

From Around the Block

From the South Lamar Neighborhood Association

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Welcome to the neighborhood! This newsletter serves to inform all residents in the South Lamar area of activities close to home. Here is a summary of the latest news and information:

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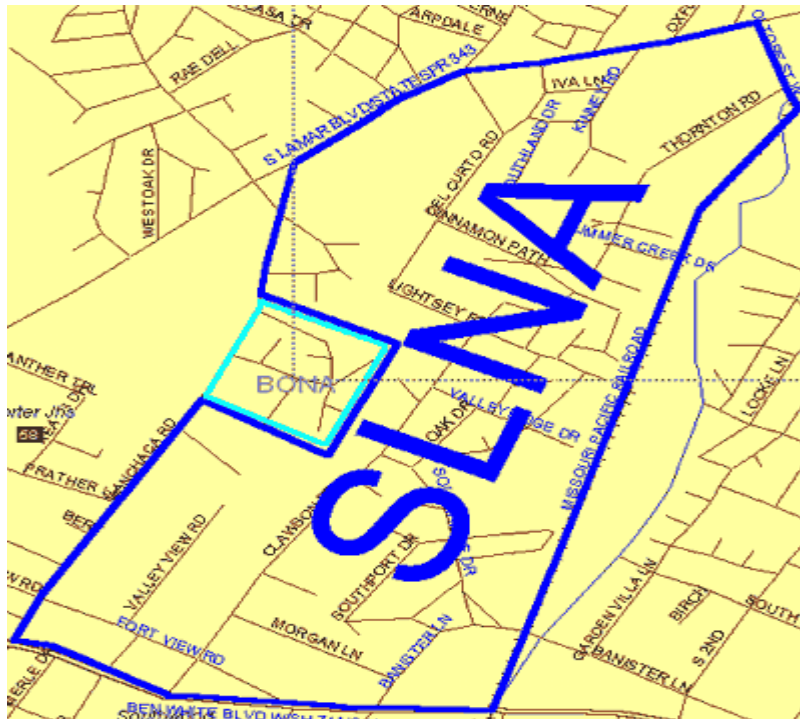
NEXT MEETING – 9/16/10

The next meeting for the SLNA is on Thursday evening, September 16 at 7:00 PM at the Austin EcoSchool. It's located near the intersection of Manchaca and Lightsey @ 2901 Manchaca Road (phone # 512.447.8516 and <http://www.austin-ecoschool.org/> for additional information). The agenda regularly features updates on the new park development, crime updates and current zoning issues along with issues brought in by attending members.

NEIGHBORHOOD PARK (ON DEL CURTO)

A major clean-up in April occurred with over 50 volunteers, with a follow-up cleanup on July 11. An initial park layout has been created but more input is needed to finalize design details along with future activities to help our new park develop.

MEMBERSHIP – BECOME A VOTING MEMBER TODAY!



SLNA Membership Form

Name _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____

Phone Numbers (Home / Cell) _____

Annual Dues - Circle Submitted Amount
Standard Contribution Level: \$10
Star Contribution Level: \$20
Hardship Waiver: \$ 0

Note : for those residents who are struggling with financial challenges a time donations are acceptable in lieu of cash for membership.

***** Mail to Sally Merritt, Treasurer SLNA, PO Box 142666, Austin TX 78714

PRESIDENT'S CORNER:

Welcome to the South Lamar Neighborhood Association!

This SLNA Newsletter is your invitation to join the Yahoo Group online. Our every other month meeting dates are posted on the site. We would enjoy seeing you there!

A lot of changes are happening within our neighborhood. To find out the details about our new Park, zoning changes and quarterly clean-ups join the Yahoo Group at:

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/SouthLamarNA/>

An added bonus of being part of the online SLNA would be up to date info on the recent rash of home burglaries that have occurred within our boundaries. We would all appreciate more eyes and ears looking out for suspicious behavior during the day. Check out the website at: <http://www.southlamar.org/>

Amy Zamarripa

SLNA President

SOUTH BUREAU-COMMANDER'S FORUM

Community Policing is a collaborative effort between a police department and community that identifies problems of crime and disorder and involves all elements of the community in the search for solutions to these problems.

Please join the South Bureau Commander's and District Representative Units for a hands-on community forum.

Tuesday, July 20, 2010

6 P.M.

St. Edward's University-Maloney Building (3rd floor, room #320)

3100 South Congress Avenue (see directions and link for map)

<http://www.stedwards.edu/map/>

Guest Speaker: APD-Highway Enforcement

Topic: H.E.C. Overview-Commander Baker

VOLUNTEERS - NEEDED

Help as little or as much as you want! From posting signs, helping with litter clean-ups to speaking up at City Council meetings -- whatever your preference. Everyone pitching in helps make our neighborhood concerns be represented. In the next few years lots of activities will need many hands to help develop the new park on Delcurto. For more information contact the president Amy Zamarripa at 512-619-0060.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

More information can be found on the yahoo group list server <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/SouthLamarNA/> This offers immediate email updates on lost pets, new businesses, zoning issues and other neighborhood concerns.

Also check out the South Lamar web site:

<http://www.southlamar.org>