

About Us

The Near South Neighborhood Association is an organization of Near South Neighborhood citizens who are committed to historic preservation, revitalization of properties, and the maintenance of the neighborhood for low density residential use.

History

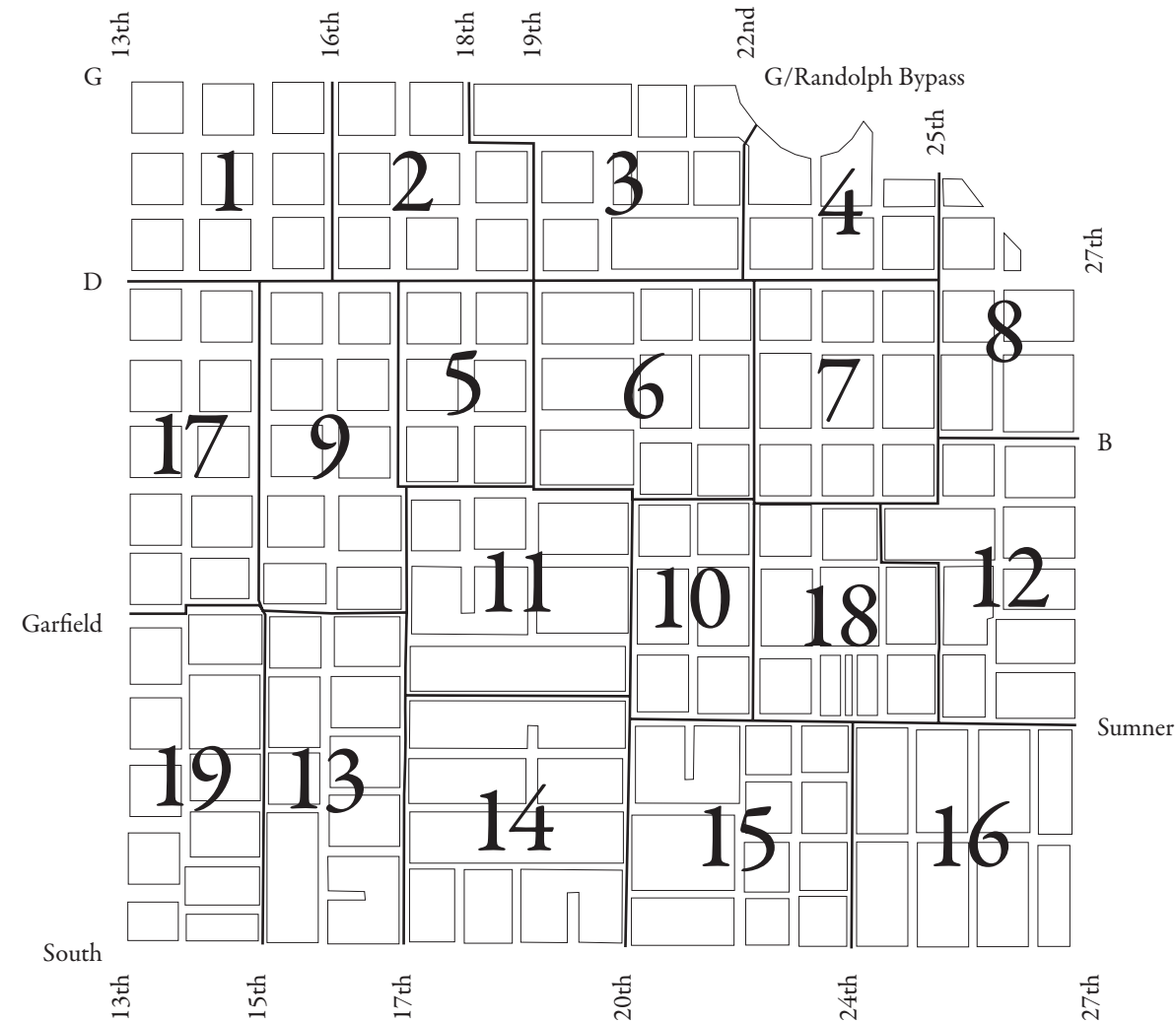
Near South Neighborhood was formed in 1972 by 30 families who wanted their neighborhood to have an active voice in the formulation of Lincoln's comprehensive plan. These 30 families named and identified the boundaries of the Near South Neighborhood, and formed the Near South Neighborhood Association (NSNA). Nearly 45 five years later, NSNA continues to speak for the neighborhood on a variety of issues related to land use, education, safety, green space, recreation, and more. Today, NSNA is a non-profit organization whose activities are overseen by a 25 member volunteer board of directors. NSNA is proud to be one of Lincoln's oldest and largest neighborhood associations.

Neighborhood Characteristics

The Near South Neighborhood is known for its close proximity to downtown Lincoln, its historic homes, mature trees, great schools, and most of all its people. Near South is rich in diversity in its broadest sense. Near South Neighborhood Association recognizes our diversity as one of our greatest strengths.

Walkable, Bikeable, and Green

Near South streets are lined with wide, accessible sidewalks, and the neighborhood is crisscrossed with bike routes that lead to bike paths and bike lanes. It is possible to walk or bike to downtown Lincoln, the Historic Haymarket, or Antelope Valley in a matter of minutes. The neighborhood is divided into 19 sections, each with representation on the Near South Neighborhood Association board.



Please Join

My Neighborhood Interests...

- Schools/Education _____
- Parks & Environment _____
- Historic Preservation _____
- Crime Prevention _____
- Government/Zoning _____
- Other (please list) _____

I Would Like to Help With...

- Tour of Homes _____
- Ice Cream Social _____
- Luminarias _____
- Spring Clean-up _____
- Public Relations _____
- Serving on the Board _____
- Other (please list) _____

Membership Levels

- Senior \$5 _____
- Individual \$10 _____
- Family \$15 _____
- Business \$25 _____
- Pedestal \$50 _____
- Pillar \$100 _____

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About You

Please separate this form and mail it to:
Near South Neighborhood Association
P.O. Box 80143
Lincoln, NE 68501-0143

Name _____
Street Address _____ Zip Code _____
E-mail _____
Phone _____

Near South Neighborhood Association will not share your contact information with any other organization. Thank you for your support.

Make check payable to Near South Neighborhood Association.

Our Work

In addition to long term projects NSNA regularly represents neighborhood interests on issues related to zoning, land use, parks and safety. We also promote neighborhood celebration and recreation.

Some of our notable accomplishments in recent years include:

- Down-zoning a large portion of the neighborhood to decrease density
- The purchase and development of Near South Park on the corner of 19th and A Streets
- Our partnership with Prescott School on Prescott Park
- Neighborhood signage and the creation of the Goodhue Monument at Goodhue and A Street

Membership

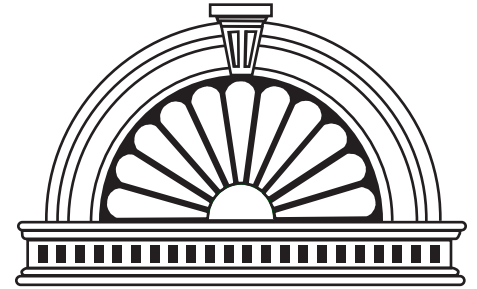
Benefits of NSNA membership include having a voice in the community, meeting people from all corners of the neighborhood who may become lasting friends, and affiliation with other Near South residents who have a stake in the health of the neighborhood. You will also receive a newsletter informing you of the activities and projects of the association and the neighborhood.

Connect With Us

2nd Monday meetings are held at 7:00 p.m. at First Plymouth Church, 20th and D Streets.

<http://www.nearsouth.org>
[facebook.com/NSNALincoln](https://www.facebook.com/NSNALincoln)

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