**ST. PATRICK’S DAY REVELRIES!!**

Time to get your green on! After a two-year hiatus, the St. Pat's Parade and Lower Greenville block party are back on Saturday, March 12th! If you have lived in the area for more than 2 years, you know what a significant impact this has on our neighborhood. As in previous years, VPNA volunteers will be constructing and installing ‘No Parking’ signs (\*\*see sign building info below). As thousands of partiers come into the neighborhood after the parade on Upper Greenville, we need to make sure that emergency vehicles can still navigate the neighborhood and that residents can still come and go without being trapped in their homes. For event details and the traffic management map for our area:

<https://dallascityhall.com/departments/office-special-events/Documents/3.12.22%20Dallas%20St.%20Patrick%27s%20Day%20Traffic%20Advisory.pdf>

**\*\*\*Lower Greenville Block Party Details\*\*\*:** The annual lower Greenville St. Patrick’s Day Block Party will start at 9 a.m. between the 2800 and 2900 block of Greenville Avenue. North and southbound traffic on Greenville Avenue will be detoured east to Matilda Street. The following streets will be designated one-way westbound from Greenville Avenue to McMillan Avenue from 8 a.m-8 p.m.: Monticello Avenue, Ridgedale Avenue, Vanderbilt Avenue, Goodwin Avenue, Vickery Boulevard and Miller Avenue The following streets will be designated one-way eastbound from Greenville Avenue to Matilda Street from 8 a.m- 8 p.m: Marquita Avenue, Vanderbilt Avenue, Llano Avenue, Velasco Avenue Admission to the block party is $15 CASH. ATMs will be located at every entry gate and throughout the event grounds. FREE SHUTTLE from Mockingbird Station. Must be 21 and must provide a valid ID. No alcohol or coolers may be brought into the event or on the shuttles.

**\*\*‘No Parking’ Signs:\*\*** We will be recycling some of the No Parking signs from 2020, however, since the date of the event has changed, we will be applying stickers to the signs with the correct date. We will also be constructing additional new signs. **Volunteers are needed to apply stickers and build additional signs. This will take place on Wednesday March 9th at 6:00p.m. at 5209 Vickery Blvd, home of Jason Spencer.** We will also need volunteers to install the NP signs in the neighborhood—maps and additional installation instructions will be available the night of the sign building. Signs will be installed Thursday evening, March 10th (must be posted 48 hrs prior to event), however the restrictions do not go into effect until the morning of Saturday March 12th, the day of the event. Signs will be installed on the north side of the east/west streets, and on the west side or both sides of the side streets.

**A word of caution:** DO NOT PARK on the north side of the street (or wherever the No Parking signs are placed)—move your car before Saturday morning and tell your neighbors to do so as well. Cars parked in violation of the no-parking plan will be towed. There will be no exception for residents.

**Day of the block party:** If you have any issues related to illegal parking, traffic congestion, noise, excess litter, call 9-1-1. DPD has a dispatcher dedicated to handle the “party zone” area. Due to the increase of persons/activity in the area, you may not be able to get reception on your cell phone. If you are having your own St. Pat’s Day celebration at your home, please be considerate of your neighbors—keep the noise level down and clean up afterwards. Sláinte!