



Fall
2007

September 17 – December 10, 2007

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Each of the class sessions seeks to address one of the following questions:

- How do we create Community?
- How can we, as Leaders, be more effective?
- How can we organize?
- What Partnerships can we engage & develop?
- What Opportunities are available?
- How can we tap into existing networks & resources?
- What strategies can we plan, develop, and implement to maximize our assets and address our issues & concerns?

Leadership Development: Community Building

Leadership Development: Effective Team Guidelines, Facilitated Lively Discussions

Leadership Development/Organizing for Action: Organizing is Building Relationships

Organizing for Action: Citizen Effectiveness Training

Organizing for Action: Information is Power

Partnerships: Working with Local Government: The Department of Neighborhoods

Partnerships: Working with Local Government: Metro Council

Partnerships: Working with Louisville Metro Police Department

Partnerships: Working with Local Government: Inspections, Permits & Licenses, Planning & Design

Partnerships: Working with Communities within our Community

Opportunities: Additional Training

Opportunities: Neighborhood Highlights

Neighborhood Institute Fall 2007 Graduation Celebration: Monday, December 10, 2007



Spring
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September 17

Session #1

"Getting to know you and each other"
Dot map exercise – geographic diversity
"Mix It Up Bingo"
Neighborhood strengths & challenges
Neighborhood Institute participant's photos

September 24

Session #2

"Greetings from Metro United Way" Judy Schroeder, Assistant Director of Community Building
"Resources available to neighborhoods" Kim Telesford-Mapp/Louisville Free Public Library
Rules for effective teams
Neighborhood Strengths and Challenges revisited
Outcomes for Neighborhood Institute
Photography our neighborhoods – camera give away
Camera Distribution and Project Proposal Guidelines
Neighborhood project introduction/Q&A

October 1

Session #3

Citizen's Toolkit – Leslie Barras/RiverFields, Inc
"The Ideal Neighborhood" –group table work
Camera reminders

October 8

Session #4

"History of Neighborhoods" - Tom Owen/University of Louisville, Metro Council
"Information is power!" – Michael O'Leary/Clifton Community Council
Camera reminders

October 15

Session #5

Neighborhood Nite! – Strengths for NI Graduates
Neighborhood Institute Alumni - Recent challenges & strengths
Collect cameras
Introduction of Resident & Leadership Facilitation

October 22

Session #6

Metro government policies & partnerships – Bill Schreck/Louisville Metro Department of Inspections, Permits and Licenses
Case Studies by Neighborhood Institute Alumni



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October 29

Session #7

Louisville Metro Department of Neighborhoods; Melissa Mershon/Director Housing in your neighborhood; Cathy Hinko & Doug Magee/Metropolitan Housing Coalition

November 5

Session #8

Metro government policies & partnerships – Charles Cash/Department of Planning & Design/Inspections, Permits, Licenses
"This neighborhood is beautiful!"
Green it up – Michael McCoy/Center For Neighborhoods, Landscape Architect

November 12

Session #9

Working with Metro government & your council person
Network Organizing – Delquan Dorsey/Making Connections Louisville

November 19

Session #10

Safety first –
Representatives from the Louisville Metro Police Department
Project presentations
Neighborhood Institute Fall 2007 projects

November 26

Session #11

Project presentations
Neighborhood Institute Fall 2007 projects

December 3

Session #12

Project presentations
Neighborhood Institute Fall 2007 projects

December 10

GRADUATION