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1. Luncheon to Feature "Bringing It All Back Home" Presentations

Members of the Neighborhood Advisory Council have come up with some inspiring ideas for the "Bringing It All Back Home" presentations at the **Neighborhood Awards** and **Networking Luncheon** on Saturday, March 5, at the Knoxville Convention Center.

Six to eight organizations will present slide shows of innovative projects around the city --- and demonstrate that some solutions aren't as difficult as one might think.

There are often problems or opportunities in our neighborhoods where solutions, funding, partners and resources do not seem to be readily at hand. These presentations are meant to inspire neighborhood groups to identify possible community-building programs and improvement projects in their own neighborhoods.

What do we want you to take back home from the March 5 Luncheon? Even a single story, idea, or "how-we-did-it" anecdote might inspire you and your neighbors into action.

- *** Learn how a single caring neighbor started out with a plan to clean up trash on her street --- and reaped benefits she did not envision.
- *** See how a group of young people responded to very difficult problems in their community by organizing a youth-led, youth-run summit.
- *** Gain insight into how a business alliance conducts micro-fundraising events that provide financial support to worthy community projects.

These presentations are just one part of the March 5 luncheon. For details, see article below.

2. Ride KAT for Free to the Luncheon

Need a Ride to the Neighborhood Luncheon?

There are several options for folks to get to the Knoxville Convention Center at 701 Henley Street on Saturday, March 5.

First, if you can get to a bus line, you can ride KAT for no charge. KAT buses will run a regular Saturday schedule on Saturday, March 5. Just tell the driver you are going to the Neighborhood Awards Luncheon, and you will ride for free.

Some bus routes go by the Convention Center. If not, you can ride to the Knoxville Station and then transfer to a free trolley to the Convention Center. See the KAT website --- http://katbus.com/ADA/schedules.php --- for routes and schedules.

Once you are at the Luncheon, stop by the KAT booth to get your free bus pass for the ride home. Be sure to stop by their booth before 12:15 p.m. when booths close.

If you know several neighbors going to the Luncheon, think about setting up your own carpool. Include neighbors who might not otherwise feel comfortable driving or parking downtown. You can drop them off at the Ballroom Circle on Cumberland Avenue before you park.

It's all about being neighborly and helping to get folks to a great event. Questions may be directed to Debbie Sharp at 215-4382 or dsharp@knoxvilletn.gov.

Parking will be available free of charge at both the Poplar Street parking lot across Cumberland Avenue from the Convention Center and at the Locust Street Garage.

3. 50 Neighborhoods Now Signed up for March 5 Luncheon

To date, over 180 individuals representing more than 50 neighborhoods and neighborhood organizations have registered to attend the Neighborhood Awards & Networking Luncheon, to be held from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. Saturday, March 5, at the Knoxville Convention Center.

The registration deadline is now just two weeks away. Register on <u>this website</u> no later than Feb. 29. Registration takes less than five minutes. At the end, be sure to click DONE to submit your information. Those needing a hard copy registration form can call the Office of Neighborhoods at 215-2113, and a form will be mailed to you.

There is no charge for this event, including lunch, but you must register in advance so that a lunch ticket can be reserved in your name. Registration at the door will be possible, but you may or may not get a lunch ticket.

Listed below are the neighborhoods now represented by individuals who have registered for the Luncheon. Make sure your neighborhood is fully represented at this gathering! Register today!

The neighborhoods are Alice Bell Spring Hill, Amberleigh, Anteelah, Brittany Place, Chenoweth, Chilhowee Hills, Colonial Village, Crest Haven, Cumberland Estates, Dandridge Avenue, Downtown, Eastport/Lee Williams, Edgewood Park,

Fountain City, Forest Heights, Fourth & Gill, Glenview, Hidden Hills, Holston Hills (both Town Hall East and HH Community Club), Inskip, Island Home Park, Kingston Pike Sequoyah Hills, Lake Forest, Lonsdale Homes, Mechanicsville, Moss Creek, North Hills, Oakwood Lincoln Park, Old North Knoxville, Parkridge, Pond Gap,

RiverHill Gateway, Rocky Hill, Sevier Heights, Silver Leaf, South Haven, South Woodlawn, South Doyle, Sterchi Village, Sutherland Heights, Timbercrest, Villa Gardens, Wesley Neighbors, West Haven Village, West Hills, West View, and Westwood.

4. Luncheon Offers Rich Variety for Neighborhood Advocates

If you carve out the middle of your Saturday, March 5, for the Neighborhood Awards & Networking Luncheon, you will not be disappointed. Here are the many things going on from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. at the Knoxville Convention Center.

- *** **Entertainment**: Throughout the day, the <u>Old City Buskers</u> will provide upbeat and energizing music.
- *** **Meet-and-Greet**: Starting at 10 a.m., neighborhood leaders and other city residents can meet one another, talk with Mayor Madeline Rogero and members of City Council, and interact with city department heads.
- *** **Meet-and-Learn**: Obtain valuable information on services offered to city residents by city and county agencies.
- *** **Community Slide Show**: From 11 a.m. until noon, the "Bringing It All Back Home" Community Showcase will feature six to eight slide show presentations of neighborhood, community and city-wide projects that address issues, concerns and opportunities in Knoxville.
- *** **Luncheon Program**: A free entrée salad will be served starting at noon. The program will include a keynote speech by Pastor Daryl Arnold of Overcoming Believers Church, followed by the presentation of the Neighborhood Achievement and Good Neighbor of the Year Awards.
- *** **Door Prizes**: After the Luncheon program, there will be drawings for over 50 door prizes. You will receive door prize tickets when you register.
- *** **Pixels-in-the-Hood Photo Booth**: Gather with your neighbors to have your picture taken and posted on the <u>Office of Neighborhoods Facebook Page</u>.
- *** **Map Yourself**: Pinpoint (literally) your residence or neighborhood on the city-wide map. Let's cover every neighborhood in the city!

More detail can be found on the Luncheon web page and this Facebook event page.

5. Next Week: Get the Skinny on Fort Dickerson Park

Mayor Madeline Rogero, City Councilman Nick Pavlis, city officials and the Aslan Foundation will hold a public meeting at 5:30 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 24, to discuss the recent road realignment of Fort Dickerson Park's entrance and future improvements to the park. The meeting will take place at Flenniken Landing, 115 Flenniken Ave.

Last year, the City completed the \$1.4 million Fort Dickerson Roadway Realignment Project that included the addition of a much-needed traffic signal for the park's main entrance off of Chapman Highway. Fort Dickerson Road was realigned with Woodlawn Pike and now includes approximately 475 feet of a new two-lane road complete with sidewalk access.

City officials are now preparing to move forward with construction of the park's entrance improvements, which include landscaping, signage, a new transit stop and a decorative veneer for the 30-foot-high retaining wall. Carol R. Johnson Associates Inc. is the project's design contractor.

In 2015, the Aslan Foundation acquired and then donated the former G & R Automotive property to the City, and City Council approved the contract with Bell & Associates to demolish the building on the property. The donated property is located adjacent to Fort Dickerson Park's Chapman Highway entrance and is part of the landscaping improvement project.

Additionally, City Parks and Recreation has \$275,000 in funding to improve access to the quarry lake and the overlook. City officials will be seeking input on the entrance and park improvements and provide an update on management of the quarry lake this spring.

Fort Dickerson Park includes 85 acres of green space and hiking and mountain biking trails, the quarry lake and a historic Civil War fort. For more information on Fort Dickerson Park, please visit www.knoxvilletn.gov/parks.

6. KCDC to Provide Update on Five Points Master Plan

Knoxville's Community Development Corp. (KCDC), the public housing agency for Knoxville, will hold a "Five Points Master Plan Update Meeting" from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 29, at the Walter P. Taylor Boys and Girls Club, 317 McConnell Street.

"The Five Points Master Planning Team will present final renderings of the senior housing development being constructed at the corner of Bethel Avenue and McConnell Street." KCDC reports. "The team also will continue the discussion about the next phases of the Five Points Master Plan."

Pizza and beverages will be provided.

7. BZA Decisions Can Impact Your Neighborhood

Nine properties are on the agenda for this week's meeting of the Board of Zoning Appeals (BZA).

Established by city ordinance, BZA hears appeals of denials of building permits by the city's Building Inspections Department. The board, consisting of five citizens appointed by the Mayor, meets on the third Thursday of each month.

BZA meets at 4 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 18, in the Small Assembly Room of the City County Building. Addresses on the agenda include 2308 Forest Avenue, 220 Carrick Street, 203 N. Seven Oaks Drive, 835 N. Central Avenue, 1239 Forest Brook Road, 2701 Sevier Avenue, 200 Jennings Avenue, 1045 Maryville Pike, and 5820 Clinton Highway.

Variance requests on these properties include reduction of the minimum number of required parking spaces, doubling the number of signs permitted, reduction of minimum required rear yard setback, and reduction of setback required for a detached on-premise sign.

Keep up with how the BZA might impact your neighborhood. Watch for the black and white signs indicating that there is a pending decision on a particular piece of property. Most signs are for Metropolitan Planning Commission issues --- which are also important --- but signs with the word "variance" are BZA items.

The BZA agenda is posted on the city website. Browse to www.knoxvilletn.gov/boards and click on Board of Zoning Appeals. The agenda is posted no later than the Monday prior to the BZA meeting each month.

A neighborhood group that keeps track of BZA will call the Plans Review & Inspections Department at 215-3669 to request and study the paperwork on a particular appeal, decide whether to take a position on the appeal, and then attend the BZA meeting to voice the group's support or objections. A group can also request a postponement to allow time to meet with the applicant.

Decisions of the BZA can be appealed within 15 days of the BZA decision to Knoxville City Council. Appeals of a City Council decision are made to Chancery Court within 60 days of a City Council decision related to BZA.

8. More Roads? Safer Roads? Expand transit? More Bike Lanes?

The Regional Transportation Planning Organization (<u>TPO</u>) is asking citizens to take a brief, online survey, the results of which will aid in the update of the <u>Long Range</u> Regional Mobility Plan 2040 for the Knoxville Region.

According to TPO, this plan "is the big picture for how we should invest federal dollars in our transportation system over the next 20 plus years. Not only does it describe our vision for the future, it also lists all projects that we anticipate our region will undertake in the coming decades."

Moreover, TPO says, "The project list is one of the critical elements of the plan. Local transportation projects cannot use federal funding unless they are on this list. We also cannot spend more money than we expect to receive. For this reason, how we select projects is critical."

TPO compiles a list of factors to consider when selecting projects --- "criteria that best reflect our community's needs and vision for the future." The survey is designed to gather public sentiment for these criteria.

For example, respondents are asked to rank these eights types of projects, from most important to least important: 1) build new roads, 2) expand transit to areas currently without service, 3) increase transit service where it already exists, 4) maintenance of roads and bridges, 5) neighborhood traffic safety, 6) sidewalks, greenways and bicycle lanes, 7) technology to improve traffic flow, and 8) widened roads to reduce congestion.

<u>Take the survey</u>. It takes about five minutes. If you do not have Internet access, you can make arrangements to take the survey by calling Dori Canon at 215-2694.

9. Urban League to Hold Job Fair Next Week

The Knoxville Area Urban League (KAUL) is partnering with the Knoxville office of the worldwide staffing agency Randstad to conduct a "hiring event" from 10 a.m. until noon on Thursday, Feb. 25, at the Urban League building, 1514 East Fifth Avenue.

Visitors will be able to meet with human resources staff who are now hiring, and on-site interviews will be conducted.

Available positions include executive assistant, administrative assistant, customer service, inside and outside sales, accounting clerks (accounts receivable, accounts payable, bookkeeper), call center, medical billing, and human resources.

KAUL has a wide variety of programs covering youth, housing, workforce development and job training, business loans and workshops, and entrepreneurship and business development. For more, call 524-5511 or visit the KAUL Website.

10. Alliance House Partners with UT on Healthy Living

The <u>Alliance House Community of Knoxville</u> is partnering with the University of Tennessee and the Knox County Public Library to hold a "healthy eating" expo from 1-4 p.m. Saturday, March 5, at Burlington Branch Library, 4614 Asheville Hwy.

This will be an interactive expo where the focus will be to "Eat, Live, and Dine Healthy."

The UT College of Pharmacy will operate an "Ask a Pharmacist" booth. The UT Medical Center's Healthy Living Kitchen will offer free cooking demonstrations and provide free, quick and healthy recipe ideas. Finally, the UT College of Nursing will give free health screenings such as blood pressure checks.

Questions can be directed to the Burlington Branch Library at 525-5431 or De'Ossie Dingus of Alliance House Community at 332-2677.

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 David Massey at 215-3232 or dmassey @knoxvilletn.gov.

Today - Monday, February 29

Final Days to Register for the Neighborhood Awards & Networking Luncheon

Event to be held 10 a.m. – 2 p.m. Saturday, March 5

Register Here: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/2016Luncheon

Or Call the Office of Neighborhoods, 215-2113

Today -- Tuesday, February 23

2016 Knox County Primary Election

Early Voting Period

http://www.knoxcounty.org/election/index.php

Tuesday, February 16 --- 6 p.m.

Public Meeting

One Year Plan Update for West and Northwest Sectors

Middlebrook Pike United Methodist Church, 7234 Middlebrook Pike

Metropolitan Planning Commission

Current Plan: http://archive.knoxmpc.org/plans/oneyear.htm
Michael Brusseau, 215-2500, michael.brusseau@knoxmpc.org

Tuesday, February 16 --- 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, February 16 --- 7 p.m.

City Council (every other Tuesday)

Main Assembly Room, City County Building

http://www.knoxvilletn.gov/citvcouncil

Agenda: http://knoxvillecitytn.igm2.com

Wednesday, February 17 --- 12 Noon

Eastport/Lee Williams Neighborhood Watch (Third Wednesdays)

Appreciation Ceremony for Emergency Services Personnel

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

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

Wednesday, February 17 --- 5 p.m.

Knox County Board of Education— Mid-month 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."

Wednesday, February 17 --- 6:30 p.m.

Lindbergh Forest Neighborhood Association (Third Wednesdays)

Graystone Presbyterian Church, 139 Woodlawn Pike Kelley DeLuca, 660-4728, kelleydeluca@gmail.com

Thursday, February 18 --- 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, February 18 --- 8:30 a.m.

Food Policy Council

Knox County Health Department, 140 Dameron Avenue (Second Floor Classroom)

See Draft Agenda.

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

Thursday, February 18 --- 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, February 18 --- 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, February 18 --- 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, February 18 --- 4:30 p.m.

Pond Gap Area Neighborhood Association (Third Thursdays)

Coop Café, 3701 Sutherland Ave.

David Williams, dawill64@yahoo.com

Thursday, February 18 --- 4:30 p.m.

RiverHill Gateway Neighborhood Association (Third Thursdays)

Outdoor Knoxville, 900 Volunteer Landing

Kaye Bultemeier, 504-940-8952, kayebultemeier@gmail.com

Thursday, February 18 --- 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, February 20 --- 10 a.m.

South Haven Neighborhood Association (Third Saturdays)

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

Monday, February 22 --- 11:30 a.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, February 22 --- 5 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, February 22 --- 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

Tuesday, February 23 --- 6 p.m.

Inskip Community Association / Asociación Comunidad Inskip (ACI)

(Fourth Tuesdays)

Inskip Baptist Church, 4810 Rowan Rd

Betty Jo Mahan, 679-2748

Tuesday, February 23 --- 6 p.m.

Public Meeting

One Year Plan Update for South Sector

Flenniken Landing, 115 Flenniken Avenue

Metropolitan Planning Commission

Current Plan: http://archive.knoxmpc.org/plans/oneyear.htm

Michael Brusseau, 215-2500, michael.brusseau@knoxmpc.org

Tuesday, February 23 --- 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

Wednesday, February 24 --- 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, February 24 --- 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, February 24 --- 5:30 p.m.

Public Meeting

Updates to Fort Dickerson Park

Flenniken Landing, 115 Flenniken Avenue

City of Knoxville and the Aslan Foundation

Thursday, February 25 --- 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, February 25 --- 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, February 25 --- 4:30 p.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

Thursday, February 25 --- 5:30-7:30 p.m.

Community Schools Celebration

South Knoxville Elementary School

801 Sevier Ave.

Register for the event here

Monday, February 29 --- 5 p.m.

Knox County 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, February 29 --- 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Five Points Master Plan Update Meeting

Topics: Final Renderings of senior housing at Bethel & McConnell streets

and next phases of the Five Points Master Plan

Pizza and beverages provided

Walter P. Taylor Boys and Girls Club, 317 McConnell St.

Knoxville's Community Development Corp. (KCDC)

Tuesday, March 1, 2016

ELECTION DAY

2016 Knox County Primary Election http://www.knoxcounty.org/election/index.php

Tuesday, March 1 --- 4:30 p.m.

Dandridge Avenue Neighborhood Watch (First Tuesdays)

Beck Cultural Exchange Center, 1927 Dandridge Ave.

Lawrence Washington, 524-4498

Tuesday, March 1 --- 6 p.m.

Mechanicsville Community Association (First Tuesdays)

Fairview Recreation Center, 1628 Dora St.

Charles Wright, 637-1802

Tuesday, March 1 --- 7 p.m.

City Council (every other Tuesday)

Main Assembly Room, City County Building

http://www.knoxvilletn.gov/citycouncil

Agenda: http://knoxvillecitytn.iqm2.com

Wednesday, March 2 --- 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, March 2 --- 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."

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

Neighborhood Awards & Networking Luncheon

Knoxville Convention Center

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

Saturday, March 5 --- 1-4 p.m.

"Eat, Live and Dine Healthy" Expo

Healthy recipe ideas, cooking demonstrations, free health screenings,

and "Ask a Pharmacist" booth

Burlington Branch Library, 4614 Asheville Hwy

Alliance House Community of Knoxville, University of Tennessee

De'Ossie Dingus of Alliance House Community, 332-2677

Monday, March 7 --- 1 p.m.

East Knoxville Community Meeting (First Mondays)

Burlington Branch Library, 4614 Asheville Highway

Michael Covington, 274-7958, mdcov@hotmail.com

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

Love Towers Fellowship Association (First Mondays except holidays)

Love Towers Community Room; 1171 Armstrong St.

Bill Jackson, 221-4402

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

Holston Meadows Neighborhood Watch

Milton Roberts Recreation Center, 5900 Asheville Hwy Beverly Adkins, 523-6343 or Vivian Williams, 385-7074

Monday, March 7 --- 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, March 7 --- 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, March 8 --- 11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m.

MPC Agenda Review (Second Tuesdays)

Small Assembly Room, City County Building

http://www.knoxmpc.org

Tuesday, March 8 --- 6 p.m.

Brown Avenue Neighborhood Watch (Second Tuesdays)

Hoitt Ave. Baptist Church, 2121 Hoitt Ave.

Jimmy Ramsey, 637-0243

Wednesday, March 9 --- 11:30 a.m.

Community Forum (Second Wednesdays)

Bearden Branch Library, 100 Golf Club Road

Sue Mauer, 690-0269

Wednesday, March 9 --- 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, March 10 --- 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, March 10 --- 6 p.m.

Lonsdale Homes Resident Association (Second Thursdays)

Community Building, 1956 Goins Dr.

Phyllis Patrick, 323-7224

Thursday, March 10 --- 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, March 11 --- 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, March 11 --- 6 p.m.

Beaumont Community Organization (Second Fridays)

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

Natasha Murphy, 936-0139

Monday, March 14 --- 1:30 p.m.

Montgomery Village Residents Association (Second Mondays)

4600 Joe Lewis Rd. #175

Ronnie Thompson, 583-9221

Monday, March 14 --- 3 p.m.

Northgate Resident Association (Second Mondays)

Social Hall, 4301 Whittle Springs Rd.

David Wildsmith, 219-0417

Monday, March 14 --- 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, March 14 --- 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, March 14 --- 6 p.m.

Lyons View Community Club (Second Mondays)

Lyons View Community Center, 114 Sprankle Ave.

Mary Brewster, 454-2390

Monday, March 14 --- 6 p.m.

Vestal Community Organization (Second Mondays)

South Knoxville Community Center, 522 Old Maryville Pike

Katherine Russell, 566-1198

Monday, March 14 --- 6:30 p.m.

Community Potluck

Historic Fourth & Gill Neighborhood Organization (Second Mondays)

Central United Methodist Church, 210 Third Ave.

Liz Upchurch, 898-1809, lizupchurch1@gmail.com

Monday, March 14 --- 6:30 p.m.

Historic Old North Knoxville (Second Mondays)

St. James Episcopal Church, Parish Hall, 1101 N. Broadway Donna Spencer, donnspen@gmail.com, 304-673-9697

Monday, March 14 --- 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, March 14 --- 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

Tuesday, March 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

Monday, March 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

Monday, March 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 (during early voting only) Ronnie Collins, 637-9630

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

"Coffee with the Councilman"

(Usually the Last Saturday of Each Quarter)

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

Monday, March 28 --- 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

Monday, April 4 --- 6:30 - 8 p.m.

Wesley Neighbors Community Association

(First Mondays, even-numbered months) West Knoxville Branch Library, 100 Golf Club Rd. John Heins, 297-7045 Sunday, April 10 --- 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

Tuesday, April 12 --- 4-5 p.m.

City of Knoxville Greenways Commission (Second Tuesdays, even-numbered months)
Outdoor Knoxville Adventure Center, 900 Volunteer Landing
http://knoxvilletn.gov/government/boards_commissions/greenways_commission/
Lori Goerlich, Parks & Recreation Dept., 215-2807

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