



Oct 1, 2019 Meeting Agenda

2019 GENERAL MEETING ATTENDANCE												
MEMBER	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Albany Park	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
Asherton Grove	X	X	1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
Blendon Chase	X	X	X	X	1	X	X	X	X	X		
Blendon Woods	1	2	X	1	2	3	X	1	X	1		
Clinton Estates	X	X	1	X	X	1	X	X	X	X		
Cooper Woods	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
Devonshire	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
Forest Park	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
Friendship Village	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	1	X	X		
Karmel Woodward Pk	X	X	X	X	X	X	1	X	X	X		
Lee & Ulry	1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	1		
Maize Morse Tri-Area	X	X	X	1	X	X	1	X	1	2		
Minerva Park	X	X	X	X	X	X	1	2	X	X		
Northland Alliance	1	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
NABA	1	X	X	X	X	1	X	X	X	X		
Parkshire Commons	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
Preston Commons	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
Rolling Ridge	X	1	X	X	1	X	X	X	X	1		
Salem	X	X	X	X	X	1	X	X	X	X		
Sharon Woods	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
Strawberry Farms	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
Waltham	X	X	X	1	2	X	1	2	3	4		
Woodstream East	1	2	X	X	1	2	3	X	1	X		

Roll Call	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Alice Foeller
Liaison Reports	
Columbus Fire Department Station 24	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No report.
Columbus Police Department Officers Scott Clinger / Larry Geis	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> There is an individual they are looking for who goes around offering handyman services and they pay upfront and he doesn't do the work. Last night he overdosed and recovered and stole a car and hit the owner of the car with it. His photo is on NextDoor and we sent it to the block watches. (Update: He was apprehended thanks to neighbors and police.) Zone 1 Block Watch Coordinators meeting- we will be talking about the PACT teams and the therapy dog unit, 7p, 1120 Morse Road. Oct. 15 We've had 18 car break-ins in the last 10 days in this area. Fifteen of them state in the report that they were unlocked. David Roseman said a senior citizen was crossing Morse Road at Tamarack on his trike-bike and he was hit by a car and killed.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The police will send officers to monitor speed if there is enough complaint.
<p>FACT & Consider Biking David Roseman</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be careful out there. Even if a cyclist or pedestrian is doing something wrong, you are driving a much bigger and more deadly vehicle. Have patience. • MORPC stats show pedestrian fatalities are up due to driving distracted. • It's a good time of year to plant trees. If the city planted trees near you, water them a lot the first year or two. Thanks to NABA for cleaning up the trash, because it goes into the storm sewer and into our fresh water. Scioto Watershed cleanup was Saturday and it was successful. If you are looking for tools and equipment, contact David or Keep Columbus Beautiful. • Do not rake your yard waste into the gutter. It clogs the storm sewer.
<p>Columbus Public Library Liaison Keith Hanson</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Whetstone Branch – Book Buzz. A staff panel of librarians will talk about newly available titles. This Sunday 2-3p at the Whetstone branch. • On the 13th, this event will repeat at the Whitehall Branch. • Technology: On all Wednesdays 9:30-11:30a you can get one-on-one help with your devices, software, etc. No reservation is required. If that time doesn't work, make an appointment with a librarian. • New class: Google Tools. The first class will focus on Google Drive and using Google to collaborate and share documents. on 2-4 Saturday at Karl Rd. Microsoft Word class is also available. • It's been very hot out. Our libraries are air conditioned. Please encourage neighbors to come to the library if they need to get cool. • Some publishers are making it more difficult for libraries to use electronic copies indefinitely. There is a link on ColumbusLibrary.org to sign a petition to tell them that will put an undue burden on libraries. Ebooksforall.org
<p>Northland Area Business Association Dave Cooper</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dave and his wife Chris have sold the Inkwell to new owners. Please keep business coming. Our new owners will be involved in the community and we want the business to do well. Kwesi Gyimah is the new owner. He's the pastor at SDA Church on Oakland Park. They will continue printing items for Northland organizations. • Next Luncheon will be Dec. 10 at 11:30a Market Study vendor Arch City will be the speaker. \$20
<p>City of Columbus Community Liaison Alfred Akainyah</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There was a report of people wearing fake cable company uniforms and rushed into the home when the door was opened. • Neighborhood Best Practices Conference Oct. 12 • We have added two liaisons to our office. As a result I will be permanently assigned to Northland. Please have all of the civic associations send me contact information and meeting times. • If you sent me a message and I didn't respond, please call again. My messages were being forwarded to another phone. • Someone called about speeding in Northland but didn't leave their number. Please call again. • Dave Roseman: Please add the parks to the 311 listing, because you can't choose parks in the 311 online (not the app). There are a lot of park issues that I report. • On the app, it doesn't move to your current location. It is always centered on 1111 East Broad and you have to move it by hand.
<p>Columbus Community Engagement Sandra R. López</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hamilton Road and 161 is going to be voted on Monday. NCC had already made a positive recommendation. Encourage you to attend Neighborhood Best Practices. We have really good speakers.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We are trying to advocate for you with the work on the roundabouts – we could maybe have another smaller meeting to make sure your concerns are being heard. • Bill Logan said it was stated they were repaving Morse Road but really they just patched it. Sandra said she wasn't sure if they are doing more but will check. • David Roseman asked about some sidepaths and work that was to be done on Hamilton that has not happened yet. Sandra said with sidewalks, it isn't just paying the money to put them in. We have to get permission from every property owner to take the land and if they object, we have to use eminent domain and take them to court, and then it has to go into engineering and construction. David said he is talking about major thoroughfares where the right of way is owned by the city, county or ODOT, so he requests an increase in funding for sidewalks.
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Selected Discussions	
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<p>Round Table Discussion</p>	<p>Doreen Uhas Sauer with Columbus Landmarks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There is a Home Preservation Program for homes that are 50 years or older. This is a free program. • Doreen shared the Endangered Building Program. Some are falling into disrepair or underutilized: Kroger Bakery, Hayden Mausoleum at Green Lawn Cemetery, Kind & High Block, Macon Hotel on 20th Street, Broadwin Hotel on East Broad, West Side Spiritualist Church on McDowell, Beck Street School, White Haines Commercial Building in the second block of South High Street are on the list this year. • Of last year's list, all but one are still standing. • We are doing Ghost Tours in October! ColumbusLandmarks.org. We get calls all of the time from people who have renovated older homes and said ghosts were being disrupted and upset. We decided to turn the interest into tours to also educate people about architecture. We also do tavern tours. These tickets sell out quickly and are available on our web site. • Union Station was torn down by bulldozers after dark in 1977, and many of us saw it on the news. It was a Daniel Burnham design, one of only two in Columbus. A movement was born of the people who were appalled by this. • A judge went down and persuaded the bulldozer driver to stop there, and that's how one of the arches was saved. We tried to get another judge to sign an injunction to stop the demolition. • Doreen is also a consultant on the Columbus Neighborhoods Series. One of the episodes won an Emmy for WOSU. • She recommended that we have a representative from the neighborhood high schools on the commission. • Most of our homes are history, since they are 50 years or more. If you want your neighborhood to be declared as a historic neighborhood, you would need to come up with an architectural characteristic. Yours will probably be mid-century modern. • The architecture of churches changed dramatically after World War II to be more welcoming. • Your architecture and history should be welcomed. We could do a "date your house" workshop.
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NCC Officer Reports	
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<p>Treasurer Felix Quachey</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No report
<p>Secretary Alice Foeller</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hearing no objections, the minutes from last month are entered as presented.

Vice President Roger Davidson	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No report.
President Alicia Ward	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> October 2nd Meet the Candidates 6:30 Meet and Greet - 7:00 Forum. Featuring - City Council, School Board, Environmental Judge, Municipal Judges, Franklin County Children Services Levy October 3rd 6:30-8:30pm Business Insurance: Making Good Decisions: Presented by Liberty Mutual. October 10th 6:30-8:30pm Managing a Checking Account October 24th 6:30-8:30pm Different Ways to Pay: Understanding Credit Alicia announced that Elevate Northland has now been designated as a CDC, a Community Development Corporation in Columbus Elevate Northland is now in contract on a building on Karl Road, which, if all goes well, will be the location of a business incubator and co-working space and event space available for rent by the community. Parks and Meade is going to be providing legal counsel to Elevate Northland pro bono. Elevate Northland hosted an International Potluck and took in feedback from the community. We've met with several city council members. We also met with Franklin County Economic Development.
NCC Committee Reports	
Independence Day Parade Committee Web site is northlandparade.org	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Oct. 26 at 10a at Kroger is the next parade committee meeting.
Banquet Committee Alicia Ward	<ul style="list-style-type: none">
Development Committee Dave Paul, Chair	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rec and Parks is searching for a new director. There will be a public meeting Oct. 8, 6pm at Dodge Recreation Center to help identify characteristics of a good director. We have 30 applications. Case #1 At the previous meeting, we had an applicant who had a poorly presented case. He came back with an improved case and we recommended approval. Case #2 was for a graphic variance for the Kroger on Morse Road. They wanted gas pricing signs that have automatic changeable copy. We recommended approval. Our next meeting is Oct. 30. Our last meeting of the year will be Dec. 4.
Graphics and Code Task Force Bill Logan, Coordinator	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We have issues with temporary signs in the right of way. Also do not park RVs in front of the house or overhanging the front edge of the house. Semis cannot park in neighborhoods.
Additional Discussions	
Other Old Business	<ul style="list-style-type: none">
Other New Business	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1212 E Dublin Granville Rd., Hacienda Mexican Restaurant, is closed and there is a mess behind it and crime going on. David Roseman said more of us need to try the locally owned places and ethnic restaurants. We can help them make it and give us our business. Next meeting will be at the back of the building because our main room will be a polling place. The December meeting will be the Christmas party. Location TBA.
Open Forum Comments, Announcements	<ul style="list-style-type: none">