

# HEY, NEIGHBOR!

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## What's Happening in 2023?

Oshkosh Healthy Neighborhoods is looking forward to a new year with lots of opportunities to get involved in your community! Each month neighborhood representatives meet to discuss neighborhood needs, learn about city resources, and collaborate with other associations. These Alliance meetings occur every second Monday of the month from 6:00–7:00pm at the Senior Center in Oshkosh. Our Alliance calendar shares our topics and speakers for 2023. Check it out and learn what your neighborhood leaders are working on!

January	February	March	April	May	June
OHN Website	Jennifer Skolaski	Volunteer Hours	Elizabeth Last	Kathy Snell	Kate Mann
	Reactivating NA		Volunteer Appreciation	Block Party Trailer	NNO
July	August	September	October	November	December
Neighborhood Event	Travis Derk	Elizabeth Last	Alliance Rep. Topic	Alliance Rep. Topic	Holiday Party
	National Good Neighbor	RTBO			

Looking into 2023 Oshkosh Healthy Neighborhoods helps to sponsor and collaborates with multiple partners in our community to create wonderful annual events. Mark your calendar with Rock the Block Oshkosh which is in May in the Menominee South Neighborhood Association. We will also recognize our neighborhood volunteers in July with a neighborhood event. National Good Neighbor Day is a partnership with State Farm in which we help spread awareness of all the wonderful neighbors in Oshkosh. This particular event has prizes and the opportunity to win for being kind!

## NEIGHBOR NEWS

The Winter Warm Up Trinity Soup Lunches are back! Get a free soup every Tuesday at Trinity Lutheran in the Stevens Park Neighborhood.

## PARTNER UPDATES

Lots of opportunities to welcome neighbors into the new year with welcome bags! We provide welcome bags to new neighbors whenever you need them. Contact us today if you are interested!

## GOOD TO KNOW

Miller's Bay Skate the Bay Event is coming up so check out their Facebook for more information.

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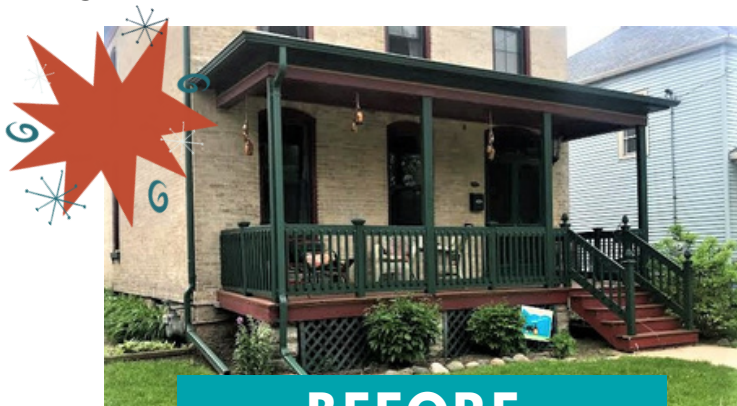
2022 was full of lots of successes. Oshkosh Healthy Neighborhoods collaborated with different groups in Oshkosh to create three new neighborhoods. Downtown, Green Acres, and Historic 6th Ward were officially recognized in 2022!

Community Building and Engagement dollars (CB&E) are used by the neighborhoods to host events, beautification, and much more. Each neighborhood is allocated \$1,000 annually to help with community development within their neighborhood. 2022 was full of growth with neighborhoods spending **\$7,364.97!** in neighborhood building and engagement.



Of course we can't forget all of our wonderful volunteers in 2022. We had over **1,400** volunteers working to better their neighborhood. This added up to **2,516** hours in their neighborhoods! We want to thank each of these members who work constantly with us to create a healthy, happy and safe place to live!

Another part of our organizations success is our Good Neighbor Grants. These grants are for individuals who live in a neighborhood association. It is a curb appeal grant in which you can apply for during the spring season. It is a \$750.00 reimbursement grant for any and all curb appeal with no restrictions besides needing to live in a city recognized neighborhood association. In 2022 there was a total of \$136,752 improvements within neighborhoods. We are looking to continue the expansion of this grant so keep a look out in 2023!



**BEFORE**



**AFTER**

*Great neighborhoods start with you!*