

## Minutes of the September 13, 2011 LONA Board Meeting

Attendees: Ellie Brady, Hal Hall, Sue January, Ellen Kelsey, Shari Ryan, Diane Willis

Location: Spicewood Springs branch of the Austin Public Library

### Review of Old Business Items:

#### 1. Fall schedule of dates:

- National Night Out, Tuesday, October 4. No neighborhood wide event planned. Residents can plan events with their nearby neighbors.

- LONA neighborhood meeting Tuesday, October 18, 6:30 PM, Spicewood Springs library.

- Halloween parade, Saturday, October 29, 4-5:30 PM, parade starts near flagpole at Kathy Caraway Elementary and ends at Oak View Park pavilion with snacks and activities.

#### 2. Tentative agenda for the LONA Neighborhood meeting:

- Speaker: APD District Representative Officer Joe Hebbe

- Calendar of events:

- Halloween parade, Saturday, October 29, 4-5:30 PM

- Election of LONA officers

- presentation of current slate of officers, volunteers for positions welcome

- discuss interest in Neighborhood Watch committee, committee volunteers from the neighborhood needed

- Reminder of voluntary monetary donations to LONA.

- Treasurer's report.

- Reminder of donations of pet items for the Town Lake Animal Center.

The items listed in the September 2011 newsletter are:

- Dog and cat treats
- Canned and dry food
- Washable, durable pet toys
- Bedding, but no sheets, comforters or electric blankets
- Newspaper
- New and gently used dog houses. For further information, see [http://www.ci.austin.tx.us/health/pets/help\\_pet.htm#fence](http://www.ci.austin.tx.us/health/pets/help_pet.htm#fence)
- New and gently used fencing materials. For further information, see [http://www.ci.austin.tx.us/health/pets/help\\_pet.htm#fence](http://www.ci.austin.tx.us/health/pets/help_pet.htm#fence)
- New and gently used collars, harnesses and leashes
- New or gently used carriers and crates
- Cages or habitats for small or exotic pets
- Shampoos
- Non-prescription medications and medical supplies

The information is also available at <http://www.ci.austin.tx.us/health/pets/donations.htm>

New Business:

1. Halloween parade details.
2. Information from the City of Austin on receiving information from the Public Information Officer will be shared with the LONA Board, and actions needed to be determined.
3. Request from neighborhood resident to consider a neighborhood Facebook page.

---- Submitted by Diane Willis, LONA Secretary, September 15, 2011.