



# PROSPECT PARK

ASSOCIATION



MEETINGS	Committee Meetings <i>2828 SE University Ave, Suite 200</i>	Community Meeting <i>22 Orlin Ave SE, PPUMC</i>
<p><i>The most up-to-date list of meeting please check the <a href="#">PPA Calendar</a>. All committee meetings take place at the office (2828 University Avenue SE) unless otherwise noted.</i></p> <p><b>ABOUT PPA</b> Prospect Park Association is the official neighborhood association for the Prospect Park Area.</p> <p><b><a href="#">Donate to PPA</a></b> Prospect Park Association is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization, and all donations are tax-deductible.</p>	<p><u>Tuesday, March 7</u> Planning and Land Use Committee 7-9pm <a href="#">Draft Agenda</a></p> <p><u>Monday, March 13</u> Management Council 7-8pm <i>Sets Community and Board agendas</i></p> <p><u>Thursday, March 16</u> Neighborhood Relations &amp; Outreach 5:30-7pm <a href="#">Draft Agenda</a></p>	<p><b>PPA Town Hall Meeting</b> <b>Monday March 27, 6:30pm - 7:30pm</b> <a href="#">TBD-Please see calendar</a></p> <p><b>PPA Board Meeting</b> <b>Monday March 27, 7:30pm - 8:30pm</b> <a href="#">TBD-Please see calendar</a></p>

# Luck of the Park

Hi Neighbors,

Spring is right around the corner, and PPA is freshening things up with new committees, more active social media and looking forward to an eventful summer!

We continue to see a lot of activity north of University Avenue. Check out the Land Use and Planning Committee report for more details--or come to a meeting and hear from the developers first-hand! If you are more of a visual person, [check out the live stream of construction](#) at 2929 University Avenue.

See you around, Jessica

## E-Democracy Forum Open!

You are welcome to join the Prospect Park e-Democracy forum! This forum is specifically for the people who live and work in the Prospect Park neighborhood of Minneapolis to discuss current events and recommendations on how to make the most of living in this unique urban village. Please update your account, read the rules of the forum, introduce yourself on the message board, and have fun!

Please also spread the word about this forum to your neighbors using this link: <http://forums.e-democracy.org/groups/mpls-prospectpark>. e-Democracy says that to get a truly viable forum, 100 members are needed. We're almost there, so please share broadly!

*What is this forum for?*

This forum is to host discussions, recommendations, questions and any other topic that may concern the residents of Prospect Park, Minneapolis. It is open to any and all who live in the Prospect Park neighborhood, and can be a way for neighbors to connect and foster ideas, involvement and action. It is not meant to replace the e-list, but rather give people more options to interact with neighbors, businesses, non-profits and government entities. E-democracy is a non profit that was created in Minneapolis, and now has forums to serve communities world-wide.

*How to get started:*

Head over to " <http://forums.e-democracy.org/groups/mpls-prospectpark/>" and click on "Sign In/Join" on the top right corner. You should be able to customize your account to your preferences--including how many emails you would like to get per day (the default is one email per post, but that can be changed!) To post you can either use your email or the website itself. Please also read all the rules and terms of use.

If you have more questions about how to use e-Democracy, check out the Help page (<http://forums.e-democracy.org/support/>) for answers to common questions.

## Live music at Surly

Surly Brewing Company is planning several events to welcome the Minnesota United soccer team to the TCF Bank Stadium--their temporary home while the Saint Paul stadium is constructed. The home-opener on March 12 will coincide with the release of their United Crushers pale ale. The party starts at 11am, all are welcome to come enjoy the music and atmosphere for free.

## Connect with PPA on social media

Check out and share photos and moments in the neighborhood with PPA!

Twitter: [@PPAmpls](https://twitter.com/PPAmpls)

Instagram: [prospectparkmpls](https://www.instagram.com/prospectparkmpls)

Facebook: [facebook.com/prospectparkmpls/](https://www.facebook.com/prospectparkmpls/)

## Prospect Park Merchandise

Prospect Park t-shirts, posters commemorating the 100th Anniversary of the Witch's Hat Water Tower, and the history book Under the Witch's Hat, are all for sale at the PPA office! Limited sizes are available. To schedule a pick up time or for more information on pricing and availability, please call Jessica at 612-767-6531.

# Southeast Seniors News

Celebrate Southeast with a Taste of Southeast

You are invited to the 6th annual fundraiser on Saturday, April 29 from 12 to 3 pm at Saint Frances Cabrini. This is your opportunity to support this neighborhood non-profit organization that helps seniors remain safely in their homes. Your support will enable SE Seniors to continue providing services for over 300 seniors in the 55414 zip code. Along with a delicious buffet provided by 15 restaurants in the area, there will be a silent auction complete with hand made items, tickets to area events, a wine pull and several gatherings (wine tasting, brewery tour) and lots more!

Tickets and more information are available on the [Southeast Seniors website](#). Make a reservation and pay at the door. See you there!

Southeast Seniors provides services for seniors

Southeast Seniors is your local non-profit organization that supports seniors over 65 so they can remain in their homes. One of the many services we provide is a ride to appointments around the metro area. This services is provided free of charge. Currently, we have about 12 regular drivers, but one of our most frequent drivers is about to have back surgery. If you are available during the day, have a few hours to spare once in a while, and like to drive, we would love to have you as part of our driving team. This is a perfect way to meet a neighbor and help someone out! Give us a call at [612-331-2302](tel:612-331-2302) to find out how to get involved.

## Seeking artists

The Rise at Prospect Park (2929 University Avenue) is seeking artists for work on the exterior of the building. [Read the RFQ here](#). This is the building currently under construction at the Prospect Park light rail station, which will hold the Fresh Thyme grocery store and other retail.

# Community Connections Conference

Register now for the 5th annual Community Connections Conference – Your Voice, Your City: CommUnity - being held on Saturday, April 1, 2017 at the Minneapolis Convention Center. The conference is FREE to all participants.

The Neighborhood and Community Relations Department hosts the conference annually in partnership with City departments, neighborhood organizations, and community partners. It is designed to showcase and build successful community collaborations between neighborhoods, cultural communities, residents, and the City. The event does include a free lunch.

[Please visit the website](#) to register and get more details regarding the conference.

## PPA Documents

- [PPA Management Council Notes February 2017](#)
- [PPA Land Use and Planning Notes February 2017](#)

*PPA invites and encourages participation by every resident to each program, service and event organized by PPA. Should you require an accommodation in order for you to fully participate, or if you require this document in a different format, please let us know by contacting us at (612-767-6531) at least 5 days before our event.*

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