

# March Newsletter



# Historic Boston-Edison Association

### **Spring General Membership Meeting**

Join us **Wednesday, March 22, 2023**, to get the latest on the work of the Association, Community Involvement and Activities in and around the Boston-Edison Historic District. **Check-in is at 5:30 p.m., meeting starts at 6:00 p.m.** 

#### **RSVP** here

The agenda includes updates from our City Council, District 5 and District 2 County Representatives. Hear from our 10th Precinct Neighborhood Police Officer (NPO).

Hear about the exciting things that the Board has done and continues to do since our Fall meeting. Applaud our recipients during a special recognition of their commitment of service to our neighborhood. This is also a great time to hear about how you can get involved.

### **Chicago Lodgers Block Club Meeting Recap**

At its block club meeting in January the Dynamic Chicago Lodgers Block Club celebrated the successful events and activities held in 2022, developed goals for 2023, and discussed the activities to help them achieve these goals. Officers were also elected. A shout out was given to those neighbors from other Block Clubs who came out and helped cut down a tree that was blocking our street during the terrible storm we had last year. We also congratulated the many block club members who participated in the HBEA Holiday Home Tour Weekend of activities, especially Meredith Grimm who served as co-chair of the HHT and Deniera Davis, who served as co-chair of the HHT Meekend Along with Dianne Bostic Robinson, and Chair of the Virtual HHT.

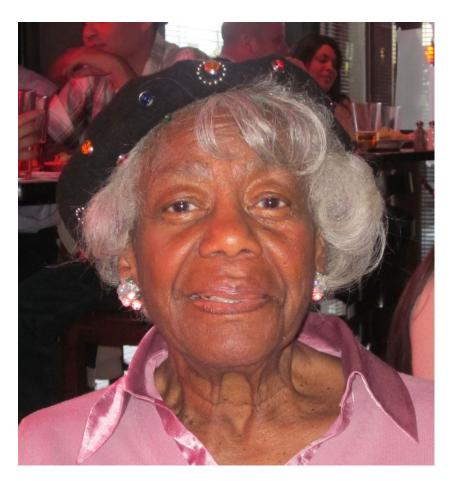
It was decided to continue with the new activity of having a Progressive Holiday Dinner Celebration replicated from the Longfellow Block Club, which they have held for many years. A great time was had by all with great camaraderie and our stomachs were full with some great food. The current officers were re-elected, Dianne Bostic Robinson, President, Deborah Mahoney, Vice President, Fred Hill, Treasurer, Meaghan Marion, Secretary. Pierce Rabon was appointed Archivist/Historian. Upcoming events the club is looking forward to include Motor City Makeover, block club happy hour, and our yearly picnic!

Thank you very much for your time, Meaghan Marion



## **Celebrating Louise Glenn**

Louise Glenn, a 47 year resident of HBEA, passed Feb 23, 2023 at 95. She participated in The Holiday Home Tour, Picnic in the Park, donated to the cookie monster and volunteered when she could. She also worked the Barack Obama campaign in 2008 and the 2010 Census in the surrounding neighborhoods. Her daughter, Dale, has cared for her over the last 9 years. Louise was known for her past contributions and will be so missed.



# **Calling All Residents**

#### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

Due to the recent home invasion attempts and car break-ins/thefts in Historic Boston-Edison, the HBEA Public Safety Committee is looking for neighbor volunteers to help keep residents of our community safer.

You may have noticed an increase of Detroit police presence, as well as the new private security patrols during the holiday season. The new security patrols are in addition to the current patrols we receive from DSS Security and are intended to showcase a higher security profile.

However, more "watchful eyes" are needed. The HBEA Public Safety Committee is recruiting volunteers to join the Historic Boston-Edison's Mobile Patrol Team. **All Boston-Edison residents can sign up** <u>HERE</u> to volunteer.

We strongly encourage all residents to report any emergency or suspicious activity to 911 and then we ask you to report it to our new Public Safety Link HERE. This new link will help us to gather and track information allowing us to become more proactive in meeting the safety concerns of our neighborhood. In the meantime, please be safe and continue to provide a watchful eye for yourselves and your neighbors. HBEA Public Safety & Zoning Committee

#### **HBEA Neighborhood Reporting Link**

Have a complaint you'd like to share? We're here with the HBEA Neighborhood Reporting Link! This is a new resource for Historic Boston Edison residents to report blight, illegal dumping, complaints and issues. Look for it in each monthly digital newsletter and on the homepage of our website.



# **Upcoming Events**



# **YOU'RE INVITED!**



Michigan Humane invites North End residents to join us for a conversation about building a neighborhood dog park.

We want to hear from you! Michigan Humane will present design options and potential locations and open the floor for your feedback. Your opinions are important and will be included in our recommendations and plans for implementation.

Please Join us!

Thursday, March 23, 2023 Dinner at 5:30 p.m. | Meeting at 6 p.m. Detroit Public Schools Building 9026 Woodward (Parking at the Owens Entrance)

Kids welcome! Please, no pets.

Please RSVP by clicking here or by calling 866-MHUMANE



# Spring Egg Hunt

Saturday, April 1, 2023

10:00 am

Voigt Park

# Stay Up To Date

#### What's New in BE

See what's new in Boston Edison and the City of Detroit.

#### **Event Photos**

Missed an HBEA Event? Catch up with our Event Photos.



#### Detroit is Commissioning 200 Murals to Be Top Street Art City

Detroit ACE and Dr. Massey will issue the open call in March for artists in the largest arts entrepreneurship program in city history.

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#### Application is Open for Historic Preservation Tax Credit

The application will be available until all credits have been reserved, up to the program cap. Learn how to apply.

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