MNA Info



My name is Joseline Medina, and I am the bilingual MNA (Mayor's Neighborhood Advocate) for Area 5 (Wayne/Pike Township/Speedway/Far Northwest area).

¡Hablo Español!

Office Hours

Thursdays 2- 4 PM Eagle Branch Library 3905 Moller Rd, Indianapolis, IN 46254

Office Hours Updates

Last Tuesday of the month at the IDC – International District Center 2:30PM -3:30PM

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Area 5 Monthly Newsletter





Helpful Links

Please submit complaints/ service requests via RequestIndy https://www.indy.gov/activity/request-indy or by calling the MAC (317)327-4622.

-Street Maintenance -High Weeds and Grass

-Trees/Forestry - Traffic Signals/Signs

-Trash Issues -Illegal Dumping

Please submit a traffic complaint to the Indianapolis Metropolitan Police Department for these and other traffic-related issues, including:

- · Speeding and hazardous driving
- · Illegal turns, such as not obeying no-turn signs, restricted left turns, and illegal U-turns
- · Not obeying traffic signs, such as stop and yield signs
- · Illegally parked vehicles
- · Running red lights

The police will review your complaint and determine the best way to respond.

https://www.indy.gov/activity/send-a-traffic-complaint

▲Indy DPW Announces 2024 Leaf Collection Season: Monday, November 11, 2024 through Friday, December 6, 2024

Indy DPW collects thousands of tons of leaves each year from Marion County residents. Leaf collection dates coincide with the time of year when the most leaves are determined to fall from trees.

Here are a few guidelines to follow during leaf collection season:

- Place leaves in plastic bags. Paper bags can deteriorate and break apart in inclement weather.
- Keep bags at least three feet away from your trash cart for easy pickup.
- Leaf bags should be outside by 7 a.m. on your normal trash day.

Residents can open a service request via RequestIndy or by calling the Mayor's Action Center at 317-327-4622.

For more information, please visit indy.gov/activity/leaf-collection-season.

▲ Indy DPW anuncia la temporada de recolección de hojas 2024: del lunes 11 de noviembre de 2024 al viernes 6 de diciembre de 2024

El Departamento de Obras Públicas de Indianápolis recolecta miles de toneladas de hojas cada año de los residentes del condado de Marion. Las fechas de recolección de hojas coinciden con la época del año en que se determina que caen más hojas de los árboles.

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Los residentes pueden abrir una solicitud de servicio a través de RequestIndy o llamando al Centro de Acción del Alcalde al 317-327-4622.

Para obtener más información, visite indy.gov/activity/leaf-collection-season.

Department of Public Works (DPW)

Please prepare your storm inlets for the incoming weather! Standing water may occur if they become obstructed by debris. @citizensenergygroup will triage drainage concerns at (317) 924-3311.

Learn more about Indy DPW Stormwater: https://tinyurl.com/4j4tmm9s















These programs will help DPW implement new, short-term infrastructure alternatives to bolster safety or celebrate your neighborhood's identity through art.

Indianapolis Dept. of Public Works Two-Way Conversion Feedback Form (office.com)

Capitol Ave from 21st St to 38th St

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Illinois St from 21st St to 38th St

Pennsylvania St from I-65N to Fall Creek Pkwy S Dr

Delaware St from I-65 N to Fall Creek Pkwy S Dr

Alabama St from Washington St to Michigan St

New Jersey St from Washington St to Michigan St

East St from Washington St to 10th St

College Ave from Virginia Ave to Market St

Department of Metropolitan Development (DMD)





As you may know, DMD drives efforts around housing and mixed-use development, public spaces and programming, economic and community development, historical preservation, and more. Below is a list of engagements, events, and educational opportunities that speak to the work DMD is currently championing.

GROW - ECONOMIC + COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

NEW MARKETS TAX CREDITS:

New Markets Tax Credits are administered via Indy CDE. To learn more or submit an intake form, please visit indycde.org. For more information, contact chaitanya.modi@indy.gov.

• INDY CHAMBER BUSINESS OWNERSHIP INNOVATIONS + INDY CDE GAP LOAN PROGRAM:

Microloans now available through Business Ownership Initiative (BOI), the lending arm of the Indy Chamber's Entrepreneur Services division, a certified Community Development Financial Institution (CDFI), and a microlender through the Small Business Administration (SBA).

GATHER - PUBLIC SPACES, PROGRAMMING + EVENTS

SPARK UPDATE:

SPARK has closed for the 2024 season, but don't worry, there's still plenty to do on the Circle. Walk with us in the Winter Wanderland! Explore all that Downtown Indy has to offer this holiday season, including curated holiday agendas to bundle experiences, at indywanderland.com.

ENJOY THE WEEKLY INDY WINTER FARMERS MARKET:

Grab your food and goodies from local vendors at this year's Indy Winter Farmers Market every Saturday beginning November 16 at The AMP at 16 Tech.

- NOV 20, 4:30pm: Indy Health District Panel (2425 Dr. MLK Jr St)

 Topic: housing needs through a panel with local leaders including Megan Vukusich,

 Director of DMD. Please RSVP by Nov. 15 to info@indyhealthdistrict.org
- NOV 25, 10am: Plaza At Central Greens Ribbon Cutting (3010 W Washington St.)
- NOV 29: IBEW Local 481 Prepares for Circle of Lights (Monument Circle) Visit Monument Circle this Saturday morning to see more than 200 IBEW 481 volunteers position 52 light stringers filled with 4,784 multi-colored lights to prepare for the 62nd annual Circle of Lights® on Friday, November 29.

LEARN - EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

• <u>PEOPLE'S PLANNING ACADEMY:</u> Learn the basics of planning, zoning, and more for FREE.

PUBLIC MEETINGS - See upcoming meetings + access packets here

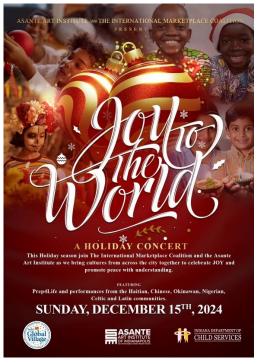
- 11/21/2024 1:00pm, Metropolitan Development Commission Hearing Examiner
- 11/21/2024 10:00am, Regional Center Hearing Examiner
- 11/20/2024 1:00pm, Metropolitan Development Commission
- 11/14/2024 1:00pm, Metropolitan Development Commission Hearing Examiner
- 11/14/2024 10:00am, Regional Center Hearing Examiner

Community Partners

4233 Lafayette Rd. Indianapolis, IN 46254







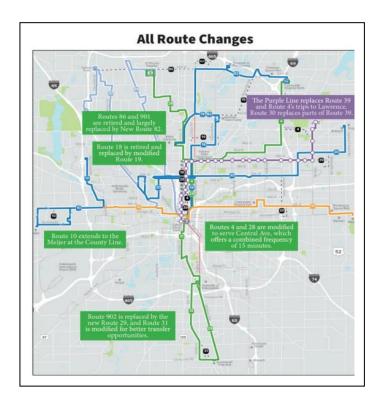


<u>IndyGo</u>

IndyGo is Seeking Purple Line Ambassador Volunteers are needed on opening week to help educate and assist riders on how to pay and use Indianapolis' newest bus rapid transit route. Learn more here! Post Road has new dedicated lane markings.

Learn more here! IndyGo Completes Blue Line Design

- √ 9.7 miles of new or replaced sidewalks
- √ 30 station platforms
- ✓ 2.3 miles of new or refreshed crosswalks
- ✓ 359 new or upgraded ADA curb ramps
- √ 46.5 lane miles of roadway resurfacing
- √ 7.5 miles of separated storm sewer drainage
- √ 63 new or upgraded traffic signals



Community Partners (continued)

***The International District Community Center** is a beautiful community space open for everyone to utilize. Please make the most of the resources and classes they offer.

El Centro Comunitario del Distrito Internacional es un hermoso espacio comunitario abierto para que todos lo utilicen. Aproveche al máximo los recursos y clases que ofrecen.

Address: 3540 Commercial Drive Indianapolis, IN 46222

Link: https://internationaldistrict.com/



Congratulations!

Go check out the ALAMO DRAFTHOUSE CINEMA!

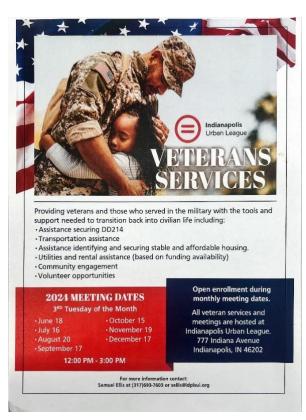
Start your engines, Alamo Indianapolis is finally open! It's been a long road, but we couldn't be more thrilled to join the Indianapolis community. Your excitement and support has fueled so much of our progress and now we want you to test drive your new favorite theater! Visit our new location by 12/1 and enjoy 25% off select menu items for a limited time. Tickets are on sale now at drafthouse.com.



Community Partners (continued)









Township Trustees Office









Community Partners (Continued)



905 Moller Rd, Indianapolis, IN 46254



Teen: Paint Your "ART" Out - Guided Painting

With Stephanie Schrodetzki





Monday, November 25 4:30pm - 5:30pm Add to Calendar



Eagle Branch



Join us for a fun and creative painting experience! Our guided painting class offers a relaxed, supportive environment where young artists can express themselves and learn new techniques.



Neighbors Unidos



Monday, November 25 6:00pm - 7:30pm Add to Calendar



Eagle Branch



Interested in learning English or Spanish? Join us for a collaborative language learning opportunity!

And more.... Eagle Branch- Indianapolis Public Library

Thanksgiving/Holiday Community Events









NW Indianapolis Metropolitan Police Department (IMPD)





When to call 911 vs. 311



Call 911

All Fire & Medical Problems
Drunk & Reckless Drivers
Disturbances & Fights
Any In-Progress Crime
Trespassers
Motor Vehicle Accidents
Shots Fired & Calls For Help
Suicidal People / Welfare Checks
Suspicious People & Vehicles
Any Incident Endangering People

Call 311 or 317-327-3811

To Ask Law Enforcement Questions
Loud Music & Parties
Fireworks
Barking Dogs & Found Animals
BMV Checks
Lost or Stolen Property
Parking Violations
Juvenile Runaway Reports
Identity Theft & Fraud Reports
Delayed Reports

* 311 is available to all cell phone users in Marion County, if you are calling from a landline, call 317-327-3811



Reminders

Leaves Season Guidelines

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Al igual que en años anteriores, las hojas recolectadas se llevarán al vertedero del lado sur. El vertedero de South Side no ofrecerá compostaje este año. Los residentes también pueden traer sus hojas a Greencycle. GreenCycle administra una tarifa de \$20 para dejar las hojas, y serán compostadas; sin embargo, GreenCycle no acepta bolsas de plástico. Cortar las hojas del césped es un gran recurso para el mantillo.

Marion County Open Burning Ordinance

Open Burning Types Allowed:

Cooking fires such as barbecue grills

Campfires, patio fire pits, or chimenea

Ceremonial bonfires conducted by established groups such as schools, churches, or other recognized organizations

Personal comfort fires

Items NOT Allowed:

Leaves Furniture/mattresses
Grass clippings Land-clearing debris
Stumps Dead animals

Household garbage/trash Hazardous materials

Waste lumber

Illegal burning may result in fines up to \$2,500. See Chapter 511 Article VII.

Please report to MAC or RequestIndy (317)327-4622

Marion County Health Department





Job Opportunities

Indianapolis Animal Care Services (IACS)

indy.gov: Join the IACS team







JOIN OUR TEAM!

WORK WITH INDY DMD

View jobs as they are added here.

- Compliance Officer (Closing 11/17/2024)
- Architectural Reviewer (Closing 11/24/2024)
- Office Assistant (Closing 12/7/2024)
- Project Manager Programming and Public Use (Closing 1/16/2024)

Westside Community Association



^{*}Next meeting will be on Tuesday January 14th at 6:30 PM*

Who is the MNA in your area?





Check out Tuesday Ten for more information:

https://indianapolis.granicus.com/ViewPublisher



Areas de servicio que se proveen por el Centro de Accion del Alcalde

- Solicitud de Servicios/Presentación de Quejas: El MAC registra toda la información en relación a su pedido o queja. La información es Inmediatamente trasladada a la agencia apropiada, la misma que procesara el caso.
- Acceso a Información/Registro de Comentarios: El MAC provee con información general sobre todos los servicios que se proveen por el gobierno local de la ciudad. El MAC también registra sus comentarios o sugerencias.

Usted puede contactar al MAC por cualquiera de las siguientes razones:

- Vehículos Abandonados
- Animales muertos en la calle
- Basura (Basura sin recoger, basura pesada, horarios de recoger basura, regulaciones)
- Informaccion sobre Reciclaje
- Banquetas/Bordes de las banquetas
- Descarga llegal
- Signos de las calles
- Árboles (bloqueando vías publicas o propiedad de la ciudad)
- **≧** Grafiti
- Mantenimiento de calles/Huecos en las pistas

EL MAC se puede acceder en línea en: www.indy.gov/requestindy



REQUESTINDY permite que los residentes soliciten los servicios mas comunes, las cuestiones de informes y solicitudes de servicio abiertas en línea, 24 horas al día, 7 días a la semana, 365 días al año. Los ciudadanos pueden acceder a una vista aérea a nivel de calle de una zona para informar la ubicación de los baches, grafiti, las malas hierbas y la hierba alta y

otros problemas. En los momentos de su presentación, las solicitudes se envían electrónicamente a las agencias correcta, independientemente del día o la hora, y los usuarios tendrán la opción de buscar el estado de las solicitudes presentadas.

CIUDAD de INDIANAPOLIS LANZA APPS para el IPHONE y el ANDROID

Baches, las malas hierbas y la hierba alta y los problemas de recolección de basura ahora pueden ser reportados con REQUESTINDY móvil

"Tenemos una aplicación para eso..."

REQUESTINDY está disponible de forma gratuita en el App Store de Apple, navegando por la tienda y para tu Android, navegando por la tienda Google Play

CENTRO DE ACCION DEL ALCALDE

City-County Building, Suite 2160

Teléfono: 317-327-4MAC (327-4622)

Abierto de Lunes a Viernes: 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Horas de oficina, si viene en persona: 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.



MAIN AREAS OF SERVICE PROVIDED BY THE MAC:

- REQUEST FOR SERVICE/RECORD COMPLAINT: The MAC will record all information regarding your request or complaint. The information is then immediately forwarded to the appropriate agency, which will handle the matter.
- **PROVIDE INFORMATION/RECORD COMMENTS:** The MAC provides general information about all local governmental services. The MAC will also record your comments or concerns.

REASONS FOR CALLING THE MAC INCLUDE:

- Abandoned Vehicles
- Traffic Signals/Traffic Signs
- Dead Animals
- Trees/Forestry
- Trash Issues: Missed Pickups;

Heavy Trash; Trash Regulations

- High Weeds and Grass Schedules
- Illegal Dumping
- Recycling Information
- **≧** Graffiti
- Sidewalks/Curbs
- Potholes/Street Maintenance

THE MAC CAN BE ACCESSED ONLINE AT: www.indy.gov/requestindy



REQUESTINDY allows citizens to request many of the most common services, report issues, and open service requests online, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year. Citizens can access an aerial street level view of an area to report locations of **potholes**, **graffiti** (on public property), high weeds & grass and many other problems. Within moments of being submitted, requests are delivered electronically to the

correct agency, regardless of day or time, and users will have the option to check the status of submitted requests.

CITY OF INDIANAPOLIS LAUNCHES APPS for iPHONE and ANDROID

Potholes, high weeds and grass, and trash collection issues can now be reported using the FREE REQUESTINDY Mobile app



"We have an app for that..."

REQUESTINDY is available for free for your **iPhone** by browsing the **Apple App Store** and for your **Android** phone by browsing the **Google Play store**

OFFICES LOCATED IN THE CITY-COUNTY BUILDING

Phone/Walk-In Service Available: Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

200 E Washington St, Suite 2160 (City County Building)

Please call: 327-4MAC (327-4622)

Additional Resources

Indiana Legal Services





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HOW TO GET HELP.

For immediate assistance and resources, please reach out—we're here to help you! Call us, complete the intake form, call us at 317-316-8336, or drop us an email at conflictresolution@indypsf.org.

October Highlights 2024

DPW Appreciation Luncheon







NW IMPD District -Coffee with a Cop







Let's Connect! ¡Conectémonos!

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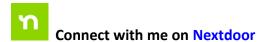
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I look forward to connecting with you and supporting you the best that I can. I am available for one-on-ones and neighborhood walkthroughs. Please do not hesitate to contact me.

Espero conectarme con usted y apoyarlo lo mejor que pueda. Estoy disponible para recorridos individuales y de vecindario. Por favor no dude en ponerse en contacto conmigo.