



Happy Spring, North Edgebrook Neighbors!

We are having a General Meeting on Monday, May 11, at 7 PM in the gymnasium at Wildwood School. The main focus of this meeting will be to re-evaluate our snow plowing contract terms. Additionally, we will have our annual elections. All four officers are up for re-election and there are four vacancies on the board of directors. This is a great opportunity to become more involved with the community and help our neighborhood.

Private snow plowing is the most visible and costly service we provide, and North Edgebrook residents enjoy curb-to-curb plowing. The board has been discussing ways to improve our quality of service. We have had ideas from additional cleanup runs to cleaning sidewalks in some areas to clearing alleys. We would like to hear your ideas and concerns so that we can do a better job keeping the neighborhood accessible all winter.

The other major expense for the association is the maintenance of our common areas: the McAlpin "Island" and the Caldwell-Estes "Triangle". This year, we will also include the bush in the cul-de-sac at McVicker and Sherwin. We seemed to be making progress with the Alderman to get the city to provide some basic maintenance on these lands which we do not own, but that was before the election. We will maintain these areas this year.

We will be holding elections at the upcoming meeting. Our four officers will be running for re-election. We have four directors who will be serving their second year on the board, but this year's class of 2017 has no candidates. If we could find four new directors, we will once again have a full board. Please consider bringing your voice to our board and helping to direct our association.

Finally, it has been several years since we have had representation on our board from our neighbors who live North of Touhy. There are many ways in which this neighborhood is unique, and it's difficult to make decisions which will affect the area when none of the board lives there. Snow plowing is a great example of this, as the street and sidewalk layout provide challenges to effectively cleaning the streets without burying all of the sidewalks. It seems important to have someone from this area on the board to help us understand these issues better. Please talk to your neighbors and see if there is at least one person who would be willing to represent this area on our board.

Our 2014-2015 membership roster is printed on the back of this letter. Thank you to all of our members this year. I hope to see many of you at the meeting!

Erick Robertson
NECA President

**GENERAL MEETING
WILDWOOD SCHOOL
MONDAY MAY 11, 7 PM
MEETING AGENDA**

- ◆ Snow Plowing Terms
- ◆ Officer Elections
- ◆ Representation
North of Touhy

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*Board of Directors
Class of 2015*

Cliff Stettler
3 vacancies

Class of 2016

Peg Benson
Steve Benson
Mike Dwyer
Kathy Rodden

If you have not yet paid your dues for this year, it is not too late. Please write a check for \$35 payable to "NECA" and send it to Kathy Rodden at 7083 N. McAlpin.

