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1. Happy Holidays, No issue Next Week

Here's wishing Knoxville's neighborhoods and neighborhood activists a safe and happy holiday.

This newsletter will not be published next week as the Office of Neighborhoods takes some time off. We will produce a newsletter on Dec. 29, and the deadline for articles is 9 a.m. that day.

2. Mayor Rogero to Deliver Her Second Inaugural Address Saturday

The public is invited to attend the Inauguration of Mayor Madeline Rogero and the swearing-in of four City Council members and the City Judge at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 19, 2015, in the Main Assembly Room, City County Building, 400 Main Street.

Taking oaths of office will be Knoxville Mayor Madeline Rogero; City Council member George Wallace, At Large Seat A; City Council member Marshall Stair, At Large Seat B; City Council member Finbarr Saunders, At Large Seat C; City Council member Mark Campen, 5th District; and City Judge John R. Rosson Jr.

During Saturday's ceremony, Mayor Rogero will deliver her second inaugural address. She, the four City Council members and Judge Rosson were all incumbents re-elected in the fall 2015 elections.

A specially called City Council meeting will follow at 11:15 a.m. in the Small Assembly Room for the selection of a Vice Mayor, Beer Board chair and Council representative on the Knoxville Transportation Authority board.

Free parking is available in the Main Street, Dwight Kessel and City County Building garages. A security checkpoint will be in place at the entrances to the City County Building garage, and all guests will be required to go through a security checkpoint to enter the City County Building.

Accessible parking is available at the City County Building. Anyone needing an additional disability accommodation to attend the ceremony should contact the City's ADA Coordinator, Stephanie Cook, at scook@knoxvilletn.gov or 865-215-2034. For an English interpreter, contact the Mayor's Office at 865-215-2040 or at mayor@knoxvilletn.gov.

3. 22 Neighborhoods Now Have an Emergency Contact Volunteer

The Knoxville Knox County Emergency Management Agency (KEMA) and the Office of Neighborhoods are looking for a volunteer in each of Knoxville's neighborhoods to serve as an emergency contact to ensure timely and coordinated response in the event of a widespread emergency.

Kudos to the following 22 neighborhoods which have already responded to the call for emergency contacts: Anteelah Trail, Brittany Place, Deane Hill, Eastport/Lee Williams, Edgewood Park, Fairmont-Emoriland, Fire Street Lofts, Fountain City, Glenview, Historic Fourth and Gill, Island Home Park, Murray Dr. / Wilkerson Rd., Montgomery Village, Moss Creek, Old North Knoxville, The Holston, The Village at Bearden, Timbercrest, View Park, West Haven, West Hills, and West View.

As a volunteer emergency neighborhood point person, you must be able and willing to drive or walk your neighborhood, street by street, to assess the level of emergency in your particular community. You can then communicate the status of your neighborhood using a special phone number or other emergency communications method.

Contact persons will meet annually to learn about potential emergencies, meet key emergency agency personnel, and learn about disaster assessment.

If your neighborhood is not on the list and you are interested in becoming an emergency contact, please fill out this form. For questions or more information, please contact Rebecca McIver at rmciver@knoxvilletn.gov or 215-3456.

4. Grant Funding Available for City Neighborhood Groups

The City of Knoxville is allocating up to \$43,000 for the Neighborhood Small Grants Program (NSGP) in 2016.

Grant funds can be used for projects and programs developed by resident-led, resident-controlled neighborhood associations, tenant associations, homeowners associations, and neighborhood watch groups that serve neighborhoods inside city limits. Start-up neighborhood groups may also apply.

Groups wishing to apply must send a representative to either one of two mandatory preapplication workshops scheduled for 5:30 p.m. Thursday, January 14, and 5:30 p.m. Wednesday, January 20, at the Cansler Family YMCA, 616 Jessamine Street.

Applications are due March 14, and awards will be announced in May for projects starting in July.

Neighborhood groups can apply for grants ranging from \$500 to \$3,000. To enhance the impact of the city's funding, grants must be matched with donations of goods and services, volunteer labor and other financial support for the project.

The <u>grant guidelines</u> and the <u>application form</u> are available on the city's website. Or request that hard copies be mailed to you by calling the Office of Neighborhoods at 215-4382 (Debbie Sharp) or 215-3232 (David Massey). Also, call Debbie or David if you have questions or just wish to talk about project ideas.

Please note that many questions can be answered by reading the guidelines and looking over the application. Both the guidelines and application will be reviewed at the January workshops.

5. TPO Meets Wednesday

The executive board of the Knoxville Regional Transportation Planning Organization meets at 9 a.m. tomorrow --- Wednesday, Dec. 16 --- in the Small Assembly Room of the City County Building.

Eight major items are on the agenda, including the annual listing of all transportation related projects in which federal funds were obligated in the past fiscal year. For details on this and other agenda items, see the agenda.

TPO coordinates a comprehensive, multimodal transportation planning process for the Knoxville Urban Area, which includes Knox County and the urbanized areas of five adjoining counties and several towns.

6. Bearden Compromise on Council Agenda Thursday

Knoxville City Council meets this coming Thursday, Dec. 17, in lieu of the regularly scheduled meeting on Dec. 22.

The very short agenda includes an appeal by the Bearden Council of the Metropolitan Planning Commission's decision to grant a use-on-review for a new building at 3816 Sutherland Avenue, where El Charro restaurant will be located.

Bearden Council had opposed the use-on-review on the grounds that the building setback (toward the rear of the lot, with parking next to the street) is incompatible with the Bearden Village Opportunities Plan. Bearden Council has been particularly vigilant in urging developers to conform to the design guidelines contained in the plan.

However, at a meeting on Dec. 1, all parties agreed to a compromise, whereby Bearden Council agreed to drop its appeal following an agreement by the restaurant to enhance the site with a 12-foot-wide, heavily landscaped strip of land between the parking lot and the public right-of-way.

Details of the compromise, contained in a Memorandum of Understanding, can be found at http://knoxvillecitytn.iqm2.com/Citizens/Default.aspx. Click on "December 17, 2015" and then on Item 10A.

Bearden Council includes representatives from several Bearden area neighborhood associations and businesses.

7. Tour de Lights Happening this Friday

Join hundreds of other bicyclists of all ages this Friday, December 18, for the 9th annual Tour de Lights bike parade.

Participants will leave Market Square at 7 p.m. and embark as a group on a bike ride through Fourth and Gill and Old North Knoxville neighborhoods.

Tour de Lights is a free, family-friendly event. The route is approximately five miles long and will take less than an hour to complete. The pace will be casual. Everyone is encouraged to dress up and decorate their bikes.

If you would like to enter the costume contest, be sure to arrive early as the judging will take place between 6 p.m. and 7 p.m. There will be prizes for best costume (adult and child), best bicycle and/or trailer, best helmet, best group with theme, and best all around. The Mast General Store and Three Rivers Market will also provide hot cocoa and treats.

The parade is sponsored by the Knoxville Regional Bicycle Program, which is more widely known as <u>I Bike Knox</u> and which is part of the regional <u>Transportation Planning</u> Organization. Visit http://www.ibikeknx.com/tourdelights for more on Tour de Lights.

8. Good Neighbor Nominations Are Due January 4

Nominations for the Diana Conn Good Neighbor of the Year Award should be submitted no later than Monday, January 4.

An article in last week's newsletter mistakenly gave an earlier deadline.

The award is presented annually to a City of Knoxville resident who --- in the spirit of cooperation and with commitment to inclusive community --- has devoted time and talent in service to his or her neighbors and neighborhood.

The winner and other finalists will be announced at the 2016 Neighborhood Awards and Networking Luncheon on Saturday, March 5, 2016, at the Knoxville Convention Center.

To learn more, visit www.knoxvilletn.gov/neighborhoods and click on Good Neighbor of the Year Award. Or just download the form. The form is easy to fill out. Just use your own words to describe the person you wish to honor.

Nominations can be sent to Debbie Sharp by email to dsharp@knoxvilletn.gov or by mail to Office of Neighborhoods – Room 528, City of Knoxville, P.O. Box 1631, Knoxville, TN 37901. Or call Debbie to receive a hard copy of the form in the mail.

9. Fourth & Gill to Host Jan. 7 Community Meeting on Pain Clinic

The Fourth & Gill Neighborhood Association will hold a North Knoxville community meeting at 7 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 7, at Central United Methodist Church, 201 E. Third Avenue, to discuss a new pain clinic planned for the old labor union building at 1124 N. Broadway.

"The clinic will provide treatment for spine and neck pain and will provide medically assisted treatment for opioid addiction," according to a notice issued by the neighborhood organization. "The clinic will be run by Dr. (Michael) Chavin, who currently operates a similar clinic in Morristown. Dr. Chavin recently moved to Knoxville and will close his Morristown clinic to work exclusively at his new Knoxville clinic.

"To provide the North Knoxville community with a better understanding of his clinic and his services, Dr. Chavin recently reached out to Fourth & Gill President Liz Upchurch asking to schedule a community meeting.

"The meeting will provide an opportunity to hear Dr. Chavin describe his practice and the patients he serves, and we will have a Q&A session following his presentation," the notice concludes.

For more information, contact Jenny Wright at jmatthewswright@gmail.com or Liz Upchurch at <a href="mailto:jmatthewswright@gmailto:

10. City Schedules Jan. 12 Meeting on Use of Federal Funds

The City of Knoxville's Community Development Department will hold a public meeting at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 12, 2016, at O'Connor Senior Center, 611 Winona St.

The purpose of the meeting is to gather information and public input as the department develops its Annual Action Plan Update for the proposed use of federal funds for the program year 2016-2017.

Each year, the department utilizes Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), HOME Investment Partnership Act, and Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) funds. All three funds are administered by the U.S. Dept. of Housing and Urban Development (HUD).

At this meeting, Community Development staff will review priorities and strategies from the 2015-2019 Five Year Consolidated Plan and constraints that impact how HUD funds are allocated; get specific feedback from neighborhood, business, and non-profit housing and homeless services partners on opportunities/challenges; and take comments from other citizens.

Citizens may also send comments/questions by email to lrust@knoxvilletn.gov; by mail to Linda Rust, City of Knoxville Community Development Dept., P.O. Box 1631, Knoxville, TN 37901; and by fax to 865-215-2962. Or call 865-215-2120 for additional information.

In the event of inclement weather on Jan. 12, the alternate date is Jan. 14, same time, same place.

11. Neighborhood and Government Calendar

Include your neighborhood-related event or meeting in this space. Call 215-4382.

Visit http://knoxvilletn.gov/calendar for a complete list of meetings of various city boards and commissions.

If you are a person with a disability who requires an accommodation in order to attend a City of Knoxville public meeting, please contact Stephanie Brewer Cook at scook@knoxvilletn.gov or 215-2034 no less than 72 hours prior to the meeting you wish to attend. For an English interpreter, contact Joshalyn Hundley, Title VI Coordinator, at 865.215.3867 or at jhundley@knoxvilletn.gov.

Wednesday, December 16 --- 9 a.m.

Transportation Planning Organization (TPO) Executive Committee (Fourth Wednesdays, Jan.-Oct., and Third Wednesdays, Nov.-Dec.)

Small Assembly Room, City County Building

Agenda: http://www.knoxtrans.org/meetings/execagen.htm

Dori Caron, 215-2694, dori.caron@knoxmpc.org

Wednesday, December 16 --- 12 Noon

Eastport/Lee Williams Neighborhood Watch (Third Wednesdays)

Lee Williams Senior Center, 2240 Martin Luther King Jr. Ave.

Sylvia Cook, 206-3433, sylviacook5901@comcast.net

Thursday, December 17 --- Breakfast - 7:30 a.m. Meeting - 8 a.m.

East Knoxville Business & Professional Association (Third Thursdays)

Open to Neighborhood Residents and Leaders

Meeting location varies

Doug Minter, Dminter@knoxvillechamber.com, Knoxville Chamber, 637-4550

http://www.eastknox.org/

Thursday, December 17 --- 8:30 a.m.

Historic Zoning Commission (Third Thursdays)

http://knoxvilletn.gov/government/boards commissions/historic zoning commission/

Kaye Graybeal, 215-3795, kaye.graybeal@knoxmpc.org

Thursday, December 17 --- 12 noon

KUB Board of Commissioners (Third Thursdays, except July)

Historic Miller's Building, 445 S. Gay St.

See www.kub.org. Click on "About Us" at top of the page.

Thursday, December 17 --- 4 p.m.

City Board of Zoning Appeals (Third Thursdays)

Small Assembly Room, City County Building

Pre-Agenda Meeting: 3 p.m. in Room 511

http://knoxvilletn.gov/government/boards_commissions/board_of_zoning_appeals/

Thursday, December 17 --- 7 p.m.

City Council (rescheduled, in lieu of Dec. 22 meeting)

Main Assembly Room, City County Building

http://www.knoxvilletn.gov/citycouncil Agenda: http://knoxvillecitytn.iqm2.com

Saturday, December 19 --- 10 a.m.

South Haven Neighborhood Association (Third Saturdays)

Hillcrest United Methodist Church, 1615 Price Ave. Linda Rust, 679-9924, rstyldy1965@yahoo.com

Saturday, December 19 --- 10:30am

Inauguration Ceremony of Mayor Madeline Rogero, City Judge John Rosson Jr. and four City Council members: Finbarr Saunders, George Wallace Marshall Stair, and Mark Campen Main Assembly Room, City County Building

Saturday, December 19 --- 11:15 a.m.

City Council Special Meeting
Main Assembly Room, City County Building
http://www.knoxvilletn.gov/citycouncil
Agenda: http://knoxvillecitytn.igm2.com

Monday, December 21 --- 5 p.m. (zoning matters heard beginning at 7 p.m.)

Knox County Commission

(Fourth Mondays, January-October. Third Mondays, November-December) www.knoxcounty.org/commission

Agenda: Click on "Information" and then "Commission Agendas" Public Forum held at start & end of meeting

Monday, December 21 --- 6:30 p.m.

Historic Fourth & Gill Neighborhood Organization

Board Meeting (Third Mondays except January)
"Birdhouse"/Fourth & Gill Center, 800 North Fourth Avenue
Liz Upchurch, 898-1809, lizupchurch1@gmail.com

Wednesday, December 23 --- 9 a.m.

Infill Housing Design Review Committee (Fourth Wednesdays)
Re: infill housing in central city neighborhoods with IH-1 overlay
http://www.knoxmpc.org/zoning/infill.htm
Jeff Archer, 215-3821, jeff.archer@knoxmpc.org

Saturday, December 26 --- 9 a.m. until last person is heard

"Coffee with the Councilman"

(Usually the Last Saturday of Each Quarter)

Vice Mayor and First District City Council Member Nick Pavlis Bring your concerns or stop by to chat; open to all city residents.

Roundup Restaurant, 3643 Sevierville Pike

Nick Pavlis, 851-6671

Tuesday, December 29 --- 6:30 p.m.

Chilhowee Park Neighborhood Association (Last Tuesdays)

Chilhowee Park Office, 3301 Magnolia at Beaman Street Enter park at Beaman & E. Fifth Ave. Park at picnic shelter. Take sidewalk to upper entrance of the Chilhowee Park office. Paul Ruff, 696-6584

Monday, January 4 --- 1 p.m.

East Knoxville Community Meeting (First Mondays) Burlington Branch Library, 4614 Asheville Highway Michael Covington, 274-7958, mdcov@hotmail.com

Monday, January 4 --- 4 p.m.

Love Towers Fellowship Association (First Mondays except holidays) Love Towers Community Room; 1171 Armstrong St. Bill Jackson, 221-4402

Monday, January 4 --- 5 p.m.

Knox Country Board of Education—Work Session (Usually held on the Monday before the regular meeting and third Mondays, except holidays or holiday weeks.)
First Floor Board Room, Andrew Johnson Building, 912 South Gay St. For agenda, work sessions, and other items:
Visit http://knoxschools.org. Click on "Board of Education."

Monday, January 4 --- 6:30 p.m.

Parkridge Community Organization (First Mondays except holidays) Cansler YMCA, 616 Jessamine St. David Anderson, (803) 259-6289, dander19@utk.edu

Monday, January 4 --- 7 p.m.

Oakwood Lincoln Park Neighborhood Association (First Mondays) Community Club House, 916 Shamrock Ave. at Henegar St. Bill Hutton, 773-5228, s_wlhutton@yahoo.com

Monday, January 4

Deadline for Nominations
Diana Conn Good Neighbor of the Year Award
Office of Neighborhoods, www.knoxvilletn.gov/neighborhoods
Debbie Sharp, 215-4382

Tuesday, January 5 --- 4:30 p.m.

Dandridge Avenue Neighborhood Watch (First Tuesdays) Beck Cultural Exchange Center, 1927 Dandridge Ave. Lawrence Washington, 524-4498

Tuesday, January 5 --- 6 p.m.

Mechanicsville Community Association (First Tuesdays) Fairview Recreation Center, 1628 Dora St. Charles Wright, 637-1802

Thursday, January 5 --- 7 p.m.

City Council (every other Tuesday)
Main Assembly Room, City County Building
http://www.knoxvilletn.gov/citycouncil
Agenda: http://knoxvillecitytn.igm2.com

Wednesday, January 6 --- Breakfast - 7:30 a.m. Meeting - 8 a.m.

East Towne Area Business & Professional Association (First Wednesdays) Neighborhood Residents and Leaders encouraged to attend New Harvest Park Community Building Chair, Justin Sterling, <u>JSterling@simon.com</u>

Wednesday, January 6 --- 5 p.m.

Knox County Board of Education – Regular Session (First Wednesdays)

First Floor Board Room, Andrew Johnson Building, 912 South Gay St.

For agenda, work sessions, and other items:

Visit http://knoxschools.org. Click on "Board of Education."

Thursday, January 7 --- 7 p.m.

Community Meeting

Topic: Proposed spine and neck pain clinic on Broadway

Guest Speaker: Dr. Michael Chavin, clinic operator

Central United Methodist Church, 201 E. Third Avenue

Fourth & Gill Neighborhood Association

Jenny Wright, mailto:jmatthewswright@gmail.com

Friday, January 8 --- 7:45 a.m. and 8 a.m.

North Knoxville Business & Professional Association (Second Fridays)

Breakfast at 7:45 am, Meeting at 8 a.m.

Open to North Knoxville Residents, Neighborhood Groups, Business Owners

Meeting location varies. Check Website for location. http://northknoxvillebpa.org/

Becky Dodson, becky.dodson@hma.com, 545-6750.

Friday, January 8 --- 6 p.m.

Beaumont Community Organization (Second Fridays)

Community Room, Solid Waste Transfer Station, 1033 Elm St.

Natasha Murphy, 936-0139

Monday, January 11 --- 1:30 p.m.

Montgomery Village Residents Association (Second Mondays)

4600 Joe Lewis Rd. #175

Ronnie Thompson, 583-9221

Monday, January 11 --- 3 p.m.

Northgate Resident Association (Second Mondays)

Social Hall, 4301 Whittle Springs Rd.

David Wildsmith, 219-0417

Monday, January 11 --- 5-6 p.m.

Cold Springs Neighborhood Watch (Second Mondays)

Michael Meadowview Neighborhood Watch (Second Mondays)

CAC East Neighborhood Center, 4200 Asheville Hwy.

Michael Meadowview: Marian Bailey, 525-5625

Cold Springs: Terrell Patrick, 525-4833

Monday, January 11 --- 6 p.m.

Lyons View Community Club (Second Mondays)

Lyons View Community Center, 114 Sprankle Ave.

Mary Brewster, 454-2390

Monday, January 11 --- 6 p.m.

Vestal Community Organization (Second Mondays)

South Knoxville Community Center, 522 Old Maryville Pike

Katherine Johnson, 566-1198

Monday, January 11 --- 6 p.m.

Fountain City Town Hall Board Meeting (Second Mondays)

Board Meetings: 6 p.m. Monthly

General Membership Meetings: 7 p.m., February, April, September, November

Church of the Good Shepherd, 5337 Jacksboro Pike

Jamie Rowe, 688-9525, ombroligo@aol.com

Monday, January 11 --- 6:30 p.m.

Community Potluck

Historic Fourth & Gill Neighborhood Organization (Second Mondays)

Central United Methodist Church, 210 Third Ave. Liz Upchurch, 898-1809, <u>lizupchurch1@gmail.com</u>

Monday, January 11 --- 6:30 p.m.

Historic Old North Knoxville (Second Mondays)

St. James Episcopal Church, Parish Hall, 1101 N. Broadway Andie Ray, 548-5221

Monday, January 11 --- 7 p.m.

Belle Morris Community Action Group (Second Mondays)

City View Baptist Church, 2311 Fine Ave. http://www.neighborhoodlink.com/Belle Morris

Rick Wilen, 524-5008

Monday, January 11 --- 7 p.m.

Town Hall East

(Second Mondays in September, November, January, March and May) Fellowship Hall, Eastminster Presbyterian Church, 409 Asheville Highway Eston Williams, 406-5412

Monday, January 11

Deadline for Applications

Neighborhood Achievement Awards

Office of Neighborhoods, www.knoxvilletn.gov/neighborhoods

Debbie Sharp, 215-4382

Tuesday, January 12 --- 11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

MPC Agenda Review (Second Tuesdays)

Small Assembly Room, City County Building

http://www.knoxmpc.org

Tuesday, January 12 --- 5 p.m.

Public Forum

Proposed Plans Review and Permit Fees Increase

Small Assembly Room, CCB

215-2999

Tuesday, January 12 --- 5:30 p.m.

Public Meeting

City of Knoxville Community Development Department

Annual Action Plan Update for Use of Federal Funds in 2016-2017

O'Connor Senior Center, 611 Winona Street

Linda Rust, Irust@knoxvilletn.gov, 215-2120

Tuesday, January 12 --- 6 p.m.

Brown Avenue Neighborhood Watch (Second Tuesdays)

Hoitt Ave. Baptist Church, 2121 Hoitt Ave.

Jimmy Ramsey, 637-0243

Wednesday, January 13 --- 10-11:30 a.m.

Food Policy Council

(Second Wednesdays but check website for confirmation)

Knox County Health Department, 140 Dameron Avenue

http://www.knoxfood.org; info@knoxfood.org

Wednesday, January 13 --- 11:30 a.m.

Community Forum (Second Wednesdays)

Bearden Branch Library, 100 Golf Club Road

Sue Mauer, 690-0269

Wednesday, January 13 --- 4:30 p.m.

Neighborhood Advisory Council, City of Knoxville

(Second Wednesdays except December)

Cansler YMCA, 616 Jessamine St.

http://www.knoxvilletn.gov/neighborhoods

David Massey, 215-3232

Thursday, January 14 --- 1:30 p.m.

Metropolitan Planning Commission (Second Thursdays)

Large Assembly Room, City County Building

http://www.knoxmpc.org

Agenda: http://agenda.knoxmpc.org

Thursday, January 14 --- 5:30 p.m.

Grants Workshop (first of two identical workshops)

Neighborhood Small Grants Program

Office of Neighborhoods

Cansler YMCA, 616 Jessamine Street

Debbie Sharp, 215-5382, or David Massey, 215-3232

Thursday, January 14 --- 6 p.m.

Lonsdale Homes Resident Association (Second Thursdays)

Community Building, 1956 Goins Dr.

Phyllis Patrick, 323-7224

Monday, January 18 --- 7 p.m.

Alice Bell Spring Hill Neighborhood Association

(Third Mondays except June, July, December)

All are welcome to attend.

New Harvest Park, 4775 New Harvest Lane

Ronnie Collins, 637-9630

Tuesday, January 19 --- 6 p.m.

Delrose Drive Neighborhood Watch

(Third Tuesdays in January, March, May, July, September and November)

Riverview Baptist Church, 3618 Delrose Dr.

Corina and John Buffalow, 523-0102

Tuesday, January 19 --- 7 p.m.

Edgewood Park Neighborhood Association (Third Tuesdays, except December)

Larry Cox Senior Center, 3109 Ocoee Trail

Peter Pallesen, 200-8311, http://edgewoodpark.us/

Wednesday, January 20 --- 5:30 p.m.

Grants Workshop (second of two identical workshops)

Neighborhood Small Grants Program

Office of Neighborhoods

Cansler YMCA, 616 Jessamine Street

Debbie Sharp, 215-5382, or David Massey, 215-3232

Wednesday, January 20 --- 6:30 p.m.

Lindbergh Forest Neighborhood Association (Third Wednesdays)

Graystone Presbyterian Church, 139 Woodlawn Pike

Kelley DeLuca, 660-4728, kelleydeluca@gmail.com

Thursday, January 21 --- 4:30 p.m.

Pond Gap Area Neighborhood Association (Third Thursdays)

Coop Café, 3701 Sutherland Ave.

David Williams, dawill64@yahoo.com

Thursday, January 21 --- 7 p.m.

Old Sevier Community Group

(Third Thursdays, January-November)

South Knoxville Elementary School Library, 801 Sevier Avenue

Gary Deitsch, 573-7355, garyedeitsch@bellsouth.net

Saturday, January 23 --- 1 p.m.

Boright Area Neighborhood Watch (Quarterly)

3004 Boright Drive

Lola Alapo, 525-1520, BorightGroup@gmail.com

Monday, January 25 --- 5-6 p.m.

Broadway Corridor Task Force (Fourth Mondays except December)

Focusing on enhancements to the corridor south of I-640

KCDC, 901 North Broadway

Lauren Rider, 964-3905, laurenellent@yahoo.com

Monday, January 25 --- 5:30 p.m.

Central Business Improvement District (CBID) Board Meeting

Knoxville Chamber, 17 Market Square

http://www.downtownknoxville.org/about/cbid-meetings/

Michele Hummel, 246-2654, mhummel@downtownknoxville.org

Monday, January 25 --- 7- 8:30 p.m.

South Woodlawn Neighborhood Association

Bi-Monthly Meeting (Fourth Mondays, odd months, except holidays)

Woodlawn Christian Church, 4339 Woodlawn Pike

Shelley Conklin, 686-6789

Tuesday, January 26 --- 6 p.m.

Inskip Community Association / Asociación Comunidad Inskip (ACI)

(Fourth Tuesdays) Inskip Baptist Church, 4810 Rowan Rd Betty Jo Mahan, 679-2748

Thursday, January 28 --- 9 a.m.

Special Events Community Meeting (Fourth Thursdays, January-October)

"Meet with city services that may assist in planning your event."

Civic Coliseum Ballroom, Third Floor

Free Parking available at Civic Coliseum Parking Garage

Office of Special Events, 215-4248

Thursday, January 28 --- 3:30 p.m.

Better Building Board

(Last Thursday, January-October. First Thursday, December)

Small Assembly Room, City-County Building

http://www.knoxvilletn.gov/government/boards commissions/better building board/

Cheri Hollifield, 215-2119, chollifield@knoxvilletn.gov

Friday, January 29 --- 9:30 a.m.

Public Officer Hearing – Neighborhood Codes Enforcement

(Usually held on the Friday following Better Building Board meetings)

The PO considers action on violations of city's building codes.

Small Assembly Room, City County Building

http://www.knoxvilletn.gov/government/boards_commissions/better_building_board/

Cheri Hollifield, 215-2119, chollifield@knoxvilletn.gov

Monday, February 1 --- 6-8 p.m.

Wesley Neighbors Community Association

(First Mondays, even-numbered months)

West Knoxville Branch Library, 100 Golf Club Rd.

John Heins, 297-7045

Tuesday, February 9 --- 4-5 p.m.

City of Knoxville Greenways Commission

(Second Tuesdays, even-numbered months)

Larry Cox Senior Center, 3109 Ocoee Trail

http://knoxvilletn.gov/government/boards commissions/greenways commission/

Lori Goerlich, Parks & Recreation Dept., 215-2807

Thursday, February 11 --- 7-8 p.m.

Colonial Village Neighborhood Association

(Second Thursdays except December and January)

South Knoxville Church of God, 5623 Magazine Road

Terry Caruthers, 579-5702, t caruthers@hotmail.com

Sunday, February 14 --- 2 p.m.

Historic Sutherland Heights Neighborhood Association

(Second Sundays, even-numbered months)

Marble City Baptist Church, 2740 Sutherland Avenue

John Yates, 588-8883, john.a.yates1950@gmail.com

Saturday March 5, 2016 --- 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

Neighborhood Awards & Networking Luncheon

Knoxville Convention Center

Debbie Sharp, 215-4382, dsharp@knoxvilletn.gov

- ** This Advisory is produced on most Tuesdays of the year.

 ** Ideas and contributions are welcome. We reserve the right to edit submissions.

 ** Deadline for news & calendar items: 5 p.m. Mondays

 ** May be copied and forwarded via neighborhood e-mail lists and newsletters.

 ** See past issues at our Website: http://www.knoxvilletn.gov/neighborhoods

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