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## **Summer Block Party June 8<sup>th</sup>!!**

**Location: Cherry St. between 72<sup>nd</sup> Terr and 73<sup>rd</sup> St**

**Time: 5:30 pm to 9 pm**

**Come out and meet your neighbors at the annual block party.**

**BBQ and hot dogs (+ fixins), beverages including beer will be provided.**

**Everyone is asked to bring a potluck side dish or dessert to share\*.**

**Entertainment includes kids bounce house, street games and door prizes.**

**By popular demand, households will also be able to pick up new souvenir color changing cup!**

**So break out your lawnchairs and join us for some Summer fun!**

**\*Don't forget to label any containers.**

**\*Check for updates on the RGNA Facebook page including announcements in case of inclement weather.**

### **Membership Drive**

Membership renewal notices will be going out in the mail soon. The annual dues remain \$35. Dues can be paid by mailing a check with the payment stub in the mailer or by paying at the Block Party.

Dues payments support RGNA events/activities including Springfest, Dumpster Day, Block Party, Progressive Dinner, Monthly Newsletter and Marker Repairs. In addition, paid members receive a discount card to area businesses, resident directory and other benefits like our limited addition of pet bandanas (also available at the Block Party).

If you are new to the neighborhood and would like more information about RGNA please email either [membership@rockhillgardens.org](mailto:membership@rockhillgardens.org) or [president@rockhillgardens.org](mailto:president@rockhillgardens.org).

Visit our Web site, [www.rockhillgardens.org](http://www.rockhillgardens.org), for events calendar, copies of all newsletters and board member contact information. You can sign up for the RGNA e-mail list to receive updated news. Also, be sure to visit our RGNA facebook page!

# VOTE

Don't forget to vote on June 18<sup>th</sup>.

Ballot issued include

- Mayor
- Council At-Large Districts.  
(Side-note: Both Andrea Bough and Stacey Johnson-Cosby will be on the ballot again. Since they were the two top vote recipients for the April primary they both are on the general election ballot.)
- Municipal Judges
- Question 1 – Economic Development Incentives-Ad Valorem Real Property Tax Cap  
This involves capping the tax increment financing (TIF) at 50% instead of the current 75%  
A basic run down of the issue - both for and against - can be found by searching [Ballotpedia.org](http://Ballotpedia.org) for local ballot measures June 18<sup>th</sup> - Missouri

[Go to kceb.org](http://kceb.org) for official ballot language, voting locations and information on absentee voting.

## Summer in KC

As many of you already know, summer is a great time to be in KC. From the 4<sup>th</sup> of July celebrations down at Berkley Park on the River, to outdoor music/performances at the Starlight Theater or Providence Amphitheater (though most still call it Sandstone), there are lots of options for amazing entertainment. Some helpful resources for finding out what's going on include:

- [VisitKC.com](http://VisitKC.com)
- [KCparks.org](http://KCparks.org)
- [KCparent.com](http://KCparent.com)
- [iFamilykc.com](http://iFamilykc.com)
- [kckidsfun.com](http://kckidsfun.com)



Have a great and safe summer of fun!

## Important Dates:

Wednesday, June 12th: RGNA Monthly Meeting, Waldo Library, 7 p.m.

Wednesday, July 10th: RGNA Monthly Meeting, Waldo Library, 7 p.m.

### Board Members

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### Useful Numbers

Emergency	911
Police (non-emergency)	234-5111
KCMO Action Center	513-1313
Animal control	513-9800
Crime Stoppers	474-TIPS
Curb and sidewalk repair	513-7951
Drugs suspected	474-DRUG
Mayor Sly James	513-3500
Metro Patrol (ongoing issues)	234-5520
Parks & Recreation	513-7500
Pothole hotline	513-9224
Street light repair	513-9595
Waldo Area Business Association	523-5553
Waldo Branch library	701-3625