



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, Nov 27, 6:30pm</p> <p>Livability Committee Wednesday, Oct 10, 7pm</p> <p>N’hood Relations & Outreach Committee Thursday, Nov 15, 6pm</p> <p>Planning and Land Use Committee Tuesday, Nov 13, 7pm (see article below)</p> <p>Transportation & Safety Committee Tuesday, Nov 20, 7pm</p>	<p>Community Meeting Monday Dec 10* 6-6:30pm Social Time 6:30pm - 7:30pm TBD-Please see calendar</p> <p>PPA Board Meeting Monday Dec 10* 7:30pm - 8:30pm TBD-Please see calendar</p> <p>* Due to Thanksgiving, PPA Board voted to move Nov. meeting to Dec.</p> <p>Monday, Oct 15th, 7pm Management Council <i>Sets Community & Board Meeting Agendas</i></p>

Hi Neighbors

As announced at the Prospect Park Town Hall and Board meeting on Oct 22, PPA's staff person Jessica Buchberger has accepted a new job at the KPMG auditing firm in downtown Minneapolis. Her last day in Prospect Park will be November 3.

Jessica joined PPA over 6 years ago as a part-time contractor and soon demonstrated a clear commitment to the Association and the diverse neighborhood it serves. Over time she grew into new responsibilities, including community organizer, social media coordinator, grants administrator, project manager, and organizational leader. Jessica helped keep the Board of Directors and its many committees running, organized countless public meetings on a complex range of civic issues, recruited volunteers and interns, and led the operation of signature community events such as the Pratt Ice Cream Social — this year attended by over 3000 people. She was also pivotal in assisting PPA transform into a modern nonprofit that serves more people, hosts more events, and has more members than at any time in its 117-year history.

On a personal note, it would have been impossible for me, the management team, committee chairs and task force leaders do our jobs as effectively without Jessica's dedicated service, humor, and pragmatic counsel. On behalf of the 2017-18 Board of Directors, we wish her all the best.

Vince Netz, President

Prospect Park; Where I Live and Play

The Livability Committee is seeking artwork and stories about the neighborhood in which we live** with food and drink to round out the afternoon. All ages, backgrounds, and housing types welcome. Live music will be provided by Peter Breen, and we will gather around with food and beverages.

**Oral, musical, collage, painting, sculpture or any other way you tell stories*

***house, condo, apartment, dorm or other place of residence are all welcome!*

- Do you have a story about your home that is funny/silly/sad/dramatic/historic?

- How about a picture (you or someone else took, drew, sketched, painted) that tells a story about your place of residence?

Please submit your story and/or artwork to Jane Burnham at livability@prospectpark.org.

The story telling and art viewing will take place at PPA headquarters, 2828 University Ave SE, on Saturday, November 3rd from 4-6pm. Food and beverages will be provided, and materials for kids and families to tell their own stories will be supplied.

Harvest Festival Thank You!

Many thanks to the organizations and volunteers who made the October 13th Harvest Festival a success! The puppet parade by neighborhood kids was spectacular, food from the Community Garden and Fresh Thyme Farmer's Market was delicious, live music very entertaining, and all the games and activities that were present made the event truly special!

Land Use Committee Discussion

PPA's Land Use Committee is having a facilitated discussion with leaders from the Community Restorative Mediation Services about community engagement moving forward. All are welcome to attend on Tuesday, November 13th at 7pm at the Texile Center (Arthur Ave SE & University Ave SE). Please park in the PPA lot and walk over if you are able.

Minneapolis 2040

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](#). There will be Public Hearings at the Planning Commission on October 29 at 4:00pm and before the City Council on November 14 at 4:30pm, both in Room 317 in City Hall.

PPA Documents

[October 2018 Management Council](#)

[September Transportation and Safety Committee](#)

[October Transportation and Safety Committee](#)

[Concert Committee Report](#)

[August Environment Committee](#)

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