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To: Allouez Village Board

From: Rick Loppnow-Allouez DEO

Re: Neighborhood Associations

In follow up to past discussion regarding Neighborhood Associations I would propose starting with a mailing of the previously discussed "flyer" (attached) to residences in Ward 1 of the Village of Allouez 2011 Ward Plan Map (attached). The area consists of the area on the North end of the Village bordered by the City of Green Bay to the North, the Fox River to the West, the East River to the East, and the East/West Railroad tracks to the South of Hastings St.

The flyer could be turned into a postcard to reduce the cost of the mailing. A specific contact person at the Village also needs to be identified.



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The Village of Allouez is currently promoting the development of Neighborhood Associations within the Village.

### WHAT IS A NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION?

A neighborhood association by definition is neighbors living within a designated area of the City who are concerned about issues affecting their neighborhood and who have decided to work together to protect and ensure a better social, economic, and business climate in their neighborhood. The purpose of a neighborhood association is to act as a voice for the neighborhood residents, an official link to local government and the larger community. Many neighborhoods find that by banding together and forming a neighborhood association, they are better able to meet the collective needs of the neighborhood.

Neighborhood associations take on many different looks and engage in different types of activities based on their individual neighborhood's needs and interests. Here are some examples:

- Producing a neighborhood newsletter
- Organizing block parties and picnics
- Cleaning up a neighborhood park
- Conducting traffic studies
- Educating residents about zoning issues and new developments that might impact the area
- Organizing recreational activities
- Representing neighborhood interests to government and the media
- Forming a committee to address problem properties in the neighborhood

For more information on starting a Neighborhood Association contact \_\_\_\_\_