The Grapevine

A bi-monthly newsletter by the East Cesar Chavez Neighborhood Association & Planning Team



La Viña Boletin

Para info en Español, llame a Sabino 'Pio' Renteria 478-6770

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Su voto es su voz! Election Day is Nov. 6! Early Vote Oct 22-Nov 2 Register to vote by Oct 9th Questions? Info?

Call 238-VOTE (8683)

www.co.travis.tx.us/ county clerk/election

A Local Historic District for ECC??

Our ECC Local Historic Preservation Committee is scheduling historic house warming events as forums for neighbors to explore the option of establishing a local historic district in East Cesar Chavez. If you'd be interested in attending - or hosting - such an event, contact Amy at mankin76@gmail.com or 499-0780.

A message from our ECC Team Chairperson

Crisitna Valdes, 789-0309 or cristinavaldes@realtyaustin.com

One of the best features in our neighborhood is its proximity to the hike and bike trail, restaurants, farmer's market, community gardens, and downtown. Now we can add the fact that we have won designation as a National Recreation Trail. The Tejano Walking and Music Legends Trails in our neighborhood have received national recognition and we are celebrating that accomplishment with a ribbon cutting ceremony and reception on September 6th. See detail below. Grab a friend and set out on an adventure to learn more about these streets of ours. The stories that they tell will amaze you!

Bring your scissors and help us cut the ribbon to celebrate federal recognition by the US Dept. of Interior's National Park Service as a 2012 designee for status as a National Recreation Trail for our

Tejano Healthy Walking Trail & Trail of Tejano Music Legends Thursday, Sept. 6th at 11 am at the historic Fish Pond, 1207-1301 Haskell St.

See the Trail Map on Page 9 or click here!

Parking is limited. Please walk, bike, catch Metro Bus #21/22 or carpool. Parking lots and bus stop are located behind the RBJ Residential Tower, enter from Waller Street.

Program Agenda for Ribbon-Cutting Ceremony & Reception:

11 am Ribbon Cutting Ceremony @ Historic Federal Fish Hatchery Pond, 1207—1307 Haskell Street, Austin, Texas 78702 (please park behind the RBJ Tower)

Special Guests: Secretary Ken Salazar (invited), Congressman Lloyd Doggett, Senator Kirk Watson, Representative Eddie Rodriguez, Mayor Lee Leffingwell, and LBJ National Park Superintendent Russ Whitlock.

11:30 am Reception immediately following the ceremony @ the adjacent RBJ Senior Residential Tower in the Community Room, 21 Waller Street, Austin, 78702

Special thanks to Tony Morone, the pianist for The Nash Hernandez Orchestra – a Tejano Music Legends Trail Designee, for providing live music for our reception.

The Reception with light snacks is sponsored by the RBJ Residents' Council, East Cesar Chavez Neighborhood Planning Team, Austin Latino Music Association (ALMA), the wonderful RBJ residents and their allies. Contact: <u>Lori Renteria</u>, Tejano Healthy Walking Trail Coordinator, at 512-478-6770, anytime. Visit our websites for more info: www.eastcesarchavez.org www.austinlatinomusic.com/trail.html www.rbjcenter.org

Many thanks to the fine folks at City of Austin Public Works Dept., RBJ staff, and Downtown Austin Community Court workers for helping us organize and execute this event. Mil gracias!

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Crime and Safety Committee Report

by Lori C-Renteria, 478-6770 or <u>lorirenteria@grandecom.net</u> Our APD District Rep., Jason Huskins, attended our June ECC Team meeting and gave us some tips and info:

- The camera at E. Cesar Chavez and Waller is a traffic camera not part of the HALO cams used in high crime areas. He provided us with the APD contact to request a meeting with local businesses about installing HALO cams in our area.
- Vehicle Break-ins continue to be a primary concern along the rail corridor and E. 6th St. due to poor lighting and opportunities created when visitors to our entertainment district leave valuables in plain site. APD will be renting huge, portable lighting trailers to park in spots where lighting is poor. We will be asking Cap Metro to take responsibility for renting or buying their own lights since the vacant tract along the rail corridor is their responsibility.

Keep calling 911 when you see something odd. Let the 911 dispatcher decide if your call should be transferred to 311. Any crime in progress —even petty crimes—is a 911 call. All suspicious people or vehicles should also be reported to 911. Trust your gut feeling, if something looks or feels scary—call 911. Sound Complaints still a big problem in our area!

Continue to call 911 for noise complaints. It'd help a lot to keep filing noise complaints using the <u>sound@austintexas.gov</u> or <u>call the Sound HOTLINE at 974-1000</u> because the Sound Hotline is monitored by those who approve outdoor music venue permits and repeated complaints can lead to businesses losing their right to have outdoor music permits. Cheer Up Charlies and White Horse are generating the most complaints.

Contact Edward Robinson to get on the notice list for meetings. Edward provided this contact info and helpful links:

Admin. Assistant: Edward Robinson 974-5340

G1 District Rep: Officer Jason Huskins 974-5292

DR's main number 974-3822 or dtac.dr@austintexas.gov

DR Supervisor: Sgt. John Spillers 974-5708

Region 1 Detective/DR: Lt. Tyson McGowan 974-5302

Region 1 Commander John Romoser 974-8587

Team 1 - Persons Crimes - Main No. 974-5320 or call SGT. Keith Reynolds - 974-8507. Assault, Deadly Conduct, Harassment, Terroristic Threats, Disturbances

Team 2 - Property Crimes – Main No. 974-5484 or SGT. William Warren - 974-5425. Burglary of or breaking into Vehicles, Criminal Mischief, Criminal Trespass, all types of Theft

Citywide Night Detectives – Main No. 974-5320 or SGT. Dawn King - 974-8517 and Lt. McGowan - 974-5302

APD Home page: www.austintexas.gov/department/police
APD District Representatives: http://www.austintexas.gov/department/commanders-forums
Citizen Observer - Austin Police Dept: http://

www.citizenobserver.com/cov6/app/group.html?id=4117 Sign up for both the Citizen Alert Network and Raids on-line alerts http://www.citizenobserver.com/ City of Austin - Crime Information: http://www.austintexas.gov/GIS/crimeviewer/

CrimeViewer disclaimer.html APD Incident Report Database: https://www.ci.austin.tx.us/police/reports/index.cfm Crime Prevention:

services#overlay-context=article/crime-prevention-services City Code and Charter - http://www.amlegal.com/austin tx/

Next Community Safety Forum—FREE!

SAVE THE DATE: Sept. 22nd Want to help? Info? jack@krimelabb.com

E. Cesar Chavez & Guadalupe areas APD's DTAC Commanders' Forum Tuesday, Oct. 16 @ 5:30 pm Waller Creek Plaza, 625 E. 10th Street

Park free: visitor slots, top floor parking garage Info or Questions? Call Edward 974-5340 or 974-3822

Central East & South Central
(Holly and most eastside NAs and Montopolis)
APD's Commanders' Forum
Oct 1 @ 6:30 pm
East Substation & Forensics Lab
812 Springdale Rd, 1st floor

Parking limited, share a ride or Bus #17 or 4 Get notices, question? call Gwen 974-8106 or 974-8578

2012 National Night Out Tuesday, Oct 2 7-9pm

For the rest of the nation, National Night Out occurs in August. Since Texas is so hot, the event has been moved to October when it is cooler outside. Neighborhoods throughout Austin join together to:

- Heighten crime and drug prevention awareness
- Generate support and participation in crime prevention efforts
- Strengthen neighborhood spirit and police community relations
- Send the message that your neighborhood is a safe place to live

Neighborhoods are encouraged to come together and send the message that we are all working together to prevent crime and keep our neighborhoods safe. From 5-9 p.m. on Tuesday, October 2, 2012, residents are asked to turn on their porch lights, lock their doors and spend the evening outside with their neighbors, police officers, EMS and fire fighters. To register your neighborhood party, visit APD's website at www.austintexas.gov/police or call 974-4900 and they will get an application filled out for you. Applications must be completed by Friday, September 14th, at 5:00 p.m. in order to be officially registered in Austin and to receive organizational material and updates.

Join our neighborhood's crime watch group. Go to: http://groups.google.com/group/east-austin-neighbors and request membership.

Join our Affordable Housing Committee Call Sabino Pio Renteria, 478-6770 or pio@grandecom.net



The Historic Preservation Committee is happy to announce that it supports Habitats home repair efforts in the neighborhood. If you qualify for Habitat's Home Repair program and you live in an historic home (i.e. a home over 50 years old and reflects the character of the neighborhood), the Historic Preservation Committee will work with Habitat to identify repair options (materials and techniques) to preserve the integrity of you home's historic character. For more info, contact Amy at mankin76@gmail.com or 499-0780.

Austin Habitat is happy to serve the East Cesar Chavez Neighborhood!

Home Repair: Need repairs made to your home? Have a neighbor who could use some help fixing up their house? Austin Habitat hopes to repair 5 homes in ECC before the end of 2012. We can help with exterior painting, roofing, trim, windows, exterior doors, siding, wheelchair ramps, gutters, plumbing and electric. To qualify, you must own and occupy the home to be repaired, you must not be able to afford the repairs on your own, you must be current on all Austin property taxes or on a payment plan, you must have homeowner's insurance, and you must meet maximum income limits. Please visit our website (www.austinhabitat.org) for more information and call Jacquie at 478-8788 x 100 to see if you qualify!

ReStore: Is there a demolition going on near your house? Call the ReStore at 478-2165 to let us know so we can pick up some of the debris and keep it from ending up in the landfill! Also, donate your items to us to help fund our programs or shop our huge selection of affordable home improvement items! Over the course of 20 years, the ReStore has diverted more than 13 million pounds of construction debris from our local landfill. The money from sales of these items helps fund Habitat's mission of eliminating poverty housing through our new homeownership and home repair programs.

Homeownership: Know of someone looking to purchase a home? We're not building in ECC but we do have new homes nearby! We offer orientation 3 times per month. Call Jacquie at 478-8788 x 100 for more information or visit our website at www.austinhabitat.org

Classes: We offer FREE HUD-certified homebuyer education and foreclosure counseling! Call today to schedule an appointment: 478-8788 x 100.

2012 Kirwan Institute

Opportunity Mapping Project: *Affordable Housing Forum:* A Series of Forums on Affordable Housing and Other Vital Services:

Monday, Sept. 10th 5:30-7 p.m. Street-Jones Building 1000 East 11th St. 4th Floor Conference Room Special Guest: Frank Fernandez

For questions, or to RSVP, please contact 974-3100 or email HousingForums@austintexas.gov

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Postal services for our zip code have moved
to the Southeast Station, 4516 Burleson Rd.
next to the McDonalds on W. Ben White. All mail
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between 8:30 am and 5 pm or Sat. 10am-12pm. Look
for the pickup window in the lobby and ring the bell.
Call to have your mail put on hold or redelivered 1-800-275-8777 or www.usps.com.
We will miss our postal workers when the retail

services at E. 7th Street close sometime next year!



Affordable housing for all is a community problem that can only be solved with your help. HousingWorks Austin is a great resource for the latest news in affordable housing at the local, state, and national level. For up-to-date info on housing research, bonds, and news, call 512.326.3356 or www.housingworksaustin.org

34th annual Fiestas Patrias of Austin Diez y Seis de Septiembre Fiesta September 15-16, 2012 Fiesta Gardens Park www.diezyseis.org

Diez y Seis in Capitol Rotunda September 14th at 12 Noon

Senator Kirk Watson and Representative Eddie Rodriguez will host the Annual Diez y Seis celebration in the Capitol Rotunda. It will feature the Grito de Independencia by the Consul General de Mexico, Danza Azteca Guadalupana, Austin High Ballet Folklorico, Johnny Degollado y su Conjunto and the Mariachi Mexico Lindo.

All the public is invited to this event which is free of charge. Info? Yolanda Velasquez, Office of Sen. Kirk Watson, 463-0114

600 River Street, 974-3770 or www.maccaustin.org Exhibit & workshop hours vary. Rental space available. Visit us today for adult, youth classes and summer camps!

SPECIAL EVENTS—FREE! GRATIS!

"El Grito de Independencia"

Dieciseis, Mexico's Independance Celebration

Saturday, September 15th
5th Year Anniversary Celebration

Celebrating Five Years of Cultural Enrichment
Saturday, October 13th

5th Annual Dia de los Muertos Celebration Saturday, November 3

JOIN IN AND HELP US ON COMMUNITY EVENTS!

Call us or email: <u>linda.crockett@austintexas.gov</u> or <u>bernardino.miranda@austintexas.org</u>

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27th Annual Dia de la Raza Celebration

an annual fundraising event to support quality programs at our beloved MACC!

always held at the Emma Barrientos Mexican American Cultural Center 600 River Street, 78701 Friday, Oct 12 from 7-10pm

Want to be a sponsor?
Contribute a silent auction gift?

Join Friends of the MACC!

www.Facebook.com/groups/FMACC Info? Lori or Pio Renteria at 478-6770 or email: pio@grandecom.net

> Get info on Holly Shores/Festival Beach Master Plan Process. Call Chris Yanez 974-9455 or email him <u>chris.yanez@austintexas.gov</u> See more at <u>www.austintexas.gov/</u> hollyshoresmasterplan

New Austin Public Library Catalog Offers Search, Browse, Rate, Comment, Tag, Share, Connect and More

On August 27, the Austin Public Library (APL) launched a new catalog to make finding Library materials easier, faster, more intuitive and a lot more fun. Leveraging social networking principles, APL's new catalog gives customers improved functionality in a more user-friendly environment that is designed to help connect people with common interests. The catalog seeks to provide the same experience of discovery and community online that the Library has always delivered in person—all built around the heart of the library: its collections. Search, browse, rate, comment, tag, and share your favorite Library books. movies and music. Get a preview today: library.austintexas.gov/newcatalog For more information please call 512-974-7400 or visit library.austintexas.gov.

Many thanks to Trinsic Technologies, Inc. for sponsoring our website

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HELP WANTED: JOIN OUR TEAM! We are still accepting nominations for Sector Reps for Sectors 7 and 2.

We're accepting nominations for representatives to serve on our Team. If you can attend our meetings on the 3rd Wednesday each month from 6—7:30 pm, then you can nominate yourself. Bylaws and policies are on our website or request a print copy by calling Lori at 478-6770. We have geographic Sector Reps so all parts of the neighborhood have a voice. See a Sector Map on our website. Sector Reps must live in their Sector, and be willing to communicate/pass flyers in their sector. A short bio or letter explaining why you want to serve in that slot is mainly how the Leadership Team selects new members. Interested? Call 478-6770 or contact a rep listed below.

Your ECC Leadership Team Contacts: Call if you would like to get involved with us!				
Name	Address	Phone #	Representing/Committees	
Cristina Valdés	902 E. 2nd Street	789-0309	ECC Chair, Business rep., Realty Austin	
Sabino 'Pio' Renteria	1511 Haskell	478-6770	ECC V-Chair, Sector 6 rep., Housing Chair	
Susan Benz	1101—B E. 6th Street	220-9542x100	ECC Treasurer, Sector 8 resident rep.	
Al Moser	1901 Riverview	524-2974	Business rep., USPS carrier	
Kathy Setzer	1609 E. Cesar Chavez	775-6436	Eastside Inn, Business representative	
Julio Perez	407 W. Live Oak (78704) 443-0801		Festival Beach Garden, Non-profit rep	
Frank E. Campos	POB 40031 (78704)	971-7138	Non-profit rep. Education Austin	
Ken Johnson	1809 Holly St.	210-710-2013	Non-profit rep., Architecture for Humanity	
Farah Rivera	21 Waller St	501-9853	Renters' Representative	
Pilar Sanchez	903 E. 2nd St.	477-4488 x2122	Sector 1 resident representative	
OPEN SEAT Accepting Nominations Sector 2 resident representative: Navasota to Chicon, E. Cesar Chavez-E.4th				
Chris Kanipe	904 Spence St.	646-825-1892	Sector 3 resident representative, ANC rep.	
Edie Cassel	1611 Willow	968-5313	Sector 4 resident representative	
Jo Staton	21 Waller St., #1205	924-1105	Sector 5 rep., senior citizens' advocate	
OPEN SEAT Accepting Nominations Sector 7 resident representative: Waller to Comal, E. Cesar Chavez to Holly				
Kathy McWhorter	1711 Willow	478-9478	Parks & Environment Chair, Green Council	
Amy Thompson	1402 E. 2nd St.	499-0780	Local Historic District Committee Chair	
Lori C-Renteria	1511 Haskell	478-6770	Crime & Safety Chair, Newsletter Editor	
Ricardo Zavala	9803 Eastwend, Unit B (53) 577-8280 Edit		Education Committee Chair	
Anna Rowlan		751-9378	Transportation Committee Co-Chair	
Matt Lutz	1519 E. Cesar Chavez	767-7400 x4	Transportation Committee Co-Chair	
Rick Weinberg	1109 A Holly St.	786-9050	Economic Development Committee Chair	
<u>Jeff Thompson</u>	1408 Willow St.	322-9930	Land Use/Design Co-Chair	
Molly O'Halloran	1308 E. 2nd Street	809-4777	Land Use/Design Co-Chair	
Richard Roberts	1301 E. Cesar Chavez	351-9436	Fundraising Committee Chair	

Welcome! Bienvenidos! Julio Perez

Festival Beach Community Garden onsite manager and a long-time Austinite who hails from Monterrey, Nuevo Leon, Mexico was elected as a non-profit rep on our ECC Team in August. He's one of seven siblings, he went to Brooke Elementary and Allen Jr. High in East Austin. He admits it was not easy, due to the language barrier and says it was difficult making friends. In time he made friends with all people from all walks of life. The family moved to South Austin but always kept going back to East Austin. They've always kept up and keep up with people in East Austin. Julio told us, "We have been here for 44 years and can't think of anywhere I would live other than here. I would like to have the opportunity to be involved in the Cesar Chavez Planning Team. I have been here and seen what has gone on that I would like to be able to give input in the future of this neighborbood. Serving this community would be a pleasure and an honor." Many thanks to Julio and all the other folks who step up and volunteer to help us implement our action steps in ways large and small. Why don't you call a Team member and get involved, too?

SAVE THE DATE: Oct 25th

East Night Summit and Celebration, a day full of creative dialogue surrounding the creative arts community in Austin, and a night of networking, entertainment, and fun!

http://peoplefund.org

PeopleFund, a nonprofit community lender, holds free workshops and consultations for aspiring or current small and local business owners. Contact them or visit their very cool PeopleFund space near the MLK Train Station at 2921 E. 17th St. Call 472-8087 x107 or email info@PeopleFund.org

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Diez y Seis de Septiembre Thursday, September 13, 2012 ACC Riverside Campus 1020 Grove Boulevard Noon – 1 p.m.

Free and open to the public!
Parking is very limited. Please Walk,
Bike, Carpool or Go Metro!

Ventanilla de Salud: Connections to Health! 410 Baylor Street, 78703, 478-2866 ext 117 Visit 8-1pm or Call 8-5pm

Como siempre, todo es gratis, no hay que hacer cita y no se necesita documentación. Traiga un grupo! También queremos que sepan que estamos finalizando el calendario para la Semana Binacional de Salud, Octubre 1-14, 2012.

Free and low-cost health resources for those without access and/or health insurance. All services are free and open to everyone in the Latino community. FREE SCREENINGS: CALL FOR EXACT TIMES For more information and to register, please contact Paige Menking - pmenking@capitalahec.org or (512)663-4196.

We also want everyone to know that we are finalizing the calendar for Binational Health Week, October 1-14th, 2012. Each year we bring together all our partners for two weeks of free health activities for the community. If your health and human services group wants to participate, you must register before Sept. 4th.

ADS? COMMENTS? STORY IDEAS?
Call Lori at 478-6770 or
lorirenteria@grandecom.net

GOT TOO MANY CATS?

THE AUSTIN HUMANE SOCIETY CAN HELP! IF YOU HAVE FREE ROAMING CATS, PLEASE CALL TODAY! (512) 685-0111 OR EMAIL lstivers@austinhumanesociety.org/www.austinhumanesociety.org/Ferals

Need Help? Go to our East Austin Neighborhood Center at 211 Comal St. Drop in or call us at 972-6650 to get services or info.

- September 5th is our monthly Fresh Food Distribution from 8 to 11 and is open to anyone.
- September 14th is our monthly Project Hope Distribution for our seniors who have registered from 8 to 12. If seniors (55+ are interested in registering, they can call 972-6650 to schedule an appointment)
- If anyone is in need of food pantry, backpack, or fan assistance, please call 972-6650 for an appointment.

BOOOOOOO! 22nd Annual Haskell Street Halloween Block Party



We need candy and cupcakes for this free children's event. Call the good witch on the eastside, Lori, at 478-6770. Sponsored by The Friendly Fiends of the 1400-1500 Block of Haskell Street, United East Austin Coalition, Pct 4 Deputies and Constable Maria Canchola, and the brothers of UT-Austin Chapter of Sigma Lambda Beta

Dear Capital Metro stakeholder, We need your input!

Capital Metro is proposing changes on several routes in **South Austin**, **Northeast Austin**, and **Northcross** areas. The proposals aim to improve transit access, efficiency and reliability and will go before the Capital Metro Board of Directors on September 24th and if approved, would take effect on January 13, 2013. The proposed route realignments, extensions, and adjustments should improve efficiency and increase ridership without an increase in costs, and will have no impact on the service area for MetroAccess.

Become involved, join the conversation, and comment on specific proposals in efforts to provide effective services that meet the Austin area's transportation needs! Info? Call or email our new community liaison, Celso Baez, 369-7759 or celso.baez@capmetro.org. You can also go to www.capmetro.icanmakeitbetter.com, or email your input to feedback@capmetro.org, or call 512-474-1200.

Thank you for riding Capital Metro.

Greetings from the Festival Beach Community Garden. Festival Beach Community Garden is growing leaps and bounds. Yes, not only our veggies and flowers, but also our involvement in the community with help from 2 new interns. TK karakashian tunchez and Armando Salinas are working on outreach, education, and community connections to Festival Beach Garden. They held classes with youth at Camacho and Metz REC centers this summer and it was a HUGE success. Working with about



75 young people, they shared many brilliant things, including, talking about the value of compost, what sorts of vegetables they grow that are culturally important to them, and how much they love working the garden. One of our young people said, "I love being here so much, I don't ever want to leave!!!" We'll be offering other education programs for community wellness and food production in the fall. Another ongoing project of the FBG community is The Hope Food Pantry at the RBJ Residential Center held on the 3rd Wednesday of every month at 9:30 am. To help at the Pantry or for info, call Farah at 512-501-9853. If you would like to support these programs by volunteering to help maintain the plots, making a contribution for supplies, or offering workshops for the youth and/or adult participants please contact our interns via email: tikisone@gmail.com or armandosalinas.mando@gmail.com Or you can call our onsite FBG manager, Julio Perez, at 443-0801 or azucar al@att.net.

Protect your pets and the community! Free Rabies Vaccination

A free pet vaccination clinic will be held from 8 a.m. to noon Saturday, September 22 at Richard Moya Park, 10001 Burleson Rd., Austin, TX 78719. The free clinic is sponsored by the City of Austin Animal Services Office. Vaccinations are for dogs and cats 12 weeks of age and older. All animals' information will be entered into our database so that they can be reunited with their owners if lost. Personalized pet ID tags will also be available at no charge. Dogs must be on a leash and cats must be in carriers or secured in boxes with air holes. Puppies should be brought in carriers or crates. For more information the public can call 311. For more information about Animal Services and the Austin Animal Center, visit www.austinanimalcenter.org.

METZ REC CENTER FALL CLASSES! 2407 Canterbury, Call us at 478-8716 SENIOR LUNCH & SPECIAL EVENTS

FREE Movies Under the Stars

Every Friday night, Movies begin at dusk! Bring your lawn chairs or blanket to see the latest movies on the big screen.

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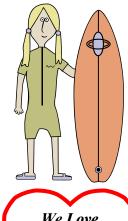
for everyone when movie starts. Very cool fall classes and events for all ages!

EmanciPet Wellness Walk-in & Mobile Clinics Our clinic at the old School for the Deaf or at our Mobile Van. No appointment necessary- first come, first served. Go to www.emancipet.org or call 512-587-7729 for an appointment. Low Cost basic veterinary services for spayed/neutered animals: Discount prices for pet needs like Flea-Tick Control/Worms



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Fiesta Gardens & Grandma
Camacho Center. Info? Call
Kimery at 512.626.6282, or
www.expeditionschool.org



We Love our Lake! East Side Garden Exchange: ¡Sí, se crece!

A group of UT students and the Holly Neighborhood Coalition Team built a beautiful mobile toolshed and filled it with gardening tools, a monthly guide to planting in Central Texas, a seed-trading wall, and other resources for neighborhood projects as well as for tool checkout by individuals—including our neighbors to the west in the East César Chávez Neighborhood. When not in active use for organized projects, the new toolshed lives at the East Side Food Park, 2209 E. César Chávez Street. Please drop by for a look—and grab a snack or beverage from one of the great vendors there. If you're interested in volunteering for the Neighbors Helping Neighbors September 15 event or future projects, checking out tools, or getting help in starting or maintaining your own garden, please contact Teri at tericlaire@sbcglobal.net or 731-0174.

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Calendar Call 478-6770 or send your ads, articles or events to lorirenteria@grandecom.net

Sept 19 East Cesar Chavez Neighborhood Team Meeting, 6-7:30 pm, TERRAZAS LIBRARY, 478-6770

Oct 17 East Cesar Chavez Neighborhood Team Meeting, 6-7:30 pm, TERRAZAS LIBRARY, 478-6770

Nov 6 Election: bonds. county, state, federal candidates Call 238-VOTE (8683) or www.traviscountyclerk.org

Please support those who advertise in our newsletter, their ads keep it free for all to see!



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www.treasurecitythrift.org

25 cent sale!

Saturday, September 22 11am to 5pm

Bring your own bags to gather lots of treasures.
Treasure City is a collectively run non-profit supporting local grassroots organizations in East Austin.

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Thanks to Cristina Valdes,

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for ongoing assistance

with The Grapevine Newsletter

and the ECC Facebook Page!



The NEW Animal Center 7201 Levander Loop

at Highway 183 and Airport Boulevard Take a walk through the animal shelter and meet a new life-long friend.

For more info see

www.austinanimalcenter.org call 3-1-1 or www.facebook.com/ austinanimalservices

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