



President's message

Welcome to the Waveland Woods Neighborhood Association. We are back after a brief hiatus. Thanks to those who kept it going in the interim.

As a resident of over 30 years, I am excited about our future. New people—individuals, couples and families—are moving into our neighborhood looking for the same experience I sought when I made this my home: a sense of community, pride in our neighborhood, safety, and a great location.

Our association is here to foster these attributes, and we hope you will join us.

Mark Wonderlin
Association President

New precinct, same site

For voters in the Waveland Woods Neighborhood Association area, the area's voting precinct number has changed—from 52 to 43—but the voting site remains the same, Windsor United Methodist Church, 6222 University Ave. The restructured precinct has as its boundaries University Avenue on the north, 42nd Street on the east, Interstate-235 on the south, and 63rd Street on the west. Residents should have recently received new election cards.

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We need you!!

Flowerbeds to be planted at Waveland Woods sites

Our association is planning its 18th annual flowerbed plantings on Saturday, May 19, 2012.

Place: 56th and University Ave.

Time: Starting at 8 a.m.

(help anytime you can from 8-11 a.m.)

We need your help to make this effort a success! Two large flowerbeds will be planted at the corner of 56th and University Avenue.



Seven smaller flowerbeds will be planted on Cummins Parkway.

Bring your trowels, knee pads and your work gloves. Plan now to get down and dirty. It's a wonderful way for newcomers to meet your neighbors as we work together to make Waveland Woods one of the most beautiful neighborhoods in Des Moines.

Refreshments will be provided. In the event of rain, the planting will be held Sunday, May 20, at 1 p.m. For additional information, contact David Voss at 745-0460 or Tom McGarvey at 279-2203.

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Spring cleanup dates announced

The city's annual Spring Cleanup to Remove Urban Blight (SCRUB) Program dates and locations have been announced. Locations and dates are: June 16—Bell Avenue Business Park, 1901 Bell Ave; July 21—Capitol Complex, Lot #3, west of E. 14th, south of Court Ave.; Aug. 18—Southridge Mall, 1111 E. Army Post Rd.; and Oct. 20—Polk County River Place, 2339 Euclid Ave. Hours at each site are 7 a.m. to 1 p.m. A listing of accepted and non-accepted items can be found at: www.dmgov.org/Departments/PublicWorks/Pages/ScrubGuidelines.aspx. There is also a link on that page to a listing of accepted and non-accepted household hazardous waste materials.

New precinct (cont. from p. 1)

It is possible that the polling place may vary, depending on the type of election, such as school and city elections. Be sure to check during those special elections by verifying with the Polk County Election Office at (515) 286-3247.

Polls are open from 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. for general and primary elections. For other elections, the polls open at 7 a.m. and close at 8 p.m.

To request an absentee ballot, call the election office to request a form be mailed to you. Ballots for primary and general elections are available 40 days before the election. Absentee ballots must have an original signature on the absentee request form, so may not be requested by email. For any questions regarding elections or voter registration cards, contact the number above.

Waveland Woods Neighborhood Association New Member Application Form

(Current members receive a notice for membership renewal.)

Name _____

Children and ages _____

Address _____

Phone () _____

E-Mail _____

Are there any projects you would like to see the Neighborhood Association initiate or participate in?

Would you like to serve on the board or a committee?

Family membership: \$10; Business membership: \$25

Make checks payable to Waveland Woods Neighborhood Association and mail to:

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