

## HRPNA 2020-2021 GOALS

### 1. Health Goals

- A. Provide Covid-19 information to neighbors during the pandemic
- B. Find speakers to explain vital information to HRPNA's residents addressing health concerns.

### 2. Communication Goals

- A. Submit a bi-yearly newsletter to the 450 residents of the Association.
- B. Continue monthly meeting notices.
- C. Grow and consistently engage the Social Media outlets and Website of the Association.

### 3. Branding Goals

- A. Complete Phase 3 by finding additional funding and partnerships for more crepe myrtle trees.
- B. Start Phase 4 by finding funding and partnerships for purchasing and planting Knock-out roses.

### 4. Membership Goals

- A. Increase membership by 50 new members.

### 5. Needs Assessment Goals

- A. Find out and focus on needs of the residents in the Association.
- B. Find out and focus on the impact of Covid-19 to our residents.

### 6. Home Maintenance and Improvement

- A. Obtain a list of service providers or vendors to work within the Association.
- B. Identify resources for residents who do not qualify for city's housing programs.
- C. Distribute more information on City Housing Programs to HRPNA's residents

## HRPNA Officers

**Frank Moss - President**  
**Jonathan Morrison – Vice President**  
**Frederick Masterson – Secretary**  
**Laveda Goodspeed – Treasurer**

## MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

### “Don't Miss the Drawing for a \$50 Gift Card”

We care about you! As a neighborhood association our strength is in connecting. Please consider joining the Neighborhood Association for **\$15 per household/family per year** to stay informed and for a **chance to win a \$50 Visa gift card** send us your contact information: name, address, and phone # via email to **HistoricRosedaleParkNA@yahoo.com**, include **“Contact” in your email subject line**. Hurry, the drawing will be held **March 6th**. No need to be present to win. **Drawing is for new members only with paid memberships**. Let's show our neighborhood some love by working together.

### *Membership Committee*

The neighborhood Association needs your help in building an active paid membership organization. Paid active members give our organization the needed membership base and the voices when we represent our neighborhood concerns. Dues (\$15 per household/per year) and donations can be sent to: **HRPNA, c/o Laveda Goodspeed, 5708 Eisenhower Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76112. Make check payable to HRPNA.**

## COVID-19 WORKSHOP

The HRPNA held its first meeting on Covid-19, on Saturday, February 6, 2021. The session was conducted by the City's Code Enforcement Health Department. Our goal is to get accurate relative information to citizens in our neighborhood in reference to testing and vaccinations.

### COVID-19

**Symptoms of COVID-19:** Patients with COVID-19 gave reportedly had mild to severe respiratory illness. Common symptoms of COVID-19 can include: **Chills, Fatigue, Muscle or body aches, Headache, New loss of taste or smell, Sore throat, Congestion or runny nose, Nausea or vomiting, Diarrhea**

**Prevention of Covid-19:** The best way to prevent infection is to take steps to avoid exposure to this virus, which are also steps you take to avoid the flu. Department of State Health Services recommends these everyday actions to help prevent the spread of any respiratory virus, including COVID-19: **Wash hands often, Use hand sanitizer with at least 60% alcohol, Wear face masks in public and during large gathering, Cover coughs and sneezes, Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth with unwashed hands, Stay 6 feet apart from others.**

Contact Texas Department of State Health Services for more information. **Telephone number 2-1-1**, email address is **coronavirus@dshs.texas.gov**. Tarrant County Health Department number you can call for **Covid-19 vaccination registration: (817) 248-6299, press #7**, (long waiting time). You can register at **www.tarrantcounty.com/covidshot** “Vaccination Request”.

## REMARKS FROM NEIGHBORHOOD POLICE OFFICER, AGGREY-MENSAH HENDRIX

Please be aware that there are absolutely no legitimate businesses or government agencies that take amazon, green dot, iTunes, or any other kind of gift card as a payment. The scammer makes a living at scaring people into thinking they are “under investigation” or have a loved one “that has been arrested or has warrants” and know how to pressure you into thinking you have just one chance to correct this made-up situation. If you ever get a call like this hang up on them. If you are concerned about what was relayed to you, research it yourself. Obtain a good phone number for that company and contact them directly. There is no limit to what might be told to get someone feeling like they need to hurry up and make a payment. The biggest red flag is that they want the victim to go purchase gift cards.

Please feel free to contact me @ **(817) 360-6078** if I can help in any way with police matters.

*Officer Hendrix*. NPO

## HISTORIC CARVER HEIGHTS OVERLAY DISTRICT

Historic Rosedale Park Neighborhood Association is in the Historic Carver Heights Historic District. The District has guide lines that need to be met in repair and new construction for properties in the district. Major changes to the exterior of properties such as changing windows, doors, and changes to the exterior of properties must be reviewed and approved by the planning staff that works with the historic overlay district. To get additional information about making changes to properties in the Historic Overlay District contact Murray Miller at (817) 392 8574.

## CITY OF FORT WORTH HOUSING REPAIR PROGRAMS

**Priority Repair Program:** The priority repair program help income-eligible Fort Worth homeowners in need of emergency or mechanical system home repairs with up to \$5,000.00 in repair work. Priority repair technicians will perform a home inspection to determine if an applicant is in need of emergency repairs (Priority 1) or non-emergency mechanical system repair (Priority 2). For more information, call (817) 392-7548

**Weatherization Assistance Program:** The weatherization assistance program provides assistance to improve the energy efficiency of income-eligible households. Weatherization program technician perform an energy inspection to determine which energy saving repair or service is most appropriate and cost-efficient for each home. For more information, call (817) 392-5720

**Cowtown Brush-up:** The Brush-up program paint 50 homes every October and April on a first come first served basis. Cowtown Brush-up Program technician will perform a home inspection to determine if the homes meet program requirements. Service include: Preparing the home to be painted, minor repair of rotten trim and siding, and Painting the exterior of the house. For more information, call 817 926-9219.



***WE ARE WORKING HARD TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN OUR COMMUNITY***

***We've adopted the Knock-Out Rose and the Crepe Myrtle Tree as our neighborhood branding plants.***



### **PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE**

The Historic Rosedale Park Neighborhood Association (HRPNA) has been very successful in completing the goals set in 2020. The new goals give us new focus and opportunities to channel our members in 2021.

We completed **Phase 1** of the Neighborhood Branding Project by planting 24 crepe myrtle trees and 14 shade trees around the MLK Center. Under **Phase 2**, we planted 28 crepe myrtle trees in the yards of neighbors within the Association boundaries. During **Phase 3** we will seek to identify a funding source so that we can plant a minimum of 25 more crepe myrtle trees in the neighborhood. **Phase 4** focus will be on the planting of knock out roses.

The Association will focus on many of the health related issues that are affecting our neighborhood as we strive to bring answers, clarity and information related to those health issues. We also want to identify and communicate programs that may address repairs that meet the needs of our neighbors. Many of the residents of HRPNA do not qualify for the City's housing repair programs. Many other people in the area have opted not to apply for assistance from the City of Fort Worth.

We need your help as an active member of HRPNA to help us develop strategies that will address our community needs. Please join us to make a difference where we live.

*Frank Moss, President*

## **ABOUT US** **Celebrating our 8<sup>th</sup> Anniversary**

We are a non-profit neighborhood association formed in March 2013. The boundaries of the Association are from East Rosedale Street to Ramey Avenue and from Stalcup Road to Carverly Dr. There are 540 addresses in our boundaries. Our homes are located in the boundaries of a Historic and Cultural Landmark District designated by the City of Fort Worth since 2006.

Our purpose it to provide an organized framework to promote, preserve, and enhance the quality of life and values in the neighborhood by: Encouraging a sense of community and pride among Association members and establishing a communication link with the City Council, City Manager's offices, Code Enforcement, Neighborhood Police Officers and other city departments. Furthermore, the organization is organized exclusively for charitable purposes under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

### **MEETING DATES**

HRPNA will meet on the **first Saturday of each month from 11:30 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.** on the dates listed below. **Virtual meetings via Zoom.com** are being held due to the Covid-19 pandemic until further notice.

**Zoom Meeting ID = 879 9107 7890**  
**Passcode = 123456**  
**Telephone Dial in 1 346 248 7799**

**2021 meeting dates: March 6, April 3, May 1, June 5, Aug 7, Oct 2, Nov 6, Dec 4**  
**Special Notice: No meetings on July 3, 2021 due to 4<sup>th</sup> of July or September 4, 2021 due to Labor Day.**