

# MARSHALL TERRACE MINUTES



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## Marshall Terrace Annual Meeting

**SAVE THE DATE:** Please join us **Thursday, April 21<sup>st</sup> at 7:00 PM** for the Concerned Citizens of Marshall Terrace (CCMT) Annual Meeting at RiverVillage Community Room, 2919 Randolph St. NE.

The meeting will provide an opportunity for residents to review our annual report, provide input about new neighborhood goals, and enjoy free refreshments with their neighbors.

We will also be nominating and electing CCMT board members for the coming year. CCMT board members meet monthly to promote the betterment of the neighborhood.

If you're interested in becoming a CCMT board member, we encourage you to attend this meeting and nominate yourself.

If you would like to be on the board but can't attend the meeting, email us at [CCMT568@msn.com](mailto:CCMT568@msn.com).

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### \$\$\$ WANTED: Newsletter Delivery \$\$\$

Interested in a paid P/T position?

Marshall Terrace is seeking a Marshall Terrace resident to deliver the monthly newsletter. To apply, click on the link on the Marshall Terrace homepage: [www.marshallterrace.org](http://www.marshallterrace.org)

Deadlines for application is April 1<sup>st</sup>.

## Neighborhood Cancer Study Begins

Eastside Environmental Quality of Life (EEQL)—a committee of concerned community members from various Northeast neighborhoods, sponsored by the Bottineau Neighborhood Association (BNA)—is developing a community survey about occurrences of cancer in neighborhood families.

The survey will take place in the spring and early summer. Volunteers are being trained to do this sensitive survey work in a factual, non-biased manner as the results need to be scientifically verifiable and defensible. They will be interviewing residents who have survived cancer or whose family members have died because of cancer.

Currently, EEQL is gathering data from various government agencies such as the Minnesota Department of Health, the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency, the EPA and other groups. Contact BNA (612-367-7262) if you wish to share your story or if you want to help conduct the survey.

## Northeast Renters' Rights Clinic

Northeast Minneapolis neighborhood organizations, HOMELine, businesses, and the City of Minneapolis are partnering to hold this event to assist renters and landlords in Northeast.



One-on-one legal assistance on a wide range of tenant/landlord and housing issues is available to attendees (Spanish and Somali language services will be available). Common topics include repairs, security deposits, privacy, understanding leases, and many more. Resources from partnering organizations will be available.

### DETAILS:

WHEN: Saturday, March 19<sup>th</sup>, 1 PM–3 PM.

LOCATION: Clare Housing, 929 Central Ave. NE

## MWMO "Putting Down Roots" Exhibit

The Mississippi Watershed Management Organization (MWMO) is holding an art exhibition called "Putting Down Roots" (May 23, 2016 – FALL 2016). *Putting Down Roots* is an evolving exhibit of artistic fiber representation of plants that are beneficial for a healthy environment. These plants have extensive root structures, provide beautiful habitat and contribute to the diversity of our landscapes.

### Call for Art

You are invited to create a piece for the *Putting Down Roots* exhibit(s). Use your talents to help bring awareness about keeping the Mississippi River clean!

MWMO is looking for works made from any fiber and constructed using any technique. Ideally works will be life-sized and three-dimensional.

Pieces should represent plants that are good for clean water and habitat and/or species that benefit from these plants. For ideas, see plant suggestions or visit [www.wildones.org](http://www.wildones.org) or [www.dnr.state.mn.us/restoreyourshore/index.html](http://www.dnr.state.mn.us/restoreyourshore/index.html).

### Submission

In order to have your piece included in the exhibit opening(s), submit by May 6, 2016. You can drop them off Monday–Friday, 8:00AM–4:30PM at MWMO, 2522 Marshall St. NE. Please include a submission form with your entry. Forms are available at MWMO. Questions? Contact Michaela Neu at MWMO at 612–746–4975 or [mneu@mwmo.org](mailto:mneu@mwmo.org).



## Minneapolis Green Zone Workshop Reps Needed

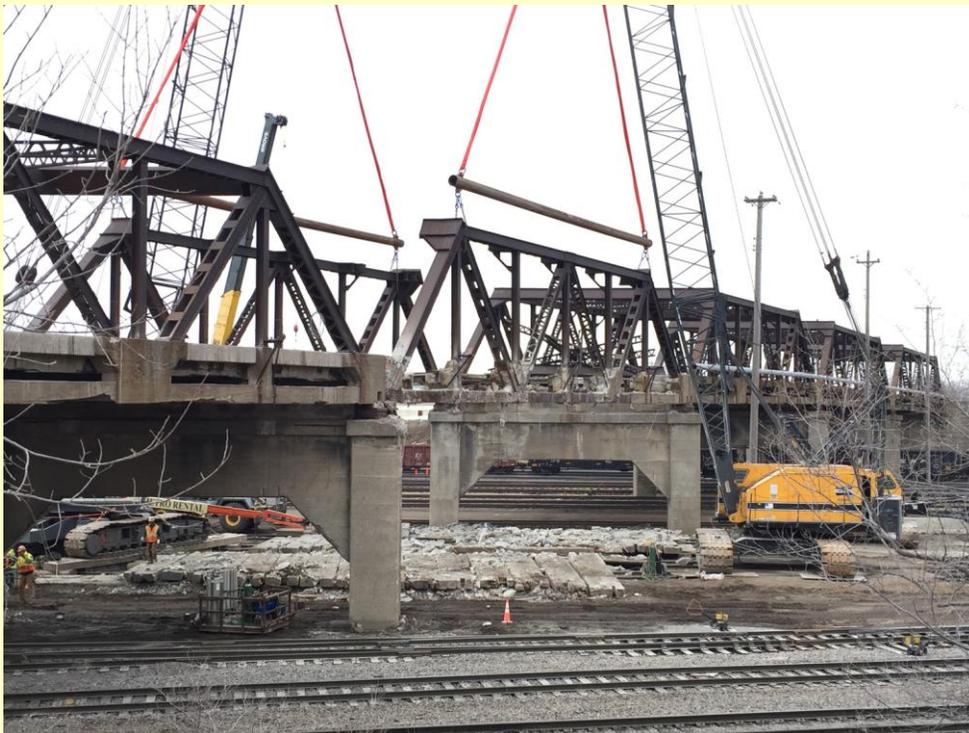
The City of Minneapolis is looking for interested stakeholders to be a part of the City of Minneapolis Green Zones Workgroup. Green Zones are a place-based strategy that is grounded in community planning processes and community led solutions to transform neighborhoods overburdened by pollution and other social and economic stressors into healthy neighborhoods.

The Workgroup will meet approximately once per month for at least two hours between March and December 2016. Workgroup members will be responsible for attending meetings, reviewing materials between meetings, and making a recommendation to City Council in 4th Quarter 2016.

If you're interested in this position, please send an email with 1) your name, 2) contact information, 3) neighborhood or general area of the City (North, Southeast, etc.) in which you live or work (optional), 4) your background and reason(s) for wanting to participate in the Green Zone Workgroup (2-3 sentences), and 5) that you represent an environmentally overburdened community to [kelly.muellman@minneapolismn.gov](mailto:kelly.muellman@minneapolismn.gov) by March 13, 2016.

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## St. Anthony Parkway Bridge Update



*Bridge Removal Begins - Span 2 first to go!*

Span 2 was the first of five trusses to be removed, a significant milestone in the much-anticipated project.

The remaining spans will be removed over the coming months, and portions of span 3 will be salvaged and reused at the historic interpretive plaza planned for the SW corner of the new bridge. The new replacement truss is being fabricated and test-assembled in Gary, Indiana. It will then be disassembled for transport and re-assembled on-site on St. Anthony Parkway, west of the crossing. The project is expected to be completed on schedule. For updates and a live webcam, go to [www.stapbridge.com](http://www.stapbridge.com).

## Senior Partners Care Eliminates Medicare Out-of-Pocket Costs

Medicare costs can really add up. There are many Medicare recipients who have incomes that are above the income guidelines to receive Medical assistance, as well as some of the other assistance programs available. It is important to have a secondary plan in place to assist with the costs that Medicare does not cover.

Senior Partners Care (SPC) is one of the best kept secrets in Minnesota. Senior Partners Care is not insurance; it's a community-based program that enables Minnesota Medicare recipients to access the medical care they need. Who is Eligible?

Program Participants must:

- Have Medicare parts A & B
- Receive care from participating medical providers
- Meet income and asset thresholds
- Submit an application and a \$42.00 annual application fee



### Senior Partners Care 2016 Financial Guidelines

Persons in family/household	Monthly Income (200% FPG)	Annual Income (200% FPG)
1	\$1,980	\$23,760
2	\$2,670	\$32,760

Liquid assets, excluding a house you live in and one car, cannot exceed \$48,600, regardless of household size.

Participants are encouraged to purchase a separate Part D drug plan to cover their prescription drug costs because neither Medicare nor Senior Partners Care covers prescription drugs.

For program details and applications: [www.seniorcommunity.org/spc](http://www.seniorcommunity.org/spc) or call 952-767-0665.

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#### CCMT Public Meetings:

Held monthly on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday at 7:00 PM  
RiverVillage Community Room  
2919 Randolph St. NE

Marshall Terrace Media Manager: David DeGennaro

#### SAVE THE DATE!

CCMT will be hosting an Adopt-a-Highway event on **Saturday, May 21st at 9:00AM.**

Columbia Park neighbors will also help with the event.

More information to come in later editions of the Marshall Terrace Minutes.

