

District 6 new address & emails

Neighborhood Clean-up

Como Parking Study

Rice Street Parking Study

September 2010  
213 Front Avenue  
Saint Paul, MN  
55117

[www.district6stpaul.org](http://www.district6stpaul.org)



### Taking up Residence October 1st!

District 6 after months and months of planning and preparation are actually moving from our current location to 171 Front Avenue. Quite a few neighbors have been stopping by and we thank you all for your interest-but please remember it is a construction site and we want everyone to be safe. An Open House is being planned for early fall. A many of you know 171 Front is located in our Invest Saint Paul site and District 6 is excited to have taken a vacant building and rehabbed it for our use -while keeping the integrity of the structure and yes there still are plans for the mural. The downside to any move is the move itself, especially for a neighborhood organization. While our telephone and fax numbers will stay the same, our email addresses will change and there will be some down time-how long we really don't know. Please bear with us during this change!

### Ask Kerry?

Hey Kerry

What's going on at Easy Street? You know the bar at Como, Front and Dale.

Looks like they gutted the whole building.

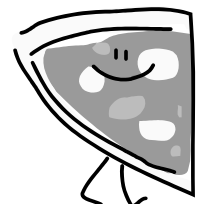
Are they remodeling the bar or did they sell the building?

If they sold it what's it going to be?

Will it stay a bar or is someone turn it into a restaurant or some thing like that?

Inquiring minds want to know!

Kerry: I know the answer-John's Pizza will be moving to that location! There are no plans to serve alcohol.



### District 6 & 7 Neighborhood Clean-up

Mark the Date!

Saturday September 11, 2010

7:30 AM to 1:00 PM

For More Information: 651-789-7481, 651-488-4485 or 651-488-7684

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A mailing has gone out with complete details concerning fees and what is acceptable to bring to the clean-up. District 6 will be accepting school supply donations, cash or supplies to be distributed to neighborhood schools.

Don't forget there is a Reuse area

Visit: [www.district6stpaul.org](http://www.district6stpaul.org)

## Rice Street Parking Study

Some significant changes are coming to Rice Street over the next few years. A park and ride lot will be built at Highway 36, and a station for the Central Corridor Light Rail line will be located at University Avenue. These developments should bring more people to the Rice Street corridor and hopefully to local businesses as well. In order to make sure that Rice Street is ready for these changes, District 6 is conducting a study of parking conditions along a two mile section of Rice Street between Sycamore Street and Larpenteur Avenue.

The purpose of the parking study is to determine if and where any parking issues exist, and to create short-term and long-term solutions for the benefit of local businesses as well as residents. Input from the community and local business owners is greatly appreciated and encouraged. This input, combined with on site observation and data gathering, will help shape parking solutions for Rice Street now and into the future. Please check out the District 6 website in coming weeks for a short parking survey that will help define Rice Street parking issues. District 6 will use this information to formulate parking solutions that will maximize Rice Street's economic and real estate development potential. The District 6 website will also provide information on an upcoming community meetings to review and receive input on the parking study.

### For Seniors

Arthritis Free  
Exercise  
Tuesday &  
Thursdays  
1:00 PM

Como By the Lake  
901 East Como  
Call 651-487-5135  
to sign-up!

### North End South Como Block Nurse Program

The North End-South Como Block Nurse Program is a non-profit home health care agency for seniors residing in District 6. They are dedicated to helping our senior neighbors remain happy, healthy and at home. If you have any questions concerning the NE-SC Block Nurse Program, need help for yourself, a neighbor or a family member, would like to volunteer or just want to talk to folks that know what you're going through, call (651) 487-5135.

## Como Regional Park Transportation Implementation Plan & TN Zoning

Want to keep updated with Como Park's planning for transportation and parking? Visit this website (<http://www.stpaul.gov/index.aspx?NID=3556>) to view updated information and maps about future Como Park transportation and parking. The website offers a background and goals of the project as well as maps of proposed shuttle stops, parking lots, bus routes, and more. You can also view a video of the Open House from early August if you missed out or download the Open House presentation.

Go to this website (<http://www.stpaul.gov/index.aspx?NID=3881>) for information and materials about the Traditional Neighborhood and Central Corridor Zoning Study. You are welcome to explore the documents

to view proposed changes for Traditional Neighborhood Zoning along the Central Corridor, which would also affect the Traditional Zoning we have here in District 6. Take the survey to let planners know your thoughts.



Police/Community  
Meetings for  
Central &  
Western Districts

## Central & Western Police Districts & An Open House

The Central Police Community meetings are held the 2nd Monday of the month at 6:30 PM at 1021 Rice Street-Rice Street Recreation Center. The Western Police Community Meetings are held the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 9:30 AM or 6:30 PM at 389 North Hamline Avenue. All are welcome!

Chief Tom Smith and the St. Paul Police Department are hosting an Open House for the Central District!

September 14th from 5:00 to 7:00 PM at 367 Grove Street

The Central District will; host a building tour, hands on displays

of police vehicles, meet police officers and local historical experts on police history and much more!

The Central District patrols downtown, west side, west 7th and the Rice Street area.

All are welcome !

## Stop the Rain Drain

When it rains, it drains. Rainwater from our roofs and gutters drains to local lakes and the Mississippi River via storm drains, picking up pollution along the way. This water is *not* treated before it goes to lakes and rivers. You can Stop the Rain Drain. This summer, Capitol Region Watershed District is focused on helping residents prevent water pollution by redirecting garage gutter downspouts to lawn or garden areas instead of hard surfaces like alleys, sidewalks, and driveways. CRWSD will do the redirection work for CRWD residents for *free*, or residents may do the work themselves and be reimbursed for supply costs. To learn more go to [stoprain.org](http://www.stoprain.org), or to schedule an appointment, call Elizabeth at 651-644-8888. <http://www.stoprain.org/>

To sign up for Nixle, a community information tool from the SPPD go to [www.stpaul.gov/police](http://www.stpaul.gov/police), scroll down to Nixle and follow the prompts, you will get updates *Your information will not be shared*

## District 6 News

As of September 22, 2010 Stephanie Lenz and Kerry Antrim will have new email addresses:

Stephanie: [district6cc@dist6pc.org](mailto:district6cc@dist6pc.org)

Kerry: [district6ed@dist6.org](mailto:district6ed@dist6.org)

The phone numbers and fax numbers will stay the same:

Stephanie: 651-488-7684

Kerry: 651-488-4485

Josiah's information will not change!

We will be collecting school supplies through the end of September. The location is Mikes Complete Auto Care, 1174 Rice Street

Also bring supply donations to the Neighborhood Clean-up!



School Supply Drive!  
Don't forget Dry Erase  
Markers for teachers!

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## September Calendar

Friday September 3rd-Office Closed

Monday September 6th-Office Closed

*Have a Safe & Happy Holiday Weekend!*

Tuesday September 7th-Board Meeting-

1414 N. Saint Albans 6:30 PM

Saturday September 11th CLEAN-UP 7:30AM to 1:00 PM

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Monday September 13th Central Police Community Meeting-

1021 Marion 6:30 PM

Tuesday September 21st Western Police/Community Meeting-

94 & Hamline 9:30 AM or 6:30 PM

Tuesday July 28th Land Use Task Force

1414 N. St. Albans 6:30 PM

## Invest Saint Paul

We will be holding a Community meeting late fall for Invest Saint Paul activities and initiatives.

Please look for information and contact the office if you have concerns surrounding vacant buildings or call:

"Your one call to City Hall"  
651-266-8989