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## 1. Mechanicsville to Celebrate Homecoming Saturday

The **Mechanicsville Community Association** (MCA) on Saturday will stage its tenth annual Mechanicsville Homecoming at Danny Mayfield Park, and everyone is invited to attend and participate.

The day begins with a parade that starts at 10 a.m. from the corner of University and Fifth Avenue and then proceeds down University to the park. Beginning at 11 a.m., the opening program includes remarks by various community leaders, including Mayor Madeline Rogero and former Mayor and Sixth District City Council Member Daniel Brown.

The event features information booths, food vendors, door prizes, MCA community service awards, a kids' carnival, contests for both teens and adults, and recognition of students who won creative writing awards at Maynard Elementary School.

Entertainment for this event runs the gamut. A gospel concert from 12:30 p.m. until 2:30 p.m. includes choirs from Rogers Memorial Baptist Church and Eternal Life Harvest Center, as well as Kelle Jolly, who is perhaps more widely known for her jazz renditions. There will be several youth dance performances from 2:45 p.m. to 4 p.m., followed by various musicians singing gospel, jazz and R&B from 4 p.m. until 8 p.m., when the event ends.

# 2. Alice Bell Spring Hill Meeting to Focus on East Towne

The **Alice Bell Spring Hill Neighborhood Association** (ABSHNA) is inviting anyone interested in the future of the East Towne area to attend the organization's regular monthly meeting at 7 p.m. Monday, Sept. 21, at Alice Bell Baptist Church, 3305 Alice Bell Road.

Officials from the Tennessee Department of Transportation (TDOT) will present plans for possible roadway improvements in the area, including but not limited to those

serving Knoxville Center Mall. Also on the agenda: partnering with the city and county on the cleanup of underbrush and overgrowth. Various public officials have been invited to attend.

# 3. Old North Schedules Cleanup of First Creek, Greenway

All creek lovers and greenway users are invited to participate in a cleanup of First Creek and the First Creek Greenway on Saturday morning, Sept. 26, from 9 a.m. until noon. The annual event is sponsored by Old North Knoxville (ONK).

Participants will help remove trash from open, grassy areas of the greenway, wooded side areas, and in the waters of First Creek. But you must wear hip waders to enter the creek.

Volunteers of all ages and abilities are welcome. Come for the entire morning or just an hour. ONK will provide cold water and snacks. <u>Keep Knoxville Beautiful</u> will provide trash bags and other supplies, and additional supplies are provided by the City of Knoxville and by a grant from Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency.

Participants will meet in the parking lot at Sixth Avenue and Cottage Place to register and get assignments. The primary target area is Glenwood to Grainger, but with enough volunteers the cleanup will continue through to Broadway.

"ONK has been cleaning the creek for 15 years now," noted the chief organizer and ONK Beautification Chair, Beth Booker. "It's great for the environment --- and fun as well." For more information, contact Beth at 524-8515.

## 4. Cumberland Estates Adds Dogs to Annual Chili Fest

Neighbors in Cumberland Estates are well known for cooking pots of all kinds of chili for the neighborhood's annual chili fest, but this year the fest will include hotdogs as well.

This year's Chili-Dog Fest will run from 5:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, October 1, and all are invited to participate. Bring a side dish to share. For more, contact Anna Compton at 599-0724 or <a href="mailto:amcompto@gmail.com">amcompto@gmail.com</a>.

#### 5. Community to Meet on Talahi Park Restoration

The <u>Kingston Pike - Sequoyah Hills Association</u> will hold a community meeting at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, October 5, 2015, at Sequoyah Hills Presbyterian Church, 3700 Keowee Avenue, to discuss the proposed second phase of the Talahi Park Restoration Project.

Talahi Park --- located at about the midpoint of Cherokee Blvd. --- contains Panther Fountain and Sunhouse Fountain, the only two historic city-owned fountains in Knoxville. The Phase II project will complete the restoration of the park, including the restoration and repair of the fountains and the original gravel footpath through the park mall area, as well as the implementation of a master landscape plan.

## 6. Students to Offer Energy Saving Tips in Morningside

An effort to help Knoxville citizens save on their utility bills begins this week in the Morningside neighborhood.

From today through Tuesday, Sept. 22, teams of students will visit approximately 100 homes in the neighborhood around Morningside Park to share energy efficiency tips and to offer residents a new LED light bulb for their front porch.

The students are enrolled in a Career Readiness Program sponsored by a nonprofit organization named SEEED (<u>Socially Equal Energy Efficient Development</u>).

All residents are invited to attend a free "Savings in the House" workshop to learn more about how to stop wasting energy and take control of utility bills. The workshop will be held from 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 24, at the Morningside Community Center, 1617 Dandridge Ave.

"Savings in the House" is a project of the Smarter Cities Partnership, which is led by the City of Knoxville. Funding for this outreach activity was provided by Partners for Places – a project of the Funders' Network for Smart Growth and Livable Communities.

For more information about this outreach event, contact Stan Johnson, SEEED's Executive Director, at (865) 766-5185. For energy saving ideas, visit www.savingsinthehouse.com.

# 7. Public Meeting to Focus on Sevier Bike Lanes

The City of Knoxville will hold a public meeting at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 22, at South Knoxville Elementary School, 801 Sevier Ave., to discuss proposed design plans for bike lanes on Sevier Avenue in South Knoxville.

Proposed improvements would eliminate the center turn lane and upgrade the roadway to include one vehicular lane in each direction with two 5-foot-wide bike lanes along a 0.8-mile stretch of Sevier Avenue from the Gay Street Bridge to Anita Drive in the Old Sevier neighborhood. The City's Alternative Transportation Coordinator, Jon Livengood, will present the proposed restriping plan at the meeting.

With the added lanes for bicyclists, Sevier Avenue would fully function as a "complete street," accommodating all modes of transportation. Future streetscape improvements will provide safer walkable and bikeable streets along the South Waterfront's commercial spine connecting South Knoxville to downtown.

This stretch of Sevier Avenue also was one of 11 streets prioritized by citizens at a May 21, 2014, public meeting when asked where they wanting bike lanes added. Last spring, City officials presented a finalized <u>Bicycle Facilities Plan</u> that recommended ways to create better, safer connections for bicycle riders, and the plan detailed and prioritized dozens of projects.

# 8. Attend the Family Safety & Preparedness Fair

Do you and your family feel prepared for a disaster or other major emergency? Have you always wondered what the inside of a fire engine or ambulance looks like? Do you want to learn about canning food and what food to buy that will last in case of an emergency?

You can learn all of this and more at the Family Safety & Preparedness Fair on Saturday, September 26, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., at the World's Fair Park.

The fair will include 60 booths with information, demonstrations, and resources to help you and your family learn how to prepare for a disaster. Booths will include the Office of Neighborhoods, KPD, KFD, Red Cross, Knox County Health Department, and groups with canning and cooking demonstrations.

Other features include activities for children, food trucks, and free goodies. More information can be found at <a href="http://prepfair.org/">http://prepfair.org/</a>.

## 9. East Moody Property on Next Week's BBB Agenda

The property at 338 East Moody Avenue is on the agenda for a possible determination of blight by the Better Building Board (BBB) at 3:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 24, in the Small Assembly Room of the City County Building.

Under the city's Chronic Problem Properties ordinance, a property first determined and then later certified by the BBB to be blighted can eventually be acquired by the City, using its eminent domain powers, if the owner fails to take corrective action.

Blighted properties acquired by the city are listed for sale through Community Development's Homemaker's Program. See: <a href="http://knoxvilletn.gov/government/city\_departments\_offices/community\_development/homemaker\_program/">http://knoxvilletn.gov/government/city\_departments\_offices/community\_development/homemaker\_program/</a>

A full copy of the BBB agenda, with details and owner information on each property, can be found at <a href="http://knoxvilletn.gov/government/boards">http://knoxvilletn.gov/government/boards</a> commissions on the Friday prior to the BBB meeting.

## 10. Testify on Blighted Properties at Meeting Next Week

Sixteen properties are on the agenda for the City's next Public Officer Hearing at 9:30 a.m. Friday, Sept. 25.

The Public Officer --- David Brace, director of the Public Service Department --- will hear testimony on buildings that inspectors contend are in violation of the city's building codes. Testimony can also be made by the property owners, neighbors, neighborhood groups, and other stakeholders, such as lien holders.

The Public Officer then decides whether to issue an order requiring that the violations be addressed within a certain period of time. Failure by the owner to cure the problem may result in the boarding or demolition of a structure, or the cleanup of a dirty or overgrown lot, with costs billed to the owner. A property owner may appeal the Public Officer's decision to the Better Building Board and, ultimately, to Chancery Court.

The properties to be heard for repair/demolition orders are: 812 Atlantic Ave., 1619 Brown Ave., 1008 Dinwiddie St., 1640 Dunbar St., 1809 Fay St., 2510 East Fifth Ave., 7917 Hayden Dr., 3121 Johnston St., 4253 Kingston Pike, 1519 Lorraine St., 2410 McCroskey Ave., 1228 Murray Dr., 4700 Plum St., 2319 Sutherland Ave. (commercial), 4601 Tanglewood Rd. (trailer only), and 2444 Washington Ave.

If any of these properties are in your neighborhood, then you or a representative of your organization may wish to attend the meeting to submit testimony about the impact of the property on the neighborhood.

The full September 25 agenda, with details on each property, can be found by Friday at <a href="http://www.knoxvilletn.gov/UserFile/Servers/Server\_109478/File/Boards/betterbuilding/agenda\_poh.pdf">http://www.knoxvilletn.gov/UserFile/Servers/Server\_109478/File/Boards/betterbuilding/agenda\_poh.pdf</a>.

## 11. Game Changers Seeks Male Mentors

Game Changers, a YWCA program, works with young men to teach them about domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, stalking, and how to prevent violence against women and girls.

Organizers are looking for adult male mentors to work with middle-school-aged boys enrolled in the program. Experience is not necessary but is helpful. A commitment of at least six months is requested to participate in the five-hour training class to be held this fall.

Game Changers is funded through a grant from the Office on Violence Against Women, U. S. Department of Justice. For more, contact Hannah Brinson at 523-6126 or <a href="https://doi.org/10.2016/ncb.1

# 12. Neighborhood and Government Calendar

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

Visit <a href="http://knoxvilletn.gov/calendar">http://knoxvilletn.gov/calendar</a> 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 <a href="mailto:scook@knoxvilletn.gov">scook@knoxvilletn.gov</a> 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 <a href="mailto:jhundley@knoxvilletn.gov">jhundley@knoxvilletn.gov</a>.

Today – Thursday, September 24

EARLY VOTING

City Primary Election

(Mayor, City Court Judge, and Four Seats on City Council)

Knox County Election Commission

215-2480 and http://knoxcounty.org/election/

Tuesday, September 15 --- 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, September 15 --- 6:30 p.m.

## Lonsdale United for Change (Third Tuesdays)

Lonsdale Recreation Center, Stonewall Ave.

Steve Ritter, 973-0877

Tuesday, September 15 --- 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/

Tuesday, September 15 --- 7 p.m.

City Council (Every Other Tuesday)

http://www.knoxvilletn.gov/citycouncil

Agenda: http://knoxvillecitytn.iqm2.com

Wednesday, September 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

Wednesday, September 16 --- 6:30 p.m.

# **Lindbergh Forest Neighborhood Association** (Third Wednesdays)

Graystone Presbyterian Church, 139 Woodlawn Pike

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

#### Thursday, September 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, <a href="mailto:Dminter@knoxvillechamber.com">Dminter@knoxvillechamber.com</a>, Knoxville Chamber, 637-4550

http://www.eastknox.org/

Thursday, September 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, September 17 --- 12 p.m.

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, September 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, September 17 --- 4:30 p.m.

## Pond Gap Area Neighborhood Association (Third Thursdays)

Coop Café, 3701 Sutherland Ave.

David Williams, dawill64@yahoo.com

## Thursday, September 17 --- 7 p.m.

"Third Thursday in Edgewood Park"

Free, music, treats, and fun; bring a blanket to sit on; no alcohol

Edgewood Park, 3109 Ocoee Trail

## **Edgewood Park Neighborhood Association**

Peter Pallesen, 200-8311, www.edgewoodpark.us

## Thursday, September 17 --- 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, September 19 --- 10 a.m.

# South Haven Neighborhood Association (Third Saturdays)

Hillcrest United Methodist Church, 1615 Price Ave.

Linda Rust, 679-9924, <a href="mailto:rstyldy1965@yahoo.com">rstyldy1965@yahoo.com</a>

## Saturday, September 19

10th Annual Mechanicsville Homecoming

10 a.m. - Community Parade from Fifth Avenue and University Avenue

11 a.m. – Celebration at Danny Mayfield Park

## **Mechanicsville Community Association (MCA)**

Contact MCA to participate in parade or reserve booth space.

David L. Gillette, Celebration Chair, 356-1179, dgillette33@gmail.com

#### Monday, September 21 --- 7 p.m.

## **Alice Bell Spring Hill Neighborhood Association**

(Third Mondays except June, July, December)

All are welcome to attend.

Alice Bell Baptist Church, 3305 Alice Bell Road

Ronnie Collins, 637-9630

#### Monday, September 21 --- 7 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, <u>lizupchurch1@gmail.com</u>

#### Tuesday, September 22 --- 6 p.m.

## Inskip Community Association / Asociación Comunidad Inskip (ACI)

(Fourth Tuesdays)

Inskip Baptist Church, 4810 Rowan Rd

Betty Jo Mahan, 679-2748

## Wednesday, September 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

Wednesday, September 23 --- 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

Thursday, September 24 --- 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, September 24 --- 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

Thursday, Sept. 24 --- 6:30 p.m.

Savings in the House Workshop: Tips to Cut Your Utility Bill

SEEED, Morningside Center, 1617 Dandridge Avenue

CAC, 244-3080

Friday, September 25 --- 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, <a href="mailto:chollifield@knoxvilletn.gov">chollifield@knoxvilletn.gov</a>

Saturday, September 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

Saturday, September 26 --- 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

Medication Collection Event

Bring any old, unwanted, or unused medications to be destroyed safely.

Belew Drugs, 2021 N. Broadway

http://www.knoxcounty.org/solid\_waste/medication\_collection.php

Saturday, September 26 --- 9 a.m.-2 p.m.

Family Safety and Preparedness Fair

World's Fair Park

VOAD, Red Cross, KEMA, Knox Co. Health Dept. and other agencies

http://prepfair.org/

Mary Beth Birge, 584-2999

Saturday, September 26 --- Noon-5 p.m.

Happy Hollerpalooza

North Central Street between Baxter Ave. & Scott Ave.

Amber Lamance, thejunkery@ymail.com or 679-8228

Monday, September 28 --- 11:30 a.m.

Central Business Improvement District (CBID) Board Meeting

Knoxville Chamber, 17 Market Square

http://www.downtownknoxville.org/

Michele Hummel, 246-2654, <a href="mailto:mhummel@downtownknoxville.org">mhummel@downtownknoxville.org</a>

Monday, September 28 --- 2 p.m. (zoning at 5 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

Tuesday, September 29

**ELECTION DAY** 

Tennessee District House Seat 14 General Election

and City of Knoxville Primary Election

(Mayor, City Court Judge, and Four Seats on City Council)

**Knox County Election Commission** 

215-2480 and <a href="http://knoxcounty.org/election/">http://knoxcounty.org/election/</a>

Tuesday, September 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

Tuesday, September 29 --- 7 p.m.

City Council (Every Other Tuesday)

http://www.knoxvilletn.gov/citycouncil

Agenda: http://knoxvillecitytn.iqm2.com

Thursday, October 1 --- 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Annual Chili-Dog Fest

All are invited. Bring a side dish.

Cumberland Estates Recreation Center, 4529 Silverhill Drive

Cumberland Estates Neighborhood

Anna Compton, 599-0724, amcompto@gmail.com

Saturday, October 3 --- 1 p.m.

**Boright Area Neighborhood Watch** (Quarterly)

3004 Boright Drive

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

Monday, October 5 --- 1 p.m.

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

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

Love Towers Fellowship Association (First Mondays except holidays)

Love Towers Community Room; 1171 Armstrong St.

Bill Jackson, 221-4402

Monday, October 5 --- 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

Monday, October 5 --- 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, October 5 --- 6:30 p.m.

**Community Meeting** 

Phase II Restoration Plans for Talahi Park

Sequoyah Hills Presbyterian Church, 3700 Keowee Avenue

Kingston Pike – Sequoyah Hills Association

Lisa Walsh, Ibwalsh74@gmail.com or 278-0842

Monday, October 5 --- 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

Tuesday, October 6 --- 11:45 a.m.

Agenda Review, Metropolitan Planning Commission

(Tuesday before MPC's monthly meeting)

Small Assembly Room, City County Building

Agenda: http://agenda.knoxmpc.org

Tuesday, October 6 --- 4:30 p.m.

**Dandridge Avenue Neighborhood Watch** (First Tuesdays)

Beck Cultural Exchange Center, 1927 Dandridge Ave.

Lawrence Washington, 524-4498

Tuesday, October 6 --- 6 p.m.

**Mechanicsville Community Association** (First Tuesdays)

Fairview Recreation Center, 1628 Dora St.

Charles Wright, 637-1802

Tuesday, October 6 --- Late Afternoon and Evening

National Night Out Events (city-wide)

Neighborhood Organizations & Watch Groups

Knoxville Police Department

To register your group, contact:

John Morgan at <a href="mailto:imorgan@knoxvilletn.gov">imorgan@knoxvilletn.gov</a> or 215-1519

Wednesday, October 7 --- 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>

Thursday, October 8 --- 1:30 p.m.

Metropolitan Planning Commission (Second Thursdays)

Large Assembly Room, City County Building

http://www.knoxmpc.org

Agenda: <a href="http://agenda.knoxmpc.org">http://agenda.knoxmpc.org</a>

Thursday, October 8 --- 6 p.m.

**Lonsdale Homes Resident Association** (Second Thursdays)

Community Building, 1956 Goins Dr.

Phyllis Patrick, 323-7224

Thursday, October 8 --- 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

Friday, October 9 --- 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. <a href="http://northknoxvillebpa.org/">http://northknoxvillebpa.org/</a>

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

Friday, October 9 --- 6 p.m.

**Beaumont Community Organization** (Second Fridays)

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

Natasha Murphy, 936-0139

Saturday, October 10 --- 11 a.m.-4 p.m.

Lonsdale Multicultural Community Market (Second Saturdays)

Pavilion, Lonsdale Park, 1317 Louisiana Avenue

Latino Task Force and Lonsdale United for Change

Emma Cosigua, 201-207-8801, or Rosie Noriega, 865-405-0931

Sunday, October 11 --- 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

Monday, October 12 --- 1:30 p.m.

**Montgomery Village Residents Association** (Second Mondays)

4600 Joe Lewis Rd. #175

Ronnie Thompson, 604-6492

Monday, October 12 --- 3 p.m.

### Northgate Resident Association (Second Mondays)

Social Hall, 4301 Whittle Springs Rd.

David Wildsmith, 219-0417

Monday, October 12 --- 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, October 12 --- 6 p.m.

Lyons View Community Club (Second Mondays)

Lyons View Community Center, 114 Sprankle Ave.

Mary Brewster, 454-2390

Monday, October 12 --- 6 p.m.

**Vestal Community Organization** (Second Mondays)

South Knoxville Community Center, 522 Old Maryville Pike

Katherine Johnson, 566-1198

Monday, October 12 --- 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, October 12 --- 6:30 p.m.

**Historic Old North Knoxville** (Second Mondays)

St. James Episcopal Church, Parish Hall, 1101 N. Broadway

Andie Ray, 548-5221

Monday, October 12 --- 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, October 12 --- 7 p.m.

## **Lake Forest Neighborhood Association**

Lake Forest Presbyterian Church, Lower Level, 714 Lake Forest Drive Molly Gilbert, 209-1820 or mollygilbert@yahoo.com

Tuesday, October 13 --- 9 a.m.

Transportation Planning Organization (TPO) Technical Committee

(Second Tuesdays)

Small Assembly Room, City County Building

Agenda: <a href="http://www.knoxtrans.org/meetings/techagen.htm">http://www.knoxtrans.org/meetings/techagen.htm</a>

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

Tuesday, October 13 --- 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

## Tuesday, October 13 --- 6 p.m.

**Brown Avenue Neighborhood Watch** (Second Tuesdays)

Hoitt Ave. Baptist Church, 2121 Hoitt Ave.

Jimmy Ramsey, 637-0243

#### Wednesday, October 14 --- 10 a.m.-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, October 14 --- 11:30 a.m.

Community Forum (Second Wednesdays)

Bearden Branch Library, 100 Golf Club Road

Sue Mauer, 690-0269

#### Wednesday, October 14 --- 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, October 15 --- 6:00 p.m.

PARC - Police Advisory & Review Committee

Cansler Family YMCA, 616 Jessamine St, 37917

For more, Avice Reid, 215-3869 or areid@knoxvilletn.gov

#### Sunday, October 18 --- 4 p.m.

Forest Heights Neighborhood Annual Picnic

Highland Hills Pocket Park, 411 Highland Hills Rd, 37919

Bring a side dish or dessert and chair, BBQ, water and lemonade provided

Rain date: Sunday, October 25

For more, Amy Midis agmidis@comcast.net

#### Saturday, October 24 --- 2-9 p.m.

ARToberfest

Art, Crafts, Music, Beer Garden, Family Activities

Morgan & Gratz Streets, Fourth & Gill neighborhood

**Historic Fourth & Gill Neighborhood Organization** 

http://artoberfestknox.com/

## Sunday, October 25 --- 1-4 p.m.

Open Streets Knoxville

Street closure for walkers, bicyclists, performances, etc.

Central Avenue from the Old City to Happy Holler

http://openstreetsknoxville.com/

Kelley Segars: 215-3815 or kelley.segars@knoxtrans.org

#### Tuesday, November 3

**ELECTION DAY** 

City of Knoxville General Election

(Four Seats on City Council and, if necessary, Mayor and City Court Judge)

Knox County Election Commission

215-2480 and http://knoxcounty.org/election/

Monday, November 9 --- 6 p.m. and 7 p.m.

# Fountain City Town Hall (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, November 9 --- 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

Thursday, November 12 --- 8 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Knoxville Liveability Summit

"Making our communities liveable for all ages, all abilities"

Rochchild Conference Center, 8807 Kingston Pike

City of Knoxville, CAC Office on Aging, TN Commission on Aging & Disability

Stephanie Cook, 215-2034, scook@knoxvilletn.gov

Monday, November 23 --- 7 p.m.-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

Monday, December 7 --- 6 p.m.

## **Downtown Residents Meeting**

(Second Monday, Each Quarter)

Knoxville Chamber, 17 Market Square

Central Business Improvement District (CBID)

http://www.downtownknoxville.org/

Michele Hummel, 246-2654, <a href="mailto:mhummel@downtownknoxville.org">mhummel@downtownknoxville.org</a>

Saturday March 5, 2016 --- 11 a.m.-1 p.m.

#### **Neighborhood Awards & Networking Luncheon**

**Knoxville Convention Center** 

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

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