

# UNIVERSITY HEIGHTS ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER :: FALL 2019

# **WELCOME BACK PARTY!**

Saturday, September 7, 2019, 2:30 PM - 4:30 PM

The Remedy Day Spa, 113 Vassar Dr SE

Meet your neighbors face to face! We'll have refreshments, and City staff will be on hand to issue parking permits (details on the flip side)

Thanks to The Remedy Day Spa for hosting and thanks to the Frontier Restaurant, Saggio's, and Smith's for their food and drink donations.

# LEAD-COAL: GETTING TO SAFE STREETS FOR ALL OF US

As this newsletter goes to to print, UHA and Nob Hill Neighborhood Association are preparing for the August 27 presentation of Department of Municipal Development (DMD) recommendations on Lead-Coal traffic safety. CABQ states that a written report to Mayor Keller will follow, and that he will at an unspecified later date meet with the community to discuss the findings.

So far indications are that DMD will not pursue the action plan (see below) that UHA concludes is necessary to solve the "forever" Lead-Coal problem.

UHA's analysis is that, because they are narrow sidestreets, Lead-Coal in our area fundamentally are unsafe for high speed, high volume traffic and for overweight trucks diverted from Central Avenue.

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### **RECYCLING REMINDERS**

Do not put any items to recycle in plastic bags. Plastic bags can't be recycled in the curbside bin. Smith's grocery stores have a container to place plastic bags for recycling.

The lid on the curbside bin can't be propped open by an overstuffed bin. The drivers will not stop to pick it up.

Greasy pizza boxes belong in the trash. They can't be recycled and will actually contaminate clean materials.

Styrofoam can't be recycled in the bins.

Items stacked next to the bins will not be picked up. All items must be in the bins.

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## LEAD & COAL, CONTINUED

The physical conditions are compounded by CABQ's conduct under the previous Mayoral administration: inattention to Lead-Coal crashes, inadequate maintenance of the roadway and failure to address Lead-Coal impacts in the traffic plan for A.R.T.

### UHA and NHNA's action plan for Lead-Coal after August 27:

- 1) A binding implementation framework
- 2) A road safety audit (RSA)
- 3) An Interagency working group (MRCOG, NMDOT, FHWA) to plan for down classification from principal arterial status and to identify safety and environmental health requirements that apply to Lead-Coal as a federally funded roadway.

**If you want Lead-Coal to be safe for all of us (***children, our neighbors with diminished mobility, residents, pedestrians, bicyclists***) EMAIL AND CALL THE MAYOR AND ASK HIM TO IMPLEMENT THE UHA ACTION PLAN** tkeller@cabq.gov mayorkeller@cabq.gov 768-3000

University Heights and Nob Hill crash photo album: https://photos.app.goo.gl/TihICRUFESxQkfF32

#### ON-STREET PARKING PERMITS

If you live on the 200, 300, and 400 blocks of Harvard or Cornell, 100, 200, 300, and 400 blocks of Stanford, 100, 200, and 300 blocks of Columbia, 100 and 200 blocks of Princeton, or 200 block of Vassar, daytime Monday-Friday on-street parking is by permit only. Current permits expire on September 30.

At the September 7 block party, city parking officials will be present to issue permits to eligible residents that bring all of the required information. UHA is paying the overtime for those officials as a service to save residents the need to go downtown to get permits.

At the block party, as at the City Parking office, you must present:

- a signed application,
- vehicle registration,
- government-issued photo ID (such as your driver's license), and
- proof of residency (lease and utility bill in your name if a tenant or tax bill if property owner).

The application form and other information is at:

http://www.cabq.gov/municipaldevelopment/residents/parking/on-street-parking-permit-application

If you can't come to the block party, you can still get your permit downtown.

#### LOCAL ELECTIONS ARE COMING!

City Council District 6: CANDIDATE FORUM: Pat Davis (incumbent) and Gina Naomi Dennis

WHEN: Thursday October 10, 6:30-8:30 pm

#### WHERE: Monte Vista Christian Church, 3501 Campus Blvd NE 87106

If you plan to attend, and TO SUBMIT QUESTIONS IN ADVANCE, please respond to:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/805094EA4AF23A1FD0-district

Co-sponsored by University Heights Association and Nob Hill Neighborhood Association

2019 Local Election (including Albuquerque Council Districts 2, 4, 6, 8)

Early Voting Begins October 19, Election Day is NOVEMBER 5

Information: <a href="https://www.bernco.gov/clerk/elections.aspx">https://www.bernco.gov/clerk/elections.aspx</a>