



PROSPECT PARK ASSOCIATION



MEETINGS	Committee Meetings <i>2828 SE University Ave, Suite 200</i>	Community Meetings <i>22 Orlin Ave SE, PPUMC</i>
<p><i>For the most up-to-date list of meetings please check the PPA Calendar. All committee meetings take place at the office (2828 University Avenue SE) unless otherwise noted.</i></p> <p>ABOUT PPA Prospect Park Association is the official neighborhood association for the Prospect Park Area.</p> <p>Donate to PPA Prospect Park Association is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization, and all donations are tax-deductible.</p>	<p>Environment Committee Tuesday, Oct 23, 6:30pm</p> <p>Livability Committee Wednesday, Oct 10, 7pm</p> <p>N’hood Relations & Outreach Committee <u>Thursday, Oct 18, 6pm</u></p> <p>Planning and Land Use Committee no meeting scheduled</p> <p>Transportation & Safety Committee <u>Tuesday, Oct 16, 7pm</u></p>	<p>Community Meeting Monday Oct 22nd 6- 6:30pm Social Time 6:30pm - 7:30pm TBD-Please see calendar</p> <p>PPA Board Meeting Monday Oct 22nd 7:30pm - 8:30pm TBD-Please see calendar</p> <p><u>Monday, Oct 15th, 7pm</u> Management Council <i>Sets Community & Board Meeting Agendas</i></p>

Harvest fun in the neighborhood

Hi Neighbors,

A big thank you to all who participated in recent elections, and welcome to new board members! We had a great time at Neighbor-Fest, and would like to once again thank the Profile Event Center for hosting us and donating their space, food, and staff time for PPA volunteers to party!

Many more thanks to volunteers who helped run the first PPA election with absentee voting. It did not go perfectly, but for an inaugural year it went very well, with more people participating than is typical for PPA elections.

See you around the neighborhood,
Jessica Buchberger, PPA Program Manager

Welcome new board members!

A hearty welcome and congratulations to the newly elected Board Members! We look forward to your future leadership.

1. Lydia McAnerney (99 votes)
2. Joleen Emery (91 votes)
3. Laura Preus (85 votes)
4. Noel Gordon Jr. (84 votes)
5. Lynn Von Korff (80 votes)
6. Joseph W. Ring (76 votes)

There was a tie for the 7th elected seat, and according to Minnesota State Statute, the next step in the process is to determine a winner by lot ([M.S.A. § 204C.34](#)). There will be one more ballot recount by trained election judges on Friday, October 5 at 11am in the PPA Office. If there is still a tie, lots will be drawn.

Thank you to outgoing board members!

Your work and leadership is valued and will be missed: Phil Anderson, Johnathan Schuester, John Cushing, Del Hampton, Serafina Scheel, John Kari and Isabelle Wattenberg.

Mississippi Gorge Regional Master Plan

Dan Cross dancross@gmail.com and Tom Kilton tom.kilton.blcw@statefarm.com have been meeting as PPA representatives on the Community Advisory Committee for the [Mississippi Gorge Regional Park master plan](#) since March of 2018. They need your ideas for updates/changes/maintenance for the gorge area from the U of M to the St Paul border. Information on progress so far can be found by Googling the Minneapolis Park Board/Mississippi Gorge Regional Park.

Harvest Festival is October 13

Join your neighbors for an annual Prospect Park Neighborhood celebration & community engagement event!

The Harvest Festival is a fall evening gathering of community to share food, music, art, laughter, conversation and ideas. It takes place on the land immediately south of United Crushers grain elevators and is an event that showcases the value, importance, the unique potential of this site to become a signature green gathering place for the neighborhood.

Come, bring your friends, and enjoy a festive fall evening with other community residents, learn what's happening in the Towerside Innovation District, and share your ideas for enriching our community! [More information here.](#)

Clean Sweep is October 13

Please save Saturday, October 13 from 9 to noon for Prospect Park's annual neighborhood clean sweep. Volunteers work together to pick up metal, wood, tires, and concrete.

Volunteers are needed to help do the work, but it is a great way to meet neighbors. This year PPA is partnering with Spire Credit Union! Meet at Spire Credit Union on Malcolm & University Avenue at 9am for breakfast. The first 30 people to arrive will receive a free t-shirt for this year's Clean Sweep. See you there!

Valhalla Meeting Update

PPA will be following up with the manager of Valhalla Clinic regarding security changes they have made in the past month. The meeting will be at the PPA office on Thursday,

October 4th at 6:30pm.

City releases final draft of 2040 Plan

The City of Minneapolis released the final draft of its [2040 Comprehensive Plan](#), a holistic document that will guide the city's development over the next 20 years. The Planning Commission and City Council will review the draft and seek additional community input this fall, with final adoption expected in December 2018. Read more about the 2040 draft on the [City's website.](#)

Prospect Park; Where do you live?

Do you have a story or artwork to share about your home (house, apartment...) in Prospect Park? Or would you like to create something? We're holding a multigenerational event on November 3rd 4:00 to 6:00 to celebrate creativity and life in our PP homes, sponsored by the PPA Home Tour. This year we're ditching the tour and opting for a party!

We'll have an open mic to share stories.

We'll have art materials to create artwork.

We'll have wallspace to display photos or other visual art.

We'll have a place to present written short pieces.

And we'll have food and drink!

So please join us if you have something to share or are just curious and want to be entertained

The theme (obviously, since the Home Tour is throwing this party) is Homes in Prospect Park - Any kind of homes: houses, condos, apartments, student housing, castles, yurts...!!

PPA Bylaws Notice

A member of the Board has made a motion to amend the bylaws in the following ways at the September 10th Board of Directors meeting. [You can read the exact language change proposed here.](#)

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PPA Documents

[July 16, 2018 Board Minutes](#)

[Livability Minutes July 11, 2018](#)

[Neighborhood Relations and Outreach minutes August 16, 2018](#)

[Management Council July 9, 2018](#)

[Management Council August 8, 2018](#)

[Environment Committee July 24, 2018](#)

[Transportation Committee letter re: Route 6 and E line](#)

[Transportation Committee letter re: Erie St](#)

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