

# TRENO MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

NAME(S)

Palm Springs Street Address

Mailing Street Address

Mailing City, State, Zip

Phone

EMAIL *(Help us reduce costs by allowing us to communicate with you by email.)*

Payment:  Check  Cash  Bill me

- Annual dues are \$25.00 (See opposite side of brochure for information about how your annual dues are put to work)
- Members must be 18 or older.
- All residents, property owners, non-profit organizations and business proprietors are welcome to join.
- Would you or someone in your household be interested in becoming a block captain for neighborhood Watch?  YES  NO
- Can you volunteer to help with a committee?  YES  NO
- Do you have a specific talent or expertise to contribute to the organization?

*Examples: Artist, banker, computer tech, baker, gardener, etc*

**Please return your membership application to:**  
TRENO, P.O. Box 4394, Palm Springs, CA 92264,  
with your check (payable to TRENO) or cash and  
completed application. Do not mail cash.

Tahquitz River Estates  
Neighborhood Organization  
**TRENO**  
P.O. Box 4394  
Palm Springs, CA 92264

## Get Involved!

A neighborhood thrives when many voices and diverse talents and experiences come together for the benefit of the community. There are many ways that you can become involved in TRENO - become a member of the Advisory Council, join or start a sub-committee, pitch in at events, participate in Neighborhood Watch, attend meetings, become a sustaining member... your participation is always welcome and needed.



# Tahquitz River Estates Neighborhood Organization

## “ T R E N O ”

*an organization  
of neighbors  
interested in caring for  
our neighborhood's  
quality of life*

**For more details and information, visit:**  
[www.trenops.com](http://www.trenops.com)





**Tahquitz River Estates Neighborhood Organization (TRENO)** is an organization of neighbors – residents, property owners, business owners, non-profit institutions — everyone who has a stake in improving the quality of life in our neighborhood and the local community.

Our **goals** include:

- Building a strong community of neighbors knowing, caring and looking out for one another;
- Providing a forum for goals and issues of neighborhood concern to come forward and be acted upon in a collaborative manner;
- Developing a collective voice to express the neighborhood's needs, concerns, and visions before the City of Palm Springs.

An elected 12 member **Advisory Council** works to:

- Implement the neighborhood's goals and protect its interests;
- Identify ways for neighbors to take action on issues of interest;
- Promote opportunities for neighbors to get to know one another through social events and work groups;
- Share information and build communication among neighbors through efforts such as the website and Neighborhood Watch program;
- Represent the interests of the neighborhood.

# Why Become a Member of TRENO?

## Improving Quality of Life

Several issues affecting quality of life have come up during neighborhood meetings including safety, traffic calming, development impacts, lighting, rodent and pest control, and Tahquitz Wash clean up. As a new organization, our first efforts have focused on building the Neighborhood Watch program.

## Neighborhood Watch

TRENO is currently developing a Neighborhood Watch program that will help us deter crime in our neighborhood and serve to look out for other problems that may occur while you're away from your home or business.

*If you are interested in helping, please email [treno@trenops.com](mailto:treno@trenops.com) or call any Advisory Council member.*

## Palm Springs Office of Neighborhood Involvement

TRENO, along with other neighborhood organizations, is working with the City of Palm Springs to establish an Office of Neighborhood Involvement and Participation (ONIP). The purpose of ONIP is to facilitate communication between neighborhoods and the City Council and city departments, as well as improve responsiveness to issues of neighborhood concern.

*Do you have a suggestion for where to focus TRENO's energies? Would you like to start a committee to address this issue? email [treno@trenops.com](mailto:treno@trenops.com) or call any Advisory Council member.*

## TRENO Website [www.trenops.com](http://www.trenops.com)

Visit TRENO's website for information on neighborhood and local issues, special events, resources, opportunities for involvement and other information of interest. This website is ours to develop and evolve in ways that inform and improve quality of life within our community.

*If you are interested in helping develop and manage website content or have information you would like posted, email: [webmaster@trenops.com](mailto:webmaster@trenops.com).*

## Become a Sustaining Member

Membership dues are just \$25.00 per year and will make it possible for us to sustain a strong organization. Annual dues will be used to:

- Purchase Neighborhood Watch signage, supplies, and outreach materials;
- Print signs and print/mail flyers to notify the community of meetings and special events;
- Purchase office supplies and other materials needed to conduct the work of the advisory council and committees;
- Purchase liability insurance to cover our public meetings and events;
- Sponsor neighborhood social events;
- Maintain our website;
- Develop and fund new programs and projects that will improve our quality of life.

As a sustaining member of the organization, you are entitled to vote for Advisory Council members and participate in special programs and events throughout the year at no extra charge.

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