

Subject: RE: SASYNA Article for Sept-Oct '06 Issue of Eastside NEWS
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Thanks.

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Margo,

Here is a SASYNA activities article for the next issue of the ESN.

Steve

Neighborhood Association News for Fall 06

Our neighborhood is served by SASY Neighborhood Association. That's short for the Schenk-Atwood-Starkweather-Yahara Neighborhood Association, stretching from the Yahara River to Starkweather Creek. Our NA is essential for creating a common voice for neighborhood residents as we interact with other areas of the city, government staff, business owners, and plans for future developments. A regular NA meeting is held monthly at 7:00 pm every 2nd Thursday at the Atwood Community Center. Everyone is welcome to the monthly meetings and invited to offer their ideas or energy to help improve our neighborhood. Recent meetings included a presentation of the latest drawings of the Union Corners project and review of proposals for street cars and commuter rail.

During the last few months, here is a sample of activities that SASYNA has participated in, on your behalf: met with other eastside neighborhoods to identify common issues and concerns; promoted placement of a Community Car at Schenk's Corners; lobbied for retention of the Williamson - Marquette neighborhood police officer; met with 1000 Friends of Wisconsin to discuss the Mayor's street car proposal and its impacts on the neighborhood including the funding of bus service; helped formulate a plan for using neighborhood construction project TIF funds to support a train horn quiet zone in the next city budget; stayed in near-daily contact with Union Corners developers McGrath Associates re: design plans, demolition work, and plans to move some of the homes on Winnebago Street; provided volunteer support for the Atwood Community Center's Summerfest; helped fund and support the pedestrian flag program; and, discussed with our alder, Judy Olson, projects receiving city approval, such as an outdoor patio at Ideal Bar and plans for the Union Corners project.

Besides coming to the monthly meetings, you can keep tabs on neighborhood news and events by visiting the web site, www.sasyna.org, or joining the lively email discussion group at the web site, or <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/SASYNA-Discussions/>.

Hope to see you soon.

Steve Klafka
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