

RVN Neighborhood Watch

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Welcome to Roscoe Village Neighbors.

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Upcoming Events

October 19

CAPS Meeting

@ 2452 W Belmont 7-8pm

October 23

RVN Halloween Parade

@ Roscoe & Oakley 2pm

November 8

RVN Board Meeting

@ Four Treys 7pm

Dear Neighbor,

To build a stronger sense of safety and community engagement, RVN is making the neighborhood watch program a key priority. Look out for upcoming events, newsletters and more information coming soon!

RVN Board of Directors

Topic: Do I call 911 or 311?

311 should be used for non-emergency police services, such as theft, lost property, motor vehicle theft or burglary which is no longer in process and the offender is gone from the scene. 311 is also used for City Services like graffiti removal, rat baiting or potholes in the street.

911 should be used when the on-site presence of a police officer is necessary to resolve the matter, or you need other emergency services, such as an ambulance or fire department.

If you need to call 911, remember these tips:

- You can remain anonymous, just express this desire at the beginning of the call.
- Give as much information as possible. You may be asked for descriptions of individuals or victims. You also may be asked about a medical history if you need an ambulance.
- Emergency services are answered on a priority basis with life threatening, bodily injury and major property

Important Numbers

Emergency Hotline: **911**

Non-Emergencies – including graffiti removal: **311**

Anonymous tip line – text from your cellphone: **TXT2TIP**

19th District Police Station:
312-744-8320

Alderman Waguespack:
773-248-1330

Alderman Pawar:
773-868-4747

damage or loss at top priority.

Stay Safe this Halloween

The RVN Halloween Parade is Sunday, October 23rd at 2pm. Keep Halloween and all other days safe by following these Safety Tips:

- **Walk Safely**
 - Always use sidewalks.
 - Use Cross walks when crossing the streets.
 - Be careful of cars that are turning or backing up.
- **Trick or Treat with an Adult**
 - Young children should not be out at night alone.
 - Stick to familiar, well-lit areas.
 - Trick or treat in a group if possible.
- **Keep Costumes Safe**
 - Decorate your costumes with light colors and reflective tape or stickers.
 - Masks can obstruct vision, use face paint where possible.
 - Carry glow sticks or flashlights if you will be out past dark.
- **Drive safely**
 - Take your time, look for kids at intersections, and enter alleys slowly.

• (from safekids.org)

Stay Tuned for more News and Opportunities from Roscoe Village Neighborhood Watch!



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