

Tinley Park picks village manager

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A former village manager for Homewood and Richton Park will become Tinley Park's new village manager June 2, the village said Wednesday.

David Niemeyer is the village manager in Oak Brook, a job he has held since 2007. In Tinley Park, he will replace Scott Niehaus, who stepped down as village manager in January to take the manager's position in Lombard.

Tinley Park hired a search firm to find a replacement for Niehaus, and 95 people applied for the job, Mayor Ed Zabrocki said Wednesday. Six finalists were interviewed for the position, he said.

The 52-year-old Niemeyer, a Chicago resident, will bring "an energetic, collaborative and results-oriented mentality" to the village, Zabrocki said.

Because of Tinley Park's residency rule, Niemeyer will have one year to move into the village, the mayor said. The manager salary will be \$170,000 a year, he said.

Niemeyer was village manager in Homewood from 1998 until 2003, when he took the job of city manager in Des Plaines. He was Richton Park's village manager from 1993 to 1998, and village administrator for Orland Hills from 1988 to 1993.

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	<u>Tinley Park</u>	<u>Olympia Fields</u>
Administrator total salary:	\$170,000	\$157,593 + perks \$21,709 Retirement contributions \$21,354 Health Insurance \$7,942 Life Insurance \$6,000 Vehicle allowance(\$500 monthly) \$8,579 Travel expenses for conferences \$1878 Annual dues to fraternal Organizations
Population:	56,703	4,988
Square miles:	16.04	2.93
Households:	20,976	2,046
Annual village revenue:	\$43,772,811	\$5,816,404
Full time employees:	210	42
Part time employees:	285	6
Residency Requirement	Yes	No

Oak Park**Olympia Fields**

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Organizations

Population: 51,878

4,988

Households: 22,670

2,046

Annual village revenue: \$58,389,729

\$5,816,404

Full time employees: 404

42

Part time employees: 60

6

Residency Requirement Yes

No