**MNC FB FORUM GUIDELINES**

The MNC FB page is a social network created for MNC (Manette Neighborhood Coalition) members\*, their friends and neighbors. First and foremost, the MNC FB page is about the Manette community. There are certain rules which we enforce in order to provide the most enjoyable atmosphere that we can.

Please take a moment to familiarize yourself with our posting and activity regulations, and understand that we also rely on YOU to help us keep this community friendly and enjoyable. This means that not only do the rest of the members expect you to follow these guidelines in your own posts and activity, the administrators and moderators should be contacted via email or private message if you feel that another member's post or activity has violated these rules to such a degree that you would like to bring it to our attention.   
  
All reports will be judged without prejudice.

The MNC expects members to follow the following guidelines:

The guidelines provided by [https://www.facebook.com/legal/terms](https://www.facebook.com/legal/terms" \t "_blank)

As well as:

**No off Topic posts.**Posts on the MNC members Facebook group should be relevant to the Manette neighborhood. Threads about other neighborhoods should be limited except where they may pertain to the Manette neighborhood. Off topic threads may be removed by an admin to maintain focus on MNC issues.  
   
**No FAO (for the attention of) or Goodbye posts.**

You will refrain from having personal discussions or "for the attention of" post with other forum members. Please use the Private Message feature of the board, chat, or email for this purpose. Along similar lines, any 'Goodbye Forum' threads will be removed without notice. 

**Do NOT Flame or Troll**

Flaming, flamebaiting, and trolling are NOT allowed ANYWHERE on this site. This rule applies to posts, signatures, and PMs. Flaming is directly insulting another member, flame-baiting is making a comment with the intention of getting a flame as a response, and trolling is the act of making posts with no purpose other than to annoy people.

**Remember - All Members are Equals**

All members should be treated equally, whether they be an admin, moderator, or community member. This also includes minor rule violators. You may NOT attack rule violators for breaking the rules, simply tell them the rule they broke and leave it at that. Any rule violations are best handled by reporting the member or post to a moderator or admin, not by flaming them.

**Respect the Staff**  
If a staff member tells you to stop doing something, STOP. If you don't you'll likely be banned. If you disagree with any action taken by a staff member, please contact the administrator privately. We'll gladly review anything you have to say. NEVER attack the staff directly, as this is immediate grounds for banning. Finally, if you aren't happy with moderation or actions taken by the staff, please discuss this with us privately; we won't stand for grandstanding.

**No Affiliate Marketing**

No form of affiliate marketing is allowed on the MNC FB page. Posts will be removed. Spammers will be banned.

**No Political Candidate and/or Party Endorsements**

No posts endorsing or campaigning for any political candidate or party allowed. Discussions of neighborhood ***issues*** that may come before city council etc. are fine as long there is not an endorsement for specific candidates or political parties.

**SUSPENSION, TERMINATION**

The MNC board reserves the right at its sole discretion to suspend, or terminate access to the  MNC Facebook group for violation of the rules stated in this document or any other service terms documents. A moderator will remove offending messages and may or may not send a note explaining why the message was removed. Having a message removed should be seen as a warning. A forum member who ignores these warnings may find their access suspended. If you should find your access suspended, please request a review of your account status by sending a polite request to [Manetteneigborhoodcoalition@gmail.com](mailto:Manetteneigborhoodcoalition@gmail.com) . Please explain why you believe your account should be reinstated. Your request will be reviewed at the next bi-monthly board meeting.   
  
To become an MNC member you must live within the boundaries of the MNC as defined in the MNC bylaws. To become an MNC member Email your name and address to [manetteneighborhoodcoalition@gmail.com](mailto:manetteneighborhoodcoalition@gmail.com)