

Thursday, June 26, 2025

Broadmoor Neighborhood Meeting Minutes

Neighborhood Meeting Agenda

• 6:00 pm: Welcome Remarks from the BIA

6:05 pm: Guest Speakers6:30 pm: BIA Updates

6:45 pm:Resident Announcements

• 7:00 pm: Meeting Adjournment

6:00 - 6:05 pm: Welcome & General Announcements

- Natori Green, BIA Co Executive Director & Director of Programs welcomed attendees and provided updates and recaps.
- Volunteers needed at The Broadmoor Food Pantry located at 2021 S Dupre St, New Orleans, LA, 70125. Onsite volunteers & delivery driver volunteers ages 18+ are needed on Tuesdays 8:00 am - 12:00 pm and Wednesdays 11:00 am - 3:00 pm. Create an account & sign up to volunteer today no-hunger.org/volunteer/
- Broadmoor Food Pantry Volunteer group highlight: Thank You North Carolina United Youth for Volunteering on June 23rd!
- Broadmoor Food Pantry is seeking donations: grains, proteins, fruits & vegetables, other food items. Donate foods at the Arts & Wellness Center (3900 General Taylor St) and The Broadmoor Food Pantry (2021 S Dupre St) during operational hours. Contact (504) 224 8967 BEFORE dropping off items. Donation Thank You: Blessed Trinity Church donated over 300 pounds of food and toiletry items for our food pantry clients.
- Broadmoor Tool Lending Library: Become a member by <u>creating a myturn</u> <u>account</u>. Browse and reserve your tools using our online inventory. Pick up items in person at the Arts & Wellness Center at 3900 General Taylor St, New Orleans, LA, 70125.
- Garden With Us at any of our three community gardens. Upcoming gardening dates: Saturday Food Forest: June 28th, Saturday Rain Garden: July 12th,

- Monday Food Forest: July 7th, July 14th, July 21st, Monday Rain Garden: July 14th, July 28th Contact communications@broadmoorimprovement.com with volunteer inquiries.
- Gardening Volunteer Thank You: Thanks Whole Foods Team for volunteering on June, 2 at the Broadmoor Food Forest (3730 Toledano St)
- Broadmoor Community Church Community Lighthouse: The Broadmoor Community Church will serve as an energy resilience hub for heating, cooling and charging electronics in the event of a natural disaster. The Broadmoor Community Church fellowship hall will be powered by solar panels and volunteers will distribute emergency food and supplies.
- Stay Connected to the Broadmoor Improvement Association during Hurricane Season by filling out our survey at this link: https://forms.gle/12ckJvqt5wypXKVR8
- Caitrin Gladow, BIA Board President introduced herself and invited attendees to be more involved with the BIA.

6:10 - 6:15 pm: Update by District B Community Liaison Antonia Holden

- City of New Orleans Special guest departments are returning to Community Office Hours starting this month! Join us as we welcome Entergy, the Sanitation Department, Department of Public Works, Sewerage & Water Board, and Code Enforcement over the next two months. Appointments can be made between 2:00 pm and 3:00pm on the dates listed. Bring your questions and concerns! Please click the link below or call 504-658-4996 to make an appointment. CLICK HERE TO SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT!
- On Saturday, June 28th, 2025, the Neighborhood Engagement Office will host the Second Quarter Neighborhood Leaders' Roundtable. The meeting topic is "Quality of Life" with presentations to be made by representatives from Safety and Permits and Code Enforcement. Date: Saturday, June 28th, 2025
 Time: 9:00am 11:00am (Breakfast at 8:30am) Location: 56 Dreyfous Drive.
 New Orleans, La, 70119 (Café Du Monde Second Floor).

6:20 pm - 6:25 pm: Remarks by NOHSEP/NOLA Ready VOAD Coordinator Cassandra Roumo

 Cassandra Roumo, VOAD Coordinator for NOHSEP /NOLA Ready shared the following information. NOLA Ready has been invited to host the HERricane camp, an awesome week-long summer program designed to encourage young women ages 14–18 to explore careers in emergency management and related fields. The camp dates will be July 28th through August 1st. We hope to have 20 to 30 participants in the program and encourage all young women ages 14–18 to apply. NOLA Ready wants to offer as much exposure to career options in Emergency Management as possible by incorporating workshops, presentations, and site visits.

 Cassandra Roumo encouraged everyone to Stay connected, make a plan, and gather supplies. NOLA Ready is your partner in emergency preparedness. Text NOLAREADY to 77295 for alerts. Visit https://ready.nola.gov/resources/

6:25 pm: Updates from District B Councilmember Lesli Harris Director of Community Engagement Matthew Schoenberger

• District B Councilmember Lesli Harris and Director of Community Engagement Matthew Schoenberger shared Resolution R-25-357, approved by City Council on June 26, 2025, authorizing an election for the Broadmoor Neighborhood on November 15, 2025. Residents will vote on increasing the annual parcel fee from \$100 to \$175 (up to a maximum of \$200 per property). The estimated \$306,000/year in funds will support neighborhood improvements and beautification from 2026 to 2030, if passed. This resolution replaces R-25-302, which was withdrawn due to state rules requiring a new vote for any fee increase. Election results will be certified on December 18, 2025. Resolution R-25-357 can be found here.

6:46 pm: Resident Announcements

- Greater Pleasant Green Baptist Church (3431 S Claiborne Ave, New Orleans, LA, 70125) invites the community to join Sunday Worship at 9:30 am (pastries after service) and Bible Study Tuesdays at 6:30 pm (ice cream after bible study).
- Come to the light Ministries is hosting Women In Christ:True Beauty of A Woman Brunch on Saturday, July 12 starts at 11 am at 3720 South Broad St, New Orleans, LA, 70125. Register at this link.
- Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at LSU Crescent City Chapter "Composting -What, How, Why on July 10, 2025 from 4 pm - 5 pm at 3900 General Taylor St cost \$30. The breakdown and recycling of organic matter is a natural process that has been taking place for all time. However, when people do it in a controlled

manner, we call it composting. In this course we will discuss the process, the important parameters, and why and how to do it. Register online by clicking here.

7:00 pm: Meeting Adjournment

- The August Neighborhood Meeting will be August 28, 2025 inside of the Multipurpose Room of the Broadmoor Arts & Wellness Center from 6 pm - 7 pm. Receive the Neighborhood Meeting Zoom Link in your inbox by filling out this form: https://forms.gle/7a4Fz2BjYZb2wNNAA
- Residents can sign up the bi-weekly newsletter and periodic updates from the Broadmoor Improvement Association by emailing communications@broadmoorimprovement.com
- Natori Green, BIA Co Executive Director & Director of Programs thanked attendees for their presence at the meeting and adjourned the meeting.