



#### FROM THE BOARD:

For the first time in a while, we are pleased to report that we have a full Board. All regions are now represented. Nick Galloway has returned to the board as director of region #1. Welcome Nick.

There is still a lot to be done in the community and we have committees that need volunteers. Please contact Tikvah Wadley at tikvahwadley@icloud.com to find out what committees need your help. The Board members are:

Nicholas Galloway (R1) Pat Washington (President, R2) Cheryl Strong Morris (Vice-President, R3) Janice Graves (R4) Sheila Kidd-Johnson (R5) Tikvah Wadley (R6) Beverly Glinsey (R7) Tasha Alexander (R8) Shellie Harden (R9) Darlene Coleman (Secretary, R10)



#### FILMING IN MARYNOOK

As some of you are aware, there has been filming taking place in Marynook. Stalwart Productions

is filming a television series entitled "61st Street" in Region 3. Filming is taking place sporadically until July 20th. Stalwart has agreed to do this with as little interruption to the neighborhood as possible. If you experience any great inconvenience because of the equipment trucks, please notify us as soon as possible at info@marynook.org.

#### **NEW TO THE NEIGHBORHOOD**

There are two new businesses to the Avalon Park neighborhood on 87th St.: Gladys' Restaurant, 1225 E. 87th Street, and D and D Fresh Foods, 1229 E. 87th Street. Let's patronize these new businesses.



## **UPCOMING MEETINGS:**

Saturday, September 11, 2021 - 3:00 p.m. Location TBD

Saturday, December 11, 2021 - 3:00 p.m. Location TBD



# GENERAL WELFARE & PROPERTY STANDARDS

Some tips to know this summer:

- Illinois has a noise ordinance which prohibits loud parties after 10 p.m. Please respect your neighbors by ending your parties at a reasonable hour, and by turning down loud music.
- Please curb your pet. Pet waste attracts rodents, not to mention being unsightly and ruining your neighbor's lawn. Please clean up all dog feces.
- All dogs MUST be leashed. Failure to do so will result in penalties as allowable by law.
- Garbage pick-ups are Friday. We ask that you bring your cans out Thursday afternoon/evening, and bring them back in Friday afternoon before sundown.
- Department of Sanitation has requested that all lawn clipping bags be placed in the garbage receptacle, not on the curb.
  Notify your lawn care service of this courtesy. The bags can be quite heavy for the garbage personnel to lift.



### **SAFETY & SECURITY**

As the summer progresses, we cannot stress enough the importance of security. In June, there was a home invasion in the 1200 block of East 85th Street. This incident occurred at 2:00 a.m. Now is an excellent time to reassess your security needs. All crime cannot be prevented, but you can take steps to minimize your home's chances of being burglarized:

- Get an alarm system (Ring Doorbell, ADT, SimpliSafe, Brinks Home Security, Nest Secure, etc.)
- Program exterior lights to come on at dusk and turn off at dawn
- \* Trim back bushes/update landscaping with yard lighting
- \* Add window sensors, including glass break sensors
- \* Add a security sign/stickers
- Add security cameras in front and back of your property

Also, be mindful of your surroundings. When parking be sure to BACK IN to your driveway.

Speed limit on Marynook streets is 25 MPH. Be mindful of any children who may be playing in the streets, as well as bicyclists.

And most importantly...

### IF YOU SEE SOMETHING, SAY SOMETHING!

Call 9-1-1 to report any suspicious activity. Your call will remain anonymous.

### **BLOCK DUTY SECURITY**

Our Marynook resident, Paul Flowers, owns a security firm that provides installation of security cameras, 24/7 video recording, 360 total home protection options, and more. Schedule an appointment with him at: www.BlockDutySecurity.com, or call

1-844-94-BLOCK (25625)