

# NEWSLETTER

November 2018

## Proper “Petiquette”

Dog owners have a responsibility to manage their pets’ behavior and follow certain rules of etiquette. Follow these guidelines to ensure that you and your dog are being courteous to community members.

- ◆ **Scoop your poop.** Bring several bags on your walks to be sure you have enough. Also, train your dogs to relieve themselves in the grass or dirt patches along the street instead of on the sidewalk around the building as this is a nuisance for the businesses and visitors to our building.
- ◆ **Prevent barking.** Practice getting your dog’s attention to easily redirect him if he barks at people or other dogs. Dogs are social and active creatures, bred to be our companions. Make sure your dog gets exercise and stimulation. Consider hiring a dog walker while you are at work or sign your pooch up for doggie daycare. Anxious dogs left alone with no stimulation may bark more. So make sure your pet has a chew toy and regular walks. Before you leave the house, close your sliding door and windows so your neighbors will not hear the barking.
- ◆ **Always leash your dog on walks and while in the common areas.** Not everyone is comfortable around dogs. Keep your dog close to you and stay alert to others. Your leash should be short enough to prevent your dog from contacting or jumping on passersby.
- ◆ **Be aware of other people’s feelings.** If your dog does something to upset someone (jumping up, barking) apologize to them and take measures to prevent the situation from reoccurring.

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## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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## NEXT BOARD MEETING

Regular Session Board Meeting  
Monday, January 21, 2019 @ 7pm

## SAVE THE DATES!

Holiday Wine & Cheese Social  
Thursday, December 6 @ 5-8pm

Town Hall Meeting—Reconstruction  
Monday, December 19 @ 6:30pm

Holiday Food Drive  
Friday, November 30th—Thursday,  
December 20th *\*Receive 1 raffle  
ticket for each food item donated.*