

New Online Neighborhood Directory

The engineers and designers at Creek Bluff Digital Media Services are constantly looking for ways to improve the User Experience for homeowners in communities we support...and boy, do we have a good one for you this time!

In compiling the suggestions we've received from homeowners and property managers, we've overwhelmingly noticed a recurring theme: the old Neighborhood Directory was difficult to use and needed to be improved. So as our first new plugin for the year, we decided to focus on building a more robust, easier-to-use, and quicker Neighborhood Directory, which provides these...

Features

- **Search for homeowners**

The new Neighborhood Directory plugin now provides an easy way for homeowners to find another homeowner. Search by first name, last name, or any variation of both and a "type-ahead" list automatically proposes potential matches.

- **Sort by last name**

Unlike the old Neighborhood Directory where all homeowners who opted to show their information to other homeowners was displayed on a single page, the new plugin sorts all homeowners who have opted in by last name, and homeowners can use a "quick link" at the top of the page to rapidly re-sort the directory by the first letter of any last name. The plugin is also smart enough to only offer letters in the alphabet where there are actual last names to match.

- **Easy-to-view format**

The new Neighborhood Directory looks more like cards in an address book now than previously where homeowner information was presented in a row format.

- **Faster...much faster**

The new Neighborhood Directory takes advantage of newer technology, which allows us to build smaller and much more robust features. This newer technology translates as a benefit to homeowners in terms of the speed in which this plugin presents information. In addition, because the directory is being presented in a much smarter way, in terms of how it makes use of sorting, the directory loads significantly faster than the previous.

- **Remove outdated or duplicate registrations**

(For property managers or board approved administrators)

It happens...homeowners sometimes register twice and in doing so, choose to show their information in the Neighborhood Directory, and so they appear more than once. Or...a homeowner moves from the community and their information remains in the Neighborhood Directory, because the new homeowners haven't registered on the HOA website yet. In either case, these "rogue" profiles either remained in the directory, or someone had to contact us to remove them. Problem solved! With the

proper role assigned to an individual like a property manager or someone on the board, you can now review and remove these registrations yourself, without doing much more than selecting the profile to remove and approving it. Neighborhood Directory updated...registration removed!

Prerequisites

This new feature has prerequisites attached. If you are unsure whether or not your HOA website(s) complies with these requirements, please contact us and we'll quickly help you understand:

- **Platform**

This new plugin is designed to only work with the Sitefinity CMS platform, which if you've previously or currently engaged us to design and build an HOA website for you, we've used. This plugin IS NOT designed for use with HOA websites built using the AtHomeNet, HOA Sites, or other platforms, as well as stand-alone HTML websites.

- **Secured Homeowner Area**

We try and help safeguard homeowner information as much as possible, so if your HOA website meets the first requirement, but does not have the ability for homeowners to register and sign-in, let's chat about upgrading the HOA website. In all cases, the HOA website must have a secured homeowner area to install this new plugin.

Cost

**The cost of adding this feature to your HOA website,
until March 1, 2017, is only \$49.95***

We're so excited about the new Neighborhood Directory and know you're going to be as well, that we've decided to offer a discount of 30% to kick things off from the standard cost of installation and configuration in adding it to your HOA website. All you need to do is send us an email and request that we add this new plugin to your community website, and we'll get busy, then notify you when it's ready! We can even use the website to send an email blast to subscribers that a new Neighborhood Directory is available and ready for use!

Contact us today and let's provide a better directory!

* Once the promotional price period ends, the standard cost of this plugin will be \$69.95. One-time setup charge, with no recurring fees whatsoever. Hosting and maintenance fees do not increase by adding this feature.

Features

Header encourages homeowner to search for who they are looking for

Who Can We Help You Locate?



Start typing a name and the search engine populates a list of potential matches

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P R S T V W Y Z

“Jump” to the page sorted alphabetically by last name by clicking one of these



Abbott

Caryl

123 City Street
Sometown, TX 00000
myemail@isp.com



Abernathy

Carol

123 City Street
Sometown, TX 00000
myemail@isp.com

Directory card gives the appearance of an address book

If a homeowner added an image to their profile it's added to their card



Abram

Maritza

123 City Street
Sometown, TX 00000
myemail@isp.com

214-999-9999
214-555-1234



Ackerly

Cynthia

123 City Street
Sometown, TX 00000
myemail@isp.com

214-999-9999

The directory card automatically configures for one or more phone numbers



Adkins

Jackie and Barney

123 City Street



Alleyton

Cappie and Robert

123 City Street

Search for Homeowners

Start typing the name of a registered homeowner

Who We Help You Locate?

The homeowner can click the search button, hit [Enter], or [Tab] to search

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- Brenda and David Thompson
- Frank and Betty Davis
- Karen and David Clarke
- Linda and David Miller
- David and Nancy Robinson
- David Franklin
- David and Karin Steinem
- David and Sylvia White
- Henry Davidoff

T V W Y Z

Abernathy

The "type-ahead" list offers possible matches based on what is being typed

Street TX 00000

myemail@isp.com



Abram

Maritza

123 City Street
Sometown, TX 00000

myemail@isp.com

214-999-9999

214-555-1234



Ackerly

Cynthia

123 City Street
Sometown, TX 00000

myemail@isp.com

214-999-9999



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Remove Outdated or Duplicate Registrations

Who Can We Help You Locate?





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If your profile was granted access, a graphical link is added to each card


Sometown, TX 00000
myemail@isp.com






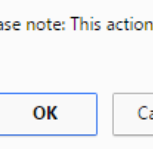
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Please click OK to remove this registration. Please note: This action cannot be reversed.

Clicking the link prompts a confirmation to remove the homeowner's registration and entry