How to Create a New Neighborhood Association

**Start Your Association**
- Gather a core group of neighbors
- Set the goals/purpose of organizing
- Identify your association boundaries
- Create bylaws to govern your association's actions

**Why Register with ONC**
- Receive notice regarding various projects/events in your neighborhood
- Hear about ONC's trainings
- Get connected to other neighborhoods and City Departments

**Available Resources**
- Neighborhood Association Recognition Ordinance
- Sample Bylaws
- Office of Neighborhood Coordination's Website [cabq.gov/neighborhoods](http://cabq.gov/neighborhoods)

**How to Register with ONC**
- Fill out the Compliance Form
- Don't overlap with any other existing association
- Make sure your bylaws include:
  - Annual Meeting Information
  - Full membership available for all persons living, owning property, owning a business