



Cielito Lindo Neighborhood Association

November 2014

WE'RE BACK!! AND HAVE A WEBSITE! CHECK IT OUT: clna87111.weebly.com

ANNUAL MEETING WAS HELD ON SEPTEMBER 29, 2014

- ✓ New bylaws were passed.
- ✓ Bylaws are posted on our new website!
- ✓ Our boundaries are as previously: Montgomery, Juan Tabo, Comanche and Morris.
- ✓ A Board of seven members was elected and then Officers were elected at the first Board meeting. See the box below right!
- ✓ We can have a board of up to nine, so if you are interested, call a Board member.
- ✓ We are now once again a recognized neighborhood association and our website should be listed on the ONA webpage soon.



THANK YOU GLENDA FOR OUR
WEBSITE: <http://clna87111.weebly.com/>

WOW! We talked about having a CLNA website and Glenda said she'd done some for other organizations and would start one for us.



Only a few days later, and she was asking the Board members for input and it looks great!!

It is a work in progress, so have patience, but much is already available: bylaws, Board members, membership form, neighborhood maps, zoning information, and links to other sites such as zoning, crime, things to do, etc. Watch the site for further developments!

RENEW/JOIN NOW! REVITALIZE OUR NEIGHBORHOOD!

- Those present at our annual meeting had an opportunity to join and most did so. THANK YOU!
- We invite all our neighbors to join with the membership form in this newsletter or, join electronically (if we've been able to set it up)! Check the website to see if that is active.
- Membership is only \$10, so you may not think it is worth the trouble, but if we can maintain at least a 25% membership, we have more clout with the city if needed! Don't be the 75% and wait for someone else to join because then we don't even get the 25%. Assume others won't so you will!!!
- For our neighborhood of about 400 homes, we aim for 100 members.
- We'll also be contacting the businesses in our neighborhood area to see if they will join as well.



Cielito Lindo Neighborhood Association Board of Directors and Officers

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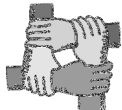
WE WELCOME YOUR INPUT!

Do you have ideas for meetings? For activities to get to know your neighbors?



For solving problems you see? For beautifying our neighborhood? Would you like to get involved in welcoming our new neighbors?

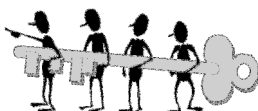
Or being a contact in your quadrant of the neighborhood? Or starting a Neighborhood



Watch on your street?? Or having a neighborhood social or garage sale?

Contact a board member and let us know what you'd like to see us do and

help us do as your neighborhood association board! Teamwork is the key!



CLNA NEIGHBORS ARE INFORMED! EMAIL FORWARDED FROM VARIOUS CITY/COUNTY SOURCES

When you join the neighborhood association, you have an opportunity to include your email address and be added to the CLNA business only emails or the extended forwarded emails from various sources: the APD Foothills Substation Captain and Crime Specialist, the City of ABQ Neighborhood Associations, the District 8 Neighborhood Coalition, our City of ABQ District 8 Representative, Bernalillo County, and others. If you would like to be on the list to receive these forwarded to you, please send an email to Pat Duda at **pat.duda.52@gmail.com** with **“Add to CLNA Group Email”** in the subject line, **OR add it to the membership form when your join or renew.** Note that we **DO NOT** DISTRIBUTE this list; and we blind copy forward them. If ever you do see the list by error, **DO NOT USE THE LIST IN ANY WAY!**



Try it out! The subject lines are a quick way to decide just to delete if not interested. If you change your mind later, you may also **ask Pat to unsubscribe** with an email to the same address above.

LOOK AT THE CRIME MAP FOR OUR NEIGHBORHOOD

Go to www.CrimeMapping.com and put in your address. Choose 1 mile as the radius (click on the magnifying glass, then on the map and the pop up window has choices). Choose the date range that you wish to see. Choose the types of crimes, if you wish or leave all as the default. You can make the icons smaller to see which are in the neighborhood if you wish. Clicking on an icon will give you the type of crime, the case number, a general address, and the date.



NOTE: The police officers at our meetings say our most frequent crime is theft from automobiles and this is confirmed on the crime map for the past month. The officers say most of the time, the vehicles are not locked!



LOCK YOUR VEHICLE AND DO NOT LEAVE ITEMS VISIBLE IN THE CAR!

LOOKING FOR SOMETHING TO DO?

Check out the following websites:

Albuquerque Senior Centers for 50+ members with a small membership fee have the opportunity to partake of a plethora of activities. Check them out at <http://www.cabq.gov/seniors/centers/centers>

The Holiday Park Community Center (and many others) has a variety of activities for all age groups. Check out all that is available for you just down the street at: <http://www.cabq.gov/family/facilities-centers/community-center-locations/northeast/holiday-park-center/>



You can also submit a report for a lost or found pet, look up the pollen count or check if it is OK to burn (same site),

find information about recycling, and much more all under the Community Services link on our City of Albuquerque site: www.cabq.gov.



MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

NAME(S) _____

STREET ADDRESS _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP (if not ABQ 87111) _____

Phone (optional) _____ Email (optional) _____

- General Membership \$10 Homeowner Renter
- Business Membership \$15
- Willing to be contacted about helping out.

- Don't send me any group emails
- Place my email on CLNA list only
- Place my email on list for CLNA, city, county, District 8, and police news, etc.

Please make your check payable to:

Cielito Lindo Neighborhood Association

Mail to: CLNA, PO Box 20297, Albuquerque, NM 87154-0297

Memberships also accepted at meetings.

Your information will be kept confidential – it is never shared. Memberships expire September 30. CLNA membership dues support the Association's work in improving our neighborhood and keeping you informed. The city alerts neighborhood associations of zoning change requests, building requests, activities, etc. around their neighborhoods. Costs include printing and mailing newsletters, District 8 Coalition dues, CLNA post office box refreshments at meetings and social events, state incorporation fees, and other incidental expenses.

CLNA BOARD MEETINGS

Board Meetings are to be held quarterly by our bylaws. If you have an item you would like us to address, please contact the President or Secretary.

YARD CLEAN UP



One of our goals is to help keep our neighborhood looking great! We ask you to look around your yard and do what you can to

keep it looking its best. We may be looking for volunteers to help clean up yards of our neighbors who for various reasons are unable to do the upkeep. Watch for details later.

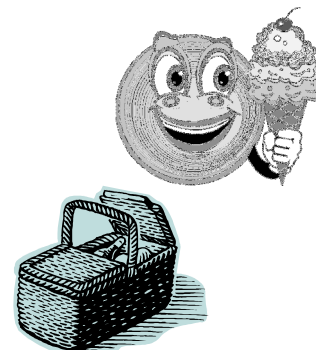


WHAT TYPES OF ITEMS DOES YOUR CLNA BOARD RECEIVE FROM THE CITY?

- Our Board has looked into a request for a zoning variance to a neighbor's property.
- This just in: Verizon has informed all neighborhood associations within 0.5 miles of their site just south of the fire station on Juan Tabo north of Montgomery that they are planning on adding an emergency backup generator. Your Board looked into this to see if it impacts our neighborhoods.
- This is an example of the type of items we get from businesses and the City of Albuquerque and why we'd like to remain an active neighborhood association with a voice. Join now to keep us going! Thanks!

HOW WOULD PICTURE REVITALIZING YOUR QUADRANT OF OUR NEIGHBORHOOD AND GETTING TO KNOW YOUR NEIGHBORS? LET US KNOW!!!

SEND IN A COMMENT ON OUR WEBSITE UNDER CONTACT US!!



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CLNA BYLAWS SUGGESTED GOALS

WE WANT TO REVITALIZE OUR NEIGHBORHOOD!!

- ☞ Attempt to inform members of the Association of issues that might affect the Cielito Lindo Neighborhood such as zoning issues
- ☞ Present an official position to the City, when providing a position is in the best interest of the Cielito Lindo Neighborhood and surrounding areas, and the eligible members of the Association; and, identifying whether the position was reached by the Board or the general membership of the Association
- ☞ Promote safety in the community such as by events to facilitate meeting neighbors and by tracking crime in the area
- ☞ Host community meetings and social events for all eligible members of the Association and neighbors

POLICE AND OTHER CONTACTS	
Emergency: 911 Non-emergency Police: 242-2677 (242-COPS) City Information: 311	District 8 City Councilor: Trudy Jones trudyjones@cabq.gov Aziza Chavez, Policy Analyst: azizachavez@cabq.gov Telephone: (505) 768-3106
To file a Police Report: 768-2030	City of Albuquerque Website: www.cabq.gov
Poison Control: 843-2551	Graffiti Hotline: 768-4725
Foothills Substation: Mon. – Fri. 8 am – 5 pm 12800 Lomas N.E., 87112 332-5240 REMEMBER: REPORT ALL CRIMES! A CRIME NOT REPORTED IS NOT ADDED TO APD'S DATA BASE FOR HOT SPOTS TO WATCH!	ZONING ISSUES See a problem in the neighborhood? Call 311. <hr/> CLNA Website for more information and links: http://clna87111.weebly.com/
Jill Garcia Crime Prevention Specialist/Crime-Free Multi-Housing Foothills Area Command 332-4644 jcgarcia@cabq.gov	

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