City of Milwaukee Healthy Neighborhoods Initiative 2011 Progress Report

Presented to the Community and Economic Development Committee.

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January 30th 2012

Capitol Heights Earn a Bike Program

NIDC Presents “The Interrupters'”

“Refoundation” in Franklin Heights

Witkowiak Park improvements.

2011 Healthy Neighborhoods

Capitol Heights	***Albright Methodist Church***
Enderis Park	***Enderis Park Neighborhood Association***
Havenwoods	***Havenwoods Economic Development Corp.***
Johnsons Park	***Johnsons Park Neighborhood Association***
Lincoln Village	***Urban Anthropology***
Martin Drive	***Martin Drive Neighborhood Association***
Sherman Park	***Sherman Park Community Association***
Silver City	***Layton Boulevard West Neighbors, Inc.***
Thurston Woods	***Agape Community Center***

Greater Milwaukee Foundation

In 2011, The Greater Milwaukee Foundation committed over $300,000 toward Healthy Neighborhoods, and funding of nearly $400,000 has been committed for 2012. These funds support staff at Healthy Neighborhoods partner organizations as well as support neighborhood projects.

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The 2011 City Budget authorized $200,000 in expenditures for the Healthy Neighborhoods Initiative. Funds were allocated for the following:

1. Neighborhood Projects

- **$51,615.75 for 11 Healthy Neighborhoods Projects. Leverage- $65,541.58**
- **$52,236.69 for 19 Community Improvement Projects. Leverage- $80,782.88**

2. HN Foreclosure Counselor

- **$30,000 expenditure leveraged $40,000 (Greater Milwaukee Foundation)**

3. Block Stabilization Program (BSP) and Foreclosure Related Projects

- **$50,000 with 48 BSP aps. 1 pending foreclosure project 2500 N. 40th**

4. $10,000 for administrative costs.

Sherman Park Community Association
“Spaces and Places” Project

Footsteps of Unity in Sherman Park

Sherman Park Community Association "Spaces and Places" Project

53rd Street Garden Project on display at City Hall

Capitol Heights Earn a Bike Program

The Milwaukee Police department donated bicycles to Healthy Neighborhoods. The bicycles were professionally overhauled by Emery's Cycle and Fitness. After successfully completing a series of activities, the bicycles were awarded to program participants.

Participants also received a helmet, bicycle gloves, lock, and a flashing red safety light for the back of their bicycles.

Alderman Joe Davis with Khalil Johnson

- **Neighborhood clean up**

  June 24th 4 PM
- **Help a neighbor**

  June 30th
- **Bike repair class**

  July 7th 6 PM Emery's Cycles
- **Courthouse visit Judge Sankovitz**

  July 13th 1 PM
- **Garage numbers**

  July 15th 10 AM
- **Bike safety class**

  July 19th 4 PM
- **Receive your bike**

  July 19th safety class!

Capitol Heights Earn a Bike Program

Neighborhood Clean Up

Garage Numbering

MPD Bicycle Safety Class

Lincoln Village “Beautiful Blocks V”

Youth Art Pillar in Kosciuszko Park

Lincoln Village Beautiful Blocks V

Native Couple Bench and Youth Art Pillar in Kosciuszko Park

1st Annual "Bloom and Groom"

On June 4th, 2011, all nine Healthy Neighborhoods participated in the 1st Annual "Bloom and Groom". Throughout each of the Healthy Neighborhoods, dozens of residents simultaneously planted hundreds of flowers. Each neighborhood had the option of adding to the event; several organized cook outs and resident gatherings surrounding "Bloom and Groom". Lowe's Home Improvement supported "Bloom and Groom" with a $10,000 discount and free delivery of the flowers.

LOWE'S NEVER STOP IMPROVING

1st Annual “Bloom and Groom”

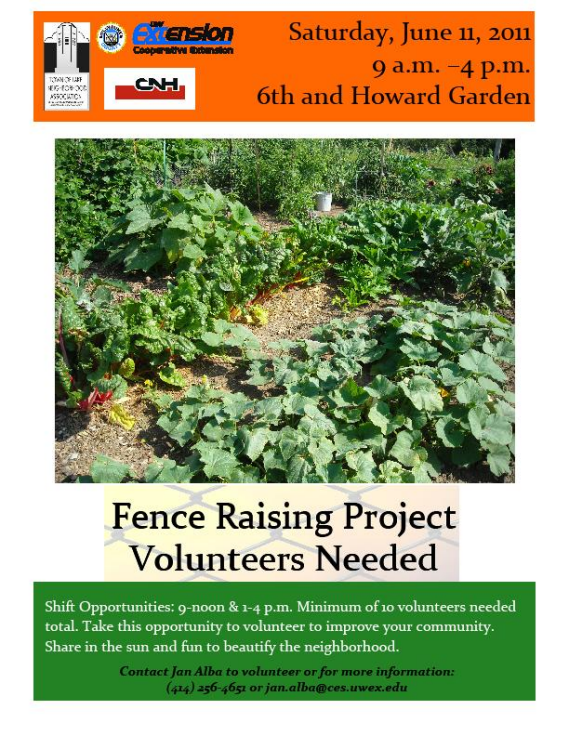
Lincoln Village

Layton Boulevard

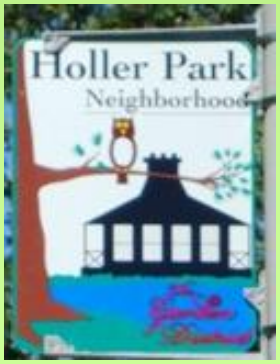
Havenwoods

Martin Drive

Garden District and CIP Projects



Wilson Park
NEIGHBORHOOD
ASSOCIATION



Garden District and CIP Projects

Garden District Community Gardens at 6th and Howard

Express Yourself Milwaukee 33rd/Lisbon “Pop Up Gallery”

Express Yourself Milwaukee City Hall display.

Grasslyn Manor
“Flood Control” Project

The project included soil re-grading, rain barrels, and a community picnic

“Refoundation” in Franklin Heights

Proud artists and their structure

Residents enjoy a day in the park

Nei Phi Neph Fratority Drum Line

Faith Purvey and youth artists

“Refoundation” in City Hall

Alderman Wade conducting a Tour for Refoundation youth

Damonte Hines and his art work in the City Hall rotunda.

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