

Rincon Heights Neighborhood

Highpoints:

- street narrowing
- water harvesting
- urban forestry
- community park
- activism and engagement
- newsletter

Key Partners:

- Drachman Institute planning, design & technical assistance, 1997, 2004
- Trees for Tucson
- Watershed Management Group
- Pima County Neighborhood Reinvestment Program
- City of Tucson Transportation Dept. and Ward Office



"It's very exciting to see so much interest in the kind of thing we've been doing. Ninth Street is amazing right now. Can't believe the break in the weather that we've had. The plants all look great even though we got them in pretty late in the planting season. Chris and I believe that planting 9th Street changed the weather in Tucson :-). We have weeds to tend to, but the trees and shrubs are going to be such an improvement. I've already walked by a bump-out and seen a flock of finches fly away. It was awesome

Carrie Stumm, Rincon Heights Neighborhood Project Co-Chair



Project Info:

- planning began in 1997
- \$500,000 Pima County Neighborhood Reinvestment grant 2007
- 6 block chicane systems - 9th and 10th Sts.
- urban forestry initiative
- water harvesting

