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Neighbor to Neighbor

United Neighborhoods of Evansville



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UNOE General Meetings



REMINDER: Due to renovations at the CK Newsome Center; the June, July and August UNOE General Meetings will be held at the UNOE Office. The address is 320 SE Martin Luther King Jr Blvd; you will enter through the door off the back parking lot.

Candidates Night will be held at Central Library in the Browning Room. More details to come later.

June Speaker Highlight

This month, United Neighborhoods of Evansville is pleased to welcome Katy Adams, LCSW President & CEO for Southwestern Behavioral Healthcare.

Southwestern Behavioral Healthcare proudly serves the mental health and crisis needs of individuals and families across Southwestern Indiana, including Gibson, Posey, Warrick, and Vanderburgh counties, and provides substance use to people throughout the state of Indiana.

With 13 locations and more than 9,000 clients served, we are committed to delivering compassionate, high-quality care. Our dedication to mental health wellness starts from within.

Together, our staff partners with individuals and families to overcome challenges, support healing, and build healthier, more fulfilling lives in our communities. Our mission is simple: partnering to provide compassionate care and improve wellness. Our core value, **Improving Lives Together**, guides everything we do and reflects our commitment to community, excellence, and integrity

What is the fireworks ordinance in Evansville?



Evansville's city ordinance states that consumer fireworks can only be discharged on your own property or on private property where you have explicit permission. Setting off fireworks on public streets,

- **Allowed Dates:** June 29 through July 9.
- **Standard Times:** 5:00 p.m. to two hours after sunset (or 10:30 p.m.).
- **Independence Day Exception (July 4th):** 10:00 a.m. to midnight.

Holiday/Event Specifics: Allowed on Memorial Day and the Fourth of July from 10:00 a.m. to midnight, and on New Year's Eve from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 a.m. on January 1.

August 4th, 2026

Civic Center Courtyard

Locust St Between MLK & SE 9TH

6:00-8:30 PM



A going away party for crime!
Bring your family, friends, and neighbors for a
night of fun community building.

The City of Evansville's "Movie Night in the Park"

series runs throughout the summer, showing family-friendly films at dusk.
Bring your own lawn chairs, blankets, and snacks.

The remaining schedule and locations are as follows:

- **June 12:** 11th Avenue Park (511 N. 11th Ave.) – *The Parent Trap*
- **July 17:** Stevenson Park (E. Cherry St./Morton Ave.) – *Space Jam*
- **August 7:** Howell Park (1101 S. Barker Ave.) – *Zootopia 2*

Evansville Trails Coalition

Community Partners, join us in Participating in an AARP Walk Audit.

An AARP Walk Audit is more than just a community walk — it is an opportunity for residents, advocates, nonprofits, and local leaders to work together to improve neighborhood safety, accessibility, and quality of life.

During a walk audit, participants observe and document conditions that affect how people move through a community, including sidewalks, crossings, lighting, accessibility, traffic speeds, trail connections, and overall pedestrian safety. These firsthand observations help identify barriers and opportunities for improvement that may otherwise go unnoticed.

Walk audits also create valuable partnerships between residents, local nonprofits, neighborhood groups, and municipal departments. The collected data, photos, and community feedback can support planning efforts and strengthen applications for local, state, and federal grant funding aimed at infrastructure improvements such as sidewalks, trails, ADA accessibility, traffic calming, and safer crossings.

For nonprofits and municipalities, these events demonstrate active community engagement, an increasingly important factor in competitive grant programs. For residents, walk audits provide a direct voice in shaping healthier, safer, and more connected neighborhoods.

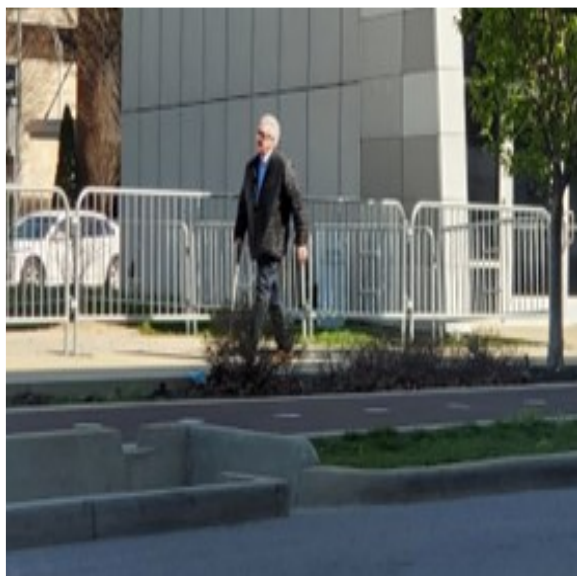
By participating in an AARP Walk Audit, facilitated by the Evansville Trails Coalition, community members help build momentum for positive change while supporting long-term investments that benefit people of all ages and abilities.

Please contact us today if your neighborhood association would like additional information regarding hosting a walk audit event.

Lorie Van Hook, Executive Director

trailscoalition@walkbikeevv.org

812/435-1463





WHO TO CALL FOR INFORMATION

ANIMAL CARE & CONTROL	435-6015
Animal complaints — too many animals, animals not cared for, pick-up stray animals, and removal of deceased animals.	
AREA PLAN COMMISSION	435-5226
BOARD OF PUBLIC SAFETY	436-7897
Signs, traffic markings, street closing, speed limits, handicapped in front of homes.	
BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS	436-4988
BUILDING COMMISSION	436-7885
Contractor's license/bonding information/new building, repair or remodeling permits. Flood plain information.	
CENTERPOINT ENERGY (Not a City Agency)	800-227-1376
To Report Electric Interruptions / Gas Leaks	
CENTRAL DISPATCH	Call 911 for all Emergencies
CITY CLERK/CITY COUNCIL	436-4992
Copies of city ordinances. Parking tickets.	
CITY ENGINEER	436-4988
Drainage matters, street paving, sidewalk requests.	
CODE ENFORCEMENT	436-7885
Complaints about EXISTING housing and garages. Property that is vacant and open on the first floor or does not meet minimum standard.	
COUNTY ASSESSOR	435-5267
Check ownership of properties and assessments on property.	
COUNTY AUDITOR	435-5293
Tax corrections, property exemptions.	
COUNTY CLERK	
Traffic Tickets/Misdemeanor	435-5482
Child Support	435-5787
Marriage licenses, small claims, court matters.	
COUNTY COMMISSION	435-5241
COUNTY COUNCIL	435-5791
County ordinances and legislations. Budgeting for county.	
COUNTY ENGINEER	435-5773
COUNTY HIGHWAY	435-5777
County road issues, County weed control	
COUNTY SURVEYOR	435-5210
DEPT. OF METROPOLITAN DEVELOPMENT	436-7823
EVV CLIMATE COLLABORATIVE (E.P.A.)	435-6145
Air quality issues including operating permits, dust and open burning.	
EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT	435-6020
EVV METROPOLITAN PLANNING	436-7833
FIRE DEPT. ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE	435-6235
FOR EMERGENCIES	CALL 911
FIRST TIME HOME BUYERS THROUGH HOPE OF EVANSVILLE	423-3169
Low interest programs for repairing owner occupied houses/sidewalk program in target neighborhoods, based upon income eligibility.	
HEALTH DEPARTMENT	
Birth/Death Certificates	435-2400
County trash control.....	435-5695
HOUSING AUTHORITY	428-8500
Housing for low income - Section 8 housing. We provide homes & connect people with services and opportunities.	
HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION	436-4927
INDIANA LEGAL SERVICES	426-1295
Legal assistance for low-income level	
LEGAL AID SOCIETY	435-5173
Legal assistance for people on a limited income in Vanderburgh County	
LEEVE AUTHORITY	435-6137



WHO TO CALL FOR INFORMATION

Flood Protection Service	
MAYOR'S CITIZEN CONCERN LINE	436-7999
MESKER PARK ZOO	435-6143
METS	435-6166
Information on buses and special programs.	
POISON INFORMATION (Indiana Poison Center)	800-222-1222
POLICE DEPARTMENT MAIN LINE	436-7956
Chief's Secretary.....	436-7896
Records.....	436-7956
Internal Affairs.....	436-7890
Auto Theft / Financial Crimes.....	436-7991
Adult Investigations.....	436-7979
Sex Crimes / Domestic Violence.....	436-7949
Hit & Run.....	436-7946
Crime Prevention.....	435-6135
Tip Line.....	435-6194
Narcotics / Street Crimes.....	436-7917
Public Access.....	436-7891
Juvenile.....	436-7906
Dispatch Non-Emergency Line.....	426-7331
PARKS & RECREATION	435-6141
PERSONNEL/ ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES	436-4934
Hiring, employee benefits.	
PROSECUTOR'S OFFICE	435-5150
RECORDER	435-5215
Deeds, Mortgages and Releases.	
RODENT CONTROL	436-7885
Vector Control - Environmental (Mosquitoes)	435-5667
Rodent control, trash/debris, insects, furniture, refrigerators.	
SHERIFF	
Executive Office	421-6203
Patrol & Investigation	421-6201
Detention Center	421-6243
SOLID WASTE	436-7800
Recycling information.	
STREET MAINTENANCE (CITY)	435-6000
Street repair, snow removal. Drain storm line repair.	
TORT CLAIMS/LAW DEPARTMENT	435-6041
TRAFFIC ENGINEERING	435-6003
Traffic lights, stop sign replacement.	
TRANSPORTATION AND SERVICES	436-4988
Alley/street maintenance. Potholes in streets. City drainage problems.	
TRASH SERVICES (CITY)	424-3345
TREASURER	435-5248
Tax payments and collections.	
UNITED NEIGHBORHOODS OF EVANSVILLE (UNOE)	428-4243
Promoting & Supporting Evansville Neighborhoods—Call for information.	
URBAN FORESTRY	436-5752
Bushes and trees blocking the view of oncoming traffic. Trees on city property. If a tree is on private property, it is a civil matter.	
VETERAN'S SERVICES	435-5239
VOTER'S REGISTRATION	435-5222
WATER/SEWER UTILITY	436-7846
Administrative offices, bills, connect and disconnect services.	
WEED CONTROL - CITY LIMITS	436-7820
More than 9" (seasonal) overgrowth of bushes. Overgrown alleys.	

****August 2025***

READ TO SUCCEED: A STORY WITH THE EPD

Summer Reading Series

EVSC

JUNE 9TH - DELAWARE
JUNE 16TH - TEKOPPEL
JUNE 17TH - FAIRLAWN
JUNE 18TH - HARPER
JUNE 18TH - EVANS
JUNE 23RD - GLENWOOD
JUNE 25TH - STRINGTOWN

BOYS & GIRLS CLUB

JUNE 17TH 10:00AM
JULY 16TH 10:00AM

LOCATIONS ON THE LEFT ARE FOR
SUMMER SCHOOL PROGRAMS.

LOCATIONS ON THE RIGHT ARE
OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.



EVPL

JUNE 10TH - EVPL NORTH PARK
JUNE 15TH - EVPL WEST
JULY 20TH - EVPL CENTRAL
JULY 20TH - EVPL OAKLYN*
JULY 30TH - EVPL MCCOLLOUGH

10:00AM EXCEPT FOR
OAKLYN AT 11:30AM

LITTLE BLONDIES

JUNE 8TH 10:00AM
JULY 15TH 10:00AM
AUGUST 6TH 10:00AM

BARNES & NOBLE

JUNE 1ST 5:00PM - 6:00PM
JUNE 15TH 2:30PM - 4:00PM
JUNE 29TH 5:00PM - 6:00PM
JULY 13TH 2:30PM - 4:00PM
JULY 27TH 5:00PM - 6:00PM



FREE MEALS FOR ALL KIDS 18 YEARS & YOUNGER

*Adult meals available for purchase



LOCATION & DATES

DOOR

BREAKFAST TIMES

LUNCH TIMES

BOSSE

1300 Washington Ave

MAY 27-
JUNE 27

12

8:15AM- 8:30AM

NONE

DELAWARE

700 N Garvin St

JUNE 1-
JUNE 26

1

8:15AM- 8:30AM

12:00PM- 12:30PM

OPEN
JUNE &
JULY

DEXTER

917 S Dexter Ave

JUNE 1-
JULY 24

2

8:00AM- 8:15AM

12:30PM- 1:00PM

EVANS

2727 N Evans Ave

JUNE 1-
JUNE 26

3

8:30AM- 8:45AM

12:00PM- 12:30PM

FAIRLAWN

2021 S Alvord Blvd

JUNE 1-
JUNE 26

1

8:30AM- 8:45AM

1:00PM- 1:15PM

GLENWOOD

901 S Sweetser Ave

JUNE 1-
JUNE 26

1

8:30AM- 8:45AM

11:00AM- 11:45AM

HARPER

21 S Alvord Blvd

JUNE 1-
JUNE 26

1

8:15AM- 8:30AM

12:00PM- 12:30PM

HIGHLAND

6701 Darmstadt Rd

JUNE 1-
JUNE 26

4

8:15AM- 8:45AM

11:30AM- 12:00PM

OPEN
JUNE &
JULY

LINCOLN

635 Lincoln Ave

JUNE 1-
JULY 24

7

8:15AM- 8:45AM

12:00PM- 1:00PM

TEKOPPEL

111 N Tekoppel Ave

JUNE 1-
JUNE 26

5

8:30AM- 8:45AM

11:00AM- 11:45AM

OPEN
JUNE &
JULY

HOWELL POOL

1101 S Barker Ave

JUNE 8-
JULY 20

N/A

NONE

11:30AM- 12:30PM

OPEN
JUNE &
JULY

CARRIAGE HOUSE

5300 Carriage Drive

JUNE 1-
JULY 24

N/A

NONE

12:00PM- 1:00PM

No meal service June 19th & July 3rd - The USDA is an equal opportunity provider, employer, and lender.

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Non-Profit Org.

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Return Service
Requested

For updated Meeting times and locations please contact your Neighborhood Association President.

If you need their contact information call the UNOE office.

Office Hours - Monday thru Thursday 9:00am - 3:00pm

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