

Come on out, we welcome your suggestions!

THE EASTSIDER

East Citizens Advisory Council

Meetings are held Bi-monthly @ 7:00 on the third Monday of the month.

Except in January when it's on the fourth Monday.

Lions Park Community Center, 516 Dennis Avenue, Raleigh, NC; Phone: 919-996-4726



East CAC February Newsletter

The next East CAC meeting will be Monday, March 19th at 7PM at Lions Park Community Center. Hope to see you there!

The City of Raleigh/GoRaleigh needs YOUR input!

The City's transit division, GoRaleigh, which uses bus transportation to help your community get to work, school, entertainment and more, has requested \$9 million in operating funds and \$23 million in capital funds for Fiscal Year 2019 from Wake Transit. This funding is being requested from the ½ cent sales tax referendum that passed in Wake County in 2016. This work plan reflects requests from all transit agencies in Wake County (GoRaleigh, GoTriangle, GoCary and Wake County TRACS) to build a stronger transit system.

Please review our FY19 Work Plan at www.goraleigh.org and provide your comments after reviewing the plan. Comment period is from January 22, 2018 through March 31, 2018. For more information please call 919-996-6154.

Words of Wit & Wisdom

“ENCOURAGE one another and build each other UP...”

Happy Birthday and Anniversary to all of our East CAC Patrons that celebrate in February!



**Radical
Excitement
Adventure
Dreams**



Get out to your local library Richard B. Harrison Community Library visit online wakegov.com/libraries

**Be sure to pick up your healthy recipes at each meeting!*

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Meeting Minutes from January 22, 2018

MEETING OPENED 7:05p

Nov 20th Meeting Minutes Read & Approved

Christie Jones Director Lions Park

Summer Camp Registration starts in March

Softball & Baseball City Wide League registration Feb 5th -16th

Tae Kwon Do Tue & Thu - Lions Park

Fitness Room open daily \$12/mo - Lions Park (during operating hours)

Pullen Arts Center is closed for renovations, check parks.raleighnc.gov for "pop-up" shops.

Teachers, High School & College aged students: Summer jobs are up on the City website APPLICATIONS ARE BEING ACCEPTED NOW!

Please find these and many more events at parks.raleighnc.gov

Grayson Maughan Planner City of Raleigh Parks Dept.

Dorothea Dix Park Conservancy

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Master plan for this 300 Acre Park is a 2 year process, Milestones are: Nov 2017, Mar 2018 & Final plan will be adopted in 2019. The plan is to build something along the lines of Central Park in New York. To stay in the loop on everything that is happening as the community creates Dorothea Dix Park. Please contact:

dorotheadixpark.org/master-plan | dorotheadixpark.org

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Train for Construction jobs and earn your GED

- Reside in 27604, 27601 or 27610 area codes
- Between the ages of 16 & 24
- Barriers to employment
- Could your reading & math skills use improvement

Receive stipends of \$50-\$100/week during classroom training & earn \$10/hr during work experience.

Participants will receive construction industry certificates while working for GED/High School Diploma

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City of Raleigh - BUILDING UPFIT GRANTS

- \$500,000 total funds awarded annually
- \$125,000 funds awarded per quarter
- Applicants must schedule pre-application meeting during grant cycle application period
- Requires 1-1 match by the tenant or property owner
- must stay in property for 3 years

Office Lopez – Raleigh PD

Motor Vehicle thefts/break ins are up

Home break ins are down

Raleigh North has been

purchased by Monroe Properties

Feb 5th interior apartment renovations begin | Tenants are being re-vetted

Food Lion Stabbing

Arrest has been made | Crime of convenience

Meeting Oakwood/Belvedere Park/Plainview

911 Call Delay: A meeting was held Jan 11th at Lions Park. Several members of the police dept. were in attendance.

The call was mis-categorized as a "past incident instead of "in progress". This issue is being reviewed and corrections are being made so that this doesn't happen again

MEETING ADJOURNED: 8:22 pm