

# Neighbor to Neighbor

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First Quarter Meeting  
March 22, 2016  
7:00 p.m.

# Agenda

- Introductions
- Review of Neighbor to Neighbor Goals
  - Public safety
  - Community
  - Citizen engagement
  - Recruitment
- Program Success
- City Updates
- Other Business

# Introductions

- Name
- Territory
- Group Size
- Update on Activities

# Success/Challenges

- Success Stories
- Challenges
- Strategies to Overcome Challenges

# City Updates: Request Tracker

- Part of consortium to bring affordable service
- Models Evanston's 311 system
- Online only
- Allows the City to track occurrences
- Residents can observe submitted requests
- Residents can submit requests



# City Updates: Composting

- Begins in April – December 15
- 35 gallon container from LRS
- Countertop container from the City @ \$5
- Once per Week Subscription (\$225)
- Volume-base (\$2.25/sticker)
- Same Day Collection



# Composting Continued

## What is Compostable?

- The Highland Park curbside compost service is for:
  - Fruits and Vegetables (includes unpainted holiday pumpkins)
  - Leftovers and kitchen scraps (includes coffee grounds, tea bags & filters)
  - Breads, grains, pasta and cereal
  - Meat, poultry, seafood (including shells and bones)
  - Dairy and Eggs (including shells; no liquids)
  - Paper Products (includes paper towels, plates, napkins, egg cartons and pizza boxes)
  - Plant trimmings from house plants, leaves, wilted flowers

# Composting Continued

This service does NOT accept:

- Diapers
- Liquids
- Grease
- Pet waste
- Styrofoam
- Oil
- Do NOT use plastic bags in your compost bin (even biodegradable ones)
- Recyclable items (metal, plastics, newspaper, glass, etc.) should all still go in your recycling bin





# City Updates:

## Citizen Fire/Police Academies

- Youth Citizens Police Academy
  - Details forthcoming
  - Curriculum in development process
  - Dates and program to be finalized and conducted this year
- Citizens Fire Academy
  - May be open to public in 2017
  - Testing program in the fall with smaller group
  - 10 weeks long



# Next Steps

- Presentation suggestions for next meeting
- Feedback on City involvement
- Other