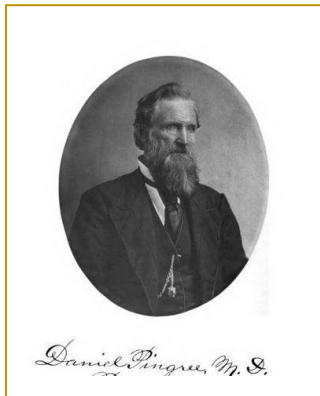




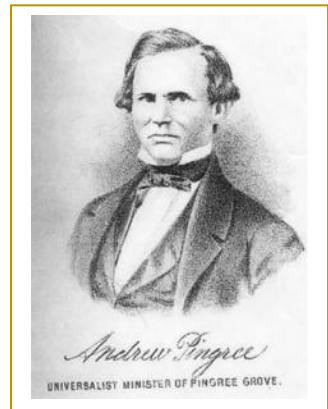
Where We Were, Where We Are, and Where We Are Going...

Pingree Grove – A Place to Grow!

The Village of Pingree Grove, formerly known as Deerfield Precinct, was platted by its namesakes Dr. Daniel Pingree, and Mrs. Hannah Pingree, widow of Andrew Pingree Jr., in 1882. On December 12, 1906,



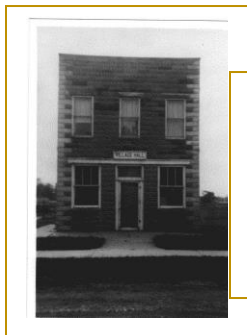
a petition was filed to incorporate the **Village of Pingree Grove**. An election was held on December 29, 1906. When the votes were counted, they were in favor of Pingree Grove becoming an official Village. On February 14, 1907, Frank G. Plain, a Kane County Judge, signed the document making the Village of Pingree Grove official.



Today, the Village of Pingree Grove has the fastest growth rate among Illinois communities over 2,000 people. In terms of total number of

people moving to Pingree Grove, we compete with the much larger communities of Chicago, Naperville, Champaign, and Elgin.

Humble Beginnings, Village Hall Through the Decades



Pingree Grove thrives on a

sense of community and offers a variety of outdoor recreational opportunities for both active and laid-back lifestyles. The Village provides several parks, and active recreational areas including skate park, baseball and soccer fields, and various play grounds throughout the community. Over 8 miles of bike and pedestrian trails wind throughout the neighborhoods. An offering of youth activities are also available in coordination with the Hampshire Park District.

The Village is home to a variety of native and migrating birds, with sightings within our parks, local ponds, or even in your own backyard! Hawks, Sand Cranes, Bald Eagles, and a recent migration of Bufflehead ducks (photos courtesy of Village Resident, Dennis Houghton). And, protective turtle species!



School District D300 serves the community through Gary D. Wright Elementary, the new Big Timber Elementary (opening August 2022), Hampshire Middle School, and Hampshire High School, all located in Hampshire, and Cambridge Lakes Charter School, located right here in Pingree Grove; in addition to Elgin Community College, in Elgin. Central School District 301 serves residents within the Village's Heritage District.

Annual community events include a village-wide garage sale, Stars and Stripes 4th of July celebration, and holiday tree lighting celebration. The Village depends on the time and talents of generous volunteers who sign up to serve in various community event capacities.



The Pingree Grove Police Department's mission is to provide services with integrity and dedication, to preserve life, to

enforce the law, and to work in partnership with the community to enhance the quality of life in the Village of Pingree Grove.

The Public Works Department provides a full range of municipal services including maintaining village roadways, parks, and open spaces. Public Works operates a potable water system sourced from deep wells, which is cleaned and treated for safe consumption within the community. The Village also provides wastewater treatment



services, which includes the operation of a unique sustainable irrigation system that uses clean wastewater effluent to keep the community green and beautiful, even during dry conditions.



Regular Meetings of the Village Board
First and Third Monday of the Month
7:00 p.m., 2nd floor board room
Village Municipal Center
555 Reinking Rd.



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Hours of Operation

Monday – Friday 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Closed for lunch from noon – 1:00 p.m.