

NLR Neighborhood News

Importance Of Address Numbering For First Responders

Ordinance 7093 dated December 22nd, 1997 states the following: The owner of each residential or commercial building shall cause to be displayed the street number of the property somewhere upon the building or property in a fashion to allow identification of the property from the nearest right-of-way. The numbers shall be no less than 3 inches in height for residential structures and six inches in height for non-residential structures. The color of the numbers shall contrast the background to promote visibility. Street addresses printed on a curb shall not be sufficient to meet this requirement.



The ordinance goes on to state that the reason for this ordinance is that it is beneficial to the citizens of NLR and persons traveling in the City by allowing rapid identification of buildings; and public health and safety are enhanced by the display of street addresses by allowing public safety personnel to quickly identify specific houses or buildings.

Having visible house numbers saves precious seconds when our First Responders are called. Many of our calls (Police, Fire and Ambulance) come in at night or early morning hours when

it is dark. Having contrasting numbers or reflective numbers is a great help in identifying your home.

Not all of our homes are sequentially numbered so it is vital that your home be identified by the address number. Remember that the numbers should not match the color of the background, this makes it extremely hard to recognize, especially at night. Address numbers should be a contrasting color and/or reflective. The minimum height is 3 inches for residential homes. This does not mean you can't have larger numbers. Larger numbers are easier to recognize.

Just think if your loved one needed emergency medical care and the Paramedics were delayed because they could not recognize your address? Or you needed the Police quickly? Or your loved one was trapped in a fire? Wouldn't you want our First Responders to be able to arrive as quickly as possible?

So, help us help you by making sure your address numbers are legible and visible. Hopefully, you won't need us but if you do, we can only help you if we can find you!

Provided by the NLR Fire Marshall office.

North Little Rock Sertoma Club looking for new members to continue efforts to help deaf and hearing impaired.

Imagine what it would be like not to hear the birds sing in the springtime or be unable to hear the full register of an Arkansas Symphony Orchestra concert.

Since its founding in 1949, the North Little Rock Sertoma Club has had as its primary mission assisting the deaf and hearing impaired in Arkansas. The club has provided scholarships for graduating seniors at the Arkansas School for the Deaf and in the past provided scholarships to graduating seniors in North Little Rock who wanted to go into the audiology field. North Little Rock Sertoma helped establish the hearing aid bank at the Arkansas School for the Deaf, for children whose hearing aids were lost, broken or in need of repair. If not for the loaner bank, the students would miss out on critical classroom content. “We saw a need and we put our resources together with the audiologist at the Deaf School and came up with an innovative way to keep the kids from falling back if they met with a hearing emergency” said longtime Sertoma member and Board Chairman Jim Stanley.

In addition to the Arkansas School for the Deaf, the Sertoma Club works with the audiology department at Arkansas Children’s Hospital to help their staff attend needed training and conferences not paid for by the hospital. “We have helped get them in touch with Sertoma’s national office in Kansas City to apply for grants and other assistance,” said Sherry Bruno, current Sertoma Club President.

Additionally, the North Little Rock Sertoma Club is sponsor and primary organizer of the annual North Little Rock Christmas parade and engages in numerous local civic activities such as the annual North Little Rock clean-up, Park Hill’s Pavilion in the Park, working at Brother Paul’s fish fry, and sponsoring musical events.

The North Little Rock Sertoma Club meets at noon every Wednesday at Newk’s Eatery on Warden Road and seeks new members who are interested in assisting in efforts to reach out a helping hand to the deaf and hearing impaired in our community and throughout Arkansas. Won’t you think about how important it is to be able to hear the sounds of Spring? Help the North Little Rock Sertoma Club make a difference in people’s lives. For more information call, Maxine Coday at (501) 952 1845.



Halloween Safety Tips

Halloween is a time for dress up fun with family and friends. Unfortunately it can be a stressful times for pets.

- Pet costumes are cute. Some pets however stress when dressed up. If your pet appears uncomfortable, remove the costume.
- Don't leave your pet outside on Halloween night. There have been reports of teasing, disappearing pets, even death of some pets on Halloween night.
- Keep your pet confined inside and away from the door. When the door opens, your pet may get spooked and run.
- Keep glow sticks away from your pet. While non-toxic, the fluid can cause digestive issues which is unpleasant for everyone.
- Candy is for humans not pets. Chocolate especially can make them really sick, even cause death if enough is eaten.
- Make sure your pets are microchipped and the contact information is updated. For added assurance make sure your pet is wearing a collar, with updated contact information. This can expedite the reunion, otherwise whoever finds your pet may have to wait until the nearest vet's office or animal shelter is open to get your information.
- Some Halloween decorations can be dangerous. Keep your pets away from jack-o-lanterns lit with candles. Some decorations have wire which can lodge in a pet's throat or digestive system leading to surgery.

Have a safe Halloween this year. Make every effort to keep your 4-legged family members safe as well.



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| Amboy | Glenview | Military Heights |
| Argenta | Holt | Park Hill |
| Baring Cross | Indian Hills | Rose City |
| Dark Hollow | Lakewood | Scenic Hill |
| Dixie Addition | Levy | Sherman Park |
| Faulkner Crossing | Meadow Park | Stone Links |

Follow NLR Neighborhoods on Facebook.

To report potholes or street damage in your neighborhood.



Call NLR Street Department at (501) 340-5356, or use the NLR Report & Repair App!

Looking for Information?



Visit North Little Rock City Government at www.nlr.ar.gov



#9pmroutine

Be part of the **#9pmroutine**:

Lock your doors
Secure all valuables
Every night
9:00 pm

Report  Suspicious Activity





Questions? Contact the Following

All meetings are evening meetings unless otherwise noted.

Amboy Crime Watch

1st Thursday, 6:00
Bimonthly - months of
Jan., Mar., May, July, Sept., Nov.
Amboy Methodist, 311 Military
Mary Ann Conley 758-1208

Amboy Neighborhood Assn.

Every 3rd Monday, 6:30
Burns Park Hospitality House
Military Drive & Joe Poch Rd.
Angelica Barnard, (501) 297-8720
abarnard0321@gmail.com

Argenta Neighborhood Boosters

Every 3rd Thursday, 6:00
NLR Heritage Center
506 Main Street
Terri Imus, 920-7371

Baring Cross Neighborhood Assn.

Every 3rd Monday, 6:00
ACTS Church
13th & Franklin Sts.
Harlan Hunter, 541-1591

Dark Hollow Community Development Corporation

Every 3rd Tuesday, 6:30
1400 Pine Street
Belinda Burney, 376-8144

Dixie Addition Community Development Corporation

Every 3rd Monday, 6:00
914 "H" Street
Lee A. (Buck) Jeffrey, 240-5376
buckj@att.net

Glenview Neighborhood Assn.

Every 1st Tuesday, 7:00
Glenview Rec. Ctr
4800 E 19th St.
Lee Brewer, 945-7695

HOLT Neighborhood Assn.

3rd Monday, 6:30 in
March, June, August & November
Gardner Memorial United Methodist
Joy Cameron, 374-9520

Indian Hills Neighborhood Association/ Crime Watch

Stephen Whiting, 425-1942

Keep North Little Rock Beautiful

Every 2nd Monday, 6:00
Rockwater Marina Clubhouse
Randy Naylor, 350-8775 or
Lisa Smith, 791-2568;
KNLRB@aol.com
or www.Facebook.com/KNLRB

Lakewood Community Watch

Tap Pace, 416-0747

Meadow Park Neighborhood Assn.

Every 2nd Tuesday, 7:00
Bethany Baptist Church
308 Eureka Gardens Road
Evelyn Creal, 945-2870

Melrose Outreach

Every 3rd Wednesday, 7:00
Melrose Grocery, 807 Willow St.
Margo Tenner, 372-3810 or 374-7842

Military Heights Outreach Assn.

Every 2nd Thursday, 6:30
North Little Rock Community Center

NAACP

Every 1st Tuesday, 6:00
Bethel AME Church
600 Cedar Street
Deborah Rhodes, Ph: 351-9558

Neighbors United for Levy

Every 1st Monday, 6:30
North Heights Recreation Center
4801 Allen
Jennifer Johansen, 771-0520

North Little Rock Landlords Assn

Every 3rd Monday, 7:00
NLR Community Center
2700 Willow St.
Gail Blucker, 835-6679

Park Hill Neighborhood

1st Tuesday, 6:00
Idlewild Park Historic Building
Corner of D, No. Cedar & Plainview
John Gregan, 758-7159
johngregan@att.net

Ridge Road Village Neighborhood Watch

Every 4th Thursday, 5:00
4748 Ridge Road, Phone : 771-7500

Rose City Neighborhood Assn.

Every 3rd Monday, 7:00
Rose City Police Substation
Broadway & Lynch Drive
Ken Abel, 945-5999
Nlrrosecityneighborhood@gmail.com

Scenic Hill Neighborhood Assn.

2nd Thursday, 7:00 in
January, March, June & September
Yates Phillips, 837-3779

Sertoma Club of NLR

Every Wednesday, 12:00 noon
Newk's on Warden Road

Sherman Park Neighborhood

Every 3rd Monday, 6:00
8th St. Baptist Church
Corner of Hickory & SA Jones Sts.
Artis Boykin, 372-7490

Stone Links Neighborhood Assn.

Every 3rd Tuesday, 6:00
Stone Links Golf Course Clubhouse
Cedric Vaughn, 479-799-2347

Willow Beach Neighborhood Assn

2nd Tuesday in March & October,
6:30 Church at Willow Beach
John Santoro, 607-1755

**City of North Little Rock
City Hall 300 Main Street**

Elected Officials

Mayor Joe Smith 975-8601
 City Clerk, Diane Whitbey 975-8617
 City Attorney, Amy Fields 975-3755

Council Members

Ward 1

Debi Ross 753-0733
 Beth White 758-2738

Ward 2

Linda Robinson 945-8820
 Maurice Taylor 690-6444

Ward 3

Steve Baxter 804-0928
 Ron Harris 758-2877

Ward 4

Murry Witcher 835-0009
 Charlie Hight 944-0670

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Comments? We would like to hear from you. If you have neighborhood meetings or activities to be placed in the newsletter, please mail, fax, email or call the information to us. Are you reading someone else's copy? If you would like to be placed on our mailing list, contact our office.

North Little Rock Neighborhood News is a bi-monthly publication. Please note the following deadlines for information to be published:

Issue	Deadline Date
Sept/Oct	August 1
Nov/Dec	October 1

2019

January/February	Dec. 1, 2018
March/April	February 1
May/June	April 1



2018

Recycling Weeks
September 2, 16 & 30
October 14 & 28
November 11 & 25
December 9 & 23

2019 Recycling Weeks
January 6 & 20
February 3 & 17
March 3, 17 & 31
April 14 & 28
May 12 & 26
June 9 & 23
July 7 & 21
August 4 & 18
September 1, 15 & 29
October 13 & 27
November 10 & 24
December 8 & 22

Put your bins to the curb by 7:00 a.m. the day of your regular household garbage pick up. Put them away by 8:00 a.m. the next day.

**Recycling Questions?
 Call Waste Management
 at (501) 565-0191.**

**North Little Rock
 City Meetings**

NLR Airport Commission
 3rd Thursday, 12:00 pm
 120 Main Street, Room A
 City Services Building

City Council Meetings
 2nd & 4th Monday, 6:00 p.m.
 NLR City Hall, 300 Main Street

**Planning Commission
 Sign Board**
 2nd Tuesday, 9:30 a.m.
 120 Main St., 2nd floor, west end

Planning Commission
 2nd Tuesday, 4:45 pm/300 Main St.

History Commission
 2nd Tuesday, 6:00 pm/506 Main St.

Historic District Commission
 2nd Thursday, 6:00 pm
 506 Main St.

**Parks & Recreation
 Commission**
 3rd Monday, 5:00 pm
 2700 Willow St.

City Beautiful Commission
 3rd Monday, 2:00 p.m.
 3427 North Magnolia Street

Senior Citizen Commission
 Every 4th Monday, 3:00 p.m.
 401 West Pershing

**Planning Commission
 Board of Adjustment & Appeal**
 Last Thursday of each month,
 1:30 p.m.
 120 Main St., 2nd floor, west end

Assistance Information



River City Ministries 501-376-6694

River City Ministry is a faith-based, nonprofit dedicated to providing for basic needs and connecting people to God through Christ-Centered relationship. To accomplish this holistic effort, River City Ministry seeks to:

- FEED the hungry by serving a hot lunch and operating a food pantry,
- CLOTHE those in need with our clothing bus,
- SHELTER the homeless with a safe, welcoming environment and through HUD housing programs,
- CARE for the sick through our pharmacy, medical, vision and dental clinics, and
- LOVE the unloved and underserved to show God's love!

Arkansas Metro 501-420-3824

Arkansas METRO is the only non-profit organization in Arkansas created to become the central location for churches and other organizations to send working Arkansans who are reaching out for financial assistance. We are privately funded and do not receive any government funding. We partner with churches, employers, civic organizations, and others to help make life better.



Stop The Bleed

Save A Life

Bleeding Control Basic (BCon) Course
Learn the Basics of Bleeding Control

Date: When it is convenient!

Location: Your group's meeting place!

Contact Information: (501) 301-1408

For more information or to schedule training for your Neighborhood Association, Church Group, Civic Club, etc., please call the number above.

MEMS will provide training to groups of 10 or more participants.

Each class is 2 1/2 hours.

MEMS has training scheduled for
September 1 at
1121 West 7th Street, Little Rock.

**Please notify Neighborhood Services of any address change.
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