



5th ANNUAL NEIGHBORHOOD WORKSHOPS & AWARDS

The City of Fort Worth and the Fort Worth League of Neighborhood Associations are offering workshops to equip neighborhoods with the skills and knowledge necessary to maintain successful organizations. Information on available classes is located on the back of this flier.

During the luncheon banquet, a presentation of neighborhood awards will be hosted by Mayor Moncrief. There is a nonrefundable fee of \$5.00 to attend the workshops and luncheon, and registration is required by January 23, 2008.

Saturday, February 9, 2008
Fort Worth Convention Center
1201 Houston Street
Fort Worth, TX 76102
9 a.m. - 4:15 p.m.
(Registration begins at 8:30 a.m.)

Awards Luncheon: Rooms 202 B, C & D
Workshops: Rooms 201 A, B, & C

This facility is wheelchair accessible. For accommodations, sign interpretive or translation services, please call the Community Relations Department at 817-392-7525, 48 hours in advance. Para información en español, por favor llame al Departamento de Relaciones Comunitarias al 817-392-7525.



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	<u>TRACK A</u> Land Use Zoning, Planning and Development	<u>TRACK B</u> Streets & Infrastructure	<u>TRACK C</u> Neighborhood Association Development
Session 1 9 a.m.-10:15 a.m.	<p>The Comprehensive Plan and Neighborhood Involvement</p> <p>What is the Comprehensive Plan? How does it affect your neighborhood? How can you be involved?</p>	<p>Pavement Management-Smooth Ride</p> <p>Old roads and potholes are concerns for neighborhoods. Learn how streets are assessed, what affects a streets longevity, replacement value and current conditions. Types of maintenance and how to request street improvements will also be discussed.</p>	<p>Neighborhood Involvement & Empowerment</p> <p>Learn how to identify allies and supporters, reach out to new communities, build your membership and create a strong organization.</p>
Session 2 10:30 a.m.-11:45 a.m.	<p>Land Use and Zoning 101</p> <p>Learn how land use and zoning relate to each other and how to initiate zoning changes.</p>	<p>Lights, Camera, Action</p> <p>Racing cars, dark streets and citizen safety are on everyone's mind. The City Traffic Engineer and Traffic Services Manager will tell you how to calm traffic in your neighborhood, request signal lights and signage as well as light up the streets.</p>	<p>Communicating with your Association's Membership</p> <p>Effective communication is vitally important to successful organizations. Learn about different communication tools that can help you keep your membership informed.</p>
Exhibits and Awards Luncheon from 11:45 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.			
Session 3 1:30 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	<p>How to Influence Zoning Decisions</p> <p>Learn how to communicate with developers and the Zoning Commission, and to review site plans.</p>	<p>From Here to There-Mobility in Fort Worth</p> <p>Congestion, vehicle delays, air quality, aging infrastructure and population growth play a major role in mobility in Fort Worth. Transportation and Public Works will discuss how roads are planned, funded, current needs and the Capital Improvement Process.</p>	<p>Neighborhood Wellness Challenge: Take the challenge and learn how healthy your association is.</p> <p>Do you have widespread participation? Good systems of communication? Is your association motivated to succeed? Complete the wellness scorecard and learn tips for improving your effectiveness.</p>
Session 4 3 p.m.-4:15 p.m.	<p>How to Plan for a Neighborhood</p> <p>Interactive workshop including "SWOT" and land use exercises to plan for a neighborhood.</p>	<p>Transportation-Hand in Hand Partnerships</p> <p>Building roadways across several jurisdictions can be complicated. Find out how the city partners with the Texas Department of Transportation and Tarrant County to build and fund regional roads.</p>	<p>Crime and Grime: Not in our Neighborhood!</p> <p>Learn how associations have partnered with Code and Police Officers to create neighborhoods that are safe and clean.</p>