NEIGHBORHOOD PROGRAMS

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT GRANT: The Community Engagement Grant (CEG) is used to fund items and activities to boost resident participation in the City’s Neighborhood Councils.

NEIGHBORHOOD CLEANUP: The Neighborhood Clean-Up Program works to make Spokane neighborhoods clean, safe, and healthy for all residents to live and thrive in. This program funds is a partnership between ONS and the Department of Solid Waste Collection.

TRAFFIC CALMING & SCHOOL SAFETY: The Traffic Calming and School Safety/Radar program uses photo red light camera tickets to fund neighborhood-driven improvements to improve safety and the “livability” of streets for residents and visitors.

MOBILE SPEED FEEDBACK: The Mobile Speed Feedback Trailer Program provides 6 mobile speed feedback trailers to be placed at Neighborhood Council-request to show drivers how quickly they are moving and to collect speed data.

Learn More:
SPOKANE NEIGHBORHOODS: http://spokaneneighborhoods.org

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The Office of Neighborhood Services assists Spokane’s 29 neighborhoods with a variety of programs. The goal of these programs is to engage people in local government, build stronger communities, and improve quality of life for citizens. ONS programs address traffic safety, neighborhood infrastructure needs, economic needs, and environmental issues, among other areas.

COMMUNITY ASSEMBLY

The Community Assembly (CA) is a coalition of independent Neighborhood Councils and serves as a forum for discussion of issues of broad interest. Each Neighborhood Council selects one representative and a designated alternate to serve on the Community Assembly. Representatives are expected to represent the interests of their respective Neighborhood Council.

STANDING COMMITTEES

The Standing Committees of the Community Assembly are smaller groups that represent many different interests citizens may have.

ADMINISTRATION (ADMIN):
Elected committee which creates the CA agenda and monitors neighborhood attendance.

BUDGET: Facilitates the acquisition and distribution of Community Engagement Grant funds that make up the CA Budget.

BUILDING STRONGER NEIGHBORHOODS (BSN):
Works to provide training and resources to neighborhoods to increase participation, identify and meet neighborhood needs, and build capacity.

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT (CA/CD):
Provides a forum for educating neighborhoods regarding Community Development and Neighborhood Community Development Program (NCDP) funding.

LAND USE: Creates educational materials that explain how to engage with the Plan Commission and City Council regarding Land Use Development, and they follow changes to the Comprehensive Plan Amendments process and formulates recommendations to the CA.

LIAISON: Maintains the city-established positions on advisory boards and commissions related to the Community Assembly.

PEDESTRIAN, TRANSPORTATION AND TRAFFIC (PeTT): Focuses on Spokane’s transportation-related problems and opportunities to create safer, more accessible streets for all uses, including pedestrians, cyclists, and public transportation passengers.

NEIGHBORHOOD SAFETY: Works to bring awareness and solutions to neighborhood safety issues.