

Vision of the Belleville Neighborhood Partnership:

Neighborhood Zones that are EMPOWERED to:

- Have **direct input** about the direction of neighborhood activity
- Partner with community entities to **maximize resources**
- **Build on their strengths** to address neighborhood issues



Partner Organizations



City of Belleville

The
BASIC
Initiative



The
Greater **BELLEVILLE**
Chamber



Belleville
Human
Relations
Commission

Belleville Neighborhood Partnership



Giving neighbors a greater voice in their community.



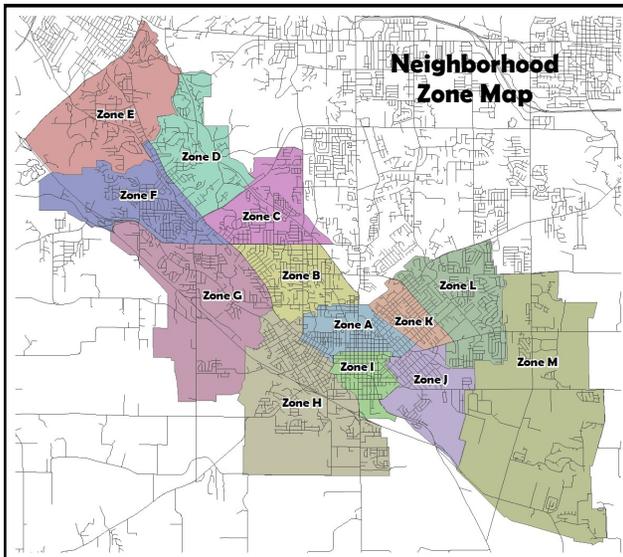
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The NEIGHBORHOOD ZONE

The City of Belleville and surrounding areas have been divided into 13 Zones. Each Zone has one Zone Leader and a number of Zone Ambassadors.



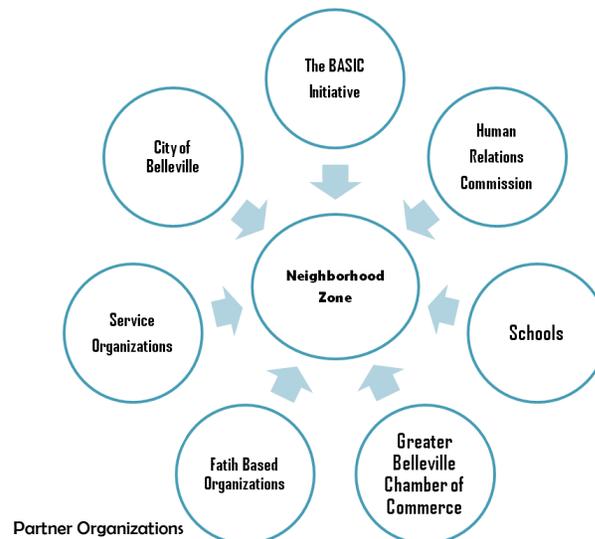
Zone Leader: Leader of the Zone, who acts as liaison between Zone Ambassadors and Partner Organizations, such as the City or BASIC.

Zone Ambassador: Leader of an individual neighborhood association or watch, that acts as a liaison between the members of that association and the Zone Leader.

Mission:

Give neighborhoods direct input and a greater voice in improving their neighborhoods through effective communication and collaboration.

Each Zone will create a **PLAN** that addresses the zone's **Strengths, Opportunities, and Barriers**. The **PLAN** will be distributed to partner organizations that have the wherewithal to **help the Zone achieve their vision**.



The Neighborhood Partnership STRUCTURE

Zone Leader



Neighborhood Association Leader



Neighborhood Residents

- What neighborhood associations, watches, and homeowners associations exist?
- Establish Zone Leaders & Ambassadors
 - Does anyone else need to be involved?
- Leadership Training—review zone plan and discuss potential funding sources for zone projects
- What is your zone's vision?
- How can all of the partner organizations work together to help achieve that vision?

What I am very interested in is seeing that individual neighborhood associations all have a greater voice, that they have a more direct input in improving their community.

-John Lyons

What is your vision for your neighborhood?