

# **Third Ward Neighborhoodfest/Summit!**

## **MAKING CONNECTIONS!**

Council Member Diane Hofstede our Third Ward neighborhoods and the Minneapolis Park and Recreation Board extend a personal invitation to area residents to participate in this year's 8<sup>th</sup> annual Neighborhoodfest/Summit "MAKING CONNECTIONS!" on Wednesday September 22<sup>nd</sup>, 5:00 to 10:00 PM, at the Historic Nicollet Island Pavilion, 40 Power Street.

At the Neighborhoodfest, you will be "Making Connections," with our residents to discover just what the Third Ward has to offer! The evening will feature a variety of creative and interactive displays from local businesses, non-profits, neighborhood groups, staff from all city departments, businesses, bands and entertainment in a neighborhood fair format. Our goal is to inform our residents and to support our local businesses and services in this difficult economy. The Third Ward consists of nine individual communities united by their arts, institutions, businesses, parks and unique Riverfront setting. The Third Ward is not just a place to live, but a place to call home.

The evening will feature a Kick-Off to the Habitat for Humanity's Jimmy & Rosalynn Carter Work Project, an internationally-recognized week of building to bring attention to the need for simple, decent and affordable housing in partnership with families. The Carter Work Project is held at a different location each year and attracts volunteers from around the world. We are honored that the Carters have chosen to come to the Third Ward's, Hawthorne Neighborhood's Eco-Village this October!

Join us as we celebrate community accomplishments, acknowledge future challenges, and work together to sustain, maintain and develop our Third Ward!

Please promote the Third Ward Neighborhoodfest/Summit by giving this information to others via, email, social networking (Facebook, Twitter, Websites), word of mouth, in print, etc. You can also help support our local businesses by sending names of specific businesses you would like invited to participate to my office.

For more information, or if you would like to host a creative and interactive display, please contact my office.

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