

NEWS RELEASE

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Smoking lamp is “out” at Glen Oaks Community College

CENTREVILLE---Beginning with the start of fall classes, August 30th, there will be NO SMOKING at Glen Oaks Community College. Marilyn Wieschowski, Chief Operations Officer, said Glen Oaks joins Michigan public places falling under the state law which took effect May, 2010.

“Glen Oaks is now smoke free. There is no smoking on any portion of the college. That means no smoking in the parking lot or around the buildings,” said Wieschowski. Nick Milliman, Director of Maintenance and Grounds, said new signs banning smoking are on order and expected to arrive the first week of September. Glen Oaks Community College offered designated smoking areas over the past two years.

Michigan is the 38th state to limit smoking in public places such as government buildings, bars, restaurants and work places.