# This Week at NNI



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# Deb's Desk (a weekly update from CEO Deb Hermann)

# Is your home still on a septic tank? NNI may have good news for you!

Through a partnership with the Kansas City Water Services Department, NNI is ready and able to help Kansas City residents get long-awaited sanitary sewer connections...at substantial cost savings.

# Why should you connect to the sanitary sewer system?

If your property is near a sanitary sewer main, you may be required to connect to the main if your septic tank ever needs replacement. There are also important health and environmental benefits and it may increase your home's value.

#### How much will it cost?

The cost will vary depending on your household income, but for some households, the cost could be \$0 (Yes, zero!).

# Why now? My septic system is working fine.

Grant funds are available to assist qualified households, **but for a limited time only.** When the grant funds are gone, the homeowner will be responsible for the full expense.

# How do I know whether I qualify?

Finding out whether you qualify is free, easy and confidential. Just call **Cheryl**, **816-454-2000**, at NNI. She will answer your questions and, when your application is approved, get a qualified contractor on the job.

#### Remember:

Your property must be in Kansas City, Missouri, have access to a sanitary sewer main, and you must meet income guidelines. Call today!

# **News Bites**

# Be sure your neighborhood gets to vote at NNI Annual Meeting!

Member neighborhood associations will vote to elect NNI board members and approve bylaw changes at NNI's June 25 Annual Meeting, 6 p.m. at NNI. To vote, your neighborhood organization must be a current member. Go to: <u>http://www.nni.org/associations/associa</u> <u>tion-application.html</u> to renew on-line. Or call Jim Rice at 454-2000 for more information.

# Develop the leader in you!

Don't miss the first LeaderWorks session on Wednesday, April 25, 7 p.m. at NNI. The topic: Northland Roads and Travel. This new monthly program will provide both the information and skills you will need to be effective leaders.

# Chouteau Parkway is happening.

After groundbreaking ceremonies today (April 16), construction begins on the \$36 million Chouteau Parkway. There will be some inconveniences (Parvin-Chouteau intersection will be closed for several weeks starting in June) but a stunning new gateway to the Northland will be the end result.

#### Calendar for April 16 – April 25

| 4/16/12 | 6:00 p.m. | NNI Board Meeting        |
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| 4/17/12 | 7:00 p.m. | Greenhaven Neighborhood  |
| 4/18/12 | 6:30 p.m. | Cop Talk                 |
| 4/23/12 | 6:00 p.m. | Meet Your Councilpersons |
| 4/25/12 | 7:00 p.m. | NNI LeaderWorks          |

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