



# North Hills Neighbor

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## First Meeting of the NHAA Board Promotes Survey

The NHAA Board of Directors met on Sept. 12th with the officers, and had a lively and cordial discussion of how to build community support for the North Hills Area Association.

The well-attended meeting reached consensus on the need to survey area residents, both formally and informally, about concerns and ideas.

This newsletter may have been delivered by the traditional method (in a newspaper box or taped to the sides of a mailbox). However, if you happened to be near when it was delivered, you likely had a conversation with a board member. Board members pledged to take certain blocks and to put on their walking shoes.

Another part of that outreach effort is the survey form at the bottom of this newsletter. Please complete the form and send it to the given address or send an e-mail to [mbharmon@comcast.net](mailto:mbharmon@comcast.net). We will be discussing the survey at the next neighborhood meeting in October so you can join the conversation or submit the survey at that time.

Board members want to stress that all our North Hills area neighbors are welcome at the next meeting and all meetings. While there you can share in the accomplishments of the past few years, and plan for the next wave of actions.

## August NHAA Meeting

Over 40 neighbors attended the August NHAA meeting with Police **Chief Sterling Owen**. He presented information regarding the department's efforts toward traffic calming, the use of red light cameras, the extensive officer training, and important contact information (listed on the back page). Present at this meeting were City Council Members **Rob Frost, Bob Becker, Steve Hall, and Joe Hultquist**. The minutes of this meeting are available at the NHAA website, [www.kornet.org/nhaa](http://www.kornet.org/nhaa).



**Next Meeting**  
**October 27<sup>th</sup> 7:00 pm**



**Guest Speaker:**  
**Larry Clark of the**  
**Imagination Library**  
program.

## Survey Discussion

There will be discussion about the attached survey and a great time to submit your concerns, so be sure to attend. Board members will be available to meet and to listen.

We meet at the Washington Pike United Methodist Church, 2241 Washington Pike, on the ground floor. Signs will be posted on the door to direct you to the meeting room.

For more information, visit the NHAA website at [www.kornet.org/nhaa](http://www.kornet.org/nhaa).

## North Hills Area Association Survey

The Board of Directors of the North Hills Area Association is interested in your views on the needs of our community that are of concern to you. Feel free to write about problems, potential solutions, or both. Use additional paper as needed.

Traffic control: \_\_\_\_\_

School improvements: \_\_\_\_\_

Crime prevention: \_\_\_\_\_

Unkempt property: \_\_\_\_\_

Inoperable vehicle storage: \_\_\_\_\_

Other topics: \_\_\_\_\_

We look forward to hearing from you. Return to: NHAA Survey, 1714 North Hills Blvd, Knoxville, TN 37917  
or email at [mbharmon@comcast.net](mailto:mbharmon@comcast.net) (OVER)

## North Hills Area Association

Serving the North Hills Area.

### Mission Statement

To promote education, safety, and beautification as well as, to offer representation of neighborhood concerns to our city and county governments.

### Goals

- To instill in residents a sense of community and belonging.
- To develop and effective relationship with governmental decision makers.
- To impact positive changes for residents in the neighborhood.
- To educate residents on the benefits of maintaining or improving the current quality of life and helping one another to pursue that goal.

### The Community

The neighborhood has defined its boundaries as Cecil Avenue to the south, Whittle Springs Road to the west, and Washington Pike to the north, and Prosser Road to the east.

### Contact Information

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### NHAA Website

[www.kornet.org/nhaa/](http://www.kornet.org/nhaa/)

## City Elections

Knoxville city election procedures can be a bit confusing, so here's a quick guide to the procedures and dates. Knoxville city council members actually may run twice for the job!

- The elections of September 27th determined who finished first and second within each city council district.
- Both the first-place finisher and the second-place finisher appear on a citywide ballot in the Tuesday, November 1st election.
- In that election, North Hills area voters (and indeed all city voters) will vote not only on the District 4 seat, but also all other contested city council seats.
- Early voting for the November 1st election will be from October 12<sup>th</sup> to October 27<sup>th</sup>.
- The early voting locations will include Knoxville Center Mall and the County Courthouse downtown.
- On election day all precinct polling places will be open from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.



## SAVE THE DATES for 2006

The NHAA regular meetings are the 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday in these months and for 2006:

February 23  
 May 25  
 August 24  
 October 26

### Important Phone Numbers

Emergency City	911
Non-Emergency	215-4010 / 215-7450
Service Info	311
PARC	215-3869
Social Services	211 or 588-4211
KPD Teleserve	215-7268
KPD Crime Hotline	215-7212
KPD Headquarters	215-7000
East District Precinct	215-1201
Captain Nate Allen	215-1201
Lt. Bob Wooldridge	215-1211
Lt. Vince Ayub	215-1215
Lt. Cindy Gass	215-1214
East District Sergeants	215-1212
Sgt. Paul Lane (street level drugs)	215-1212

### Board of Directors

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## North Hills Area Association Survey

There is no time limit to submit, your concerns are always welcome. Contact information is not required but is greatly appreciated. It will help us to understand your specific needs and those of your part of the neighborhood. In addition, if you would like a response to your survey, please let us know.

- Board of Directors, North Hills Area Association

Name (optional) \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Comments:

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