
ECHO

EAST CENTRAL HOMEOWNERS' ORGANIZATION
NUMBER 25 NEWSLETTER OCT 2011

MEMBERSHIP

Your membership supports and serves your neighborhood by making the following services available:

- Newsletter - full of information and connections
- Coordination of City news and communications to our charming neighborhood
- Organization of community events
- The ECHO picnic, National Night Out and other get-togethers
- Other "Get to know your neighbors" events like Quigley's socials
- Our informative web site and email updates
- Services referral page
- Meetings so we have a place to share ideas and concerns.

ECHO EVENTS CALENDAR 2011

Next Event is at Two Brothers Roundhouse in Aurora – January 21, 2012.

Next Meeting on November 14, 2011, at White Activities Ctr, 2nd floor Dining Room.

.....

OTHER NEWS

We need your assistance - we are looking for neighbors willing to lend a hand and be an integral part of the ECHO Board. Several Board members are moving on to other things, and we very much appreciate their past efforts. These vacancies create an opportunity for others to help out. Please let any of us know if you would like to help us by volunteering a little time and effort for the good of your neighborhood. (And it doesn't look bad on your resume....!)

ECHO Membership Form

Name(s) _____

Address _____

Home Phone _____ Other Phone (optional) _____

Email _____ (To be used exclusively for ECHO business)

Dues are \$20 per household *per calendar year*. Dues for 2011 may be paid any time after September 1. Please list both heads of household under NAME(S) if applicable. Return the completed form with a \$20 check (payable to ECHO) to Tim Messer, Treasurer, 6 N. Huffman St., Naperville, IL 60540.

Your record of ECHO Membership:

Date Paid _____ For Membership Year _____ Amount _____ \$ 20.00

Check Number _____ Notes _____

Bus depot feasibility study

On November 14th, the City of Naperville held a public open house for the Naperville Metra Station Bus Depot. The City is now evaluating several site plan alternatives and they want to know what you think! Learn more about the study, view the bus depot options, and submit your comments at the City's website:

www.naperville.il.us/busdepotfeasibility.aspx. Comments will be accepted through Friday, December 2.

You can also contact the project manager Rory Fancler at fanclerr@naperville.il.us or (630) 305-3430.

Parking ticket fine increase

The Naperville City Council is considering increasing the amount of a standard parking ticket from \$30 (\$15 if paid within 15 days) to \$50 (\$25 if paid within 15 days). The Council first discussed the issue at its November 1 meeting. The agenda item stated, "The level of a fine can have an impact on voluntary community compliance. Staff has reviewed other municipal parking fines, which reveal that Naperville fines are among the lowest." Action is expected to be taken on this issue at the December 6 meeting. You can provide input by speaking on the agenda item at the meeting, or by emailing the City Council at council@naperville.il.us.