



RIVER NORTH RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION

2008 CANDIDATE NOMINATION FORM

I wish to become a candidate for election as an Officer of the River North Residents Association.

Name:		Occupation:	
Address:		Length of Residence:	
Email:		Phone:	
Office Sought:	<input type="checkbox"/> Vice President	<input type="checkbox"/> Secretary	<input type="checkbox"/> Membership Officer
		HOA Director Y/N:	

Give a brief description of your background, qualifications and objectives regarding your candidacy.

Signature

Date

Please return to RNRA via fax (312-624-7966) by no later than July 7, 2008.



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Descriptions of Offices Becoming Available in 2008
(Excerpt from 3/25/08 RNRA Bylaws)

ARTICLE III: PURPOSE AND ACTIVITIES

Section 1. This Association shall be organized and conducted as a not-for-profit Corporation, pursuant to the laws of the State of Illinois, committed to enhancing the quality of life in the area through constructive engagement with residents, city officials, local businesses, community organizations and other stakeholders on issues of mutual interest.

The primary concerns of the Association shall be improving and maintaining neighborhood security, infrastructure and amenities, encouraging responsible and well-managed commercial and residential real estate development and advocating and/or facilitating cooperative, respectful and mutually beneficial relationships between area residents, commercial entities and other stakeholders.

ARTICLE IV: Officers and Executive Committee

Section 4. Duties

Vice President. The Vice-President shall execute any and all responsibilities of the President in the event that he is unable to do so. The Vice-President shall have all other rights and powers customarily adopted by the Association.

Secretary. The Secretary shall act as the archivist and chief record-keeping Officer of the Association. It shall be his duty to keep an accurate record of the minutes of all general membership, Executive Committee and Board meetings, and to keep custody of the Corporate Seal of the Association. It shall also be the duty of the Secretary to handle and maintain records of such Association correspondence as required by the President and/or Executive Committee, and to ensure that all notices are duly given in accordance with the provisions of these Bylaws or as required by law or as directed by the President. The Secretary shall have all other rights and powers customarily adopted by the Association.

Membership Officer. The Membership Officer shall maintain an accurate record of key contacts and other pertinent information for each member. He shall on a reasonable basis, engage in a dialogue with representatives of each organizational member to ascertain their issues and apprise them of pertinent information. He shall contact eligible prospective members to encourage them to join the Association and shall assist the Treasurer with membership renewals as appropriate. The Membership Officer shall have all other rights and powers customarily adopted by the association.