## October 2016 Update

Thank you again to our many community volunteers who keep our parks, channels and streets clean and tidy. We absolutely live in the very best community!

We are looking for a volunteer to help us refinish the swing and stand in Highland East Park. If you are interested helping with this project, either yourself or organizing a small committee, we would appreciate your help. Please contact Sherry Hume at 210-305-3594 to discuss our plans.

The Capital Area Metropolitan Planning Organization (CAMPO) attended our POA meeting to share information and gather community input on an additional river crossing near Wirtz Dam Road. Visit the following website to find out about additional meetings, more information or take the survey online to share your input. The web address is <a href="https://www.campotexas.org/wirtzdamroad">www.campotexas.org/wirtzdamroad</a>

We will have a member from the International Dark-Sky Association at our December meeting. IDA works to protect the night skies from light pollution. IDA is the recognized authority for night sky protection and has taken the lead in identifying and publicizing the negative impacts of artificial light at night on human health, wildlife and climate change.

If you have thoughts about other organizations you would like to have present to our community, please contact me (Lorinda Peters – 515-988-5656 or <a href="mailto:lorindalpeters@gmail.com">lorindalpeters@gmail.com</a>) and I'll do my best to get it arranged.