



WOODS WATCH

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YOUR MAP, YOUR TOOL YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD

We have a great tool for you on the next page -- one you will want to keep near your phone or in your car.

It is a map showing the streets in our neighborhood, and the addresses of our homes. It shows the membership area of our organization. Here's what you can use it for:

KEEPING OUR NEIGHBORHOOD BEAUTIFUL -- See a too-long lawn? A car parked on a front lawn? A bulky trash item left at the curb for more than a week? Call 311 -- and use your map to give city inspectors a specific address.

MAKING FRIENDS, STAYING FRIENDS -- See a ho-hum yard being transformed into something super? Use your map to note the address... and e-mail it to info@coventrywoods.org. We'll see about giving those residents a Yard of the Month prize. (Details on our new program are on page 4).

See where your friends live? Now you have their addresses -- to send them holiday greetings or vacation postcards.

STICKING TOGETHER -- Medical emergency down the street? Know the address when you call 911 for an ambulance. See a crime in progress? See something suspicious? Unruly adults or kids? Call 911 -- and use your map to give the police a specific address.

We have a beautiful, safe and friendly neighborhood. If you would like more copies of this CWNA map, you can download them from your association
Web site: www.coventrywoods.org.

Tell your friends who live elsewhere they can download the map, too. It's your bragging right!



COVENTRY WOODS
NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION

Coventry Woods Neighborhood Association (CWNA)

A community is only as strong as its members. Coventry Woods provides a high quality of life for its residents through the action and involvement of its community members. It takes respect for all residents, and neighbors looking out for each other to maintain this quality of life.

When should a citizen call 911?

You should call 911 anytime you feel that a police response is necessary to address a problem at a particular location. You should feel empowered to call 911 to check on suspicious persons, vehicles, or anything else that might benefit from a police response.

What are inappropriate uses of 911?

Common misuses of 911 include: asking for directions, checking the correct time, asking to speak to a certain officer, power outages, etc.

Again, if you feel that an immediate police response is necessary, call 911. The 911 operator will determine if the call could be handled by our Non-Emergency Police Services (NEPS) Unit and forward or transfer your call accordingly.



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NEW TO CWNA BOARD

Greg and Erin Cole have joined the CWNA board, sharing a position. Erin brings great organizational skills; Greg, an engineer, created the great map inside this Woods Watch.

Congratulate and thank them the next time you see them.

CWNA DAY AT COLUMBUS POOL

Aug. 5, all residents of Coventry Woods are invited to a free day at Columbus Pool, on Idlewild Road. From 1-5 p.m. that Saturday, you and your family can use the pool, the kiddie pool, lounge on the deck, and get free hamburgers and hot dogs. Mark your calendar! We'll put a special flyer on your door that has all the details!

NEW! YARD OF THE MONTH AWARD

Our association's logo -- a large hand gently holding a small tree -- means a variety of things directly tied to our mission, which is to protect and preserve Coventry Woods and help it prosper. One literal meaning of the logo is this: Keeping our yards beautiful through well-tended lawns and attractive plantings.

That's why the CWNA board of directors has begun a Yard of the Month program: Making public note of a yard whose owners should be saluted for the time and toil they're putting into it.

For a month, a Yard of the Month sign will be made available for them, to put on their front lawn. Each winner will also receive a \$25 gift certificate from Home Depot, in recognition of their hard work. They will also receive a one-year paid membership in the CWNA, in honor of their efforts to beautify our area. The board will determine the winner based in large part on nominations from you, the membership. If you see a yard that's looking great, or showing vast improvement send an e-mail to info@coventrywoods.org Our first honoree: 5040 Coronado

In the two years they've owned 5040 Coronado, Freddie and Irma Felipe have transformed their corner at Coronado and Vandalia. They've completely redone the lawn, put in a new driveway and added ornamental brickwork. Most stunning of all are the large, lovely and manicured rose bushes right at the corner -- a treat for the eye for motorists and walkers. The before-and-after changes they've made have earned them our recognition -- they're the first winners of the CWNA Yard of the Month award.

