



Newsletter of the Zilker Neighborhood Association

APRIL 2022

Established 1981 in
Austin, Texas

Think Globally—Get Together with Your Neighbors—and Act Locally

ZILKER NEIGHBORS HAVE ALWAYS HAD A KNACK for thinking globally and acting locally. Zilker precincts have been known for high voter turnout, partly because Zilker residents organize to get good stuff on the ballot (for instance, the SOS ordinance). But as remote global communications occupy more of our attention, it's easy to lose our local connections. This month, ZNA is inviting everyone to reconnect locally, meet some new neighbors, and join us at these neighborhood get-togethers. Start with a revival of the ZNA Wednesday Social, hosted by ZNA's new Social VP, Cat Cooke, April 20. See you there.

Lorraine Atherton, Editor, ZNews

ZNA Social

Wednesday, April 20, 5:30 pm

Gibson Street Bar

1109 South Lamar

Come meet your neighbors and learn more about what's going on in the Zilker neighborhood.

Contact Cat Cooke (ZNA Social VP)
social@zilkerneighborhood.org

Earth Day at Lamar Union Plaza

Friday, April 22, 9-noon and beyond

1100 South Lamar

Launch of a Tenant Sustainability campaign and competition to lower water consumption
ReStore/Habitat for Humanity will collect second-hand clothing and other items.

Breakfast discounts for donors

See www.lamarunionplaza.com for more info.

ZNA General Meeting

Monday, April 25, 2022

Mingle 6:30 PM, Meeting starts 6:50 PM

Zilker Elementary School

1900 Bluebonnet Lane



Agenda will include updates on
Rewilding Zilker & Zilker Park Vision Plan,
Zoning & Infrastructure
Concerns, questions, comments from members

Details at zilkerneighborhood.org and
zilkerneighbors@groups.io or Instagram
@Zilker_Neighborhood

❖ ❖ **All Welcome** ❖ ❖

Newcomers, homeowners, renters,
business neighbors



VOTE TWICE IN MAY

Yes, two election dates are on the calendar for May.

*The **May 7** special election includes one local Austin proposition (no-knock warrants and low-level marijuana enforcement) and two state constitutional amendments (school taxes and homestead exemptions).*

Early voting is April 25 to May 3.

*On **May 24**, both parties will hold runoffs in state primary races.*

Early voting will be May 16-20.

Check votetravis.com for your precinct's ballot and latest polling location info.

Our voting precincts have new numbers; see ZNA map on back page.

BECOME A ZNA MEMBER TODAY

Membership is open to Zilker residents (renters or homeowners) 18 years old or older. Nonresident property owners are not eligible for membership. Annual dues are **\$7 per person**. Please list each member's name and e-mail address below.

Name _____ Email _____

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Address _____ Phone _____

Dues amount: _____ Donation: _____ Total Enclosed: _____

Please make checks payable to Zilker Neighborhood Association and mail with this form to:
ZNA Memberships, 1725 Toomey Road, Apt 310, Austin, TX 78704
or join online at zilkerneighborhood.org.

ZNA Officers for 2022

President: Bill Bunch

Executive VP: Gary Hamilton

Secretary: Dave Piper

Treasurer: David Borden

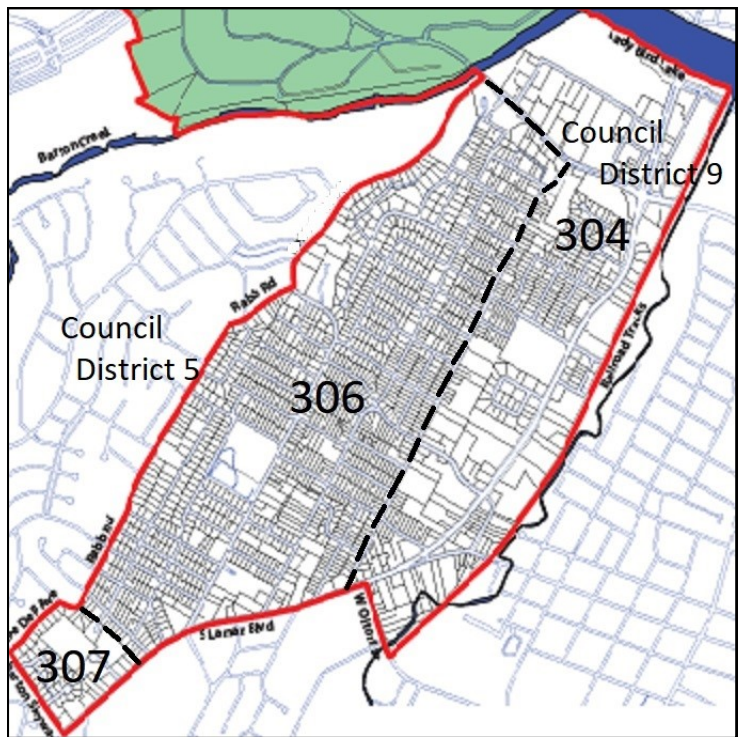
VP Communications: Tanya Payne

VP Parks and Environment: Robin Rather

VP Social: Cat Cooke

VP Zoning: Bill Neale

ANC Delegate: Bobby Rigney



The Executive Committee meets the first Monday of most months, at 5:30 pm, at the Umlauf Sculpture Garden, 605 Azie Morton.
Email ZNA@zilkerneighborhood.org
Instagram @Zilker_Neighborhood
For ZNA bylaws and to join online, visit www.zilkerneighborhood.org

ZNA boundaries include Zilker Park and Rabb Road on the west, from Lady Bird Lake to Barton Skyway, and the railroad tracks on the east to Oltorf and then south along South Lamar.
Zilker residents vote in Travis County precincts 304 (Butler Shores and east of Kinney), 306 (west of Kinney), and the Skyway Circle portion of 307.
We are currently represented by **City Council Member ANN KITCHEN** (district5@austintexas.gov or 512-978-2105).
In November, precincts 306 and 307 will vote in Council District 5 and 304 will vote in District 9.
Our **Austin Police** Rep is Officer Shawn Rougeou, at 512-974-5490 or Shawn.Rougeou@austintexas.gov

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