

**NEXT MEETING: 7:30 PM, THURSDAY, MAY 3
AT THE COMMUNITY CENTER**

Highlights

Huntington



**Huntington
Community
Association**
P.O. Box 7041
Alexandria, VA 22307

CITIZEN OF THE YEAR, 2007

The Mount Vernon Council of Citizens Associations held their annual awards dinner at the Fort Belvoir Golf Club on Saturday April 21 to honor Mack Rhoades as the Mount Vernon Citizen of the Year 2007. The event was attended by many Huntington residents. We, again, want to thank Mack for the untold hours he spends on community service and his leadership in making Huntington a better place to live.

At the request of the Huntington Community Association, the Fairfax County Board of Supervisors approved (unanimously) an interim flood insurance grant program and a related ordinance that established a sub-area of the existing Huntington community within the Route One Rehabilitation District as the boundaries of the area to be served by this interim Fairfax County-funded flood insurance assistance program.

The Huntington Flood Insurance Program (HFIP) was established to reimburse income-qualified residents (owner-occupants and renters) for the cost of flood insurance for a period of one year. The flood insurance is provided through the Federal Emergency Management Agency's (FEMA's) National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP). The Fairfax County Redevelopment and Housing Authority (FCRHA) will administer the program through the Fairfax County Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD).

The Board of Supervisors has designated a sub-area of the community, which includes within its boundaries the homes that experienced the June flooding or were deemed susceptible to future flooding. The target sub-area for the HFIP includes that portion of the community that lies on the north side of Farrington Avenue, on both sides of Arlington Terrace, on both sides of Victory Drive, on both sides of Fenwick Drive, and on the north side of Huntington Avenue from 2400 through 2412 Huntington Avenue. Properties in that sub-area either experienced the June flooding or have been deemed susceptible to future flooding.

All homes in the sub-area should have received a letter and application to apply for assistance to purchase flood insurance. Qualified homeowners and renters must apply and be qualified no later than December 31, 2007. If you have any questions or if you did not receive the letter and application but are in the sub-area, please call Louise Milder on 703-246-5255, Derek Dubard on 703-246-5139, or Savi Singh on 703-246-5170.



Make a Difference! Join the Huntington Community Association

Only \$10 a year will give you the voting power you need to make important decisions that will affect your community. Residents & business are welcome as members.
Complete this form to join, and help make a difference.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Concerns: _____

Interests: _____

Mail to:
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The Neighborhood Watch meeting is held on the third Thursday of every month at 6:30PM at the Community Center. The next meeting is 5/17/07. Your presence and help is always welcome.

SPRING PLANT SWAP BRUNCH

Bring your extra seedlings, plants, bulbs, roots, etc. to swap with others or just give away. Chat and share stories about what grew well and what didn't. Learn what works to break up clay soils. And bring something to share for brunch. Meet at the Huntington Community Center, Saturday May 5, 12:00-1:00 PM.

HUNTINGTON DISCUSSION BOARD

Visit www.HuntingtonOnline.org to sign up for the community's discussion board. The discussion board features:

- Messages arranged by topics
- The ability to watch & be notified by topics
- The ability to set up issue-specific discussion space, such as the Huntington Garden Club discussion forum

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