Next Meeting
Saturday
August 10
2002

Rocky Mountain SER Community Center 36th Ave. & Pecos St.

AGENDA

8:45

Coffee and Chat

9:00

Around the City

10:15

Committee Reports

Noon

Adjourn

The INC Board meets
the second Monday of
each month at the
Temple Events Center
Uptown
(16th and Pearl)
at 7 p.m. Everyone is
welcome. The next
meeting will be August
12, the Monday after the
INC general
membership meeting.

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Quaffers Fill Coffers at 2002 People's Fair

INC's participation in the 2002 People's Fair has resulted in earnings not only for INC, but also for the neighborhood associations that assisted it in operating a beer booth. From the total earnings of \$1,236.77,

\$705.00 was distributed to the seven neighborhood associations which provided volunteers for 47 work shifts. This leaves \$531.77 as INC's portion of the proceeds.

INC is called upon to provide volunteers for a number of special events during the year, which results in money for INC, fun for the participants, and funds for the neighborhoods from which the volunteers come.



Neighborhood Response Office Reorganized

> By Sarah McCarthy Office of Neighborhood Response

In 2001, Mayor Wellington Webb reorganized the structure of the Office of Neighborhood Response. To improve communication across the city, particularly with neighborhood organizations, the Mayor selected four individuals from each of the city's quadrants to report to him on neighborhood issues. These liaisons were

chosen in part due to their long-term active roles in their respective communities, working to make Denver a better place to live and work.

To contact the Office of Neighborhood Response, please call (720) 865-2953. The office is located at 200 W. 14th Street, Room 203, Denver, 80204. Kim Owens provides administrative support to the liaisons (who work mostly from home) and to Phil Workman, the Director of the Office, who works from the Mayor's Office. The liaisons can be contacted directly as follows:

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By Wayne Jochem **INC Chair**

Hello, everyone! For those who don't know me, I'm Wayne Jochem (pronounced "Yocum") and I'm your new INC Chairperson. I'm sitting here thinking about what to write for my first article and I'm also told that is a monthly happening and that I have a deadline. Not that I wasn't aware of it, after all, I was the Vice-Chair for a little over a year and a half and I did read the newsletter -- it just kind of came quicker than I had anticipated, kind of like the holiday and tax seasons. I also can't seem to make up my mind about the simple things such as when to do laundry or mow the grass let alone figure out what to say to you, the membership and subscribers of the INC newsletter, given all the stuff that always seems to be happening throughout the city and our neighborhoods.

For this first of many articles to come, I want to start by saying thank you to Fred Corn and Jeannie Robb for their time, effort and dedication to INC and neighborhood issues. Be sure that I'll be keeping in touch with both of them as some issues they have worked on still linger in the background. and I'd like to wish them both good luck on their runs for City Council positions. I would also like to say a big "Thank You" in advance to the remaining board members, committee members, other INC volunteers, you the membership and the various city officials I will be calling upon. My reason for this is simple. Having been involved with neighborhood issues for a total of slightly over 2 years, I was and still feel that I'm new to the many ongoing issues within the city. Many of you understand the way the system works and have been involved in volunteerism, neighborhood issues, governmental process, etc., for some time and, needless to say, you know what is going on and how to get things done.

I will be relying on all of you for your insight,

advice and help in keeping INC on top of the issues that are important throughout the city. In doing this, I would ask member neighborhood groups, subscribers and others, including city officials, to write, phone or email me to let me know what is going on or what concerns

you have. While INC tends to focus more on citywide issues, this doesn't mean that your local issues are not important. Local issues can have farreaching effects such as the issue of pop-tops, traffic and condemnation rights, to name a couple. Listening to your issues and concerns will also better help us in making decisions in deciding whom we should be inviting as guest speakers to our monthly meetings. For the most part all of our guest speakers have had a sincere desire to want to be at our meetings to address the concerns of our membership, and all have been very knowledgeable in their areas of expertise. For this I'd like to thank our past and future guest speakers because without them it would be a lot tougher to address our memberships concerns as we, the INC Board, don't always think of or ask the questions that the membership come up with.

I guess that before I call it a night, I want you to be aware that I have made a couple of appointments. I have appointed Elizabeth Hamilton as Vice-Chair and Lew Gaiter, Jr., as Delegate-at-Large. This does leave one Delegate-at-Large position and the Parks and Recreation Chairperson positions open. If anyone is interested in these positions, please contact me or any board member or stop by our next monthly meeting. Lastly, I should let you know how to get ahold of me or to at least leave me a message. You can contact me at my home phone number listed on the back of this newsletter. In addition, my e-mail address is Wjochem@aol.com. If you choose to e-mail me, please start the subject line with "INC." I ask this as I do get a lot of "junk" e-mail and tend to delete mail from unknown sources or which appears to be sales solicitations.

I am looking forward to talking with and working with you all.

Dollar Dictionaries Have Arrived & Need Labels

By Cathee Fisher Co-Chair INC Dollar Dictionary Committee

There is a connection between our neighborhoods and our students. The schools are our neighbors and part of our community fabric. The labels placed in each dictionary and thesaurus given to the third grade students in Denver Public Schools recognizes that connection. The label does not change any of the information between the covers of each book, but it does answer the "how come I got this book?" question. The Dictionary Drive is a neighborhood program to provide our young citizens with a tool for life-long learning. The gift labels let each student know there are fellow neighbors and citizens who believe in their future. It is the value-added part of the program.

Specific to the labels for each of the 90 elementary schools is the list of the surrounding neighborhood organizations that as members and non-members of INC are a part of each school's community.

Your help with labeling the 17,000 books to be distributed this year is needed.

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Assoc.

Together

Ruby Hill NA

South Jackson

Council

Council

South Gaylord NA

South Hilltop NA

Neighborhood Org.

Southmoor Park E. HOA

Southwest Improvement

St. Charles NA Language

Sunnyside United and ...

University Park Community

Development Organization

North City Park CA

Ivy Street NA

Inspiration Point NA

Lynwood 7 & 8 HOA

Mayfair Neighbors, Inc.

Northern Corridor Coalition

Northern Airport Corridor

Platt Park People's Assoc.

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Progress & Preservation

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Community

Point NA

Alamo Placita NA Athmar Park NA Baker Historical NA Ballpark NA Beacon Club Bear Creek HOA Bellvue Hale NA Berkeley NA Capitol Hill United **Neighbors** Cherry Creek North BID Cherry Creek North NA Cherry Point HOA Citizens for a Residential Ouebec City Park West NA Clayton NA College View NA Congress Park Neighbors Cook Park NA Cory-Merrill NA Country Club Historic Neighborhood Cranmer Park Hilltop Crestmoor Park HOA Filing 2 Crestmoor Park HOA Filing 1 Curtis Park Neighbors Denargo Market NC **Downtown Denver** Residents' Org. East Cheesman Park NA East Montclair NA Far Northeast Neighbors Golden Triangle NA Greater Park Hill Community

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