



The Riverside Neighborhood Partnership (RNP) is a coalition of neighborhood associations and groups registered with the City of Riverside Housing and Neighborhoods Division. They are represented by a board composed of neighborhood leaders, business or chamber representatives, non-profit organizations, education, and city government working together to improve the quality of life in Riverside.

### Mission:

To support neighborhoods in organizing to protect and maintain neighborhood quality of life. It is the Partnership's belief that organized neighborhoods are:

- Better equipped to tackle problems that periodically emerge
- Proactive in addressing crime, disaster preparedness, beautification, information sharing, and helping each other
- A unified voice at City Hall which can accomplish more than individuals working alone. *There is power in numbers!*
- Improve quality of life for all!

### Goals:

- Encourage and facilitate the formation of neighborhood association citywide
- Provide a monthly forum for the communication between neighborhoods and the City
- Offer assistance and education to neighborhood groups in solving problems and accessing resources
- Provide neighborhood leadership training
- Act as an advocate for neighborhood interests in City Hall

### RNP and City of Riverside programs include:

Riverside Neighborhood Conference

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Neighborhood Leadership Academy

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Annual Meeting and Caucuses

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### RNP Board Members 2011

The RNP board consists of 24 community volunteers and one City Council member for a total of 25.

#### Area 1: Downtown, Grand, Northside, Wood Streets

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#### Area 3: Alessandro Heights, Canyon Crest, Sycamore Highlands, Hawarden Hills, Magnolia Center, Mission Grove, Orangecrest, Victoria

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#### Area 4: Arlington, Arlington Heights, Airport, Casa Blanca, Ramona, Presidential Park

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#### Chamber of Commerce Representation

(Three Positions Available)

#### Non Profit/Faith-Based Community

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#### City Council Member

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## History

The Riverside Neighborhood Partnership (RNP) was established in 1994 as a forum for neighborhood collaboration and networking in the City of Riverside. The all-volunteer board assist neighborhoods with free support in neighborhood organizing and problem-solving. All neighborhood representatives are leaders of neighborhood associations currently registered with the City of Riverside.

The RNP is staffed by the Housing and Neighborhoods Division of the Development Department which serves as a conduit to increase and improve communication between City Hall and neighborhoods.

The Development Department's Housing and Neighborhoods Division is in place to stimulate and support active citizenship in Riverside through community organizing and neighborhood leadership development.

Please join us!

**We meet the first  
Monday of the month  
at 6:30 p.m.,  
Mayor's Ceremonial  
Room,  
7th Floor, City Hall  
3900 Main Street  
Riverside, CA 92522**

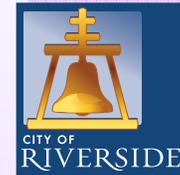
**Staffed By:  
City of Riverside**



**Riverside Neighborhood Partnership  
2011 Board Members**

Clockwise L- R: Council Member Paul Davis, Damien O'Farrell, Justin Scott-Coe, Peter Emelue, Jeff Kraus, Bill Scherer, Amy Aldana, Judy Cunningham, Ola Faye Stephens, Jeff Wright, Mickey Lawler, Gary Coffey, Scott Andrews, Linda Baker, Cecile Johnson, and Erin Snyder. Not Pictured: Ed Jones, Susie Doss, Aurora Chavez, and Karin Roberts.

# Riverside Neighborhood Partnership



*City of Arts & Innovation*

*Working together to  
protect & maintain a  
neighborhood quality of life*

