



Are you interested in building community? Are you interested in historic preservation? Are you interested in the amazing cultural history of Jefferson Park? Are you interested in the storied collection of Arts and Crafts houses of Jefferson Park, thought to be one of the largest in the country? Are you a current or former resident of the Jefferson Park HPOZ?

Then Friends of the Jefferson Park HPOZ is for you!

We, Friends of the Jefferson Park HPOZ, are residents of the Jefferson Park HPOZ (established 2011) who have come together to support the Jefferson Park historic district, or 'HPOZ' (Historic Preservation Overlay Zone). We raise awareness among current residents, new owners, and investors about the benefits and responsibilities of living in and/or owning property within the HPOZ. We work to celebrate and preserve the cultural history, historic resources, and architectural landmarks of the Jefferson Park HPOZ, and through our activities we strive to foster a greater sense of community. In 2016 we received a Community Outreach Award from the City of Los Angeles "in recognition of excellence in Community Outreach by promoting education, fostering neighborhood pride, encouraging public participation and ensuring inclusivity in the Jefferson Park HPOZ."

Some of our activities include creation of and support for our Historic Jefferson Park website ([HistoricJeffersonPark.org](http://HistoricJeffersonPark.org)); the installation of historic district signs, both the large square signs at major intersections and the smaller signs above the street signs; design and distribution to all residents of a poster suitable for framing celebrating the HPOZ; assembly and distribution of welcome packets to all new residents; walking tours; and creation and support of the [Historic Jefferson Park Facebook](#) page that currently has over 950 members. (If you are not yet a member, please join!) A future goal is the expansion of the historic district signs project to include all street signs in the HPOZ.

We welcome new members willing to jump right in and to participate in our activities and projects. We meet on the first Saturday of each month. If you would like to join Friends of the Jefferson Park HPOZ and become active in our HPOZ community, please email us at [historicjeffersonpark@gmail.com](mailto:historicjeffersonpark@gmail.com)