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TODAY'S WEATHER



Today: Partly sunny.  
Scattered later afternoon  
showers and storms.  
Tonight: Showers and  
some rumbles of thunder.

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Teaming up for fire safety

Reducing the mental load at home: housecleaning

**The REPORTER**

The Noblesville Fire Department (NFD) is teaming up with State Farm and the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) to promote this year's Fire Prevention Week campaign, "Cooking Safety Starts with YOU. Pay attention to fire prevention."

This year's campaign, which runs Oct. 8 to 14, works to educate families about simple but important steps they can take to keep themselves and others safe.

NFD and local **State Farm Agent Cory Shook** encourage all residents to cook with caution. In support of those efforts, Agent Edge recently donated a Fire Prevention Week kit to the fire department, which includes home fire safety and prevention activities and information for children and adults.

"State Farm encourages homeowners to make fire prevention an important part of their overall home safety plan," Shook said. "Fire Prevention Week reminds that cooking with caution should be at the top of the list. This also is a good time to check your smoke alarms to



Jeff Auble with Cory Shook State Farm, along with his daughters Zoe and Esme, delivered a donation of Fire Prevention Week supplies to the Noblesville Fire Department on Tuesday.

ensure they are functioning." NFD shared the following cooking safety tips through this year's Fire Prevention Week campaign:


- Turn pot handles toward the back of the stove to prevent spills and burns.
- Always keep a lid nearby when cooking on the stove. If a

We're continuing to discuss how to lighten our mental loads around housecleaning. Of all the articles I've read on this subject, I was impressed to find one written by a man who truly "gets it!" Nick Douglas wrote an article in May 2017 on **lifehacker.com** titled "How to Share the 'Mental Load' of Chores with Your Partner."

Douglas wrote that among straight couples, even when men do equal work carrying out household chores, women still disproportionately bear the mental load of keeping track of those chores. This creates a kind of continuous partial attention that takes up energy and raises stress. It also forms an invisible hierarchy where men feel like employees running afoul of the boss.

Boom! Mr. Douglas, you nailed it. He goes on to say that men often fail to appreciate or share this invisible management job. "If you can help carry the load,

COLUMNIST



AMY SHANKLAND  
Perfectly Imperfect

## Sheridan Lions welcome Superintendent Mundy



Dr. David Mundy, Superintendent of Sheridan Community Schools, recently gave the Sheridan Lions Club an update on all the positive things going on in the school system, and the referendum facing the Sheridan community.

## Celebrating Hamilton County's Bicentennial with "Fishers & Small Town Indiana" exhibit & tonight's Second Friday reception

**The REPORTER**

Fishers Arts Council (FAC), in concert with Hamilton County Community Foundation, an affiliate of CICE, and The Fishers Historical Society, will celebrate Hamilton County's Bicentennial this October in the FAC Hub Gallery in the Collaboration Hub at Hamilton County Community Foundation, 11810 Technology Drive, Fishers.

The exhibit, Fishers & Small Town Indiana, is open now through Nov. 3 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday to Thursday and by appointment with FAC on Fridays.

Tonight, Oct. 13, there will be a free public reception. Nicknamed "Second Friday," the reception is open from 6 to 8 p.m. at the FAC Hub Gallery.

As an added feature only at tonight's "Second



Art provided

See works from 14 local artists, including "Fishers Trinity" by Mark Rouse, at tonight's Second Friday reception in Fishers.

Friday" reception, historical documents, photos, and items will be available for viewing, courtesy of The Fishers Historical Society. The Conner Prairie Youth Spinners will join to demon-

strate their skills with their traditional art form. The musical talents of students and teachers from Bach 2 Rock Fishers will also be

## State Rep. Donna Schaibley announces plan to retire after nearly decade of public service

**The REPORTER**

State Rep. Donna Schaibley (R-Carmel) announced on Thursday her plans to retire next year.

Having served since 2014 in the Indiana General Assembly, Schaibley said she will complete her current term and not seek re-election in 2024.

Schaibley represents House District 24, which includes portions of Boone and Hamilton counties, and currently serves as vice chair of the House Public Health Committee.

"My service in the General Assembly has truly been a privilege, and I want to thank my

constituents for giving me the opportunity to represent them," Schaibley said. "During my time in the legislature, we've made strong progress in lowering the cost of health care for employers and patients, as well as infusing much-needed transparency and accountability in the health care marketplace. I look forward to continuing to serve the people of House District 24 through the end of my term."

Schaibley was responsible for several key pieces of legisla-

tion to drive down the costs of health care for Hoosiers. This year she authored House Enrolled Act 1004, which lowers patient and employer health care costs by creating greater price transparency and by providing oversight of Indiana's largest hospital systems through the Health Care Cost Oversight Task Force. The law also curbs billing practices that resulted in higher hospital prices being charged for non-hospital-based services.

"Donna is an incredibly

valuable member of our House team and she's taken on tough issues, particularly those focused on reducing health care costs for all Hoosiers," said House Speaker Todd Huston (R-Fishers). "She leads with compassion and always puts the needs of her constituents and local communities first, and we will miss her leadership at the Statehouse. I look forward to serving with her over the next year as she completes her term."

In 2020, Schaibley authored legislation creating the All Payer Claims Database, which will be

## Go Purple with Prevail!

During October, The Reporter is recognizing Domestic Violence Prevention Month by Going Purple with Prevail, Inc. As a Hamilton County-based nonprofit, Prevail advocates for victims of crime and abuse. Everyone is invited to take part in the "Go Purple" campaign by wearing purple and letting victims know they aren't alone.

**Today's Fact**  
One in four women experience some form of physical violence by an intimate partner.

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Learn how you can Go Purple with Prevail at [prevailinc.org](http://prevailinc.org).



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you can relieve your partner’s stress and feel less like an underling,” he writes.

Douglas goes on to share tips on how to do just that.

The first thing a partner can do is anticipate needs. “Don’t just do the laundry,” Douglas says, “Monitor the hamper and take the initiative to run a load. Examine when your tasks usually need to be done, and plan ahead for them.”

The second step is to write things down. Nowadays you don’t even need a pen and paper for this. Many people have smart phones where they can just set numerous reminders and they are off and running!

The third step is to automate things.

“Turn your phone into your manager and eliminate the mental load altogether. Add alarms to those calendar events. Set location-based notifications that remind you, when you’re passing the drugstore, to stop in. Move regular shopping trips onto Amazon Subscribe & Save,” advises Douglas.

He also says that you need to learn the skills for what you don’t do so you can serve as a backup when your partner is ill or traveling. For example, if you don’t typically do laundry, have your partner show you the basics such as sorting colors, different washer and dryer cycles and their purposes, etc.

Speaking of cleaning clothes, I haven’t been to the dry cleaners in years thanks to those wonderful kits for the dryer! I have used both Dryel and Woolite and have had success with both for

clothes I used to have to take to the dry cleaner. These kits save me time and are a relief for my mental load.

Douglas suggests holding family meetings on Sundays to keep everyone apprised of what responsibilities each person has for the coming week and to discuss potentially swapping tasks if needed. And speaking of family, he dedicates a whole paragraph to putting kids to work, saying you can hand off some of the mental load by teaching them to self-manage.

He goes on to share that Lifehacker writer Beth Skwarecki asks her kids to “be the boss of cleaning the table,” telling her what to pick up while she does all the work. “They love their little power trip, but I love that they’re actually paying attention to what the mess is and how to clean it.” This management-only outsourcing even helps kids learn how to cook before they’re old enough to do dangerous tasks themselves.

All these techniques are especially important when major life changes hit such as an illness or injury, a new job, or having a child. “The more flexible you are with your partner, and the more chores you both feel comfortable swapping, the more you can handle in a crisis,” Douglas concludes.

If I ever meet this man, I’m going to give him a huge round of applause.

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Thanks for reading The Reporter!

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small fire starts, slide the lid over the pan and turn off the burner.

- Stay in the kitchen while you are frying, boiling, grilling, or broiling food. If you leave the kitchen for even a short period of time, turn off the stove.
- If you are simmering, baking, or roasting food, check it regularly, remain in the home while food is cooking, and use a timer to remind you that you are cooking.
- Keep kids and pets three feet from the stove/oven and where hot foods and liquids are being served.
- Watch what you heat. Set a timer to remind you that you are cooking.
- Keep anything that can catch fire – oven mitts, wooden utensils, food packaging, towels, or curtains – away from your stovetop.
- Be alert. If you are tired or have consumed alcohol, don’t use the stove/oven.

For more information about Fire Prevention Week and this year’s theme, “Cooking safety starts with YOU. Pay Attention to Fire Prevention,” visit [fpw.org](http://fpw.org).

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on display, highlighting the talents of Indiana composers, including Carmel composer Frederick Hunt. A special interview segment, led by FAC board member Pat Grabill, will feature lifelong Fishers residents Martha Rouse and Bob Kincaid at 6:45 p.m. Free refreshments and a cash bar will be available at this all-ages event. You can also check out the Bicentennial Traveling Exhibit during the event.

Fourteen incredible local artists will be on display along with historic copies of works provided by county historian David Heighway. The artists are Kathy Bowen, Regina Bunting, John Dierdorf, Shelley Feeney, Karen Fehr, Alexa Litchfield, Sue Payne, Joanne Roeder, Mark Rouse, Michael Rouse, Randy Swaim, Walt Thacker, Dave Voelpel, and Philip Worrall. Many of pieces on exhibit will be for sale.

The exhibit details the history of Fishers along with life in small town Indiana.

“We’re proud to partner with The Fishers Historical Society for this exhibit,”

FAC Executive Director Les Reinhardt said. “This partnership is special to us as historical society board member, Mark Rouse, is a Fishers Artist and is our guest curator for the exhibit. Mark has a passion for history along with a great creative eye and has done an excellent job of bringing these artists together to showcase the beauty and history of Fishers. We’re also thankful to the Hamilton County Bicentennial Commission for sponsoring this reception and all of the fantastic celebrations in Hamilton County this year.”

**About Fishers Arts Council**

Fishers Arts Council is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit arts organization whose mission is to support, advocate, and cultivate visual and performing arts opportunities that educate and/or enhance the lives of those who live, work, and visit Fishers. Visit art gallery space at the Collaboration Hub at Hamilton County Community Foundation, 11810 Technology Drive, Fishers, online at [FishersArtsCouncil.org](http://FishersArtsCouncil.org), or call (317) 537-1670.

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operational in early 2024. It will provide a website that can be used by consumers to compare health care prices and quality in order to make more informed decisions. She also sponsored legislation requiring health care providers to give a “good faith estimate” of the costs of care prior to treatment if requested and streamlining the prior authorization process.

In 2019, Schaibley authored legislation strengthening Indiana’s Jake Laird red flag law by closing a loophole that allowed dangerous individuals to purchase a firearm after having their current weapon seized. She said her addition to the law made communities safer by preventing people adjudicated to be dangerous from purchasing firearms while ensuring such individuals are accorded due process rights.

Schaibley also authored and sponsored several pieces of legislation protecting rape victims by expanding the legal definition of rape, strengthening protective orders for victims of domestic abuse and other violence, and establishing a sexual assault victims bill of rights.

Throughout her tenure in the House, Schaibley authored and sponsored numerous other pieces of legislation that have improved the lives of Hoosiers, including laws permitting families of children with disabilities to establish tax exempt ABLE savings accounts that can be used for maintaining health and quality of life expenses, and legislation expanding programs such as the Youth Assistance Program that help at-risk youth.

Schaibley was born and raised in Floyds Knobs, Ind., and is a graduate of Purdue University. She and her husband, John, live in Carmel and have two adult children and three grandchildren.

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# Eat at Jim Dandy’s & support Cicero Friends of the Park

**The REPORTER**

Please join Cicero Friends of the Park from 4 to 9 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 14 at Noblesville Jim Dandy, 2301 Conner St., for dinner.

Fifteen percent of all sales will go to help fund projects such as:

- Park utility equipment
- Digital signs



- Bathrooms
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# Finding 75 . . . and onward to 80!

Very often lately when friends ask me how I'm doing, I tell them, "Just ridin' the Geezer Train." Reactions vary from laughs to mildly sorrowful 'awws' to being startled and not saying anything. Old folks can do that – startle people with something they say without intending ever to do so.

The fact is it is a fairly true statement. The run up to becoming 75 on Oct. 9 was very much a ride through various stations of endings, changes, happenings, enlightenments, reassessments, and nonsense.

It occurs to me that 75 years is a LONG TIME, 55 years of which have been as an adult with all the delights and struggles which that lengthy stage brings. Now it is time to be a certified 'old man' (see: geezer) and so to celebrate this lofty plateau I thought I'd reflect on just what that means to me.

Primarily, becoming 75 means I am totally lucky to still be walking the face of the earth – or at least the face of Indianapolis; many have not had the good fortune to be here at this age. It's a wonderful gift. One learns along the way that health is all important. That doesn't mean I haven't had problems to endure – but nothing has put me down, yet, and I am happy to be able to say that my mind still operates at an acceptable level and my body is very mostly okay.

Part of the aging process is change, of course – and change, of course. I have voluntarily left behind the pleasure of creating theatre moments, as a director and as a performer. This is a

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**KEN KLINGEMEIER**  
*A Seat on the Aisle*

deeper loss than even I expected, as it is not just the loss of the creativity process, it is more so the loss of contact with the wonderful community of people who are a part of theatre arts in this area. People are the essence of what theatre gives to its practitioners. Losing that has left a rather large chasm. The Geezer Train doesn't stop at that station any more. Luckily, I have great memories of my 40-plus years of being involved in theatre. And many pictures to jog those memories.

The loss of contact with so many friends makes for a lonelier existence. Part of aging can be isolation. But I'm not really alone – my everyday companion is my wonderful wife, Donna (Mrs. K to my frequent readers). She is a perfect partner, a light in my life, sharing these late years with me. Aging together is another bonus I am grateful for. It wouldn't be the same without her company and wisdom and aid. With Donna by my side, my troubles are few.

As we age, we need to find new activities to take the place of the old ones we leave behind. To replace the creative process of stage-work, I have tried writing. Since I started my blog 12 or 13 years ago, I have learned where most of the keys are on my laptop keyboard, though hitting the correct ones has started to be a problem.

After a few short bursts of production, with a memoir and a story or two, I wrote a novella entitled Soul Stories, setting the tale in the afterlife, there-

by making any particulars about the subject whatever I wanted them to be. It was an enjoyable endeavor – surprisingly very much akin to improvisation as the characters unspooled the story. The manuscript sits now on a thumb-drive, ready to be edited further. I attempted tempting a few publishers with my wares, but not surprisingly I was met with some form rejections. I may try again. (I also have a few ideas for a play I'd like to write.)

Aging has kept me from visiting family in other cities. Since the COVID era and with some intense back and leg problems we both have been going through, Donna and I have ceased traveling. Air travel could be a nightmare with long airport walks, long lines, tight seating and all the other trials of flying. I used to love taking flights, but the airlines have made it very difficult to enjoy them now.

Car travel remains a possibility, but with family in Buffalo (nine hours away), Augusta (12 hours), Houston (18 hours), and Las Vegas (days and days) road trips are either impractical or a challenge. We hope to make some visits soon, but I know traveling will not be what it once was – and the Geezer Train doesn't go there, unfortunately.

One very real aspect of getting older is the loss of family and friends at a quickened pace as they themselves age. I believe that is the saddest part. It seems we are – all of us – running out of time.

Also of note is a sharp awareness of my own mortality. It has always lurked in the corner, but with far more years behind me than ahead of me, I have a more acute realization that I am

not always going to be here. In fact, it may be sooner than later ... who knows? To put things in perspective, I started thinking of my turning 75 as entering the fourth quarter of my game – 25 years to the quarter. Overtime is possible but rare. I have no idea what my over/under is.

As far as I can recall, loss of memory is one of those issues that is always related to getting older – and my powers of recall have certainly been affected. I often walk into a room forgetting what my reason was for going there. (The bathroom is an exception.) Also, I may be reading or surfing online sometimes and come across a topic I wish to explore further and by the time I open a new browser tab moments later and settle into the search bar, I have completely lost any idea of what I hoped to study. I think the Geezer Train somehow negates the Train of Thought.

Most political interest has left me, and it's probably a good thing. As crazy and mendacious as it all is now, I cannot fathom taking either side very seriously. As I age, I have become aware that not much that they ever do in Washington (or in the Statehouse) ripples out to affect me directly anyway, so why lose sleep over it?

Finally, I happily note that reaching the age of 75 puts me on track for even more birthdays – more new changes, more valuable time to spend with my wife and family, more forgetfulness, more miles on the Geezer Train. Here's to longevity – which seems to be quite the in-fashion thing these days of medical miracles and discoveries.

So – all aboard and onward ... to 80 please!

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## Hamilton Southeastern Schools appoints Ryan Taylor as Executive Director of Staff and Student Services

### The REPORTER

Hamilton Southeastern Schools has announced Ryan Taylor as the new Executive Director of Staff and Student Services. Taylor's appointment was officially approved during the Board of School Trustees' regular meeting on Wednesday evening, marking an addition to the school district's leadership team.

With a distinguished career spanning education and school safety, Taylor brings a wealth of experience. Notably, he served as Vice President at Safe School Solutions, a divi-

sion of Safe Hiring Solutions, where he contributed to the areas of sales, marketing, and product development.

Nevertheless, Taylor's most relevant experience comes from his extensive tenure within Hamilton Southeastern Schools. He began his educational journey as a classroom teacher in 2002, and over the years, he transitioned into school leadership. In 2018, he took on the role of Director of Staff



Taylor

and Student Services.

Upon his appointment, Taylor expressed his enthusiasm.

"I am very excited to be returning to the school community I have called 'home' for more than two decades, and I look forward to continuing to serve our students and staff," Taylor said.

Taylor earned his Bachelor of Science in Mathematics and later achieved a Master of Arts in Educational Leadership from Ball

State University.

"We are confident that Ryan Taylor's extensive experience and dedication to the safety and well-being of both staff and students at HSE will contribute significantly to the continued success of the school district," Interim Superintendent Dr. Matt Kegley said.

The role of Staff and Student Services has been vacant since late August when Assistant Superintendent Kim Lippe accepted a principalship at a neighboring school district. Taylor's first day on the job will be Friday, Oct. 13.

## Enjoy best of art, shopping & music this Saturday at Meet Me on Main in Carmel

### The REPORTER

Come to the Carmel Arts & Design District from 4 to 8 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 14 for Allied Solutions' *Meet Me on Main*. Make your way to Main Street and Range Line Road for an evening of art, shopping, music, and more.

*Meet Me on Main* is the City of Carmel's monthly "Second Saturday" event to highlight local galleries, restaurants and design-related businesses in the District. Shops and galleries along Main Street will feature special events to enhance the experience of those who visit the District.

### Trick-or-Treat

Trick-or-treating will happen along Main Street during *Meet Me on Main* from 4 - 8 p.m. Pick up a free bag at one of the City of Carmel booths located at Midtown or Anthony's Plaza and visit the following participating locations:

- Agave Bar and Grill
- All Things Carmel
- Art On Main Gallery And Gifts
- Box Market
- Bub's Burgers & Ice Cream
- Carmel Arts Council Smallest Children's Gallery
- Carmel Tattoo Ink
- CCA Gallery
- Circle Real Estate
- Goodness Gracious
- Honey - Permanent Jewelry & Gift Boutique
- Indiana Artisan Gifts & Gallery
- Kernels Gourmet Popcorn
- Kuaba Gallery
- Magdalena Gallery of Arts
- Mary's Mountain Cookies
- Naturespire
- Papa Fattoush Restaurant
- Rusted Window
- Silver in the City - Carmel
- Soori's Gallery
- Sub Zero Nitrogen Ice Cream
- The Olive Mill
- The Art Studio of Carmel

Thank you to Circle Real Estate for being the official trick-or-treat sponsor.

### The Arts in Autumn

The Arts in Autumn, sponsored by CrossRoad Engineers, PC, is the City of Carmel's second annual fall festival. Visit Midtown Plaza and the Indiana Design Center from 2 to 6 p.m. on Saturday for fun, fall activities.

Follow The Arts in Autumn on Facebook and visit The Arts in Autumn on the city's website for more event details.

### Drum Circle

Experience the power of drumming with the Artful Rhythms Tour sponsored by Indiana Artisan. The activity will take place in the garden next to Indiana Artisan, 22 N. Range Line Road.

### Pumpkin Carving

Stop by the breezeway near SubZero and watch a demonstration by Master Pumpkin Carver, Lee Saberson. (111 W. Main St., Suite 130)

### Hot Blown Glass Sessions

Enjoy a hands-on hot glass session led by Lisa F. Pelo at Anthony's Plaza and leave with your very own

creation. Tickets are limited and can be purchased [online](#).

### DIY Moss Art Class

Join Naturespire, LLC for a DIY Moss Art Class at Anthony's Plaza. Tickets are limited and can be purchased [online](#).

### Live music

- Indiana Artisan (22 N. Range Line Road)
- Sophia Square Breezeway (110 W. Main St.)
- Indiana Design Center (200 S. Range Line Road)

### Play Bingo for prizes

Pick up a BINGO card at the *Meet Me on Main* tent at Anthony's Plaza and play for your chance to win a gift basket valued at \$250. See BINGO card for rules and instructions.

### Special Gallery Exhibits

- Art on Main, 111 W. Main St. Palette of Imagination art exhibit.
- CCA Gallery, 111 W. Main St., Suite 135. Loom demonstration and learn how to weave your own drink coaster.
- Circle Contemporary Gallery, 30 W. Main St. Live music from Carmel Symphony Orchestra. Free caricatures.
- Indiana Artisan Gifts & Gallery, 22 N. Range Line Road. Glass clay demonstration and make-and-take glass magnet craft.
- The Children's Art Gallery, 40 W. Main St. Visit with an oil and pastel painter.
- The Art Studio of Carmel, 30 N. Range Line Road. Special children's activity.

### Special offers

- All Things Carmel is partnering with the Brews & Barrels Trail to sample autumn themed beers from local breweries. (110 W. Main Street, Suite 104)

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A map of the gallery locations and more information about *Meet Me on Main* activities can be found at [CarmelArtsAndDesign.com](#).

Public parking is available in the Carmel Lions Club lot (141 E. Main St.), Sophia Square parking garage (entrance off of 1st Ave. NW), Indiana Design Center parking garage (200 S. Range Line Road) or on-street. [Click here](#) to download the Arts & Design District parking map.

### About the Carmel Arts & Design District

The Carmel Arts & Design District is the Midwest's premier arts and design destination. Home to more than 200 businesses, including art galleries, restaurants, antique dealers, design showrooms, boutiques and creative service providers, the Carmel Arts & Design District promises to stimulate the senses. The Indiana Design Center is housed in the Carmel Arts & Design District. In addition, hundreds have taken advantage of the wide variety of housing opportunities and call the Carmel Arts & Design District home.

## Westfield Lantern Award nominations now open

### The REPORTER

The Westfield Lantern Awards is a time-honored tradition of the Westfield Chamber of Commerce. The signature community recognition event began in 1982.

The event celebrates the community of Westfield and is a semi-formal cocktail reception designed to bring the community together for an evening of fellowship while recognizing and honoring



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outstanding residents and businesses. Applications for 2024

Lantern Awards are now open. [Click here](#) to submit an application.

## ON-LINE AUCTION

### ON-LINE PUBLIC AUCTION for The ETHERIDGE ESTATE (Tipton, Indiana)

**BIDDING OPENS: Thursday, October 12th @ 1pm**  
**SOFT CLOSE BEGINS: Saturday, October 21st @ 6pm**  
**PREVIEW DAY: Thursday, October 19th**  
**from Noon - 6pm**

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# Carmel International Arts Festival announced teen & juried artist winners

## The REPORTER

The Carmel International Arts Festival has announced winners from this fall’s competition. There were 148 entries from Carmel High School (CHS) and University High School (UHS), which is an increase from 100 last year and from 66 in 2021.

In total, \$16,700 in scholarships were awarded. CIAF funded nine scholarships totaling \$14,500; Carmel Arts Council funded two awards of \$100 each (\$200 total); and Indiana Artisans funded four “People’s Choice” awards at \$500 each (\$2,000 total).

Scholarships awarded include the following:

### CIAF Scholarships (Judge Juror Professor Vance Farrow, Herron Art School)

- “Rosemary Waters Excellence in Arts” (\$2,500) was Alex Altenburg (UHS) – mixed media sculpture of baked clay and wire
- “Best of Show” was Ava Galante (CHS) – colored pencil “Street Scene”
- Ella Lipnik (CHS) – pastel “Women in Blue”
- Isabel Lopez (CHS) – acrylic “Ukemoohi’s Lunch”

- Abby Vance (CHS) – colored pencil “Under the Sea”

### “Innovation in the Arts” (\$1,500 each)

- Lexi Bunting (CHS) – mixed media (embroidery and photo)
- Emily Comparini (UHS) – paper sculpture “Dragon”

- Erika Lawrence (CHS) – copper and resin “Bubbles Treading Water”

- and Kate Sampson (UHS) – digital illustration “Mind’s Eye”

### Carmel Arts Council Awards (Judge Joyce Burrell)

- Alex Altenburg (UHS) – posca pens “Girl on Bridge”

- Olivia Wright (CHS) – charcoal “Falcon”

### Indiana Artisan People’s Choice – (over 1,300 votes were cast by festival goers visiting the gallery)

- Aubrey Halbig (CHS) – colored pencil “Girls Braiding Hair”
- Oliver Jackson (Univ HS) – photo “Bridge”
- Kate Sampson (Univ HS) – oil on canvas “Lake Scene”
- Olivia Wright (CHS) – charcoal “Falcon”



(Above left) Laura Gutzwiller was awarded Best of Show in the competition of juried artists. (Above right) Zhen Zhong Duan was awarded Mayor’s Choice. (From left) CIAF Board President Jill Gillmer, Carmel Mayor Jim Brainard, Zhen Zhong Duan, and Meg Osborne of Meg and Associates.

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CIAF also announced the winners in this year’s competition of juried artists. The September festival featured competitors in nine different media. The winners are as follows:

- Best of Show: Laura Gutzwiller – Fiber
- 1st Place: Carrie Baxter – 2D
- 2nd Place: Charlene Marsh – Painting
- 3rd Place: Douglas Becker – Glass
- Mayor’s Choice: Zhen Zhong Duan – Painting
- Tanya Leslie – Best in Medium

- Brian Moore – Honorable Mention

### 2D

- Joel Fremion – Best in Medium
- Ila Catherine Hofacker – Honorable Mention

### Painting

- Randall Scott Harden – Best in Medium
- Heather Miles – Honorable Mention

### Wood

- Nadia Ogle – Best in Medium
- Mark Hilligoss – Honorable Mention

### Photography

- Kyle Spears – Best in Medium
- Kate Tillman – Honorable Mention



Photos by Beth Maier

- Shawn Thomas – Best in Medium

### Fiber

- Kent Epler – Honorable Mention

### 3D

- Scott Maya – Best in Medium
- Ryan Slattery – Honorable Mention

### Glass

- James Wilbat – Best in Medium
- Angelo Fico – Honorable Mention

### Jewelry

- Robert Nilsson – Best in Medium
- Ray and Amy Bridewell – Honorable Mention

See more pictures of the 2023 Festival and winners on the [CIAF Facebook page](#).

### About CIAF

The Carmel International Arts Festival brings more than 30,000 people to Carmel each year for this two-day event. Around 120 amazingly talented artists bring their talent to the streets of Carmel. The student art is a large part of the festival. CIAF is grateful to Indiana Artisan Gallery on Range Line Road for providing a location to highlight the student art. Learn more about the Indiana Artisan Gallery at [indianaartisan.org](#). Next year’s festival will take place on Sept. 28 and 29.

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## Letter to the Editor

# Tami Wanninger thanks you for being a friend to Prevail

Friends of Prevail, Hard to believe, but I have been in my role as Executive Director for almost six months. My message remains the same as when I first started, our mission being front and center! Prevail is here to serve those in need. The doors are open to empower those on their journey to hope, healing, and self-sufficiency. I am so incredibly proud of the work on behalf of those we serve at Prevail. I am grateful for the opportunity to serve this organization, the mission, and the countless individuals we serve each day.

October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month. The stats are real: one in three women and one in seven men will experience domestic violence. Most of us know someone – a neighbor, a friend, or a loved one – who has been impacted by abuse or domestic violence. I ask that you break the silence! Violence will thrive when you stay silent!

Prevail is here to support victims and survivors and their children by raising awareness of this issue and creating environments that do not tolerate domestic violence. It is time to empower victims of abuse and domestic violence, and I ask for your commitment to our community to end domestic violence.

I would like to share a few facts with you regarding Prevail and domestic violence:

- Prevail served over 3,100 clients last year, with 1,675 being primary victims of domestic violence.
- Prevail served 218 children under the age of 18 because of domestic violence.
- Prevail accompanied victims of domestic violence to court more than 400 times.
- There were 4,251 calls to the Prevail 24/7 crisis line.
- Over 1,179 safety plans were created.

I ask that you make a commitment to help end domestic violence, think about the collective impact you can have on those served by Prevail. This can be done through time, talent, and treasure. Get involved in one of many ways Prevail is highlighting Domestic Violence Awareness Month.

- Participate in one of our partner events during October.
- Like and share our social media posts to help spread the word.
- Talk to family members and friends about healthy relationships.
- Participate in Purple Thursday on Oct. 19 by wearing purple, posting a photo on social media, and tagging Prevail.
- **Consider a donation to Prevail, Inc.**

I want to thank you for being a champion and friend to Prevail! At the end of the day, this is about the incredible mission and the work of Prevail. I appreciate you and ask that you GO Purple for Prevail for Domestic Violence Awareness Month.

**Tami R. Wanninger, MPA**  
*Prevail Executive Director*

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# Sogility set to donate custom jerseys in Liberia

## The REPORTER

Sogility is donating custom soccer jerseys to support the Christian Leadership Training International (CLTI) and Riverview International Christian Academy (RICA) programs in Liberia.

With the help of Equipt Studios, Sogility will provide the team with a new look. The jerseys are designed to mimic Sogility’s use of technology in every facet of their soccer training.

“A goal of Sogility’s is to support clubs and organizations in any way possible to better the lives of youth players,” Sogility CEO Jimmy Carson said. “Providing these jerseys may seem like a simple thing, but to these young men, it means so much more. They will finally step onto the pitch wearing a jersey of their own.”

“We at CLTI and RICA look forward to the future, the decades of growth and development in both the gift



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and challenge of building through education, opportunity, and sport,” Sporting Director and Head Men’s Soccer Coach Deizie Buor said. “Thank you all for your contributions.”

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to CLTI, visit [cltinternational.org/donate](http://cltinternational.org/donate), and for more information on how you can get your hands on a sweet custom jersey, visit Equipt Studios at [equiptstudios.com](http://equiptstudios.com).

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# Why you need a cybersecurity awareness routine in digital age

Have you ever stopped to count how many devices you have connected to your home internet?

A recent survey of our Comcast customers found they have an average of 27 connected devices in their household – ranging from laptops, mobile phones, televisions, smart appliances, security cameras, baby monitors and even cars. This number has grown astronomically over the years, giving hackers more places to attack.

Cybersecurity Awareness Month, observed annually in October, serves as a reminder of the critical importance of staying vigilant in the digital age. Regardless of the tools and resources available to you, here are four essential tips to enhance your cybersecurity.

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ty awareness and protect yourself and your digital assets:

### 1. Create strong passwords

Create strong, unique passwords for each online account. Use a combination of upper- and lower-case letters, numbers, and symbols. Consider using a reputable password manager to help you securely keep track of your passwords.

### 2. Enable Multifactor Authentication (MFA)

Make sure multifactor authentication is enabled on all your online accounts that offer it, especially email, social media, and financial accounts. This will make you significantly less likely to get hacked.

### 3. Recognize & report phishing

Phishing emails, texts,

and calls are the primary ways data gets compromised. Be cautious if you receive unsolicited communication asking for personal information and avoid sharing sensitive information over the phone or email unless necessary. Don’t click on links or open attachments sent from unknown sources.

### 4. Update software

Regularly update your operating system, applications, and antivirus software. Cybercriminals often exploit vulnerabilities in outdated software to gain access to your devices and data.

### Does your internet provider offer security?

Contact your internet provider or visit the company’s website to research the security services and features they offer to their customers. If your internet provider supplies you with a router, it may come with built-in security features.

For example, in 2019, Comcast launched Xfinity xFi Advanced Security, a service that monitors, blocks, and informs our customers of online threats to any of the devices that are connected to their home network. xFi Advanced Security service provides a protective shield for connected home, and in 2022, it blocked more than 10 billion threats for our customers.

By incorporating these practices into your household’s daily routines, you can create a safer and more secure digital environment for your family. Cybersecurity should be a shared responsibility, and by making it a common practice you help protect not only your home but also your digital community at large.

Jeff Marston serves as the Vice President of Sales and Marketing for Comcast in Indiana.

# AG Todd Rokita provides tips for small businesses to protect themselves against rising cyber threats

## The REPORTER

During Cybersecurity Awareness Month, Indiana Attorney General Todd Rokita is alerting small businesses to rising cyber threats and providing tips for them to protect themselves and their customers.

“Cybercriminals view small businesses as easy targets and look for any weaknesses they may have in their security systems,” AG Rokita said. “It’s critical for small business owners to have safeguards in place to protect their data and customers’ personal information.”

Making sure any Hoosier business has the appropriate cybersecurity controls has become a necessary step in today’s economy. The average cost incurred by a business from a data breach is now more than \$4 million, and approximately 40 percent of small businesses worldwide have reported losing essential data due to cyberattacks.

According to the U.S. National Cyber Security Alliance, 60 percent of small businesses that suffer a cyberattack go out of business in less than a year.

To keep your small business and consumers protected, AG Rokita encourages Hoosiers to follow these tips:

- Train employees in security principles. Estab-

lish basic security practices and policies for employees, such as requiring strong passwords.

- Passwords and authentication. Require employees to use unique passwords and change passwords regularly. Consider implementing multi-factor authentication that requires additional information beyond a password to gain entry.

- Protect information, computers, and networks from cyberattacks. Having the latest security software, web browser, and operating system are the best defenses against viruses, malware, and other online threats.

- Provide firewall security for your Internet connection. A firewall is a set of related programs that prevent outsiders from accessing data on a private network.

- Make backup copies of important business data and information. Regularly backup the data on all computers.

- Secure your Wi-Fi networks. If you have a Wi-Fi network for your workplace, make sure it is secure, encrypted, and hidden.

- Employ best practices on payment cards. Work with banks or processors to ensure the most trusted and



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validated tools and anti-fraud services are being used.

The Attorney General’s Office is responsible for enforcing the Disclosure of Security Breach law to better protect Hoosiers from identity theft. If a business

has a breach, they are required to inform their customers that their personal information is in jeopardy.

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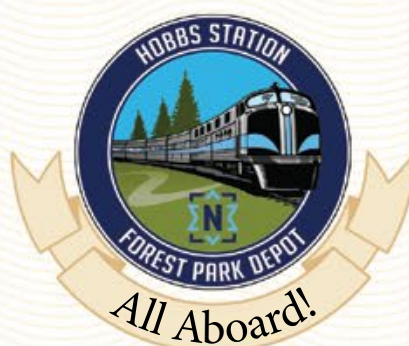
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# Speaker to discuss generational issues in the workplace Oct. 31

## The REPORTER

A locally based, nationally known keynote speaker will explore generational issues in the workplace with a free presentation Oct. 31 at the Center for the Performing Arts.

“Every Generation Wins: Why Building Multi-Generational Teams Is the Future of Work” is the topic for speaker Lindsay



Boccardo

Boccardo, a certified professional coach who has been active in the field for more than a decade. In the interactive session, Boccardo will guide a conversation about generational differences among the four decades of employees in today’s workforce, and attendees will examine how their

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Letter to the Editor

# Empowering our community: the HSE referendum discussion

Dear Editor:

In our ever-evolving society, informed decisions are crucial to our democracy. As a community, we bear the responsibility of staying informed about issues affecting our lives, families, and future, such as the Hamilton Southeastern (HSE) referendum.

An event co-hosted by Fishers One and Advance HSE was held on Oct. 9. Our community united for an event centering around education and transparency. Interim Superintendent Matt Kegley and CFO Katy Dowling provided an informative presentation on the HSE referendum, followed by an interactive Q&A session. This event wasn't just about information; it was a platform for open dialogue.

Educating our community about the HSE referendum is paramount.

Our educators shape our children's future, and supporting initiatives like this referendum can enhance resources and opportunities for both teachers and students.

Transparency is crucial. We must demand transparency from our school district regarding fund management and resource allocation.

Our long-term goal should be a sustainable educational system, reducing reliance on referendums. Achieving this requires informed decision-making and community participation.

Questions raised at the event demonstrated our community's commitment to education. It's through these discussions that we move forward together.

This event embodies Fishers One's mission: educating the community and promoting the well-being of our schools, teachers, and students. It's our collective responsibility to continue this dialogue, seek answers, and advocate for a brighter educational future.

In conclusion, an informed community is an empowered one. By staying engaged, asking questions, and demanding transparency, we can shape our schools' future and ensure a brighter tomorrow for our children.

Visit the [Advance HSE PAC's website](#) for more on the Nov. 7 referendum vote. Remember, the HSE referendum isn't just about today; it's about the legacy we leave for generations to come.

**Diane Eaton**  
Fishers

# Letter guidelines this election season

With the approach of the Nov. 7 General Election, the Hamilton County Reporter has established some Letters to the Editor guidelines to keep things fair and balanced.

Letters addressing new topics about the upcoming election or the policies of individual candidates will be accepted until the end of the business day on Friday, Oct. 27 and will be published on Saturday, Oct. 28.

Letters in response to new topics published in our Saturday, Oct. 28 edition will be accepted until Tuesday, Oct. 31 and will be published in our Wednesday, Nov. 1 edition.

These deadlines will give candidates and their supporters the opportunity to reply to letters addressing new topics.

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Letter to the Editor

# Carmel voter impressed with Sara Draper's balance as candidate

Dear Editor:

In October 2015, a bullet, shot from a neighboring home in the Arts District of Carmel, ripped through our kitchen wall, nearly missing my children. Since then, it's been even more critical to my family and me that our representatives emulate and exemplify leadership.

As a former elected official, one of the many reasons I am so impressed with Sara Draper, the only woman running for an at-large seat in Carmel this year, is that she is willing to do the hard work it takes to represent her constituents well. After following her campaign, I discovered that in addition to the exhaustive schedule a candidate for public office must keep, she also graduated from the Carmel Citizen Police Academy; this means she worked for three months to understand better the needs of our community and those who serve and protect us.

Sara received the "Gun Sense Distinction" from Moms Demand Action while being the first Democrat in Carmel's history to have gotten the official endorsement from the Carmel Fraternal Order of Police, Lodge 185. Her balance as a candidate and

her desire to keep our city safe will benefit everyone.

When elected, I am confident she will do everything she can to prioritize public safety. Sara's support for local law enforcement and citizen engagement will significantly benefit the work of Carmel City Council. This is why I am voting for Sara Draper for Carmel City Council at Large, on Nov. 7.

**Connie Campbell**  
Former Clerk of the Allen Circuit & Superior Courts  
Carmel resident for nearly 16 years

# United Way of Central Indiana names two vice presidents

## Both leaders begin their new roles this month

**The REPORTER**

United Way of Central Indiana announced this month that two of the nonprofit's leaders have been promoted to vice presidents within their divisions.

Shannon Jenkins will serve as United Way's vice president of impact. She has worked for the organization for 10 years and came to the nonprofit with more than a decade of experience in early education. Jenkins has held numerous roles, including managing ReadUP, leading United Way's education initiatives and Family Opportunity strategy, and, most recently, serving as the impact senior director.

**Stephanie Fritz** has been named United Way's vice president of strategic intelligence and information. She has been with the nonprofit for six years and brought with her eight years of experience in research and data analysis in higher education. She most recently served as a senior director, and before that she held roles as the manager of Efforts to Outcomes data initiative and the strategic research and analysis director.



Jenkins



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life experiences affect their relationships at work.

The event will take place at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 31, at the Tarkington at the Center for the Performing Arts, 3 Carter Green, Carmel. Free tickets can be reserved at [TheCenterPresents.org](#) or (317) 843-3800.

Misunderstandings between generations are not a new problem, says Boccardo, who previously has partnered with organizations such as Roche, Indiana Farm Bureau Insurance, Carpenter Realtors and the Indiana Supreme Court. Older employees often think their younger colleagues are less competent, more entitled, or harder to work with in the office. Younger employees often think their older colleagues are out of touch with technology and societal trends.

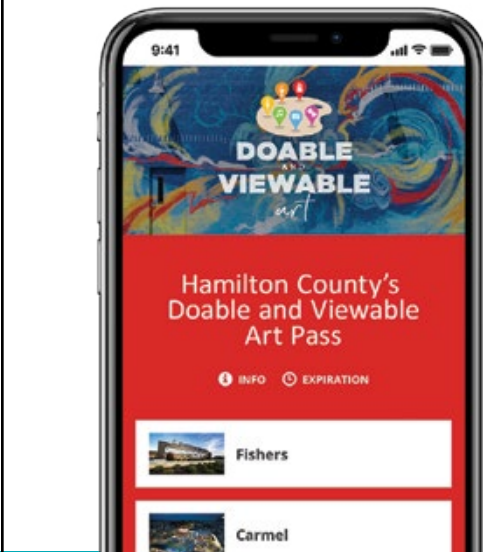
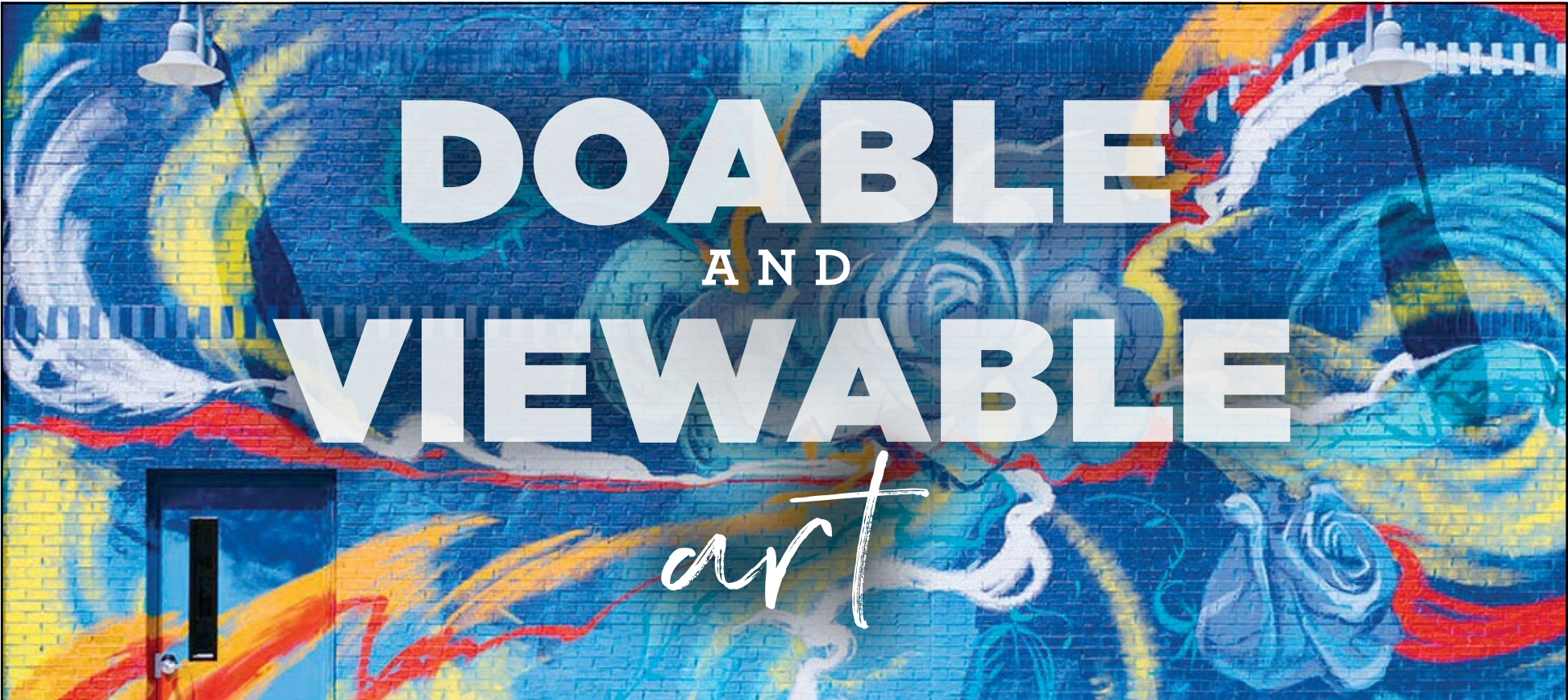
The message Boccardo conveys through her keynote presentations, podcasts and YouTube channel is based on research showing that well-integrated multi-generational teams are more productive than those that fail to embrace and maximize the synergy of their diverse talents and perspectives.

The session will explore:

- Why the divide exists between different generations
- What factors play into generational tension in the workplace
- What future young employees will look for in your company culture
- How you can increase the positive impact of a multi-generational workforce in your business

Boccardo holds a degree in psychology and public communication from Syracuse University and a professional coaching certification through the International Coach Federation.

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## Yellow Tie Gala was Westfield’s hot spot



Photos provided by Westfield Youth Assistance

This year’s Westfield Yellow Tie Gala was another huge success. Thanks to numerous sponsors and corporate ticket package purchases, as well as all the attendees and donors, WYAP will continue connecting local youth with mentoring and tutoring services, mental health counseling, camps, and more. If you were not able to attend, there is still time to donate to the gala. [Click here](#) to make your donation.

## Fishers tech company has big plans for former RCA facility in Marion

By ADAM PINSKER  
WISH-TV | [wishtv.com](http://wishtv.com)

**ReElement Technologies** in Fishers has officially expanded its metal recovery operations to the former Thomson RCA facility in Marion.

The company will start with a few dozen employees, with plans to add several hundred. The facility used to manufacture tubes for TV sets before closing nearly 20 years ago.

ReElement President Ben Wrightman said, “Operations should begin in early Quarter 1 in 2024. Our goal is by this time next year, so (in) the Sep-

tember-October time frame, we’ll have some larger scale operations (in Marion) and then (continue) to grow.”

ReElement takes old batteries and magnets out of everything from wind turbine engines to power tool batteries. The batteries are stripped of precious metals and eventually sold to companies that repurpose them into parts for electric cars, jets, or computers.

The technology, pioneered by Purdue and Lilly, keeps old batteries from ending up at a smelting plant.

Wrightman said, “From power tools, electronics, consumer devices, it’s in

everything, everybody has a battery on them today, several batteries on you today.”

Wrightman said in addition to creating jobs, recycling these elements is easier on the environment and reduces the need to import them from other countries. “Frankly, those critical elements and rare earth elements are just that, they are not in abundance, this isn’t carbon, this isn’t trees, this isn’t rubber.”

Eventually, ReElement plans to occupy up to 300,000 square feet of the old RCA plant, alongside some other businesses owned by ReElement.



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- Oct. 16 to 20: 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
- Oct. 23 to 27: 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
- Oct. 28: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
- Oct. 30 to Nov. 3: 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
- Nov. 4: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
- Nov. 6: 8 a.m. to noon

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- Oct. 16 to 20: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
- Oct. 23 to 28: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
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**Carmel**  
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- Oct. 25 & 26: 2 to 7 p.m.
- Oct. 27 & 28: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Nov. 1 & 2: 2 to 7 p.m.
- Nov. 3 & 4: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

**Fishers**  
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- Oct. 25 & 26: 2 to 7 p.m.
- Oct. 27 & 28: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Nov. 1 & 2: 2 to 7 p.m.
- Nov. 3 & 4: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

**Westfield**  
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- Nov. 3 & 4: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

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If you need to check the status of your voter registration, visit [IndianaVoters.com](#). You can also call the Hamilton County Elections Office at (317) 776-8476.

All mailed-in and dropped-off absentee ballots must be received by the Elections Office in Noblesville on or before 6 p.m. on Election Day.

VOTE! VOTE! VOTE! VOTE!

## Aviation company hoping to grow into national hub puts HQ in Fishers

By GREGG MONTGOMERY  
*WISH-TV | [wishtv.com](#)*

A company that provides aviation services at regional airports plans to move 63 employees by year’s end from locations around the Indianapolis metropolitan area to a headquarters in Hamilton County.

**Jet Access** has a “vision to propel the metro area to a national hub for private and general aviation,” says a news release from Fishers city government.

Corrie Bennett, vice president of marketing at Jet Access, told News 8 that the company will move into half of the third floor of an exist-

ing building at 9998 Crosspoint Blvd. in the Crossroads Business Park. That’s in an office, retail, and commercial area between East 96th and 106th streets, just west of Interstate 69.

Jet Access will relocate employees from operations at three metropolitan area airports: Eagle Creek Airport on the northwest side of Indianapolis, **Indianapolis Regional Airport** near the Hancock County community of Mount Comfort, and Indianapolis Executive Airport in rural Zionsville in Boone County. The 63 existing employees are paid an average hourly wage of \$58.71, according to **an agreement** that the Fishers

Economic Development Commission approved Monday.

“The new headquarters will allow us to all be in the same building,” Bennett told News 8 in an email.

The agreement also says Fishers will give Jet Access training grants of up to \$3,500 per new employee with a cap of \$70,000. The agreement calls for the 20 new workers to be hired by June 30, 2025, with an average hourly wage of \$34.68.

According to its website, Jet Access also offers services from these Indiana airports: Columbus Municipal Airport, Frankfort Regional Airport and Shelbyville Municipal Airport. Its services

also are available at John C. Tune Airport and Music City Executive Airport in Nashville, Tenn.; Dallas Executive Airport in Texas; and Quincy Regional Baldwin Field in Quincy, Ill.

Quinn Ricker, chief executive officer of Jet Access, said in the Fishers news release that the move will allow the company to “accommodate future growth” in one of the fastest-growing hubs for corporate headquarters in central Indiana. In the same release, Republican Mayor Scott Fadness said, “The team at Jet Access has a strong vision for the future of private jet travel and we look forward to supporting that growth.”

## Finkam calls for overhaul of Marion County’s “failed” criminal justice system

**Submitted**

Sue Finkam has announced her support for Indiana State Police Superintendent Doug Carter’s call for a full review and overhaul of what they call Marion County’s failed criminal justice system.

They say the lack of accountability on crimes committed and the decisions made in Indianapolis affect all of central Indiana.

This week, the **Carmel Police Department released crime stats** from January to September of this year compared to the same timeframe in 2022:

- Burglary (36-40) – 11 percent increase
  - Damage to Property (25-33) – 32 percent increase
  - Residential Entry (5-7) – 40 percent increase
  - Theft (462-534) – 16 percent increase
  - Theft of Motor Vehicle (49-61) – 25 percent increase
  - Criminal Mischief/Vandalism (89-92) – 3 percent increase
- In response, Finkam made the following state-



Finkam

ment:

“Mayor Brainard’s leadership and our outstanding police department have kept Carmel one of the safest cities in America, but due to the failed public safety policies and practices of those around us, we are seeing increases in criminal activity that we must continue to safeguard against. For the safety of our residents, schools, visitors, businesses, and our law enforcement officers, I strongly support

state and local law enforcement leaders’ calls for a review and overhaul of Marion County’s criminal justice system to protect our city and our quality of life. As Carmel’s next mayor, crime prevention and public safety will be my top priority.”

In February, Sue Finkam released her **Public Safety Plan**. She is the only candidate running for mayor that has made crime prevention and public safety a top priority, and the only candidate endorsed by the Carmel FOP Lodge 185 and the Carmel Professional Firefighters Local 4444.

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# Attorney General Todd Rokita secures restitution from landlord for survivor of domestic violence

The REPORTER

Indiana Attorney General Todd Rokita secured a measure of justice for a survivor of domestic abuse when he obtained a landlord’s commitment to pay the survivor \$12,000 and to improve policies addressing domestic violence among tenants.



Rokita

“Our team works to combat domestic violence at every opportunity,” AG Rokita said. “We aim to involve all Hoosiers in efforts to assist survivors and bring perpetrators to justice. Landlords, for their part, certainly need to be part of the solution.”

An investigation conducted by the Attorney General’s Homeowner Protection Unit found that a survivor first contacted her leasing office for assistance in the summer of 2022 after being physically abused by her co-tenant. Allegedly, employees of TRI-TWG Lakewood Holdings LLC provided erroneous information about her ability to terminate her lease or exclude the abuser from the leased unit.

The survivor alleged that she was told she would need to pay an early termination fee or qualify for an apartment using her own income for them to be able to assist her. As a result of this misinformation, the survivor experienced additional alleged abuse over the course of several more months. Timing in these circumstances can be critical to allow for physical separation from alleged perpetrators.

“A lack of training and understanding of the law protecting victims of domestic violence put this woman and her children in serious danger,” AG Rokita said. “She eventually got her lease terminated with the assistance of an attorney from Indiana Legal Services, but it should never have taken as long as it did.”

This episode also exposes an inadequacy in current state law – which fails to require landlords to provide any information to tenants

who report being victims of domestic violence or abuse. Instead, the law requires the tenants to know about the proper paperwork they must file in order to get a lease terminated on the basis of domestic abuse.

“Our office appreciates the steps this landlord has taken to ensure this never happens again,” AG Rokita said. “A good next step might be for the Indiana General Assembly to strengthen Indiana laws protecting domestic abuse victims living in rental properties.”

The current statute contains no specific Attorney General authority for enforcement and no requirement that a landlord provide any information to a tenant about their rights when a tenant facing abuse reports a need to terminate their lease or exclude an abuser from the unit.

TRI-TWG Lakewood Holdings LLC has entered into an **Assurance of Voluntary Compliance (AVC)** requiring them to:

- Pay restitution to the consumer totaling \$12,000;
- Make affirmative changes to policies and procedures relating to the proper handling of domestic violence incidents involving their tenants;
- Conduct at least two hours of continuing education training for consumer-facing leasing staff on the topic of domestic violence, including the protections afforded to victims of certain crimes as laid out in Ind. Code § 32-1-9; and
- Remit \$2,500 to reimburse the Homeowner Protection Unit for costs of the investigation.

The mission of the Homeowner Protection Unit is to protect the rights of all individuals involved in the housing market – including tenants, homeowners, and aspiring homeowners – by investigating and redressing deceptive acts in connection with mortgage lending and violations of relevant state and federal laws.

# Pink popcorn, friendship bracelets & Taylor Swift: The Eras Tour movie at Emagine theaters

The REPORTER

This October, Emagine Entertainment has joined with Shades of Pink Foundation to offer guests pink popcorn as a way to celebrate national breast cancer awareness month. A portion of all pink popcorn proceeds for all Emagine locations in Indiana will be donated to the Shades of Pink Foundation, which helps to reduce the financial stress for those undergoing breast cancer treatment.

Locally, the Emagine Noblesville theater is located in the Hamilton Town Center at 13825 Norell Road.

Guests who attend the *Taylor Swift: The Eras Tour*

movie event this October will be able to experience the pink popcorn for themselves. There will be drink specials and concessions combos available as well as collectable *Taylor Swift: The Eras Tour* popcorn tubs and cups.

Your Taylor movie tour experience wouldn’t be complete without friendship bracelets and photo stations. Friendship bracelets will be available for sale each night of Taylor’s tour onsite at all Indiana Emagine locations, while supplies last. Additionally, each Emagine location will have a photo station set up for you and your Swifties to enjoy.



Photo provided by WISH-TV

Take your ultimate Swifties viewing party experience to the next level when you see *Taylor Swift: The Eras Tour* on the BIG screen at Emagine starting today, Friday, Oct. 13. Tickets are still available and can be purchased online at **emagine-entertainment.com**, at the box office, or on the Emagine App.

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BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD  
IN THE MATTER OF  
**A. L. Haughey Drain**  
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R3238 10/13/23, 10/16/23

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IN THE MATTER OF  
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BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD  
IN THE MATTER OF  
**Margaret O’Brien Drain**  
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BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD  
IN THE MATTER OF  
**Williams Creek Drain, Jackson’s Grant Village Section 2 Arm**  
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BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD  
IN THE MATTER OF  
**Sail Place Drain**  
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IN THE MATTER OF  
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BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD  
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**J. R. Dunn Drain**  
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BEFORE THE HAMILTON COUNTY DRAINAGE BOARD  
IN THE MATTER OF  
**Burkhardt Drain**  
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Meeting Notices

The Hamilton Heights School Corporation Board of Trustees will meet at 7:30 a.m. on Wednesday, Oct. 18, 2023, at Hamilton Heights Middle School, 25150 State Road 19, Arcadia.

The Noblesville Firefighters Merit Commission meeting scheduled for 4 p.m. on Wednesday, Oct. 18, 2023, has been canceled.

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TODAY’S BIBLE READING  
THE DEATH OF SARAH

Sarah lived to be a hundred and twenty-seven years old. She died at Kiriath Arba (that is, Hebron) in the land of Canaan, and Abraham went to mourn for Sarah and to weep over her.

Then Abraham rose from beside his dead wife and spoke to the Hittites. He said, “I am a foreigner and stranger among you. Sell me some property for a burial site here so I can bury my dead.”

The Hittites replied to Abraham, “Sir, listen to us. You are a mighty prince among us. Bury your dead in the choicest of our tombs. None of us will refuse you his tomb for burying your dead.”

Then Abraham rose and bowed down before the people of the land, the Hittites. He said to them, “If you are willing to let me bury my dead, then listen to me and intercede with Ephron son of Zohar on my behalf so he will sell me the cave of Machpelah, which belongs to him and is at the end of his field. Ask him to sell it to me for the full price as a burial site among you.”

Genesis 23:1-9 (NIV)

Stanley Eugene Urban Jr.  
October 2, 1943 – October 10, 2023

Stanley Eugene Urban Jr., 80, Noblesville, passed away on Tuesday, October 10, 2023, at his home. He was born on October 2, 1943, to Stanley and Etruia (Hill) Urban in Anderson, Ind.

Stan proudly served in the United States Air Force. He worked for the Shell Oil Company and his last assignment was managing the plant in Providence, R.I. Stan and Jeanne retired early to travel. They spent some time working at Yellowstone, Disney World, and Sea World, and they enjoyed spending winters in Sarasota Bay, Fla. Stan was an avid reader, loved listening to music, and cheering for his grandchildren at their activities. He had a big sense of humor and was the best Papaw ever.

He is survived by his wife, Jeanne Urban; children, Traci (Tom) Schath and Greg (Christine) Urban; grandchildren, Spencer, Nicole, Madison, Rachel, and Katie; and brother, Noel David Urban.

He was preceded in death by his father, Stanley E. Urban, Sr.; mother, Etruia (Hill) Hess; and his brothers, Dana Urban and Monte Urban.

Private family services will be held with military rites. Memorial contributions may be made to Parkinson’s Awareness Association of Central Indiana, Inc., P.O. Box 19575, Indianapolis, IN 46219 ([paaci.org](http://paaci.org)).

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Celebration of Life



James M. LeCount

Please join us from 2 to 5 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 14 to celebrate Jim’s life. He loved his friends and family and would love knowing we all celebrated his life together with many memories and good times.

The Celebration of Life will be held at ACP, 7735 Loma Ct., Fishers.

Scam Alert: “Grandma, help!” emergency scams take advantage of loved ones

**The REPORTER**

Emergency scams, sometimes called “grandparent scams,” prey on the willingness of an unsuspecting, worried individual to help friends and family in need. Often, they will impersonate their targets’ loved ones, make up an urgent situation, and plead for help... and money. Social media sites allow scammers to look up information and offer plausible stories. They may even incorporate nicknames and real travel plans into the con to convince their targets.

**How the scam works**

Emergency scams are about a family member or friend in a dire situation. You get a call, email, or social media message from someone claiming to be a distressed family member. They may say they’ve been arrested while traveling overseas, or there was an accident, medical emergency, or other calamity. They provide convincing details, such as family names and school details.

A common version is the “grandparent scam,” where the con artist contacts a grandparent claiming to be their grandchild and asking for money. The plea is so persuasive that the grandparent wires money to the scammer, only to find out their family member was safe and sound later. This scam can also work in reverse, where the “grandparent” calls their grandchild pleading for help.

Recently, the FTC has warned that scammers are using voice cloning techniques to imitate the voices of loved ones. The technology enables con artists to copy the voices of persons close to you from videos they may find on social media or other sources. They can then use tools to imitate the voice of your loved one and have it appear to say whatever they wish in a call. Some voice cloning efforts may be crude, and others very sophisticated - either way, this adds to this scam’s confusing and frightening aspect.

**Tips to spot this scam**

- Resist the urge to act immediately, no matter how dramatic the story. Verify the situation with other family and friends, but first hang up or close the message and call your loved one directly. Don’t call the phone number provided by the caller or caller ID. Ask questions that would be hard for an impostor to answer correctly.
- Know what your family members are sharing online. You may not have control over your family’s social media accounts but familiarize yourself with what they share online.
- Don’t wire any money if there is any doubt about the call. If a person wires money and later realizes it is a fraud, the police must be alerted.

**For more information**

To report a scam, go to [BBB Scam Tracker](http://BBBScamTracker.com). Learn more about all types of impostor scams.

To learn how to protect yourself, go to “10 Steps to Avoid Scams.”

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The Fishers Historical Society houses a collection of the out-of-print Communicator, the newspaper for Fishers High School. Now for the first time, they have been digitized and copies given to local institutions in order to help researchers and viewers learn from these early resources. Check out the newspapers on their website and at the Indiana State Library!

## FISHERS & HAMILTON COUNTY: A HISTORICAL PERSPECTIVE

All through October!

Collaboration Hub, Hamilton County Community Foundation, Fishers | FREE

In this exhibit, Fishers Arts Council partners with the Fishers Historical Society and area authors and artists to share images, artwork and literature that highlight the history of small towns in Hamilton County, with an emphasis on Fishers. Additional items, period photographs, and speakers will be present for our Second Friday Reception on October 13, so be sure to join us then! Open all through October, with a **FREE special reception October 13, 6-8 p.m.**

## HAMILTON CO. BICENTENNIAL TRAVELING EXHIBIT

September 30 - October 13

Hobbs Station Forest Park, Noblesville  
October 13-20, Fishers Arts Council Gallery at the Collaboration Hub, Fishers

**FREE** | Last chance to learn about all five of our Bicentennial themes: Arts, Diversity/Inclusion, Education, Historic Preservation, and Parks/Environment. Contact the hosting organization for information on when the exhibit is open to the public.

## TASTE OF HISTORY: BLIND TIGER BOOTLEGGERS

October 4, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

Hamilton East Public Library  
- Fishers, Municipal Drive,  
Fishers | FREE

At the turn of the 20th century, prohibition was gaining traction across the United States. Join the staff of Hamilton East Public Library's Indiana Room as they explore teetotalers and bootleggers from Hamilton

County during the early 1900s. Find out who drove the political forces in Indiana to promote temperance across the state. Take a tippie from a Fishers brewery as you discover how local Hamilton County bootleggers operated outside of the system with their “blind tiger” establishments. **Sign up on the library's website: [hepl.in.us](http://hepl.in.us).**



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## BICENTENNIAL BASH | December 3, 1-5 p.m.

Ivy Tech Hamilton County - 300 N. 17th St., Noblesville | FREE

Family-friendly, open house event! Come and celebrate all that Hamilton County has to offer! Join us for free food, live music, a short film commemorating the Bicentennial year, free raffle associated with a canned food drive, an art show in partnership with Nickel Plate Arts that includes commissioned works from “200 Years of Change: Celebrating Hamilton County, Indiana,” displays from non-profits, photo opportunities, limited-edition merchandise including the Bicentennial book, and free giveaways.

To register for tickets after October 1st, visit: [HamCoTurns200.com](http://HamCoTurns200.com)

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Girls Soccer Regionals

Blackhawks get past Eagles in PKs; ‘Hounds, Millers, Golden Eagles sail to wins on the road

By RICHIE HALL

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SHERIDAN – The Sheridan girls soccer team continued its post-season run on Thursday, as the Blackhawks won a Class 1A regional semifinal at their home field.

Sheridan had come back from 2-0 down against No. 13-ranked Faith Christian, tying the game with two second-half goals. The score stayed 2-2 after regulation and overtime, sending the contest to penalty kicks. That’s where Sheridan prevailed, beating the Eagles 3-1 to advance to its first-ever regional championship game.

The Blackhawks played magnificently in the penalty-kick round. It started with goalkeeper Makenzy Terry, who was in the net first as Faith Christian got to kick first. But Terry blocked the Eagles’ first attempt, giving Sheridan an immediate advantage.

Senior Emma Alexander took the Blackhawks’ first kick, and she easily put it in the net. Terry then blocked FC’s second attempt, and junior Cecilia Timme made her kick. Two rounds in, Sheridan led 2-0.

“It’s really nerve-wracking, but I just think in my head that I can do it,” said Terry. “And I know I have all the fans supporting me.”

Faith made its third kick to get on the board, but Norah Stites also made her kick, putting the ‘Hawks up 3-1. The Eagles then missed their fourth attempt, giving Sheridan the win.

“This is the first time they ever went through that scenario,” said Blackhawks coach Brian Prange. “I was confident. I was confident in



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(Above left) Sheridan goalkeeper Makenzy Terry made a huge stop during the last minute of the second overtime, then had two blocks during the penalty-kick round to help the Blackhawks beat Faith Christian and advance to the regional championship. (Above right) Emma Alexander scored a second-half goal and made the first of Sheridan’s PKs during the penalty-kick round.

our goalie Makenzy Terry. She’s been phenomenal all year.” Prange also praised Alexander, Timme and Stites, noting that Stites “got injured early in the game, came in finished it off.”

Faith Christian scored its first goal in the opening half, then put in a second goal four minutes into the second half. Sheridan got on the board eight minutes later, with Mac Smith making a volley to put the Blackhawks on the board.

Alexander then scored in the 64th minute, putting in a penalty kick to tie the game at 2-2. That would be the score at the end of regulation, and neither team

would score during either of the two overtime periods. Terry made sure of that, as she made a huge save with 41 seconds left in the second overtime.

“I can’t be more proud of the whole team because they pressed and they did everything I told them at halftime they could do,” said Prange. “They let two goals go in and they just turned it back up. And once we got the one, we knew. You just saw the lights click on that we were going to do it.”

There was a standing-room only crowd at the game, which made the victory even more exciting.

“It’s a lot of fun,” said

Terry. “We were so glad that we had so much support like we did.”

Sheridan will travel to Taylor on Saturday for the regional championship game. The Blackhawks, now 13-5-1, play No. 6-ranked Canterbury, who beat Eastbrook 1-0 in its regional semifinal game.

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Top-ranked Carmel beat No. 15 Brownsburg on Thursday at the Bulldogs’ field to advance to a Class 3A regional championship game.

Adalyn Cameron got the Greyhounds’ goal, off an assist by Olivia Cebalo.

Carmel is 17-0-3 and

will host Cathedral on Saturday at Murray Stadium.

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Noblesville, the two-time defending 3A state champion, sailed past host Fort Wayne Northrop 7-2 to move on to the regional championship.

The No. 3-ranked Millers got goals from seven different players: Atley Pittman, Sydney Elliott, Lily Ault, Sadie Black, Meredith Tippner, Eva Montgomery and Caylee Cunningham. Noblesville got assists from Allie Royer, Kaydence Fleck, Pittman, Delaney Stone and Bree Nelson.

The Millers are 14-1-3 and take on No. 7 Fort

Wayne Carroll Saturday at Kokomo.

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Guerin Catholic reached a Class 2A regional championship by beating No. 19 and host Tri-West 3-0.

The No. 3-ranked Golden Eagles got their first goal with 13 minutes left in the first half when Annabel Wright put it in the net. Alex Soucie made a penalty kick about four minutes later to give Guerin Catholic a 2-0 halftime lead. Taylor Beard added a second-half goal.

The Golden Eagles are 13-4-1 and play No. 10 Lawrenceburg on Saturday for the Bishop Chatard regional championship.

Volleyball Sectional Play

Westfield ends season, Guerin Catholic sweeps Shortridge, Sheridan to play Cascade, University to play Covenant Christian

The REPORTER

The Class 4A Zionsville volleyball sectional began Thursday with first-round matches, both of which went the distance.

In the first match, Westfield fell in five sets to the host Eagles. The set scores were 25-21, 10-25, 24-26, 25-14, 15-13. Chloe Sutake and Paige Rudolph both hit 12 kills, with Audrey Bassett putting down 11 and Carsyn Comer hitting 10.

Stella Neale served four aces, while Lilly Stanton dished out 41 assists.

On defense, Neale collected 15 digs. Comer made three blocks, with Stella Terpening getting two blocks.

The Shamrocks finished their season 14-16 and thanked their seniors for their contribution to the program: Taylor Welch, Sutake, Dani Schade, Stanton, Lilly Tucker and man-

ager Dominic Parisi.

In the second match, Noblesville got past Fishers 25-22, 23-25, 25-17, 20-25, 15-8. Stats were unavailable at press time. The Tigers finished their season 15-17.

The semifinals begin at 11 a.m. Saturday, with defending state champion Hamilton Southeastern playing Zionsville. The Millers, now 25-7, will play Carmel in the second semifinal. The winners advance

to Saturday night’s championship match, which starts at 6 p.m.

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Guerin Catholic won its opening-round match Thursday at the Class 3A Bishop Chatard sectional.

The Golden Eagles swept Shortridge 25-9, 25-10, 25-15. Paige Mascari put down 16 kills to lead the Guerin Catholic offense. Lizzie Caron dished out 20 assists and Hailey Lytle had

15 assists. Natalie Laughon served three aces. Keira Wolf collected 18 digs on defense, followed by Caron with 10 digs.

The Golden Eagles are 12-19 and play Heritage Christian Saturday in the second semifinal match. Hamilton Heights will play in the first semifinal, which starts at 10 a.m., against either Herron or the host Trojans. A score from that match had not been reported

at press time.

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At the Class 2A Sheridan sectional, Cascade swept Park Tudor 25-15, 25-6, 25-9 in Thursday’s lone first-round match.

The Blackhawks will host the Cadets in the second Saturday semifinal match. The first semifinal features Covenant Christian and University, which begins at 11 a.m. The championship is set for 6 p.m.

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# SPORTS SCHEDULE First look: Tony Kanaan’s private simulator center in Westfield

**Friday, Oct. 13**  
**FOOTBALL**

Carmel at Lawrence Central, 7 p.m.  
Carroll at Sheridan, 7 p.m.  
Hamilton Heights at West Lafayette, 7 p.m.  
Hamilton Southeastern at Brownsburg, 7 p.m.  
Noblesville at Avon, 7 p.m.  
Westfield at Franklin Central, 7 p.m.  
Zionsville at Fishers, 7 p.m.  
Guerin Catholic at Culver Academies, 7:30 p.m.

**TENNIS STATE QUARTERFINALS**

**At Carmel, noon**

Homestead vs. Culver Academies

Carmel vs. North Central

**At Center Grove, noon**

Noblesville vs. Jasper

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By **ANDREW CHERNOFF**  
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Tony Kanaan may have retired from the **NTT IndyCar Series as a driver**, but he is still spending a lot of time around the sport he loves.

The 2013 Indianapolis 500 winner has been at the track a bunch, working as a **special advisor for Arrow McLaren**. In fact, he was recently given a new title as the team’s sporting director. He’s not only spending

time at physical racetracks, though, because he’s also spending a lot of time at virtual racetracks.

“Since the pandemic, we’ve been racing simulators a lot,” Kanaan told News 8 Sports’ Andrew Chernoff. “Simulators are a big part of every racecar driver and team’s life because you don’t get to test all the time.”

Kanaan is a big fan of the sim racing world, and a couple of weekends ago, he unveiled his new private simulator center in Westfield.

Kanaan says he needed a place to park his racing bus in the winter, so he used that as an “excuse” to get a

warehouse.

Once he got the warehouse, Kanaan says he started thinking about everything he could use the facility for.

“Let’s build four or five (simulators) and invite some people to have some fun,” Kanaan said.

Kanaan says that down the road, the new facility could be used to host things like sponsor events, birthday parties, or watch parties.

“I’m really proud of it, to be honest,” Kanaan said. “I’ve always worked on my race cars, my go-karts and I’ve built everything that is here with three of my buddies. So, every single thing you see here apart from the

cabinets, I built it... Every sim, every wire. So, I’m really proud to see it running.”

The sim center is also a look back at Kanaan’s racing career. There are plenty of memories on the walls, on shelves, and on tabletops. The sim center is also a look back at Kanaan’s racing career. There are plenty of memories on the walls, on shelves, and on tabletops.

“My first-ever trophy in go-karts when I was eight years old is here,” Kanaan said. “Some of my helmets are here. Every track that I had my big wins, it’s on the wall.”

In a sense, the new facility is a museum of Kanaan’s career as well.

## Anticipation builds as Larson passes Indy 500 Rookie Test

Submitted by **IMS**

Another important step down, more to come in Kyle Larson’s Indianapolis 500 journey.

NASCAR Cup Series star Larson completed the Indianapolis 500 Rookie Orientation Program (ROP) on Thursday at Indianapolis Motor Speedway, a significant milestone as he attempts to become just the fifth driver to compete in the Indianapolis 500 presented by Gainbridge and NASCAR’s Coca-Cola 600 at Charlotte Motor Speedway on the same day. Larson’s “Hendrick 1100” – the moniker given to this “double” initiative – will take place Sunday, May 26, 2024.

“It was fun,” Larson said. “It was mostly what I anticipated, in a way. The speed and the grip didn’t feel, thankfully, scarier than what I thought it might.”

“Just how much the car wants to pull left and you have to kind of fight it back to the right on the straightaways and all that was something I didn’t expect. The weight of the wheel was a lot lighter than the simulator, but it was still a little heavier than what I expected. Other than that, I think it went really smooth.”

Larson needed a little more than two hours to complete the three-phase speed test on the historic, 2.5-mile oval, which also were his first laps in an NTT INDYCAR SERIES car. Drivers must start ROP with 10 laps between 205-210 mph, following with 15 laps at 210-



Photo courtesy IMS

215 and finishing with 15 laps faster than 215 mph.

His top lap was 217.898 in the Hendrickcars.com Chevrolet fielded by Arrow McLaren in a joint effort with Hendrick Motorsports, Larson’s NASCAR team and 10-time winners of the Brickyard 400 at IMS. Larson turned 72 laps, with his fastest coming on his 65th trip.

2021 NASCAR Cup Series champion Larson joined NTT INDYCAR SERIES regulars Tom Blomqvist of Meyer Shank Racing and Chip Ganassi Racing teammates Marcus Armstrong and Linus Lundqvist in completing the traditional Indy 500 rookie test this week at IMS. Armstrong, Blomqvist and Lundqvist finished all three phases of ROP on Wednesday, with Blomqvist topping the speed chart at 220.176 in a Meyer Shank Racing Honda.

The presence of Larson at the test attracted plenty of stars in the North American motorsports galaxy to IMS on a sunny fall afternoon. Hendrick Motorsports owner Rick Hendrick and five-time Brickyard 400 winner Jeff Gordon – now the vice chairman of Hendrick Motorsports – observed the test, and Larson received plenty of advice from 2013 “500” winner Tony Kanaan, recently named Arrow McLaren sporting director.

“I’m certainly going to live vicariously through Kyle a bit through this experience and see how excited he is about it, and he clearly is,” said Gordon, who grew up in nearby Pittsboro, Indiana.

Said Kanaan: “It was seamless. We did what we were supposed to do today. Let’s come back here in April and get on.”

Larson’s next on-track step in this Indy 500 journey will be more laps in April during the Indianapolis 500 Open Test.

“It’s going to be really exciting next year when April and May come around because it’s going to be real then, race time, getting ready to race,” Larson said. “This is such a huge race for myself and my family, so I’m just glad I get to do it.”

2021 NASCAR Cup Series champion Larson hopes to join John Andretti, Tony Stewart, Robby Gordon and Kurt Busch in completing the “double.” 2004 Cup Series champion Busch was the last driver to successfully attempt the double, in 2014. Stewart produced the most successful double in 2001, when he finished sixth at Indianapolis and third at Charlotte.

The NTT INDYCAR SERIES tested the 2.2-liter twin-turbocharged V-6 engine with hybrid technology Thursday at IMS, with Alex Palou of Chip Ganassi Racing, Will Power of Team Penske, Colton Herta of Andretti Global and Alexander Rossi of Arrow McLaren turning laps.

Hybrid testing will continue from 9 a.m.-noon and 1-5 p.m. Friday, with David Malukas of Arrow McLaren and Marcus Ericsson of Andretti Global joining Palou and Power on track.

Fans can watch hybrid testing Friday from the grandstands inside the short chute between Turns 1 and 2 of the IMS oval, near the IMS Museum, and the spectator mounds inside Turn 2.

Visit [IMS.com](http://IMS.com) for more information and to buy tickets for the 108th Indianapolis 500 presented by Gainbridge and all Month of May activities at IMS.

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6:50 pm Yorktown vs Mt Vernon | Indiana SRN

6:50 pm Covenant Christian vs Ritter | Indiana SRN

6:50 pm Cincinnati Elder vs Chatard | Indiana SRN

7:00 pm Zionsville vs Fishers | Fishers Sports Network

7:20 pm Evansville Memorial vs Castle | Indiana SRN

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4:00 pm Carmel Pups vs Brownsburg Bulldogs | HCTV Sports

6:00 pm Center Grove Junior Trojans vs Noblesville Grinders | Championship

**Sat Oct 14 - Fresman Football**

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# Meet the Candidates

**Dear Readers,**

The general election, and we have a fine selection of local candidates for you to get to know.

In these pages you will read all about the candidates who have chosen to respond to The Hamilton County Reporter's request to share their information and help you make an informed decision at the polls on or before Nov. 7.

Candidate info in the pages to follow is presented as it was submitted. The Reporter takes no responsibility for any typographical, grammatical or factual errors. These are the candidates speaking to you in their own words (or in the words of duly designated campaign staff). The only edits we have made have been to cut down those statements that were submitted over the 200-

word limit we set to ensure everyone had equal space in our pages.

Any candidates vying for the same office will be grouped together in a shaded box.

On the final two pages, you will find a current list of polling locations and the full list of all candidates who will appear on ballots for this general election.

**Dear Candidates,**

For those of you who are not in the pages of Hamilton County's Home-town Newspaper, there is still time to engage with your constituency. Go to [ReadTheReporter.com/2023-candidate-info](http://ReadTheReporter.com/2023-candidate-info) and fill out the form . . . unless you don't want voters to know what you stand for.

*Sincerely, The Hamilton County Reporter*

## CICERO

### Emily Pearson

*Republican for Cicero Town Council, District 2*

I love my town and volunteering.

Life-long resident of Hamilton County. Moved to Cicero and married Jim Pearson in 1986. Member of the Cicero Kiwanis for 15 years in many leadership and committee positions. Coordinated and worked many Riley Road-blocks. Support the Friends of the Park by donating food and time to community fundraiser events. Love of reading led to helping the Friends of the Hamilton North Library as both a Board Member and their Treasurer. Teaching wreath and candy making classes to keep the traditions alive in the younger generations. Patient Advocate with the Shepherd Center. Precinct Committeeman for 12 years: working as Inspector; finding poll workers for each election; and voting in Caucuses to fill vacancies on the Town Council. Served officer roles in both the Hamilton County Republican Women's and Northern Hamilton County GOP clubs. Received many awards for volunteering. 30+ years of experience in the Insurance industry and 5+ years of Office Management. Loss mitigation and Public Safety focused.

My budgeting and management skills, along with a heart for service (and my recent retirement) will allow me keep Cicero growing, while maintaining that "hometown" appeal that makes us all proud to live here! Let's grow Cicero!

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### Dave Johnson

*Republican for Noblesville City Council, District 5*

Dave Johnson has lived in District 5 for 40 years. He has been a pillar of service. He was named Noblesville Chamber of Commerce's Volunteer of the Year and is a past Board Member, has been a part of Noblesville Schools Miller Ambassador Program, has served as a Noblesville Boys & Girls Club Meals for Members volunteer, Noblesville Lacrosse Club President, a youth travel soccer coach, and involved in Boys Scouts of America.

Dave has been on the city's Economic Development Board, past president of the Police Merit Commission, Prevailing Wage Board, Hamilton County Riverwalk Board, and on the Hamilton County Solid Waste Board.

Dave is a licensed professional geologist whose practice focuses on environmental site investigation and remediation. Dave's career started with AMAX Coal Company, where he served as a Manager focusing on property development for 16 years. In 1992, he founded his own company, Indiana Engineering and Geological Services, and later rebranded it as Stony Creek Environmental.

Dave has been married to his wife of 46 years, Michele. They have raised two children, both attended Noblesville Schools.

Dave will focus on balanced growth, fiscally conservative decision making, and leading with common sense and integrity.

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### Evan Elliott

*Republican for Noblesville City Council, At Large*

Elliott is a 25-year resident of Noblesville, a Noblesville High School graduate, and local business owner. He's running for city council because he believes that you deserve energetic, responsive, and forward-thinking leadership. Elliott has proudly served the following organizations: Noblesville High School, Noblesville Cultural Arts Commission, Noblesville Sister Cities, MIBOR REALTOR® Association, and the Indiana Speech & Debate Association. He earned his B.A. from Purdue University and holds a Certificate in Negotiation from Harvard Business School. Elliott is the owner of Elliott Real Estate, a family-owned brokerage in Noblesville, and a former franchise executive for Keller Williams Realty. He is also the former Director of Speech and Debate at Noblesville High School and a previous candidate for the Noblesville Schools Board of Trustees. As of press time, he is endorsed by the Metropolitan Indianapolis Board of Realtors PAC, who recognized his efforts to promote quality of life for all residents. As a proponent for strong public safety, he also received a "well-qualified" rating from the Hamilton County Professional Fire Fighters Local 4416.

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### Darren Peterson

*Republican for Noblesville City Council, At Large*

Darren Peterson is a long time Noblesville resident and a business owner of Peterson Architecture for over 21 years. He's a loving father of two daughters, and husband to Jennifer Roberts. Graduating from Ball State with a degree in Environmental Science and Architecture, he has gone on to make a name and impression for himself and company locally and across the country.

When Darren sets his mind to something, he's committed, works tirelessly and sees the vision through from strategy to execution.

Whether he's taking on high school or college interns at his company, or serving on boards, Darren is intentional about making a difference and is a 'do-er.'

Darren has been the driving force behind activating under-utilized spaces, creating events that celebrate the community, expanding arts programming, and executing several successful events and projects in Noblesville.

Darren believes we must have a strong, vibrant and active downtown with ample parking, a variety of housing options and programming.

Darren's priorities when re-elected to the council are:

- Planning for smart, sustainable growth.
- Community Development: A strong community creates a safe community.
- Keeping Noblesville's Personality in Tact.

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### Pete Schwartz

*Republican for Noblesville City Council, At Large*

As a lifelong resident of Noblesville, it gives me great pleasure to serve the citizens of Noblesville on the Common Council. Due to district realignment, I have decided to run for the at-large position.

The last few years serving on council has taught me that Noblesville residents are just as passionate as I am.

When I ran my first campaign, I pledged to address traffic issues, support public safety, and be transparent to the public by being accessible to constituents. I couldn't be more enthusiastic about keeping my promises to Noblesville residents, seeing through the Pleasant Street project, and other strategic infrastructure investments.

Currently, I am the liaison for the parks board. I am also on the public safety committee. I was recently chosen to be on the Noblesville Arts Council.

My wife Amber and two children Conner and Emmalee couldn't be happier to call Noblesville home and look forward to an exciting future.



## NOBLESVILLE

### Aaron Smith

*Republican for Noblesville Common Council, District 3*

I'm a husband, dad, small business owner, and proud resident of downtown Noblesville.

In 2019, I was elected to represent historic downtown and its surrounding communities on the Noblesville City Council. To deliver on my campaign promises, I've approached every day with resident-driven goals, working to give our community the neighborhood it deserves.

As a small business owner, I know the importance of proactive communication, balancing the books, and growing in a responsible and thoughtful way. Those lessons apply directly to my work with Noblesville, and as your Council representative, I'm ready to face the city's challenges head-on.

After redistricting, the Third District encompasses all of downtown Noblesville, a good portion of the Wellingtons, Sommerwood, James Place, Monterey Village, Westridge, Doves Nest, River Run, Oakmont, Sagewood, Stone Harbor, and Settlers Mill.

In my free time, I serve on the boards of Noblesville Main Street and the Noblesville Chamber of Commerce Foundation. I have been married to my wife, Bronwen, since 2015 and together we have two children, Declan (5) and Parker (1). We volunteer and are members at Heartland Church and live in Old Town Noblesville on 9th Street, just north of the Square.

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### Mike Davis

*Republican for Noblesville City Council, District 1*

Mike Davis is a lifelong Noblesville resident, business owner and local leader.

Davis plans to continue his focus on Noblesville's growth through making public safety number one. He will focus on building a brighter future by making sound financial decisions, proactive and proper planning and respecting the past while making decisions for a successful city.

Since his time in office, Davis has accomplished this by being fiscally responsible, using his business skills and experience, hardworking values and involving feedback from citizens.

Davis grew up in Noblesville, went to Noblesville Schools, and then came back to live in Noblesville after attending Ball State. He went on to work for his father's Noblesville company, Davis-Haslam Inc., which opened in 1974. Eventually, Davis bought the company and has run it for the last 25 years.

Community involvement is a strong passion for Davis. Throughout the years, Davis has been on boards for the Noblesville Elementary Football League, Hamilton County Fifty Club and North Harbor HOA. Currently, Davis is the President of the Noblesville Redevelopment Authority Board.

Davis married his wife, Bobbi, in 1991. They have three adult children, Karli, Jake, Hank, all Noblesville Schools graduates.

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### Todd Thurston

*Republican for Noblesville City Council, District 2*

Todd Thurston is a longtime Noblesville resident and a passionate community leader, volunteer, and advocate for the city. Todd has spent his professional career and years of expertise dedicated to serving various nonprofit and municipal organizations.

As a city councilor in the newly redrawn District 2, Todd will focus on keeping the vibrancy and identity of Noblesville intact as the city continues to grow and evolve. Additionally, Todd will ensure that the city's infrastructure continues to be updated and maintained for the future.

Currently, Todd serves as the president of the Noblesville Youth Assistance Board.

Todd's deep commitment to Noblesville is reflected in his time spent as president of the Hamilton County Leadership Academy board, president of the Noblesville Fire Department Merit Commission, and president of the Noblesville Parks board. He has also served on the board of the Noblesville Boys & Girls Club, Noblesville Elks Lodge 576, and Fifty Club of Hamilton County.

Todd is a Commercial Sales Manager at Hare Truck Center in Noblesville. Todd and his wife Jennifer have lived in Noblesville for 33 years. They have two sons, Spencer and Conner.

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### Megan G. Wiles

*Republican for Noblesville City Council, District 6*

Megan Wiles has called Noblesville home a majority of her life. Her parents instilled the importance of being involved and giving back to the community - something she works for daily. Megan is Executive Director of Riverview Health Foundation and raises funds for programs/projects that benefit Riverview Health.

Proudly representing the 6th District - Noblesville Common Council, Megan has served as President of the Council twice, chaired the Economic Development and Finance Committees and was the founder of the Downtown District Committee. Mayor Jensen appointed Megan co-chair of the Noblesville Bicentennial Committee.

Passionate about the Noblesville community, Megan's priorities include investing in our infrastructure, supporting public safety, fiscally responsible growth, and making sure Noblesville's downtown remains historically authentic.

Megan graduated from Noblesville HS and Ball State. She and her husband, Greg have two children, Garrett and Grace. She is a graduate of the Richard G. Lugar Excellence in Public Service Series and Hamilton County Leadership Academy. A member of the Conner Prairie Alliance for over 15 years, Megan recently joined the Conner Prairie Board of Directors. Megan is a member of St. Michael's Episcopal Church, past member of the vestry, and is on the committee for the annual Strawberry Festival.

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## WESTFIELD

**Alexis Lowry***Democrat for Westfield City Council, District 4*

Alexis was born and raised in Westfield. She graduated from Westfield High School – as did her parents, giving her very deep roots in the Westfield community. Alexis graduated from Indiana University–Bloomington with a degree in Kinesiology and has professional experience in sales, marketing, HR, and finance with a focus on personal insurance and investments. She currently is a small business owner and a certified Nutrition Coach. Alexis and her husband, Josh, have been foster parents since 2018 – they have adopted 4 of their foster children and have fostered 12. Alexis has always believed in serving and helping others. In her spare time, Alexis has served as her church's treasurer where she built the church parsonage into a Christian daycare and preschool from the ground up. Alexis also coaches multiple youth sports including soccer, basketball, and volleyball and is involved with her neighborhood HOA. Alexis is the first woman Democrat to run for Westfield City Council in 17 years. As a community advocate and lifelong city resident, Alexis is ready to bring a new vision to Westfield that ensures Westfield residents can work, play, and live in the city they love.

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**Patrick Tamm***Republican for Westfield City Council, District 4*

Patrick Tamm, Westfield resident and community leader, has a track record of bringing solutions to the table.

More than nine years ago, Patrick started Tamm Capital Group, an association management and governmental affairs firm. The firm focuses on nonprofits, trade associations and Fortune 500 companies with an attention on hospitality, tourism, employment, local government, and regulated industries.

Patrick's dedication to making a difference at the local level started in 1995 when he interned for the Republican State Committee. He then went on to work for Mayor Steve Goldsmith, David McIntosh, and Governor Mitch Daniels.

Patrick played a critical role in representing the hospitality and youth sports industries during 2020 in the face of COVID-19's tumultuous impact. He spearheaded the efforts on their behalf to get the hospitality industry back open and youth sports playing again.

In District 4, Patrick will focus on growing a strong quality of life in Westfield. Also included in Patrick's vision is creating a more diversified tax base to lower taxes for residents. He intends to lead with a common sense approach on the council by being transparent and team-oriented.

Patrick and his children enjoy dining in Westfield and taking advantage of the city's outdoor amenities.

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**Jon Dartt***Republican for Westfield City Council, District 1*

Jon Dartt, recently retired Indianapolis business executive and 29-year resident of Westfield will run as a republican candidate for the Westfield City Council, District 1, in the May 2023 primary.

An accomplished business leader at Indianapolis based Delta Faucet Company, Dartt spent 22 of his 28-year career as a Vice President. His strong business and financial acumen coupled with decades of experience leading teams, driving collaboration, problem solving, cultivating breakthrough thinking and developing long range strategic plans will be key attributes to serve the residents and businesses of Westfield. "The city of Westfield will face many opportunities and challenges in the coming years and electing me to the council will provide the needed business experience to proactively move our city forward" stated Dartt.

Dartt has talked to many residents, businesses and city leaders before declaring his candidacy. Based on those discussions, he will focus his campaign on public safety, education, downtown development, long range planning, Grand Park business expansion and community diversity.

We have much to be proud of in Westfield and I want to work closely with city officials and community leaders to make Westfield THE Hamilton County destination for residents, businesses, developers and visitors, stated Dartt.

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**Joe Duepner***Republican for Westfield City Council, District 3*

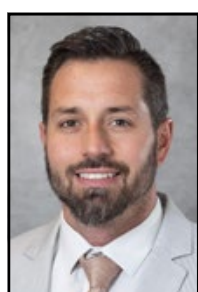
Joe Duepner is business owner, attorney, and long-time Westfield resident. Joe brings a unique perspective on the importance of staying true to the past while planning for the future.

Joe believes that growth is inevitable, and that it's important to get ahead of future development through proactive planning. His vision for Westfield is to be a city that values having ample opportunities for residents and businesses to thrive now and in the future. Joe is focused on making conservative financial decisions around smart growth. He is committed to diversifying Westfield's tax base.

Joe is a licensed attorney and started his law firm, Duepner Law LLC, 10 years ago. His success is rooted in becoming deeply ingrained in his client's stories and his passion for learning about new things. Joe is driven, and he prides himself on his follow-through and dedication he provides to anyone he serves. He is committed to applying the same philosophy to serving on the city council.

Joe and his wife, Adrienne, have two children, daughter Dylan and son Ty in Westfield Washington Schools. Joe serves on the Westfield Youth Sports Inc. (WYSI) board of directors and serves on the Villages of Oak Manor HOA board.

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**Noah Herron***Republican for Westfield City Council, District 5*

I am proud to be running as a Republican Candidate for District 5 City Council of Westfield. For the past decade I have been a proud business owner, leader and community volunteer in Westfield. Now, as an extension of that commitment to our community, I am running for public office.

I will work alongside the residents of Westfield. I will collaborate to make sure that our community is strong, to make sure that we do the best we can, together.

I want to make a difference and make Westfield a better place for all residents. Like you, I want to see our city continue to grow and prosper. Getting involved at the local level of politics is about the desire to improve things like communication, economic vitality, community identity and effective management of our resources. As a businessman and parent, not a politician, I will bring a fresh, positive and creative mindset to the Council, and through my work, help the city move forward on a better path.

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**Chad Huff***Republican for Westfield City Council, At Large*

Chad is third generation, born and raised in Westfield. He graduated from Westfield Schools. From a young age, he was passionate about his roots and worked hard to build strong relationships across the city.

At 19 years old, Chad started CSI Signs. He has grown the business significantly. CSI Signs was awarded 'Business of the Year' by the Westfield Chamber of Commerce.

In addition to CSI Signs, Chad is also a partner at a global diesel performance business. He has played a pivotal role in helping the company grow from under \$1 million to several million dollars in revenue.

Chad has served with Downtown Westfield Association and is involved in Downhill Derby, Westfield Rocks the 4th, and the Westfield Youth Soccer Association as a coach. Chad graduated from the Hamilton County Leadership Academy in 2015.

Chad is a dedicated family man, has been married for 16 years, and has three children. Chad is an avid hunter, golfer, and fisherman.

Chad's vision is focused on responsible development, community connection, and strategic infrastructure. He understands the importance of broadening the commercial tax base to lower residents' taxes and is committed to welcoming back developers and companies that understand Westfield's vision for success.

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**Gary Lane***Democrat for Westfield City Council, At Large*

Gary Lane is currently the Executive Director of Statewide Lab Business Operations at IU Health, where he works to set the future direction for the entire lab system. Gary has an engineering background from Rose-Hulman and earned his MBA from the University of Chicago. Previously, Gary worked with Fortune 500 companies, an experience that built his skills in operations, project, and strategic management.

In the community, Gary has served for 3 years as the Treasurer of his neighborhood HOA and as President of his fraternity alumni chapter. He is excited to have an opportunity to use his planning skills in service to Westfield.

Outside of work, Gary and his wife, Becky, can be found at practices and events for their two sons who are involved in diving, karate, and music. Gary also works to support Becky's local small business, Becky the Baker (beckythebaker.com).

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**Kurt Wanninger***Republican for Westfield City Council, At Large*

Kurt Wanninger has been a Westfield resident for 25 years. His experience and leadership in both the public and private sectors, commitment to hard work, and decades of public service position him to represent the community on the city council.

With more than 30 years experience as a successful project manager and executive in the utility and engineering industries, Kurt will bring a wealth of experience in leadership, problem solving, and operations. He previously served as the Public Works Director for Westfield from 2002 to 2012, has successfully managed multi-million dollar projects, and has implemented innovative programs and solutions that resulted in increased efficiencies and reduced costs.

Kurt serves as the Board Vice President for Open Doors of Washington Township. He is passionate about their mission and has been a volunteer with the organization for more than 20 years. Kurt is also a past president of the Rotary Club of Westfield, and currently serves as Treasurer.

Kurt and his wife Tami have two children, Samantha and Josh, both Westfield High School graduates.

If elected, Kurt will focus on putting Westfield residents first, intentional and thoughtful growth, and leading with true fiscal responsibility and transparency.

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## CARMEL

**Anita Joshi, MD***Democrat for Carmel City Council, West District*

I'm a physician who listens to people with the sole aim of helping them. I'm a small business owner who has to be fiscally responsible to keep my business thriving. I am a community leader who has served in a wide variety of boards in a leadership capacity, including Women's Fund, Center for Interfaith Cooperation and Brebeuf Jesuit. Most importantly, I have been a resident of West Carmel for the past 18 years, so I know and love this area with every fiber of my being. I will bring leadership and management experience to Carmel City Council, but I will also provide a unique, outside perspective that doesn't always exist at our municipal level. I believe it is important to have voices that listen to and represent the community we live in. As a physician, I use data driven analysis and compassionate decision making in my every day life, and I will bring that with me to City Council. I believe this will allow me to meet the challenges and opportunities that Carmel has ahead.

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**Loren Matthes***Republican for Carmel City Council, West District*

Loren Matthes is a strong servant leader and has lived in Carmel for over 20 years. Recently retired, Loren has spent the last 35 years dedicating her professional career to public finance and economic development advisory work at a public accounting and consulting firm.

Her background includes assisting Indiana cities and towns in planning and financing all types of projects from infrastructure projects to redevelopment projects. Loren has extensive experience in advising community leaders in financial management, cash flow analyses, tax management, budgeting, debt management, and credit ratings. She is one of the leading experts in municipal finance in Indiana.

Loren's finance advisory work makes her a uniquely qualified candidate to serve on the Carmel City Council. She's an analytical and independent thinker, who values making strategic decisions that serve the residents of Carmel.

Loren and her husband, Don, have been married for 24 years and have three adult sons, and eight grandchildren – with one on the way. In her spare time, Loren enjoys family time, church, community service, exercise, and learning new things, including studying foreign languages.

As a public finance expert, if elected, Loren will focus on strategic financial leadership and enhancing Carmel's amenities while keeping taxes low.

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**Scott Willis***Republican for Westfield Mayor*

Scott Willis is a proud Westfield City Councilor. His passion and vision is displayed through his community focused work. Scott has committed to diversifying Westfield's tax base, identifying new businesses and jobs, being fiscally responsible, and strategically growing the city. Scott is a decorated U.S. Marine Colonel, successful businessman, and 19-year Westfield resident.

Scott founded an executive search firm and began a second company that focuses on commercial real estate.

Scott serves on the Westfield Public Library board, the Westfield YMCA steering committee, the President's Council for Purdue University, is a past chairman of the Westfield GOP Club, and is involved in Veteran organizations including the VFW, American Legion, and Marine Corps League. Scott also serves on the Board of Directors for the Marine Foundation and Operation Job Ready Veterans, a non for profit organization focused on supporting veterans transitioning from the military to Corporate America.

Scott and his wife Stacey have three children.

Scott believes Westfield must be led by someone who has decades of experience of leading large organizations, sizable budgets, and is a strategic thinker with a vision. Someone who will ask the right questions, involve the right experts, and take responsibility for driving a well-thought-out vision.

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**Marla Ailor***Republican for Westfield Clerk Treasurer*

Marla Ailor has proudly called Westfield home for more than twenty-three years. She has been committed to the community through various volunteer positions and associations including past PTO President at Monon Trail Elementary, President of the Fiscal Conservatives of Hamilton County, and co-founder of the Central Indiana Coalition of Conservatives. Marla has worked for Westfield since May of 2022 and worked previously for the city on the 2016 Westfield special census. She is a member of AIM and the ILMCT.

Marla has a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration with a concentration in Public Administration. Working as a deputy clerk charged with project research analysis, she has already established new policies and procedures that have improved efficiencies and effectiveness in the Clerk-Treasurer's office. She believes it's time to develop meaningful, intentional partnerships that will help Westfield's local government prosper.

Marla's core beliefs are defined by her faith, the Federal and State Constitutions, and her love for her family and community. She is married to her husband of 23 years, Kurt, and they have one son, Kohl, who is a sophomore in high school. The Ailors attend LifeChurch in Noblesville and enjoy outdoor activities and spending time with family and friends.

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**Victor McCarty***Republican for Westfield City Council, District 2*

I'm just a kid from the trailer park that wants to serve the community I love. As a lifelong Shamrock, my love for Westfield started when I was mascot at WHS. At that time, I had lost 100 pounds and didn't know where I was going. By being mascot, I was out in the community interacting with businesses and our residents. It gave me a sense of purpose. Simultaneously, Westfield became a city. Since then, I have had a deep passion for our community and every step I have taken has been to ensure that I am prepared to be a positive leader for Westfield. Through my experiences, I have learned that if we RISE together anything is possible. By building positive Relationships, investing in our aging Infrastructure, supporting our public Safety teams, and providing Engagement opportunities, we can create a welcoming community for all to live, work, and visit.

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**Adam Aasen***Republican for Carmel City Council, Southeast District*

Adam Aasen, the current Southeast City Councilor, is proud to have voted to bring Needler's Fresh Market grocery store to an area that desperately needed it. Aasen also introduced a successful ordinance for animals that reflects Carmel's reputation as a pet-friendly city.

Adam's priorities include enhancing and investing in public amenities like parks, pathways, and roads, while keeping taxes low. Additionally, Aasen will prioritize support for Carmel's police and fire departments, keeping Carmel one of the safest cities in the country. He will also continue to be a voice for pedestrian safety.

In addition to Adam's City Council role, he is also on the Plan Commission, a CarmelFest committee member, involved in Synergize, and a Carmel Rotary member. Aasen's previous community involvement includes being a Janus Development Services board member, Carmel Education Foundation board member, and a neighborhood HOA board member.

Currently, Adam is a Communication Specialist for a Fortune 500 company. With deeper experience in communications, Adam has been a reporter in Hamilton County and across the country, and worked at the Statehouse in communications.

Adam and his daughter Madeline enjoy going on bike rides together and playing at Carmel's many parks and playgrounds.

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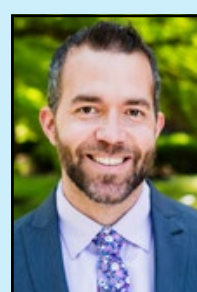
**Jeremy Eltz***Democrat for Carmel City Council, Southeast District*

Jeremy Eltz currently serves as the Director of Rural Education at the Center of Excellence in Leadership of Learning at the University of Indianapolis. As an educational leader, he works every day to ensure students throughout the state receive the best quality education and have all the opportunities open to them.

Jeremy began his career in research science at IU-PUI before becoming a middle school science teacher in Pike Township in Indianapolis. In 2012, he joined the Indiana Department of Education (IDOE) where he created the state's first STEM plan, the STEM School Certification, adopted new science standards, and added computer science standards for grades K-8. In 2016, Jeremy received his PhD in educational leadership.

Jeremy and his wife Missy moved to Carmel in 2015 to raise their children, Macy and Mallory who both attend Carmel Clay Schools. The family are members of St. Christopher's Episcopal Church. When he isn't taking Club to Adamson's Karate or Mallory to Carmel Dad's Club Soccer, he is renovating his house under the supervision of Missy, lifting weights in his garage or at MEI Fitness, or playing racquetball at LA Fitness. He's always up for a match if you are interested.

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**Sue Finkam***Republican for Carmel Mayor*

Sue Finkam, candidate for Carmel mayor, not only boasts a diverse professional background with more than 20 years of experience in public leadership, marketing, business management and human resources, but also a proven track record of providing solutions to mission-based organizations. Sue's talents lie in leveraging relationships, collaborating across challenging waters, managing resources and developing new markets. Additionally, her management expertise in diverse and complex industries and environments, from start-ups to healthcare industry leaders, provides her with a unique perspective to aid any organization in overcoming challenges.



Sue also utilizes her expertise in strategic planning, competitive differentiation and identity development to uplift her community. Since 2012, she has served on the city council for Carmel, Indiana, including several terms as president, vice president and finance chair, responsible for overseeing the city's multi-million dollar annual budget. As vice-chair of the Hamilton County Economic Development Corporation, she helped redefine the organization's mission to focus on promoting the county as a great place to live, work, play and retire. Sue is an IBJ Woman of Influence, an IU Tobias Fellow and an alumna of both the Stanley K. Lacy Executive Leadership Series and the Richard G. Lugar Excellence in Public Service Series.

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**Miles Nelson***Democrat for Carmel Mayor*

A lifelong Hoosier, Miles, his wife, Carolina and their two children have lived in Carmel for eighteen years. He is an entrepreneur with decades of experience in business ownership, business development, executive leadership and nonprofit board service.



His passion for giving back to his community was instilled at an early age by a family with a long history of service in the Indianapolis community. He has most recently served as a volunteer leader with the Indianapolis Hebrew Congregation, Child Advocates and the Hispanic Business Council.

Miles' love for Carmel and the people who call it home led him to run and win a seat on the Carmel City Council in 2019. During his time on the council, Miles has worked hard for his constituents, prioritizing their needs and concerns. He knows how important it is to put differences aside and put people first.

As Mayor, Miles will work hard to make sure our community continues to be the best place for everyone to live, raise a family, build a career and support their neighbors. He'll build on the achievements of Mayor Brainard and keep Carmel moving forward.

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**Shannon Minnaar***Republican for Carmel City Council, Northeast District*

Shannon Minnaar is a 22-year Carmel resident who has made an impact through her work with several community organizations and initiatives. From serving on the Carmel Symphony Orchestra Board of Directors to her leadership positions in her HOA and PTO, Shannon has demonstrated a passion to work hard and get things done.



Shannon holds God, her family, and her community as her biggest priorities, and has always led with a servant approach. She is committed to finding opportunities to get younger people engaged and activated in the arts.

Minnaar also serves on the Carmel Cable and Telecommunications Commission. She's been a past PTO President for Mohawk Trails Elementary School, Co-Chair of the After School Enrichment program, President of the Brookshire Ladies 18 Hole League, President of the Board for the Cool Creek North HOA, and was the creator of the Carmel United Golf Outing benefiting the CUSC scholarship fund.

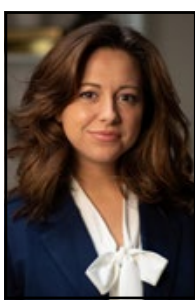
Minnaar and her husband David have been married 30 years, and have two adult children, both Carmel graduates. They enjoy traveling, golf, and taking in many of the opportunities to enjoy the arts in the community.

If elected, Shannon will focus on proactive transparency and communication, intentional leadership and fiscal responsibility.

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**Jessica Irvine***Democrat for Carmel City Council, South Central District*

Carmel's South Central District has been my home my entire life. I am a Carmel Clay Schools alum and first-generation college graduate with a bachelor's degree in public financial management and master's degree in environmental policy and sustainability from Indiana University. I hold a business foundations certificate from the Kelley School of Business. In my professional career, I serve as a senior environmental manager for the Indiana Department of Environmental Management. I have been a passionate volunteer for animal welfare organizations for over 7 years.



My campaign is prioritizing environmental sustainability so that we have a clean and healthy city for our kids and future generations, smart development that has community buy-in and preserves our green spaces, and fiscal transparency so there is public confidence in how tax dollars are spent.

I am running to give back to the incredible community that has given so much to my family and me. I bring experience from my career with the State of Indiana, and I have a unique understanding of the district from living here for the past 34 years. I am ready to contribute new, diverse ideas and perspectives to the city council. I would be honored to have your support!

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**Sara Draper***Democrat for Carmel City Council, At Large*

Sara Draper is running for Carmel City Council at Large. She is British-born, Hoosier by choice and a resident of Carmel for over 15 years. She is the only woman running At Large and the only immigrant running for council. She believes a balanced council will better represent Carmel residents than the current Republican supermajority.



Her campaign's commitment is to Listen to all resident's concerns, Learn the problems, and propose solutions, and Lead, by remaining "People Focused, Fiscally Responsible and Accessible & Transparent."

She is a graduate of Oxford University, speaks 5 languages, and has professional expertise in finance and market research.

Sara is an adoptive "Mum," a former foster parent and has been a tireless community champion in a variety of child welfare roles. She has been a Hamilton County Guardian ad Litem for 10 years where she advocates in Court on behalf of children involved in abuse/neglect cases. Investigation, debate and strong communication are crucial in achieving the best outcomes for the child. These skills will make her a successful City Councillor.

They have, in fact, informed her campaign mission and she pledges to use her unique skill set to make Carmel an even better place for ALL.

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**Rich Taylor***Republican for Carmel City Council, At Large*

Rich Taylor is a longtime Carmel community leader and volunteer. Through strategic and proactive planning, Rich believes Carmel can elevate and maintain what has been created.

Rich has been the President of the Carmel Parks and Recreation board for the last six years, and a board member for the last 12 years. He has also been a strong supporter of Carmel's central core redevelopment and played a role in the building of the Center for the Performing Arts and the Arts & Design District.



Rich cultivated a passion for working with small businesses and municipalities in Carmel as a Vice President at The National Bank of Indianapolis. He later transitioned to a career in the commercial real estate and construction field. His background of business lending, economic development, financing, and managing budgets uniquely positions him to help Carmel continue to grow while protecting taxpayers from unnecessary financial risk.

In 2010, Rich was honored as OneZone's Most Valuable Volunteer, and is an Indiana Leadership Forum and Hamilton County Leadership Academy graduate. He has previously served as board President for the Rotary Club of Carmel.

Rich and his wife, Lauren, President of Holder Mat-tress Company, have lived in Carmel for 17 years.

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**Brian G. Poindexter***Republican for Carmel Judge, City Court*

Judge Brian Poindexter has served as the Judge of Carmel City Court since January 2009. Governor Mitch Daniels appointed Poindexter to fill a judicial vacancy. The citizens of Carmel have re-elected Poindexter to this position in 2011, 2015, and 2019.



Before being appointed to the bench Poindexter was a Homicide Prosecutor in Marion County and supervised the Major Felony Division of the Marion County Prosecutor's Office.

In Poindexter's term during the pandemic, the court was transitioned to an emergency courtroom facility. Under Judge Poindexter's leadership, the facility was up and fully operational within three days, ensuring that residents had access even during the pandemic's toughest times.

"In my next term, I will continue building on vital community relationships and identifying the available local resources that will support the court in addressing the ever-changing issues and challenges the community faces," said Poindexter.

The cases heard in Carmel City Court consist of misdemeanor cases, typically involving cases related to vehicles, drugs, alcohol, and infractions for traffic violations, and DNR violations.

Poindexter is committed to the rule of law and following the constitution. He places the highest priority and value on equal access to justice and always places service above self.

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**Jacob Quinn***Republican for Carmel City Clerk*

Jacob Quinn is running to be Carmel's next City Clerk. Jacob has worked for the City of Carmel for the past seven years both in the City Clerk and Clerk-Treasurer's Office, currently serving as the Chief Deputy Clerk for City Business.



Before joining the City of Carmel, Jacob worked as a legislative assistant and intern director for the Indiana House of Representatives and as a budget analyst for the Indiana State Budget Agency. He is a member of St. Elizabeth Seton Catholic Church and Synergize and is an associate member of the Indiana League of Municipal Clerks and Clerk-Treasurers. He is an alum of the Carmel Citizens Police Academy.

Jacob is a graduate of Indiana University-Bloomington, where he studied public management. He and his wife, Sarah, live in Southwest Carmel with their two daughters, Ellie and Grace.

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**Matthew J. Snyder***Republican for Carmel City Council, At Large*

Lifelong Carmel resident, Matthew Snyder, has made a significant impact in Carmel throughout his professional career. He has been a Clay Township Board member for the last twelve years. Matthew has a history of 'getting things done,' and has led several initiatives that have propelled Carmel forward.



Initially, Matthew became involved in public service because of his passion for the parks. That passion turned into active involvement, and under Matthew's leadership, the township has led and managed \$100 million in capital improvement projects, built three roundabouts in the last year, passed a resolution to govern the Clay Township Impact Program, and made significant improvements to the city's public safety infrastructure. The board has accomplished this without a tax increase.

Matthew's work in the community includes: past Janus Development board member, Carmel Clay Historical Society, Carmel School Ballet, and he is a member of the American Legion.

Matthew is an entrepreneur and has bought and sold companies over his professional career. Along with his wife, Ashlee, they have two children, Charlie and Benjamin. As a family, they enjoy Carmel festivals together.

If elected, Matthew will focus on keeping residents safe and continuing to enhance quality of life while being fiscally responsible.

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**Jeff Worrell***Republican for Carmel City Council, At Large*

As the current Carmel City Council President, Worrell brings innovative solutions, action, transparency, and trust to the council. Whether it is his role on the council, his own business success, or community initiatives in Carmel – he is driven to help others.



Worrell is known as an exemplary city councilor because of his careful attention to safeguarding the city's finances. Worrell works with his fellow city council members to provide high value services at a low cost to the citizens of Carmel.

Jeff is focused on finding solutions for residents, through research, input, and collaboration. His attitude of service and passion for Carmel is displayed throughout his leadership roles. His roles include: the 1994 and 2004 President of the Carmel Chamber of Commerce (now OneZone), the St. Vincent-Carmel Hospital Board, Carmel Christkindlmarkt board, Carmel Fest board, Rotary Club of Carmel, Good Day Carmel founder, and directing the Carmel Fireworks show each Fourth of July.

Jeff has lived in Carmel for 32 years and has two adult children, Brad and Amy, with his wife, Shari. They welcomed his first grandchild in 2020. As a family, the Worrells enjoy traveling, snow skiing, and volunteering at their church, Our Lady of Mount Carmel.

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**Teresa Ayers***Republican for Carmel City Council, North Central District*

Teresa Ayers is a lifelong Carmel resident. She is one of eight children. Teresa is the current city councilor and is running for re-election to maintain our quality of life and ensure good planning. As your next city counselor, she will always put your interest first to maintain our quality of life and ensure good planning. As your next city counselor, she will always put your interest first and as an advocate for responsible growth, conservative fiscal policy to maintain low taxes and prioritizing public safety. She currently serves as the vice-chairman of the Hamilton County Republican Party and volunteers for several local boards and charities. She is a lifelong member of Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish.



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**Ryan Locke***Republican for Carmel City Council, Northwest District*

Ryan Locke, a third-generation Carmel resident, is an attorney with experience administering state government for the past eight (8) years, both at the Indiana State Police and the Office of the Indiana Treasurer of State. He has helped local communities across Indiana find creative and common-sense ways to serve their residents and solve their challenges. He oversaw the day-to-day operations of the Treasury and its related entities, including but not limited to Indiana's Statewide 911 Program, the Indiana Board for Depositories, the Indiana Bond Bank, and the state's CollegeChoice 529 programs. Ryan was also instrumental in the launch of two entirely new statewide programs working with individuals with disabilities. He successfully advocated for pragmatic advancements and innovations at the federal, state, and local levels positively impacting the everyday lives of Hoosiers.



He is running for Carmel City Council Northwest to bring his expertise and experience home to help ensure that Carmel continues to strategically and responsibly meet the needs of its residents now and into the future. Ryan and his wife Elise know there's no better place than Carmel to raise their two young sons, James and Edward, and their chihuahua, Daphne.

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Samantha Chapman

Democrat for Fishers City Council, North East District

Chapman is the Indiana State Director of the Humane Society of the United States. She is an attorney, a lifelong Hoosier and an animal lover who has dedicated her life to changing policy and laws that better protect animals at the state and local level.



Samantha graduated from Manchester College in 2012 magna cum laude with a Bachelor of Science degree in Political Science and Psychology and then earned her J.D. in 2015 from Indiana University McKinney School of Law. After law school, Samantha served as the judicial clerk for the Honorable Paul Mathias on the Indiana Court of Appeals and in a private practice defended businesses in complex employment matters before joining the Secretary of State’s office as the Business Services Division Attorney and Special Counsel. In her free time, she enjoys running, yoga and hiking with her rescue dog, Sunny, the beagle.

As a new resident to Fishers, Samantha is excited to provide a fresh perspective to the city council and give her neighbors a choice at the ballot box this November. She is eager to connect with neighbors and advocate for the good people of the North East District supporting smart investments and inclusivity in the city.

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Brad DeReamer

Republican for Fishers City Council, North East District

EDUCATION – BS in Mathematics and MS in Land Surveying from Purdue University.

PERSONAL – Married to Sharon for 43 years – five kids – 14 grandchildren and one great grandchild.

POLITICAL – Hancock County Surveyor – 3 terms, Greenfield Mayor 2008-2011, Fishers City Council Northeast District past 8 years.

OCCUPATION – Retired from being a Serial Entrepreneur, some of my companies include:

- 1. Indiana Surveying and Schneider Engineering Corp (Civil Engineering and Land Surveying Company)
- 2. Dream World Travel (Travel Agency)
- 3. Two Hardees (Oaklandon and New Palestine)
- 4. Dream Custard (Greenfield)
- 5. Dream Investments, Inc (Builder, Apartments, Real Estate)

PREVIOUS LICENSES HELD – Land Surveying, Real Estate Broker, Real Estate Appraiser

MILITARY – US Army Reserves and Indiana National Guard

Public Safety is a top priority. Brad advocated to get the new Fire Station 97 built on 136th and Prairie Baptist Road. Making sure developers/builders follow PUD ordinances has been another top priority. Brad has communicated with his constituents through emails, newsletters and text the past eight years keeping them informed on what is going on in Fishers. Brad was also instrumental in getting the Gold Star Families Memorial Monument installed in front of Fishers City Hall.

Help Keep Fishers a top-rated city. VOTE for Brad.

Connect with DeReamer by emailing [brad@dereamer.org](#).



John P. DeLucia

Republican for Fishers City Council, North Central District

My wife Amy and I moved to Fishers in 1993 where we have raised our three children, Joshua, Jillian, and Jack. I’ve spent the majority of my career in financial services with the past 22 years in banking. I currently serve as the Chief Lending Officer for Citizens State Bank and a charter member of the Fishers 50 Club, which supports the families of Fishers Police Officers and Firefighters who have been disabled or killed in the line of duty. I also had the honor of serving on the Hamilton Southeastern School Board for 8.5 years.

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Crystal Neumann

Democrat for Fishers City Council, North Central District

Crystal Neumann serves as a member of Fishers City Council for the North Central district. She has a passion to make a difference and become a role model for others. She is also passionate about sustainability efforts, serving on the Fishers Environmental Working Group. She cares about building community, sustainability, mental health, and public safety. She’s been on ride-alongs and completed FireOps 101 Training to connect with others who also serve Fishers. Neumann has a doctorate in business administration with her work being published in several journals, and she has presented at several national and international conferences. Her commitment and efforts toward making education affordable and accessible were recognized, in which she was selected as an honoree of Reverend Jesse L. Jackson’s Rainbow PUSH Excel 2017. Neumann was also inducted into the Indiana Latino Leadership Circle in 2020 and Hoosier Women Forward in 2022. She is a 10-year resident of Fishers, mom of one HSE Schools graduate with another in 8th grade, and has a commitment to serve her community.

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Cecilia Coble

Republican for Fishers City Council, At Large

Cecilia Coble has been a strong leader on the Fishers City Council since 2015. When it comes to leading as a conservative, Cecilia takes pride in Fishers’ AAA credit rating by S&P, the highest possible rating for a municipality. The City of Fishers is one of the first cities in the state to achieve this designation in 2016, and has maintained the designation every year. Cecilia will continue to focus on diversifying Fishers’ tax base to keep resident’s taxes low, ensure police and fire have the resources they need, and that the city invests in quality of life opportunities.

Cecilia currently serves as Co-Chair on the Fishers Advisory Committee on Disability (FACD), an initiative that she led. The committee focuses on the challenges facing the disability community, and bringing strategies and change.

Currently, Cecilia is on the board of directors of Accelerate Indiana Municipalities (AIM), and is an appointed member of the Fishers Arts & Culture Commission. She was a Charter Member of the Fifty Club of Fishers and is a past President of the Hamilton County Republican Women’s Club.

Cecilia and her husband Mike have two daughters.

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Howard Stevenson

Democrat for Fishers City Council, At Large

Howard has been serving the Fishers community since he moved here 23 years ago. Howard is Managing Partner at his law firm. He has been a practicing lawyer for 30 years and a small business owner for 18 years. In 2021, Howard received the Achievement in Business & Industry Award from the Center for Leadership Development, and he will bring his experience in job creation and economic development with him to the city council.

Howard currently serves as President of the Fishers Plan Commission and Vice President of the Fishers Board of Zoning Appeals. Howard served as a school board member for Hamilton Southeastern Schools overseeing its approximate \$250 million budget and he assisted in cost savings measures. He will bring his track record of fiscal responsibility to the city council.

Howard earned his B.A. Degree from Indiana University and his J.D. Degree from Indiana University Robert McKinney School of Law. After law school, Howard served as a judicial law clerk on the Indiana Supreme Court. Howard is an adjunct law professor. Howard serves as a Superintendent of Sunday School at Eastern Star Church. Howard and his wife Christa have been married for 33 years and they have three sons.

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David Giffel

Republican for Fishers City Council, Southwest District

I’m David Giffel, and I’m running for re-election to the Fishers City Council, Southwest District. I am a sales representative for a plastic manufacturing company, and I live here in Fishers with my wife, Toni. Outside of my family, my passion is serving my community. I’ve been interested and involved in politics for many years now, and I’ve served as a Hamilton County Delaware Township Board in addition to my year and a half on Fishers City Council. During my time on City Council, I have thoroughly enjoyed getting out and talking to voters and always being available for questions, comments, and concerns. When I decided to take the first step to run for office, my goal was to serve our residents and their interests. In my time on City Council, I’m proud to say I’ve done just that, by always trying to the best of my ability to listen to my constituents and take their opinions into account. When I decided to run for re-election, my motivations were the same. I’m running for re-election to the Fishers City Council SW District in order to keep Fishers on the right track financially and with safety and amenities.

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Bill Stuart

Democrat for Fishers City Council, Southwest District

Bill Stuart has lived in Fishers for 29 years and currently serves on the Fishers Planning Commission and the Fishers Fire Merit Board. “As a planning commission member since 2016, I’ve supported and promoted some great projects in our community. However, I believe there is much more we can do to make certain that Fisher becomes an even better place to work, play and raise a family,” Stuart said. If elected, Stuart will focus on economic development, quality of life projects, and working to help maintain great schools in Fishers. Bill and his wife Peggi have 4 children whom all graduated from HSE schools and 4 grandchildren. The Stuarts live in the Delaware Pointe neighborhood.

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Tiffanie Ann Hill Ditlevson

Republican for Fishers City Council, At Large

I’m excited to serve my community, and I have a strong history of service ranging from PTO president, Head Cheer Mom, Sunday School Teacher, and wartime Air Force veteran (family ties with American Revolution).

I am passionate about three things in the City of Fishers: safety, prosperity, and building community. I will work to fully fund our first responders; improve traffic safety--our roads, intersections, and visibility; build business partnerships to benefit young members of the workforce, and grow our community amenities.

Currently, I serve on these boards: the Fishers Armed Forces Commission, the Hamilton East Public Library Board, Catholic Charities of Indianapolis, and the Indiana USO board while running a thriving real estate business and co-chairing the Fishers GOP Club. I earned my MBA from Indiana Wesleyan, and most recently completed the Indiana GOP Diversity Leadership Series, the Richard G. Lugar Excellence in Public Service Series, and am currently enrolled in the Indiana Leadership Forum. Also, I recently completed the Fishers Government Academy and the Fishers Citizens Fire Academy.

My daughter and I moved to Fishers 15 years ago. Currently, she is a graduating senior at IU Bloomington and accepted into the Doctorate of Chiropractics program at Logan University.

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Jocelyn Vare

Democrat for Fishers City Council, At Large

Jocelyn Vare is an at-large member of Fishers City Council and is the first Democrat ever elected to Fishers municipal office. Citizens know that a long-standing supermajority (of any party) is unhealthy. Balanced government serves citizens best. Councilor Vare delivers balance, accountability, fiscal responsibility, checks and balances and government transparency in Fishers.

In 2022, Councilor Vare ran for Indiana State Senate and earned 16,000 votes from Fishers residents. She is a 22-year resident of Fishers, the mom of two HSE Schools graduates, a local small business owner, a volunteer and a champion for the community she loves. Councilor Vare is a member of the Fishers Finance Committee and Fishers Arts + Culture Commission. She served as a committee chair for the successful HSE Schools referendum in 2016. She is a graduate of Fishers City Government Academy, Hamilton County Leadership Academy, Ball State’s Economic Development Course and Community Development Course. In 2021, Councilor Vare was recognized as an Impact Award nominee, one of 30 alumni designated in the Hamilton County Leadership Academy’s 30-year history. “I am eager to continue to serve the Fishers community on the City Council and fight to provide the good local government that all taxpayers deserve.”

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Jennifer Kehl

Republican for Fishers City Clerk

I have lived in Fishers since 1983 and have been honored to serve in the role as the Fishers City Clerk since 2015. I have been married for 40 years to George Kehl, who retired in 2016 as Fishers Chief of Police for 38 years. George and I have two sons, Greg, and Geoffrey. I am best known for my 30 years of service at the Fishers Freedom Festival and served as the Executive Director for 25 of those years. I graduated from Carmel High School in 1977 and attended Indiana University and IUPUI Indianapolis. I truly believe you must invest in your community for it to be successful. I have always taken pride in Fishers and have been an avid volunteer. I have spent over 35 years volunteering for many nonprofits in Fishers and Hamilton County. The Kehl family are true public servants providing a combined total of over 250 years of service to their communities for the last 40 years. If re-elected I will continue to try and make a difference and work hard for the citizens of Fishers. Please vote for me, Jennifer Kehl, a Community Focused, Experienced, Professional and Dedicated candidate.

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Janet Pritchett

Democrat for Fishers City Clerk

Janet Pritchett is a Mortgage Advisor for Parker Mortgage. She and her husband Mike are 19-year Fishers residents and have four children, the eldest is attending Purdue University after graduating from Fishers High School. The three others currently attend Fishers HS with the next oldest graduating this year. Pritchett has spent more than a decade serving the Fishers community and championing resident involvement. She has a passion for education and supporting children, family and residents. She previously was elected as a school board member for the HSE district and served as President during her tenure. Pritchett was pivotal in starting the Fishers Democrat Club and is also a proud member of the Fishers Rotary. As Fishers City Clerk, she looks forward to increasing citizen access to, and involvement with, their government.

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NOTICE TO VOTERS OF HAMILTON COUNTY, INDIANA					NOTICE TO VOTERS OF HAMILTON COUNTY, INDIANA (Continued)				
Notice is hereby given that the following locations are to be used as voting places for the Municipal Election to be held in Hamilton County, Indiana on Tuesday, November 7, 2023. Polls will be open from 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. All polling places are located in an accessible facility.					Notice is hereby given that the following locations are to be used as voting places for the Municipal Election to be held in Hamilton County, Indiana on Tuesday, November 7, 2023. Polls will be open from 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. All polling places are located in an accessible facility.				
Adams	0101	Sheridan 01	300 E 6th St	Sheridan	0414	Fall Creek 14	9820 E 141st St	Fishers	
	0102	Sheridan Community Center	Sheridan Room	Sheridan	0415	Life Church - Fishers	Worship Center	Fishers,	
		Sheridan 02	24185 N Hinesley Rd		Fall Creek 15	13450 E 116th St			
		Sheridan High School	HS Conference Room		Cornerstone Lutheran Church - Fishers	East Side Hallway			
0103	Sheridan 03	1545 W 226th St	Sheridan,	0416	Fall Creek 16	9820 E 141st St	Fishers		
	Six Points Church	Lobby		Life Church - Fishers	Worship Center				
0104	Sheridan 04	506 S Main St	Sheridan	0417	Fall Creek 17	12690 Promise Rd	Fishers,		
	Sheridan Town Hall	Meeting Room		Billericay Park Building	Main Hall				
Clay	0201	Clay 01	2500 E 98th St	Carmel,	0418	Fall Creek 18	12690 Promise Rd	Fishers,	
	0202	Hope Church	Fellowship Hall	Carmel	0419	Billericay Park Building	Main Hall		
		Clay 02	12120 Brookshire Pkwy		Fall Creek 19	13678 Silverstone Dr			
		Brookshire Golf Club	Banquet Room		Crosspoint Church	Entry way			
0203	Clay 03	4770 E Main St	Carmel	0420	Fall Creek 20	12450 Olio Rd	Fishers		
0204	Christ Community Church	Lobby/Sanctuary	Carmel	0421	Grace Church - Fishers	Room 122			
	Clay 04	2000 North New Market		Fall Creek 21	12900 Fall Creek Rd				
	The Meeting House of West Clay	Second Floor		Indianapolis Yacht Club	Main Hall				
0205	Clay 05	3650 W 106th St	Carmel	0422	Fall Creek 22	12450 Olio Rd	Fishers		
0206	Pilgrim Lutheran Church	Fellowship Hall	Carmel,	0423	Grace Church - Fishers	Room 122			
	Clay 06	1605 E 106th St		Fall Creek 23	13678 Silverstone Dr				
	Orchard Park Presbyterian Church	Lounge/Main Street		Crosspoint Church	Entry way				
0207	Clay 07	4770 E Main St	Carmel	0424	Fall Creek 24	12690 Promise Rd	Fishers,		
0208	Christ Community Church	Lobby/Sanctuary	Carmel,	0425	Billericay Park Building	Main Hall			
	Clay 08	621 S Rangeline Rd		Fall Creek 25	12450 Olio Rd				
	Carmel United Methodist Church	Family Life Center		Grace Church - Fishers	Room 122				
0209	Clay 09	1010 E 126th St	Carmel,	0426	Fall Creek 26	13450 E 116th St	Fishers,		
0210	Trinity Baptist Church	Gym	Carmel	0427	Cornerstone Lutheran Church - Fishers	East Side Hallway			
	Clay 10	3405 E 116th St		Fall Creek 27	13151 Cyntheanne Rd				
	Chinese Community Church of Indianapolis	Gym		Cyntheanne Christian Church	Youth Center				
0211	Clay 11	651 W Main St	Carmel,	0428	Fall Creek 28	14842 E 136th St	Fishers,		
0212	Carmel Friends Church	Inside Building	Carmel,	0429	Northview Church - Fishers Campus	Student Room			
	Clay 12	1605 E 106th St		Fall Creek 29	10748 E 116th St				
	Orchard Park Presbyterian Church	Lounge/Main Street		St George Orthodox Christian Church	Fellowship Hall				
0213	Clay 13	2381 Pointe Pkwy	Carmel	0430	Fall Creek 30	13490 Howe Rd	Fishers,		
0214	Mercy Road Church	Lobby	Carmel	0431	Legacy Bible Church	Foyer/Main Entrance			
	Clay 14	2381 Pointe Pkwy		Fall Creek 31	11595 Brooks School Rd				
	Mercy Road Church	Lobby		Fall Creek Township Office	Community Room				
0215	Clay 15	10701 N College Ave	Carmel,	0432	Fall Creek 32	13490 Howe Rd	Fishers,		
0217	John Hensel Government Center	Community Room	Carmel,	0433	Legacy Bible Church	Foyer/Main Entrance			
	Clay 17	13200 Old Meridian St		Fall Creek 33	13450 E 116th St				
	Genesis Church	Lobby		Cornerstone Lutheran Church - Fishers	East Side Hallway				
0219	Clay 19	10701 N College Ave	Carmel,	0434	Fall Creek 34	13678 Silverstone Dr	Fishers		
0220	John Hensel Government Center	Community Room	Carmel,	0435	Crosspoint Church	Entry way			
	Clay 20	621 S Rangeline Rd		Fall Creek 35	13151 Cyntheanne Rd				
	Carmel United Methodist Church	Family Life Center		Cyntheanne Christian Church	Youth Center				
0222	Clay 22	2606 W 96th St	Indianapolis,	0436	Fall Creek 36	9820 E 141st St	Fishers		
0223	College Park Church	Gym	Carmel,	0437	Life Church - Fishers	Worship Center			
	Clay 23	12401 Lynnwood Blvd		Fall Creek 37	13079 Del Webb Parkway				
	Plum Creek Golf Club	Banquet Room		Britton Falls Chateau	Ballrooms A-C				
0224	Clay 24	12900 Hazel Dell Pkwy	Carmel,	0438	Fall Creek 38	12900 Fall Creek Rd	McCordsville,		
0227	Northview Church - Carmel	Atrium	Carmel	0439	Indianapolis Yacht Club	Main Hall			
	Clay 27	3450 W 131st St		Fall Creek 39	11595 Brooks School Rd				
	Carmel Water Distribution	Truck Bays		Fall Creek Township Office	Community Room				
0228	Clay 28	2606 W 96th St	Indianapolis,	0440	Fall Creek 40	13490 Howe Rd	Fishers,		
0229	College Park Church	Gym	Carmel,	0441	Legacy Bible Church	Foyer/Main Entrance			
	Clay 29	2900 E 136th St		Fall Creek 41	12450 Olio Rd				
	Carmel High School Stadium	Community/Hospitality Room		Grace Church - Fishers	Room 122				
0230	Clay 30	10701 N College Ave	Carmel,	0442	Fall Creek 42	14842 E 136th St	Fishers,		
0231	John Hensel Government Center	Community Room	Carmel,	0443	Northview Church - Fishers Campus	Student Room			
	Clay 31	12156 N Meridian St		Billericay Park Building	Main Hall				
	Ritz Charles	Ballroom, Chapel, Pavilion		Jackson 03	130 Walton St				
0232	Clay 32	651 W Main St	Carmel	0503	Dolles Park Shelter House	Main Room	Atlanta,		
0233	Carmel Friends Church	Inside Building	Carmel	Noblesville	0603	Noblesville 03	1413 Westfield Rd	Noblesville,	
	Clay 33	3450 W 131st St			Pilgrim Holiness Church - Family Life Center	Conference Room			
	Carmel Water Distribution	Truck Bays			Noblesville 05	701 Cicero Rd			
	Clay 35	14501 Hazel Dell Pkwy			Forest Park Inn	Overlook Room			
0236	Venture Christian Church	Auditorium	Carmel,	0606	Noblesville 06	1399 Greenfield Ave	Noblesville,		
0237	Clay 36	14550 River Rd	Carmel	0607	The Mill Church	Lobby			
	Harvest Church	Lobby		Noblesville 07	2200 Sheridan Rd				
	Clay 37	12156 N Meridian St		Life Church - Noblesville	Auditorium				
0238	Clay 38	Ballroom, Chapel, Pavilion	Carmel	0608	Noblesville 08	16377 Herriman Blvd	Noblesville,		
0239	Chinese Community Church of Indianapolis	Gym	Carmel	0609	First Christian Church	Narthex			
	Clay 39	3131 Maralice Dr		Noblesville 09	1207 Conner St				
	Foster Estates Clubhouse	Clubhouse		First Presbyterian Church	Fellowship Hall				
0240	Clay 40	2500 E 98th St	Carmel,	0610	Noblesville 10	772 N 10th St	Noblesville,		
0241	Hope Church	Fellowship Hall	Carmel,	0611	Restoration Church/Harvest Church Annex	Fellowship Hall			
	Clay 41	13200 Old Meridian St		Noblesville 11	1413 Westfield Rd				
	Genesis Church	Lobby		Pilgrim Holiness Church - Family Life Center	Conference Room				
0242	Clay 42	10655 Haverstick Rd	Carmel	0612	Noblesville 12	1 Hamilton County Square	Noblesville,		
0243	St. Elizabeth Seton Catholic Church	Ministry Rooms B108- B110	Carmel,	0613	Hamilton County Government/Judicial Center	West Hallway, 1st Floor			
	Clay 43	1605 E 106th St		Noblesville 13	772 N 10th St				
	Orchard Park Presbyterian Church	Lounge/Main Street		Restoration Church/Harvest Church Annex	Fellowship Hall				
0246	Clay 46	1484 W Main St	Carmel,	0614	Noblesville 14	333 Regents Park Ln	Noblesville,		
0247	Bethlehem Lutheran Church	Fellowship Hall	Carmel,	0616	Harbour Trees Golf Club	Ballroom			
	Clay 47	1010 E 126th St		Noblesville 16	400 South Harbour Dr				
	Trinity Baptist Church	Gym		Noblesville Fire Station 72	Apparatus Bay				
0248	Clay 48	5201 E Main St	Carmel,	0617	Noblesville 17	21070 Schullley Rd	Noblesville,		
0249	Carmel Clay Schools Educational Services Center	Public Meeting Room	Carmel,	0618	White Rock Fellowship	Worship Center			
	Clay 49	14501 Hazel Dell Pkwy		Noblesville 18	7160 Oxfordshire Blvd				
	Venture Christian Church	Auditorium		Grey Stone of Noblesville	Clubroom				
0251	Clay 51	10655 Haverstick Rd	Carmel,	0620	Noblesville 20	18336 Cumberland Rd	Noblesville,		
0252	St. Elizabeth Seton Catholic Church	Ministry Rooms B108- B110	Carmel,	0621	Senior Citizens Organization, Inc	Main Room			
	Clay 52	1242 W 136th St		Noblesville 21	2101 Greenfield Ave				
	Traders Point Christian Church - North Campus	Main Lobby		Noblesville Fire Station 73	Apparatus Bay				
0253	Clay 53	4770 E Main St	Carmel	0622	Noblesville 22	485 Sheridan Rd	Noblesville,		
0254	Christ Community Church	Lobby/Sanctuary	Carmel	0623	Talent Logistix & Feedingteam.org	Back Office Room			
	Clay 54	3450 W 131st St		Noblesville 23	19777 Morse Park Ln				
	Carmel Water Distribution	Truck Bays		Osprey Pointe Pavilion @ Morse Beach	Entire Building				
0255	Clay 55	12900 Hazel Dell Pkwy	Carmel,	0624	Noblesville 24	8011 E 216th St	Cicero,		
0256	Northview Church - Carmel	Atrium	Carmel	0625	Harbour Shores Church	Family Life Center			
	Clay 56	3500 W 106th St		Noblesville 25	21070 Schullley Rd				
	Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Cathedral	Founders' Walk or Library		White Rock Fellowship	Worship Center				
0257	Clay 57	12156 N Meridian St	Carmel	0626	Noblesville 26	1399 Greenfield Ave	Noblesville,		
0258	Ritz Charles	Ballroom, Chapel, Pavilion	Carmel	0627	The Mill Church	Lobby			
	Clay 58	11675 Hazel Dell Pkwy		Noblesville 27	2200 Sheridan Rd				
	Wilfong Pavilion @ Founders Park, Bldg A	Pavilion Rooms A & B		Life Church - Noblesville	Auditorium				
0259	Clay 59	5201 E Main St	Carmel,	0628	Noblesville 28	10170 E 191st St	Noblesville,		
0260	Carmel Clay Schools Educational Services Center	Public Meeting Room	Carmel,	0629	Noblesville Fire Station 75	Apparatus Bay			
	Clay 60	11675 Hazel Dell Pkwy		Noblesville 29	19005 Cumberland Rd				
	Wilfong Pavilion @ Founders Park, Bldg A	Pavilion Rooms A & B		Green Valley Church of Christ	Gymnasium				
0261	Clay 61	3500 W 106th St	Carmel	0630	Noblesville 30	17777 Little Chicago Rd	Noblesville,		
0262	Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Cathedral	Founders' Walk or Library	Carmel,	0631	Noblesville 31	Foyer			
	Clay 62	1242 W 136th St		Bethel A.M.E. Church	701 Cicero Rd				
	Traders Point Christian Church - North Campus	Main Lobby		Forest Park Lodge	Main Room				
0263	Clay 63	2000 North New Market	Carmel	0632	Noblesville 32	2003 E Pleasant St	Noblesville,		
0264	The Meeting House of West Clay	Second Floor	Carme,	0633	Hamilton County Fairgrounds	Hall C			
	Clay 64	1242 W 136th St		Noblesville 33	5504 E 146th St				
	Traders Point Christian Church - North Campus	Main Lobby		Grace Church - 146th St Campus	E171				
0265	Clay 65	14550 River Rd	Carmel,	0634	Noblesville 34	17777 Little Chicago Rd	Noblesville,		
0266	Harvest Church	Lobby	Carmel,	0636	Bethel A.M.E. Church	Foyer			
	Clay 66	3000 W 116th St		Noblesville 36	2200 Sheridan Rd				
	Jill Perelman Pavilion	Pavilion Rooms A,B,C		Life Church - Noblesville	Auditorium				
0267	Clay 67	2000 North New Market	Carmel	0637	Noblesville 37	9900 E 191st St	Noblesville,		
0268	The Meeting House of West Clay	Second Floor	Carmel,	0638	Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church	Donovan Center			
	Clay 68	3650 W 106th St		Noblesville 38	2003 E Pleasant St				
	Pilgrim Lutheran Church	Fellowship Hall		Hamilton County Fairgrounds	Hall C				
0269	Clay 69	3000 W 116th St	Carmel,	0639	Noblesville 39	16377 Herriman Blvd	Noblesville,		
0270	Jill Perelman Pavilion	Pavilion Rooms A,B,C	Carmel,	0640	First Christian Church	Narthex			



LEGAL NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION				
The voters of HAMILTON County are notified by the county election board in accordance with Indiana Code 3-10-2-2 that a general (or special) election will be held in the county on November 7, 2023, with the polls open for voting from 6:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m., prevailing local time.				
In accordance with the list of candidates and the public questions certified to me by the State of Indiana or this county’s election board, and the certificates of candidate selection filed in the office of the circuit court clerk of this county (or the Lake or Porter County election director), the following offices and public questions or judicial retention questions, if applicable, will be on the general (or special) election ballot:				
Candidates For 2023 Municipal				
Last Name . . . . .	First Name . . . . .	Middle Name . . . . .	Office Sought . . . . .	Party
Finkam . . . . .	Sue . . . . .		Carmel Mayor . . . . .	Republican
Nelson . . . . .	Miles . . . . .		Carmel Mayor . . . . .	Democrat
Quinn . . . . .	Jacob . . . . .	W. . . . .	Carmel City Clerk . . . . .	Republican
Poindexter . . . . .	Brian . . . . .	G. . . . .	Carmel City Court Judge . . . . .	Republican
Ayers . . . . .	Teresa . . . . .		Carmel City Council, District NC . . . . .	Republican
Culver . . . . .	Courtney . . . . .		Carmel City Council, District NC . . . . .	Democrat
Minnaar . . . . .	Shannon . . . . .		Carmel City Council, District NE . . . . .	Republican
Aasen . . . . .	Adam . . . . .		Carmel City Council, District SE . . . . .	Republican
Eltz . . . . .	Jeremy . . . . .		Carmel City Council, District SE . . . . .	Democrat
Locke . . . . .	Ryan . . . . .		Carmel City Council, District NW . . . . .	Republican
Green . . . . .	Anthony (Tony) . . . . .		Carmel City Council, District SC . . . . .	Republican
Irvine . . . . .	Jessica . . . . .		Carmel City Council, District SC . . . . .	Democrat
Joshi . . . . .	Anita . . . . .		Carmel City Council, District W. . . . .	Democrat
Matthes . . . . .	Loren . . . . .		Carmel City Council, District W. . . . .	Republican
Draper . . . . .	Sara . . . . .		Carmel City Council, At Large . . . . .	Democrat
Madore . . . . .	Jake . . . . .		Carmel City Council, At Large . . . . .	Democrat
Snyder . . . . .	Matthew . . . . .	J. . . . .	Carmel City Council, At Large . . . . .	Republican
Taylor . . . . .	Rich . . . . .		Carmel City Council, At Large . . . . .	Republican
Worrell . . . . .	Jeff . . . . .		Carmel City Council, At Large . . . . .	Republican
Fadness . . . . .	Scott . . . . .		Fishers Mayor . . . . .	Republican
Kehl . . . . .	Jennifer . . . . .	L. . . . .	Fishers City Clerk . . . . .	Republican
Pritchett . . . . .	Janet . . . . .		Fishers City Clerk . . . . .	Democrat
Henke . . . . .	Daniel . . . . .	E. . . . .	Fishers City Court Judge . . . . .	Republican
Peterson . . . . .	Pete . . . . .		Fishers City Council, District SE . . . . .	Republican
McLellan . . . . .	Bill . . . . .		Fishers City Council, District NW . . . . .	Democrat
Stoller . . . . .	Selina . . . . .		Fishers City Council, District NW . . . . .	Republican
DeLucia . . . . .	John . . . . .	P. . . . .	Fishers City Council, District NC . . . . .	Republican
Neumann . . . . .	Crystal . . . . .		Fishers City Council, District NC . . . . .	Democrat
Skeeters . . . . .	Lane . . . . .		Fishers City Council, District SC . . . . .	Democrat
Weingardt . . . . .	John . . . . .	W. . . . .	Fishers City Council, District SC . . . . .	Republican
Giffel . . . . .	David . . . . .		Fishers City Council, District SW . . . . .	Republican
Stuart . . . . .	Bill . . . . .		Fishers City Council, District SW . . . . .	Democrat
Chapman . . . . .	Samantha . . . . .	R. . . . .	Fishers City Council, District NE . . . . .	Democrat
DeReamer . . . . .	Brad . . . . .		Fishers City Council, District NE . . . . .	Republican
Coble . . . . .	Cecilia . . . . .		Fishers City Council, At Large . . . . .	Republican
Ditlevson . . . . .	Tiffanie . . . . .		Fishers City Council, At Large . . . . .	Republican
Stevenson . . . . .	Howard . . . . .		Fishers City Council, At Large . . . . .	Democrat
Vare . . . . .	Jocelyn . . . . .		Fishers City Council, At Large . . . . .	Democrat
Zimmerman . . . . .	Todd . . . . .		Fishers City Council, At Large . . . . .	Republican
Jensen . . . . .	Chris . . . . .		Noblesville Mayor . . . . .	Republican
Lees . . . . .	Evelyn . . . . .	L. . . . .	Noblesville City Clerk . . . . .	Republican
Cook . . . . .	Matt . . . . .		Noblesville City Court Judge . . . . .	Republican
Davis . . . . .	Mike . . . . .		Noblesville Common Council, District 1 . . . . .	Republican
Thurston . . . . .	Todd . . . . .		Noblesville Common Council, District 2 . . . . .	Republican
Smith . . . . .	Aaron . . . . .		Noblesville Common Council, District 3 . . . . .	Republican
Boice . . . . .	Mark . . . . .	W. . . . .	Noblesville Common Council, District 4 . . . . .	Republican
Johnson . . . . .	Dave . . . . .		Noblesville Common Council, District 5 . . . . .	Republican
Wiles . . . . .	Megan . . . . .	G. . . . .	Noblesville Common Council, District 6 . . . . .	Republican
Elliott . . . . .	Evan . . . . .		Noblesville Common Council, At Large . . . . .	Republican
Gilliam . . . . .	Paula . . . . .	Jo. . . . .	Noblesville Common Council, At Large . . . . .	Democrat
Peterson . . . . .	Darren . . . . .		Noblesville Common Council, At Large . . . . .	Republican
Schwartz . . . . .	Pete . . . . .		Noblesville Common Council, At Large . . . . .	Republican
Willis . . . . .	Scott . . . . .		Westfield Mayor . . . . .	Republican
Ailor . . . . .	Marla . . . . .		Westfield City Clerk-Treasurer . . . . .	Republican
Dartt . . . . .	Jon . . . . .		Westfield City Council, District 1 . . . . .	Republican
McCarty . . . . .	Victor . . . . .		Westfield City Council, District 2 . . . . .	Republican
Duepner . . . . .	Joe . . . . .		Westfield City Council, District 3 . . . . .	Republican
Lowry . . . . .	Alexis . . . . .		Westfield City Council, District 4 . . . . .	Democrat
Tamm . . . . .	Patrick . . . . .	T. . . . .	Westfield City Council, District 4 . . . . .	Republican
Herron . . . . .	Noah . . . . .		Westfield City Council, District 5 . . . . .	Republican
Huff . . . . .	Chad . . . . .		Westfield City Council, At Large . . . . .	Republican
Lane . . . . .	Gary . . . . .		Westfield City Council, At Large . . . . .	Democrat
Wanninger . . . . .	Kurt . . . . .	J. . . . .	Westfield City Council, At Large . . . . .	Republican
Pickett . . . . .	Jennifer . . . . .	S. . . . .	Arcadia Town Clerk-Treasurer . . . . .	Republican
Versprille . . . . .	Rich . . . . .		Arcadia Town Council, District 1 . . . . .	Republican
Farley . . . . .	Jennifer . . . . .		Atlanta Town Clerk-Treasurer . . . . .	Republican
Johnson . . . . .	Timothy . . . . .		Atlanta Town Council, District 2 . . . . .	Republican
Price . . . . .	Jody . . . . .		Atlanta Town Council, District 2 . . . . .	Democrat
VanHook . . . . .	Pam . . . . .		Atlanta Town Council, District 3 . . . . .	Republican
Gary . . . . .	Rhonda . . . . .		Cicero Town Clerk-Treasurer . . . . .	Republican
Johnson . . . . .	Dennis . . . . .	D. . . . .	Cicero Town Council, District 1 . . . . .	Republican
Pearson . . . . .	Emily . . . . .	K. . . . .	Cicero Town Council, District 2 . . . . .	Republican
Lutz . . . . .	Christopher . . . . .	J. . . . .	Cicero Town Council, District 3 . . . . .	Republican
Walden . . . . .	Elizabeth (Liz) . . . . .	A. . . . .	Sheridan Town Clerk-Treasurer . . . . .	Republican
Kinkead . . . . .	David . . . . .	W. . . . .	Sheridan Town Council, District 1 . . . . .	Republican
DeVaney III . . . . .	Silas . . . . .		Sheridan Town Council, District 2 . . . . .	Republican
PUBLIC QUESTIONS TO BE SUBMITTED TO VOTERS				
The text of public questions submitted to voters, if applicable, are as follows:				
<b>Carmel Clay Schools</b> Shall Carmel Clay Schools continue to impose increased property taxes paid to the school corporation by homeowners and businesses for eight (8) years immediately following the holding of the referendum for the purpose of retaining and attracting teachers, educational staff, and other support staff and fund educationally related programs at the current maximum referendum tax rate of \$0.19 per one hundred dollars (\$100) of assessed valuation? The property tax increase requested in this referendum was originally approved by the voters in 2017 and if extended will increase the average property tax paid to the school corporation per year on a residence within the school corporation by 28.3% and if extended will increase the average property tax paid to the school corporation per year on a business property within the school corporation by 28.3%.				
<b>Hamilton Southeastern Schools</b> Shall Hamilton Southeastern Schools continue to impose increased property taxes paid to the school corporation by homeowners and businesses for eight (8) years immediately following the holding of the referendum for the purpose of funding academic and educationally related programs, maintaining class sizes, retaining and attracting of teachers, essential safety initiatives, and changing the previously approved maximum referendum tax rate from \$0.2275 to \$0.1995? The property tax increase requested in this referendum was originally approved by the voters in May, 2016 and if extended will increase the average property tax paid to the school corporation per year on a residence within the school corporation by 20.8% and if extended will increase the average property tax paid to the school corporation per year on a business property within the school corporation by 20.8%.				
<b>Sheridan Community Schools</b> Shall Sheridan Community Schools continue to impose increased property taxes paid to the school corporation by homeowners and businesses for eight (8) years immediately following the holding of the referendum for the purpose of funding the retention and attraction of teachers and staff, academic related programs and operational expenses at the current maximum referendum tax rate of \$0.25? The property tax increase requested in this referendum was originally approved by the voters in 2017 and if extended will increase the average property tax paid to the school corporation per year on a residence within the school corporation by 23.05% and if extended will increase the average property tax paid to the school corporation per year on a business property within the school corporation by 23.05%.				
IN-PERSON ABSENTEE OR “EARLY” VOTING INFORMATION				
The dates, times and locations of in-person voting at the circuit court clerk’s office and, if applicable, at satellite offices are as follows:				
Location Address		Location Hours		
COOL CREEK NATURE CENTER 2000-1 E 151ST ST CARMEL, IN 46033		Open Wednesday 10/25/2023 until Thursday 10/26/2023 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 10/27/2023 until Saturday 10/28/2023 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM Open Wednesday 11/01/2023 until Thursday 11/02/2023 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 11/03/2023 until Saturday 11/04/2023 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM		
JILL PERELMAN PAVILION 3000 W 116TH ST CARMEL, IN 46032		Open Wednesday 10/25/2023 until Thursday 10/26/2023 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 10/27/2023 until Saturday 10/28/2023 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM Open Wednesday 11/01/2023 until Thursday 11/02/2023 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 11/03/2023 until Saturday 11/04/2023 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM		
WILFONG PAVILION AT FOUNDERS PARK 11675 HAZEL DELL PKWY CARMEL, IN 46033		Open Wednesday 10/25/2023 until Thursday 10/26/2023 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 10/27/2023 until Saturday 10/28/2023 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM Open Wednesday 11/01/2023 until Thursday 11/02/2023 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 11/03/2023 until Saturday 11/04/2023 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM		
BILLERICAY PARK BUILDING 12690 PROMISE RD FISHERS, IN 46038		Open Wednesday 10/25/2023 until Thursday 10/26/2023 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 10/27/2023 until Saturday 10/28/2023 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM Open Wednesday 11/01/2023 until Thursday 11/02/2023 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 11/03/2023 until Saturday 11/04/2023 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM		
ROY G HOLLAND MEMORIAL PARK BUILDING 1 PARK DRIVE FISHERS, IN 46038		Open Wednesday 10/25/2023 until Thursday 10/26/2023 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 10/27/2023 until Saturday 10/28/2023 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM Open Wednesday 11/01/2023 until Thursday 11/02/2023 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 11/03/2023 until Saturday 11/04/2023 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM		
HAMILTON COUNTY ELECTION OFFICE ONE HAMILTON COUNTY SQUARE NOBLESVILLE, IN 460602233		Open Wednesday 10/11/2023 until Friday 10/13/2023 from 8:00AM to 4:30PM Open Monday 10/16/2023 until Friday 10/20/2023 from 8:00AM to 4:30PM Open Monday 10/23/2023 until Friday 10/27/2023 from 8:00AM to 4:30PM Open Saturday 10/28/2023 until Saturday 10/28/2023 from 9:00AM to 4:00PM Open Monday 10/30/2023 until Friday 11/03/2023 from 8:00AM to 4:30PM Open Saturday 11/04/2023 until Saturday 11/04/2023 from 9:00AM to 4:00PM Open Monday 11/06/2023 until Monday 11/06/2023 from 8:00AM to 12:00PM		
HAMILTON COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS 2003 PLEASANT STREET NOBLESVILLE, IN 46060		Open Wednesday 10/11/2023 until Friday 10/13/2023 from 9:00AM to 4:00PM Open Monday 10/16/2023 until Friday 10/20/2023 from 9:00AM to 4:00PM Open Monday 10/23/2023 until Saturday 10/28/2023 from 9:00AM to 4:00PM Open Monday 10/30/2023 until Saturday 11/04/2023 from 9:00AM to 4:00PM		
WESTFIELD CITY HALL 130 E PENN ST WESTFIELD, IN 46074		Open Wednesday 10/25/2023 until Thursday 10/26/2023 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 10/27/2023 until Saturday 10/28/2023 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM Open Wednesday 11/01/2023 until Thursday 11/02/2023 from 2:00PM to 7:00PM Open Friday 11/03/2023 until Saturday 11/04/2023 from 10:00AM to 3:00PM		
DATED, THIS 29th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2023. Kathy Kreag Williams, Circuit Court Clerk				
Precincts Not Voting				
The following precincts will not be voting in the 2023 Municipal Election: Jackson 01 Jackson 02 Jackson 04 Jackson 05 Jackson 06 Jackson 07 Jackson 08 Noblesville 15 Noblesville 19 There are other precincts in which the precincts consist of both city/town voters and voters in unincorporated areas. Some voters in the unincorporated areas will also not be voting in the Municipal Election. However, there are precincts that have unincorporated voters who will be voting only on a referendum question. These precincts are those voters in the Sheridan and HSE School Corporation Districts. Please look up your information on <a href="http://www.indianavoters.com">www.indianavoters.com</a> or call the Elections Office at 317-776-8476 if you are unsure if you are eligible to vote in the 2023 Municipal Election.				