

## NEWS FROM UNIVERSITY PARK COMMUNITY COUNCIL (aka UPCC)

## Did you know if you reside within the boundaries of University Park (Yale to I-25, Colorado to University) you are a member of University Park Community Council?

UPCC is a Registered Neighborhood Organization (RNO) with the City and County of Denver. Because of this status we receive notices of zoning change applications, liquor and dispensary applications, information about City Council agendas, plans and meetings, and so forth. These notices come to the UPCC Board, a small, passionate and active group of neighbors who not only respond to and handle these city matters on your behalf, but who are also responsible for several neighborhood initiatives each year, including three UPCC General Meetings, 4th of July Parade, UPCC Yard Sale, Sing & Sleighbells, and Band in the Park. **Our next GENERAL MEETING is October 4 from 6:30-8:15 pm in the school auditorium.** 

How can you become involved?
We are always looking for interested, energetic volunteers to serve on the Board and Committees.

## We presently have the following openings:

**Vice-President** – serve as VP with the intent of later serving as Board President. Qualifications: available to attend and preside over Board meetings (generally held the first Tuesday of the month, 6:45-8:45 pm (except in months when there are General Meetings or neighborhood-wide events), General Meetings (held the 1st Wednesday evenings in October, February and May from 6:30-8:15 pm), must be organized, collaborative, and have leadership abilities.

INC (Inter-Neighborhood Cooperation) delegate – Inter-Neighborhood Cooperation meets monthly on Saturday mornings at various sites around Denver. This organization functions as a collaborative and collegial body representing all the RNOs (Registered Neighborhood Organizations) in Denver. Qualifications: available to attend monthly meeting held generally on the 2nd Saturday, interested in city governance, Denver City Council, neighborhood and city-wide issues.

**Sustainability Initiative representatives** – This is a new initiative we are hoping to populate with individuals who have a passion for ecological sustainability within our neighborhood. Qualifications: a passion for ecology, conscientious use of resources, maintaining and improving the carbon footprint of our neighborhood. Meetings have not begun; we are seeking individuals to work with the city and others to bring greater awareness and action for sustainability to our neighbors, hopefully starting early November.

To get involved, or to recommend someone, please send an email to <a href="mailto:president@upcc.us">president@upcc.us</a> with name and contact info, and how you wish to serve your community!