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Message from the President

The East New Orleans Neighborhood Advisory Commission (ENONAC) initiated a Litter-Free Campaign for East New Orleans (ENO) as part of the New Orleans Tricentennial outreach to communities. We are requesting our residents assist and participate in helping us to achieve this goal.

We know you are aware of the numerous complaints heard daily about the litter, improper tire disposal, trash at some of our businesses and interstate access ramps. ENONAC Commissioners are taking the lead in this campaign using a three-stage approach.

The first phase started with the successful Kickoff on June 9, 2018 at 5800 Read Blvd. (the former Plaza site). This event was attended and supported by residents, business owners, political representatives, Orleans Parish School Board President, area school children and teachers. Also in attendance were officials from the Police and Fire Departments, City Planning Commission, Sanitation, and Code Enforcement.

The second phase of the program is to encourage business owners and residents to be more responsive in protecting, promoting and preserving the cleanliness of our neighborhoods. With that effort, a Code Enforcement pamphlet was produced to make both parties aware of statutes/ordinances that address non-compliance (see pages 3 & 4). These pamphlets are available from the Commissioners Advisory Board (CAB) or the ENONAC Office by calling (504) 218-5949.

The third and final stage is working with ENO Elementary Schools to educate our children starting with the 1st – 5th graders, to appreciate the benefit of a litter-free and well-maintained community.

ENONAC plans to make this an on-going and sustainable community effort. We want to create a greater awareness of the benefits of recycling and protecting our environment. We can't do it alone. We need your help in making our community a clean and beautiful place we can all be proud to call home.

Pitch in, not out!

Sincerely,

ENONAC BOARD 2016-2018



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MISSION

TO EMPOWER THE RESIDENTS AND THE BUSINESSES OF THE EAST NEW ORLEANS COMMUNITY TO PROVIDE INPUT, TO DETERMINE AND TO ENFORCE STANDARDS THAT MAINTAIN A GOOD QUALITY OF LIFE. TO ADDRESS INFRASTRUCTURE CONCERNS AND TO PROMOTE HOUSING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT THAT WILL ENSURE PROTECTION AND SERVICES TO ALL CONSTITUENTS IN THE CONTINUED MAINTENANCE, ENHANCEMENT AND ENJOYMENT OF OUR COMMUNITY. WE SEEK TO SERVE AS A TRANSPARENT COLLABORATIVE PARTNERSHIP TO ATTRACT AND RETAIN RESIDENTS AND BUSINESSES IN NEW ORLEANS EAST BY ACTING AS A CATALYST FOR INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENT AND SUPPORT SERVICES.

Uniting and strengthening New Orleans East neighborhoods

“GOOD BUSINESSES ARE GOOD NEIGHBORS”

RECEPTACLE(S) FOR SMOKING LITTER (Sec. 66-289)

- Must be separate from waste container and properly cleaned and maintained

DUTY TO MAINTAIN PLANTS AND REMOVE DEBRIS (Sec. 66-312)

- Owner must cut and mow grass and weeds on their property and curb-line in front, rear & alongside
- Owner responsible to remove any trash, debris, refuse or discarded matter

MAINTAIN GROUNDS (Sec. 10-157)

Alcoholic Beverage permit may be suspended or revoked for following reasons:

- Selling to anyone under the age of 21 years
- Selling to any intoxicated persons
- Permitting any prostitution on the licensed premises
- Written complaints from ten (10) or more residents where business is located that outlet is violating the noise ordinance, litter ordinance or loitering
- Molesting passersby
- Three or more violations of the litter ordinance within a period of one year
- Maintaining and operating a retail alcoholic beverage outlet in the city where two or more instances of “drug related criminal activity” or “criminal activity involving violence or weapons” or “maintenance of a nuisance”

GENERALLY (Sec. 26-156)

- All vacant structures and premises or vacant land shall be maintained in a clean, safe, secure and sanitary condition as provided so as not to adversely affect the public health or safety

EXTERIOR PROPERTY AREA (Sec. 26-157)

- All exterior property and premises shall be maintained in a clean, safe and sanitary condition, free from any accumulation of trash, litter, debris, garbage, waste, rubbish or other similar matter

WEEDS AND PLANT GROWTH (Sec. 26-160)

- All premises and exterior property shall be maintained free from weeds or plant growth over 18 inches
- Upon failure of the owner or agent having charge of a property to cut and destroy weeds as required by a hearing officer, any duly authorized designee of the city or contractor hired by the city shall be authorized to enter upon the property in violation and cut and destroy the weeds growing thereon, and the costs of such removal shall be paid by the owner or agent responsible for the property

MOTOR VEHICLES (Sec. 26-164)

- No inoperative and/or unlicensed motor vehicle shall be parked, kept or stored on any premises, and no vehicle shall at any time be in a state of major disassembly, disrepair, or in the process of being stripped or dismantled. Painting of vehicles is prohibited

(Taken from City of New Orleans Municipal Code Ordinances-4/2018)



RESIDENTS

HELP KEEP NEW ORLEANS EAST BEAUTIFUL AND LITTER FREE

BY OBSERVING THE FOLLOWING CITY REGULATIONS/CODES:

- Do not litter or place signs on public rights of way such as neutral ground, utility posts, city facilities, bridges or between the sidewalk and the curb [*Section 134-121*]
- Properly contain solid waste for collection and remove carts from the public rights of way once emptied. Do place carts in the public rights of way before 4pm on the day prior to collection and remove the empty cart from the curb by 7pm on the day of collection [*Section 138-42*]
- Cut grass and remove garbage, trash, litter, grass cuttings, and leaves from properties, including the areas extending 1.5 feet from the curb into the street. Grass should not be allowed to grow above 18 inches in height [*Sections 66-287 and 26-160*]
- Do not sweep, blow, or pour items into storm drains which may cause clogged drains and thereby street flooding. [*Section 66-287.1(2)*]
- Do not place more than 4 tires out for the second scheduled residential collection
[Section 138-43(e) (10)]
- Do not obstruct the public rights-of-way/public places by placing or storing in or on it debris or any other item; such as tents, household furniture, basketball goals, semi-permanent or permanent structures [*Section 146-493*]
- Do not park on a sidewalk or grass, even if it is adjacent to your own property
[Section 154-923 (a) (1)]
- Do not park tractor trailers, campers, school buses or 18-wheelers on residential streets [*Section 154-925 (a) (1)*]

(Taken from City of New Orleans Municipal Code Ordinances-4/2018)

DID YOU KNOW THAT YOU CAN ...?

- Call 311 to register the code violations

Then call Officer Eddie Dema at (504) 658-6572 for follow-up

- Speak with representatives from City Hall's Community Office
10:30am to 2:30pm at:
~East New Orleans Regional Library on WEDNESDAYS
5641 Read Blvd., New Orleans, LA 70127 or
~Martin Luther King Public Library on MONDAYS
1611 Caffin Ave., New Orleans, LA 70117

For copies of this pamphlet, please contact:

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PARTICIPATING NEIGHBORHOOD SUBDIVISIONS

Barrington, Bel'Air East, Donna Villa, Eastover, Fauberg, Kenilworth, Lake Barrington, Lake Bullard, Lake Carmel, Lake Forest Estates, Lake Willow, Lakewood East, North Kenilworth, Rosedale, Sherwood Forest, Spring Lake, Village de l'Est, Villa Sites/South Shores, Warwick East, Warwick West, Wimbledon

**CITY OF NEW ORLEANS
DEPARTMENT OF SANITATION
RECYCLING GUIDE**



CURBSIDE RECYCLING*

ITEMS ACCEPTED: newspapers, junk mail, phone books, catalogs, office paper, plastics: #1 through #7, small metal cans, cardboard, boxboard (cereal boxes/soft drink boxes), wax board (juice boxes/milk cartons)

**Eligible properties: 4 units or less, not a hotel, restaurant or bar and within volume limits*

DROP-OFF RECYCLING

**SECOND and FOURTH SATURDAY OF EACH MONTH
2829 ELYSIAN FIELDS AVENUE - 8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.**

ITEMS ACCEPTED: newspapers, junk mail, phone books, catalogs, office paper, plastics: #1 through #7, small metal cans, cardboard, boxboard (cereal boxes/soft drink boxes), wax board (juice boxes/milk cartons), Mardi Gras beads, **E-waste (computers, laptops, telephones/telephone systems, keyboards, speakers, telephone/computer cables, x-Boxes, playstations, Wii, MP3/DVD/CD Players, UPS, circuit boards, Portable Navigation/GPS devices, ink jet/toner cartridges, digital cameras/video recorders (DVRs), fax machines, LCD Monitors, Processors, Networking equipment, stereos, security systems), **Batteries (AA, AAA, AAAA, C, D, 6 & 9 volt, Lithium), **light bulbs (incandescent and fluorescent), **televisions/microwave ovens/tires (limit 4)

Composting: Frozen fruit/vegetable scraps (peels, skins, pits, or seeds), tea bags, coffee grounds and paper filters, eggshells, nutshells, seed shells, plain bread, grains, and plain pasta (No toppings, meat, bones, dairy or foods with oil), Glass (limit 50 lbs.)

ITEMS NOT ACCEPTED CURBSIDE OR AT DROP OFF: Soiled paper, cardboard (pizza boxes) or Styrofoam

REMAINING 2018 DROP-OFF SCHEDULE

AUGUST 11, 2018

NOVEMBER 10, 2018

AUGUST 25, 2018

NOVEMBER 24, 2018

SEPTEMBER 8, 2018

DECEMBER 8, 2018-SHRED DAY- Limit 50 lbs.

SEPTEMBER 22, 2018

DECEMBER 22, 2018

OCTOBER 13, 2018-SHRED DAY- Limit 50 lbs.

OCTOBER 27, 2018

***For More Information or to Register for FREE Curbside Recycling and to
Receive a FREE Recycling Cart or Bin, CALL 311***

For General Information, visit: nola.gov/sanitation

ORLEANS PARISH RESIDENTS ONLY

IRON MOUNTAIN is providing shredding, CACRC is providing e-waste recycling, Republic Services is providing single stream recycling and The Composting Network is providing composting free of charge, as a service to the community, in conjunction with the City

ENONAC LITTER FREE CAMPAIGN KICKOFF - JULY 9, 2018



NORDC and Parks & Parkways use ENONAC Text Amendments

Last week, departments and agencies with plans to build, renovate and create new infrastructure to serve the City presented their projects and funding requests for the upcoming 2018 Capital Improvement Plan (CIP). The projects must conform to the Master Plan, and ENONAC's Master Plan amendments were referenced by NORDC and Parks & Parkways for restoring parks and facilities that were damaged by Hurricane Katrina, restoring trees, and providing recreation facilities for all ages.

Every year, the City Planning Commission prepares the CIP for the City and holds hearings to review each department or agency's proposals. The proposals are funding requests for 5-year programs involving permanent physical improvements like fire stations, renovating public buildings, parks and park facilities, etc. Projects that are approved for funding will be included in the final CIP. Then the CIP is adopted by the City Planning Commission, and then goes to the Mayor and City Council.

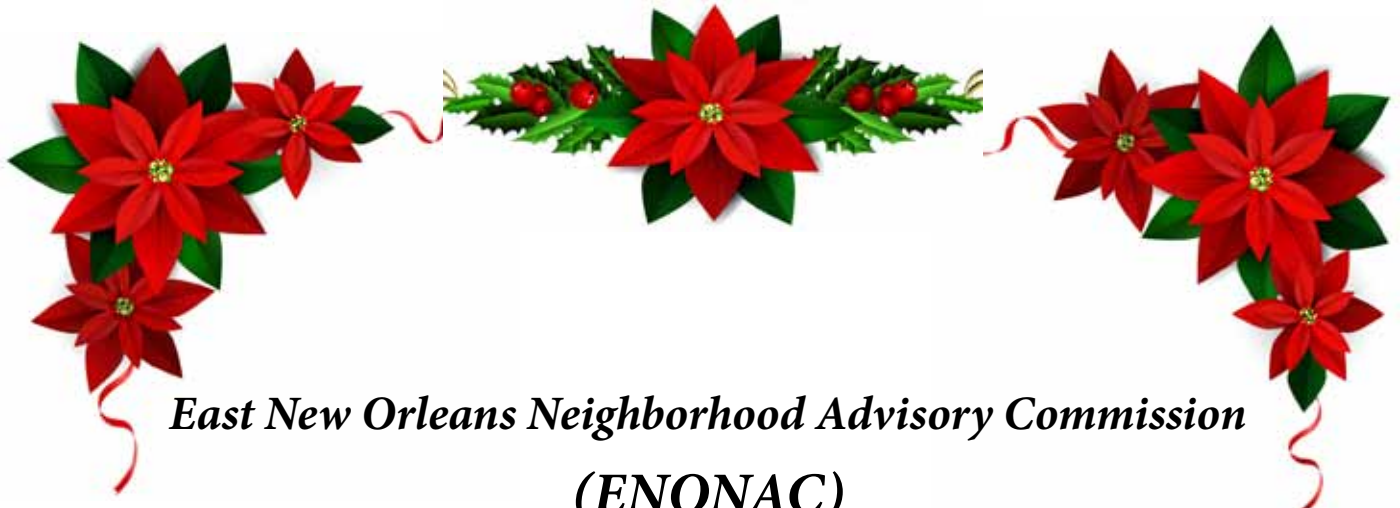
The CIP hearings for NORDC and Parks & Parkways were on Tuesday morning July 17, 2018. Parks & Parkways discussed their Citywide Greenspace Restoration initiative to inventory every tree in the city, replacing the dead or unhealthy ones, and planting 40,000 new trees by 2030. They cited references to the *Climate Action for a Resilient New Orleans* Plan and the Master Plan, including Ch.7 Goal 9 where an ENONAC text amendment is listed.

NORDC presented a funding request which included several citywide projects to replace playground equipment, play area surfaces, HVAC, lighting, and pool renovations. In New Orleans East, the project list includes Phase II for Village de L'Est Playground – new playground and multi-purpose building, and a \$2.7 million stormwater management project for Joe Brown Park – primarily focused on the lagoon and additional parking using permeable systems. To show that their projects conform to the Master Plan, the NORDC representative, Maya Wyche, the Interim CEO for NORDC included references to these ENONAC amendments Ch.7 Goal 4 Strategy 4B #2 – restore parks in underserved areas, and Ch. 7 Goal 9 Strategy 9A #6 – provide recreation facilities and playgrounds for children and teens. The NORDC representatives also mentioned that the Master Plan text references were used when they secured funding to restore Pradat Pool and the entire Chapter 7 *Parks, Open Space and Recreation* helped NORDC receive national accreditation for the first time by the **Commission for Accreditation of Park and Recreation Agencies** in September 2017.

When ENONAC's text amendments were submitted to CPC and ultimately approved by City Council, the next step was to advocate for city officials to implement park projects based on those approved goals and action items. Well, it's already happening. Parks & Parkways and NORDC are already using the new text to guide policies and decisions concerning new facilities and improving quality of life for New Orleans East and other areas of the City that are underserved regarding parks and greenspace. So we are not starting at square one. We should be able to effectively communicate the parks and recreation needs in New Orleans East.

It is awesome that the text amendments submitted by ENONAC were used for multi-million dollar projects. The departments willingly used the new language in the Master Plan.

Bravo Editha Amacker and ENONAC!



East New Orleans Neighborhood Advisory Commission
(ENONAC)

PRESENTS

9th ANNUAL HOLIDAY EXTRAVAGANZA

“A Celebration of East New Orleans Neighborhoods and Businesses”

Friday, December 14, 2018

8 – 12 midnight

Crystal Palace

10020 Chef Menteur Highway

New Orleans, LA 70127

More to come, stay tuned!

CHRISTMAS BUFFET, SPIRITS, DOOR PRIZES, RAFFLES

GENERAL ADMISSION: \$75 PER PERSON

CONTACT: BRENDA BADON AT 504-650-4683

YOUR SUBDIVISION PRESIDENT

OR VISIT WWW.ENONAC.ORG





- ❑ **The City Council is now considering an ordinance that would require any individual who represents any organization while speaking at a public meeting, or with any public official, to register as a lobbyist. Any representative from any neighborhood association, booster club or community group could be required to register and pay a registration fee.**
- ❑ **Trey Tapp is the new District E Liaison for the Mayor's Neighborhood Engagement Office and can be reached at tremon.tapp@nola.gov.**
- ❑ **Several monetary grants were received for the ENONAC Litter Free Campaign including New Orleans Tricentennial Commission, Greater New Orleans Foundation (GNOF) and Air Products and Chemicals.**
- ❑ **A New Orleans business is trying to open an abortion clinic in NOE at 5437 Crowder Blvd. near Lake Forest Blvd. and there will be a rally on Saturday, July 28, 2018 at 5:30pm at St. Maria Goretti Community Center.**



- ❑ **Congressman Cedric Richmond will moderate a Conversation with Senator Elizabeth Warren on Friday, August 3, 2018 at Dillard University Georges Auditorium at 5pm.**
- ❑ **There is a campaign to support the expansion of Bayou Sauvage Wildlife Refuge with government purchase of the 2500 acre Little Pine Island tract of land to complete the western portion of the Refuge.**
- ❑ **Louisiana Housing Corp (LHC) has authorized a soft second loan program for first-time homebuyers in disaster stricken parishes. This loan would provide forgivable financial assistance up to \$35,000. For more info, please email singlefamily@lhc.la.gov.**