1893
36	566 Hillside Ave. <i>Stick Style Queen Anne</i>	Charles H. Kerr	1894
37	754 Main St. <i>Queen Anne</i>	Sophie Struven	1894
38	490 Phillips Ave. <i>Queen Anne</i>	Edward H. Cleaver	1894
39	544 Elm St. <i>Neo-Colonial Farmhouse</i>	Richard Williams	1895
40	750 Elm St. <i>Queen Anne, moved in 1989</i>	Edgar H. McChesney	1895
41	486 Phillips Ave. <i>Temple-front Victorian</i>	Amos Churchill	1895
42	602 Prairie Ave. <i>Queen Anne</i>	Magnus J. Hanson	1895
43	488 Main St. <i>English Tudor</i>	George M.H. Wagner	1896
44	386 Main St. <i>Queen Anne</i>	Thomas A. Hoadley	1898
45	644 Main St. <i>Queen Anne</i>	Christian A. Sievert	1904
46	421 Ridgewood Ave. <i>Victorian</i>	Joseph R. Smith	1904
47	552 Forest Ave. <i>Prairie Style</i>	Luther J. Hiatt	1905
48	525 Forest Ave. <i>Queen Anne</i>	Amos Churchill	1906
49	765 Hill Ave. <i>Foursquare</i>	Gustau A. Granath	1906
50	344 Main St. <i>Foursquare</i>	Joel G. Hunter	1906
51	331 Montclair Ave. <i>Stick Style Queen Anne</i>	Roy V. Spalding	1906
52	432 Anthony St. <i>Foursquare</i>	Frank A. Swan	1907
53	290 Forest Ave. <i>Colonial Cape Cod Revival</i>	John W. Turner	1907
54	597 Hill Ave. <i>Foursquare</i>	Frank A. McMillan	1907
55	647 Euclid Ave. <i>Foursquare</i>	Albert M. Dunham	1908

83	Lake Ellyn / Lenox Road <i>Recreation House Park District</i>	Glen Ellyn <i>1925</i>
84	630 Newton Ave. <i>Craftsman - Cape Cod</i>	Edward L. Mohr <i>1926</i>
85	725 Highland Ave. <i>Tudor Revival</i>	Ludwig Almberg <i>1927</i>
86	713 Kenilworth <i>Montgomery Ward "Lexington" Dutch Colonial</i>	Thomas Parke <i>1928</i>
87	385 Marion <i>Tudor Revival</i>	Harry L. Charlesworth <i>1928</i>
88	167 Forest Ave. <i>Brick Bungalow</i>	Susan G. McCormick <i>1929</i>
89	351 Marion Ave. <i>Colonial Revival</i>	Marie Klein <i>1929</i>
90	750 Western Ave. <i>English Cottage</i>	Alfred Hoy <i>1929</i>
91	327 Geneva Rd. <i>Sears "The Colchester" Tudor Revival</i>	Joseph Palumbo <i>1930</i>
92	393 Hill Ave. <i>Georgian Revival</i>	Patrick J. Harte <i>1930</i>



The following table lists plaqued homes that have been razed. Research regarding their original property owners can be accessed at the GEHS History Center.

RAZED HOMES		
Address	Original Home Owner	Yr. Built
426 Hill Ave.	William J. Johnson	1845
594 Hillside Ave.	Jonathan P. Yalding	1864
416 Forest Ave.	Jabez S. Dodge	1873
551 Geneva Rd.	Willard L. Rush	1891
388 Prospect Ave.	Charles H. Van Buren	1896
380 Linden St.	Alfred Foster	1904
497 Carlton Ave.	Marie Arnold	1919

- Sources
- Research Files at GEHS
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House Plaque Program

The House Plaque Program was established by the GEHS in 1969 to recognize houses and buildings of historical and/or architectural significance. Since then, 98 buildings have been awarded plaques; most are displayed proudly at front entrances. Many of the plaqued homes are located downtown between 549 and 592 Main Street, a National Register District.

There are many other homes in Glen Ellyn that are deserving of a plaque. Contact the Glen Ellyn Historical Society if you would like your home or building to be considered for this designation.

Plaqued Houses and Buildings by Street

Street	Plaqued House Numbers					
Anthony St.	432	454	486	499	570	
Arlington Ave.	425					
Bryant Ave.	458					
Cottage Ave.	335	475				
Crescent Blvd.	716	844				
Duane St.	367	645	720	726		
Elm St.	544	750				
Euclid Ave.	647					
Forest Ave.	167	242	290	525	552	
	579	589				
Geneva Rd.	327	557				
Glen Ellyn Place	586					
Glenwood Ave.	366					
Hickory Rd.	600					
Highland Ave.	677					725
Hill Ave.	313	393	403	500	584	
	597	715	717	765	861	
Hillside Ave.	542	566				
Kenilworth	713					
Lakeview Terrace	580					
Lenox Rd.	754					Boathouse
	240	343	344	369	378	
	386	475-477		488	549	
	563	564	574	583	591	
	592	610	616	620	644	
	679	695	705	754		
Marion Ave.	351	385				
Montclair Ave.	331					
Newton Ave.	630					
Park Blvd.	188					545
	726					
Pennsylvania Ave.	416	439				
Phillips Ave.	486	490				
Prairie Ave.	602					
Prospect Ave.	392					
Ridgewood Ave.	401					421
St. Charles Rd.	633					
Taylor Ave.	498					
Western Ave.	750					

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Plaqued Houses and Buildings

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The charm of bygone days lingers in the Village of Glen Ellyn in the design and architectural details of the scores of historic homes and buildings that remain along its narrow tree-lined streets. These elements offer residents and visitors a sharp contrast to modern subdivisions. The Glen Ellyn Historical Society (GEHS) invites you to explore the history and style of these homes through this pamphlet.

A sample of Architectural Styles



Greek Revival



Farmhouse
(Gable Front)



Queen Anne



Tudor Revival



Kit Houses
from Sears and Wards
(variety of styles)



American Foursquare



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56	720 Duane St. <i>Colonial Revival</i>	Amos Churchill (Built By) <i>1909</i>
57	498 Taylor Ave. <i>Queen Anne</i>	Amos Churchill (Built By) <i>1909</i>
58	454 Anthony St. <i>Craftsman</i>	Alfred R. Utt <i>1910</i>
59	240 Main St. <i>Queen Anne</i>	Isabella Smith <i>1910</i>
60	726 Park Blvd. <i>Prairie Style</i>	Frank S. Badger <i>1910</i>
61	716 Crescent Blvd. <i>Prairie Style</i>	William Heald <i>1913</i>
62	695 Main St. <i>California Mission</i>	Fredrick W. Dibble <i>1914</i>
63	645 Duane St. <i>Colonial Revival</i>	James Mackay <i>1915</i>
64	578 Park Blvd. <i>Prairie Style</i>	George M. Kendall <i>1915</i>
65	500 Hill Ave. <i>Dutch Colonial Revival</i>	Robert J. Scott <i>1916</i>
66	584 Hill Ave. <i>Prairie Style</i>	Elmer F. Adams <i>1916</i>
67	616 Main St. <i>Foursquare</i>	Joseph Korte <i>1916</i>
68	458 Bryant Ave. <i>California Bungalow</i>	James Saunders <i>1917</i>
69	335 Cottage Ave. <i>Foursquare</i>	Henry B. Chase <i>1919</i>
70	726 Duane St. <i>Colonial Revival</i>	John S. Bacon <i>1920</i>
71	600 Hickory Rd. <i>Vernacular</i>	Benjamin F. March <i>1920</i>
72	403 Hill Ave. <i>Colonial Revival</i>	William K. Quinn <i>1921</i>
73	369 Main St. <i>Craftsman</i>	Thomas M. Grigg <i>1921</i>
74	486 Anthony St. <i>Craftsman Bungalow</i>	Herman Weaver <i>1922</i>
75	717 Hill Ave. <i>Foursquare</i>	Davida Ekdahl <i>1922</i>
76	343 Main St. <i>Dutch Colonial Revival</i>	Frank J. Malec <i>1923</i>
77	313 Hill Ave. <i>California Bungalow</i>	Samuel Hookham <i>1924</i>
78	715 Hill Ave. <i>Dutch Colonial Revival</i>	Leonard Olander <i>1924</i>
79	188 Park Blvd. <i>Sears Roebuck "The Americus"</i>	Marie E. Fortin <i>1924</i>
80	425 Arlington Ave. <i>Queen Anne</i>	Jesse R. Wagner <i>1925</i>
81	242 Forest Ave. <i>Dutch Colonial</i>	Albert M. Froggatt <i>1925</i>
82	610 Main St. <i>Craftsman</i>	Charles D. Michaels <i>1925</i>