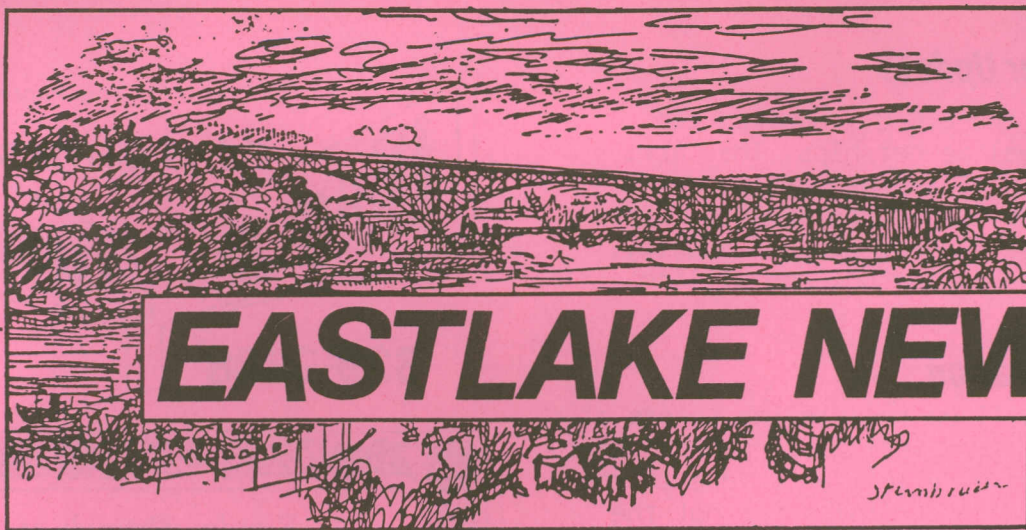


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# EASTLAKE NEWS

## August General Meeting August 19



Plan to attend the next general meeting of the Eastlake Community Council on August 19 at 7:00 p.m. at Nick and Sully's Courtyard. (On Eastlake just south of Boston street--enter the courtyard from Boston St. Beverages will be available...and it might not be a bad idea to plan dinner around the meeting, since Nick and Sully's does offer dinner service in the cafe.

We have lots to talk about at our first meeting after the summer recess as well as our first meeting with our new officers installed. Everyone is welcome.

## Eastlake Business Association

The focus of the newly formed Eastlake Business Association is to promote a street tree planting program for winter, 1986. The E.C.C. endorses the formation of the business association as more and more businesses join our community and contribute to the pedestrian streetscape. At the time other neighborhoods were provided with street trees, Eastlake had not yet been defined as a "neighborhood." Today it is very much a neighborhood where people enjoy strolling the streets, visiting shops and watching sailboats and seaplanes on the lake. It is time for shopkeepers and residents to contribute to the "greening of Eastlake Avenue." Ideally, we will see not only a tree-lined Eastlake Avenue, but park benches, adequate handicap curbscuts and crosswalks, trash receptacles and flowers everywhere. Remember, the City of Seattle has designated Eastlake Avenue a "boulevard" and a boulevard is defined by Webster's as: "tree lined with grass plots."

We are in the process now of contacting all Eastlake businesses. If you are a business on Eastlake and are interested, contact either Diane at 328-2775 or Bo at 325-8813.



### OFFICERS

Jules James President	329-5945
Clarice Coker Secretary	325-3845
Fred McCulloch Treasurer	329-7729

## Survey Results

Remember the resident's survey we sent out in the newsletter a couple of months back? The one that everyone (or so it seems) responded to? Well, we didn't forget, and we finally have the results tabulated.

Of 57 surveys received, the overall "winner" in the most-wanted retail category was Post Office. Almost 70% of you checked off Post Office as the business you'd most like to see in Eastlake. Running a close second was Hardware Store, with over 50%, third, with 50% of the votes was Pharmacy. The remaining types of businesses wanted, in order, were: Bakery, Gas Station, Restaurant, Gift Shop, Beauty Salon/Barber, Florist, and Nursery. Thanks for the great response!

## Traffic Island Update

Eastlake's first traffic island will be installed this month at the request of neighbors in the immediate vicinity of Franklin and Hamlin Streets. Although at first the islands may seem a nuisance, they will maintain a lower speed level on our residential side streets. With more construction on Eastlake and more vehicles using our alleys and residential streets, it will become increasingly important to introduce methods of slowing down auto and truck traffic in our community. If you'd like to petition for a traffic island at your immediate intersection contact the Seattle Engineering Dept., 600 Fourth Ave., Seattle 98104. Phone: 625-2347

## Eastlake Gardener

August is the month to take Geranium cuttings--3" long; remove the lower leaves and leave those at the top for oxygen intake. They will root in garden soil or sand with or without rooting powder.

Garlic planted in May will be ready to harvest in late August. If you didn't plant in May, remember to plant in September to produce a hardy garlic for next August's harvest.



## New Member Update

With August, the E.C.C. received ten new and renewal memberships. They are: Ruth Kaplan, Neil Sherman, Keith Magnuson, Mabel Chute, James Reckers, Lynne Hansen, Louise Madden, Eleanor Studley, Frank and Banu Symington, and William Burks.

## Voter Registration

Jules James will be registering voters at the August E.C.C. meeting. If you register then, you will be eligible to vote in the general election this fall, but not the primary.

Eastlake Gardener, cont'd. from front

Fresh basil in a pot by your doorstep reminds one of faraway places. Remember to increase your harvest by pinching back the flowerettes. There will be plenty not only for summer tomato recipes, but also enough for the end of the season harvest and for pesto which can be frozen and added to winter pasta dishes.

A note about chives; this herb combats black spot if planted adjacent to your roses. Chives like to be cut back to the ground whenever they become unruly... they will be back up within 3 weeks.

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