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TODAY'S WEATHER

Today: Mostly sunny.
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(Left) The home repair team led by Lamar Ziegler, as well as Serve Noblesville President Michelle Schmidt, Serve Noblesville Executive Director Patrick Propst, and homeowner, Jenny. (Right, from left) Sheridan Youth Assistance Program Advocate Lisa Samuels, homeowner Carrie Sutton, President/Owner of Temperature Services Mike White, homeowner Joe Sutton and granddaughter, and Serve Noblesville President Michelle Schmidt.

Serve Noblesville & Temperature Service join forces to bring warmth & comfort to local family

Submitted

Serve Noblesville and Temperature Service have announced a heartwarming partnership that has warmed the hearts of a local family. This collaboration showcases the power of community and the kindness that flourishes when individuals and businesses come together to make a difference in the lives of those in need.

Temperature Service, a trusted HVAC company known for its commitment to excellence, recently reached out to Serve Noblesville with a generous offer: a donation and installation of a gas furnace for a family in need within Hamilton County.

“Acknowledging the shared responsibility we have for our community, the team at Temperature Service was happy to provide a furnace and its installation to a local family in need,” Owner and President of Temperature Services Michael White said. “It’s a simple gesture in the grand scheme of things, but it’s our way of contributing to the warmth and well-being of our neighbors. We are in this together, and it’s essential that we look out for one another.”


Recognizing the significant impact this act of kindness could have, Serve Noblesville eagerly accepted the offer. Serve Noblesville is an asset-based organization dedicated to serving the local community by identifying opportunities and mobilizing resources to match them.

To identify a deserving family, Serve Noblesville

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All souls go to Heaven

COLUMNIST



MEGAN RATHZ
When Nature Speaks

This is my 14th year teaching fourth grade. My students present an All Saints’ Day Celebration of the Saints where the children choose a saint to research, write a report on them, and on All Saints’ Day, which is on Nov. 1, the students dress up as their saint for the student body. They share how their saint spread the light of Jesus. It is a cute tradition that for many families has become a rite of passage.

While I love the longstanding tradition of All Saints’ Day, I particularly love the day after, All Souls Day. In Mexican culture, this day is often referred to as The Day of the Dead. While the day of celebration may vary, in the Catholic Church, this day is celebrated on Nov. 2. In my faith, it is believed that when someone dies, their soul still lives. This is a day to celebrate the faithfully departed.

The month of November is a time to particularly focus on those we love who have died. This day is one of comfort for me because it makes me appreciate that even though someone we love may have passed away, they are not forgotten, and it’s a special time to come together and purposely pray for their soul. It is a day that makes me think of my dad and of other people that have passed. Even though their physical body is not here, their spirit and soul lives on and that is something to be celebrated and thankful for.

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Kiwanis Club of Cicero learns about alternative approach for at-risk students

The REPORTER

The Kiwanis Club of Cicero recently welcomed one of its own to speak to the club, Dr. Derek Arrowood, Superintendent of the Hamilton Heights School District.

Dr. Arrowood spoke about the Northern Hamilton County Academy, a collaboration between Sheridan Community Schools, Hamilton Heights School Corporation, and Westfield Washington Schools. The Academy, which is located in Sheridan, provides an opportunity for students who struggle in the traditional educational system.

“These at-risk students, who face challenges like academic difficulties, behavioral issues or lack of support, often require an alternative approach to help them thrive,” Dr. Arrowood said. “That’s where the Northern Hamilton County Academy comes in, offering a supportive and tailored environment that fosters growth and success for students who don’t fit the traditional mold.”

For the idea to become reality, it took a herculean effort between the State, Hamilton County, and the school districts.


“We were building this aircraft while it was taking off,” Arrowood said. “What normally takes a year to plan and develop, came together in a matter of months thanks to State and local leaders like County Councilman Steve Nation and County Commissioner Mark Heirbrandt.”

The Northern Hamilton County Academy offers a more flexible curriculum that caters to the diverse needs of at-risk students, customizing their programs to address specific academic requirements while incorporating life skills development and hands-on learning opportunities.

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County’s ‘adopted daughter’ Georgianne Neal has passed away

COLUMNIST



FRED SWIFT
The County Line

Georgianne Davis Neal, 92, passed away Friday morning at her home. The widow of former *Noblesville Ledger* owner James T. Neal, Georgianne was an adopted daughter of Hamilton County. She was born in Indianapolis where she attended school until going to Radcliffe College. Following graduation, she joined the staff of the *Indianapolis News*.

An intelligent, generous, and witty lady, she and Jim Neal were married in the mid-1950s and made their home in Hamilton County until Jim’s retirement in 1986. After several years in Florida, they returned to the Indianapolis area. Their daughters Dede and Andrea, and three grandchildren survive.

Georgianne was involved in numerous community activities and was an avid collector of American Indian art and artifacts. She volunteered at Conner Prairie Pioneer Settlement and served in the Republican Party precinct organization. A major project of Georgianne’s was assembling a collection of Indiana’s pioneer and American Indian portraits, maps, and drawings, which she displayed for the public at the *Ledger* Building.

Services on Nov. 4 at Meridian Street Methodist Church, Indianapolis, will be at 1 p.m. with calling an hour before the service, and also an hour after the service at the church. Burial will be in Noblesville’s Crownland Cemetery.

Columnist Fred Swift has worked in newspapers for decades. He has been sharing his opinions in the pages of *The Reporter* since it began. Email him at swiftfred19@gmail.com.

Noblesville Mayor Chris Jensen delivers his fourth ‘State of the City’ address

The REPORTER
Editor’s note: Our Friends at HCTV recorded this year’s State of the City address, and it is available at [HCTV1.com](https://www.hctv1.com) or directly at [this link](#).

Noblesville Mayor Chris Jensen delivered his annual “State of the City” address to over 600 guests at the Noblesville Chamber of Commerce luncheon this afternoon at the Embassy Suites Conference Center in Noblesville.

Noblesville Common Council President Aaron Smith introduced Mayor Jensen.

In his address, Jensen reflected on the successes of his first four years in office and championed what is ahead for Noblesville, including major infrastructure projects, downtown preservation, and quality-of-life investments for the city.

Mayor Jensen noted the development of a new dashboard which summarizes the status of current projects, which is available at [cityofnoblesville.org/development](https://www.cityofnoblesville.org/development).

After his speech, Mayor Jensen welcomed Pacers Sports & Entertainment CEO Rick Fuson for a “fireside” chat to discuss the new home of the Indiana Pacers G League franchise at Innovation Mile.

Key highlights from the speech include:

- An enhanced emphasis on public safety, which accounted for 50.1 percent of the recently approved 2024 operational funds budget, including the expansion of the NobleAct Program and the hiring of new sworn officers, firefighters, and a third therapy K9.
- The City of Noblesville and Pacers Sports & Entertainment will break ground on the Noblesville Event Center in November. This arena will be the future home of the Indiana Pacers G League franchise, as well as hosting community

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ALL SOULS

The idea of making sure that someone’s spirit still lives on is so important to me. My children will not have the opportunity to meet my dad, but I know that the way that I speak about him will lend itself to the way my children feel like they knew the man he was. I know this firsthand from the way my mom always spoke about her Mema.

My mom always told me about her grandmother and how she always made her feel so special. She told me that she never realized her Mema was poor when my mom was a child because of how much trouble she went to and how special she made everything. Each kid in their family had a drawer of a dresser that her Mema would place special things in for them and when they’d come and stay for the weekend, my mom would

always have something in her drawer. It wasn’t anything of any great expense, but it was the fact that her Mema specifically chose it with her in mind and remembered her.

My mom recently came across an old platter that belonged to her Mema and family heirloom wine glasses. I absolutely loved them; not just because they were beautiful, but because it belonged to my great-grandmother, a woman that I grew up hearing so much about.

My mom also gave me the mahogany dressers that belonged to her Mema and Pap (that’s what she called her grandfather). Pap was also someone whom I never met, but I grew up hearing how my mom used to sit on his lap and drive around the front yard in his car and how he always chewed his gum

with his front teeth. I know that my uncle still wears his wedding ring.

I placed a jewelry box given to me by my Papa when I was a little girl on top of the same dressers that once belonged to his folks. My husband and I shared a bottle of wine and drank out of the heirloom wine glasses and made a charcuterie board with Mema’s platter. The dresser sits in our master bedroom, and I can’t help but think about the memories and periods of time that the dresser has seen over the years.

Regardless of your faith background, All Souls’ Day and the month of November invite all of us to remember the people that are no longer here physically but are here in everything we do. Nature provides us with the season of fall. Fall is representative of death and things passing on,



Photos provided by Megan Rathz

(Left) Mema Hudson’s platter being used as a charcuterie board and heirloom wine glasses. (Right) Mema and Pap’s old mahogany dresser that is being used in my home. On top sits a jewelry box given to me by my Papa, their son.

but it is also a reminder of the life that exists beyond death. This season and each day are giving us the opportunity to share with others about those

whom we love that have transitioned to Heaven. And for that, in this season of gratitude and remembrance, I am very thankful.

Megan Rathz is a wife, mother, and teacher. She says everything she has ever learned in life came from her Master Gardener mother.

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collaborated with the Hamilton County Youth Assistance Program, a non-profit organization that has been supporting families and children in Hamilton County since 2009.

Working together, these three parties – Temperature Service, Serve Noblesville, and Sheridan Youth Assistance Program (SYAP) – coordinated the installation of the donated gas furnace. This collaboration not only ensured a warm and comfortable winter for the identified family but also exemplified the strength of unity within the community.

“I was excited to find this rare opportunity for this Sheridan family,” SYAP Program Advocate Lisa Samuels said. “Carrie is so willing to give her time weekly to volunteer with the SYAP clothing and fur-

niture pantry. I know they look forward to a comfortable winter season thanks to Serve Noblesville and Temperature Service for making it happen.”

However, Serve Noblesville’s commitment did not end there. Recognizing the importance of a complete HVAC system for the family’s well-being, Serve Noblesville rallied community support and sponsorships to secure a brand-new air conditioner for the family.

Additionally, another opportunity was revealed where Serve Noblesville was able to assist a second family in Westfield that needed some siding installed and additional home repair completed. Serve Noblesville reached out to a dedicated team of volunteers who gladly took on the home repair projects. The

generosity and dedication displayed by Serve Noblesville and its partners have truly made a lasting difference in the lives of those they serve.

“I was coming home from work the other day and saw the entire team working on my house,” said Jenny, a mother and homeowner in Westfield. “At that moment, I was just so overwhelmed with gratitude and simply had no words. I felt so much love for my daughter and me in that moment. I truly don’t have the right words or actions to express my gratitude because I’m so very thankful for all they have done. I’ve been a single mom now for six years and have felt so defeated with the situation with my home that I was even at the point of trying to seek something cheaper for us as I couldn’t

make these repairs on my own. It was all overwhelming. Thank you so much to Serve Noblesville and Westfield Youth Assistance, my daughter and I finally have a home that’s functional and beautiful too!”

You can make a difference, too!

Six Points Church among others in the county also stepped in, offering their financial support to help make the air conditioning installation happen. Serve Noblesville, Temperature Service, and Sheridan and Westfield Youth Assistance Programs express their gratitude to the local community for their continuous support and remind everyone that together, we can create a warmer, more comfortable, and compassionate community for all.

The initial estimated

costs for replacement and correcting previously overlooked work is \$10,000. Serve Noblesville invites the community to join this noble cause and make a positive impact on the lives of local families. Your contribution, no matter the size, can help make a difference.

To support Serve Noblesville’s ongoing initiatives and future endeavors, please visit servenoblesville.com/donate or mail them to Serve Noblesville, 1900 Pleasant St. #834, Noblesville, IN 46061.

About Serve Noblesville

Serve Noblesville is a non-profit organization committed to serving and uplifting through its assets in Hamilton County. Through various initiatives and partnerships, Serve Noblesville strives to make the community a better place

for everyone.

About Temperature Service

With over 30 years in the industry, Temperature Service is a local family-owned HVAC company dedicated to providing homeowners and businesses with exceptional heating, cooling and refrigeration services. Temperature Service serves Indianapolis and surrounding areas with a commitment to customer satisfaction and community involvement.

About Hamilton County Youth Assistance Program

Hamilton County Youth Assistance serves as an early intervention advocate for youth who are facing challenging life circumstances. The organization takes a holistic approach to coordinate the community’s vast array of talents, services, and resources to help youth and empower parents and caregivers.

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events, conferences, entertainment, and sporting events.

• Reimagine Pleasant Street celebrates one year after breaking ground, showing significant progress with the opening of the new roundabouts along Eighth Street – on budget and ahead of schedule.

Downtown, culture & recreation

The city is proactively investing in mixed-use developments that integrate housing, retail, and quality-of-life enhancements for residents.

With projects like East Bank, Village at Federal Hill, Nexus Apartments, and Lofts on Tenth, residents of these communities will enjoy convenient access to scenic trails and retail options while enjoying the advantages of residing near diverse cultural and recreational attractions, including the Bridge of Flowers. This unique transformation of the Logan Street Pedestrian Bridge provides direct access to downtown shopping and dining.

Noblesville is also home to the Ruoff Music Center, which generated \$2.6 million in tax revenue and over \$40 million in overall annual economic impact, including the creation of 1,500 seasonal jobs, in 2023.

Reimagine Pleasant Street

The Reimagine Pleasant Street project is a multi-year initiative to improve east-west connectivity and accessibility for the community. The project, a partnership between the City of Noblesville and Hamilton County will provide Noblesville residents, local businesses, and key stakeholders with many improvements that will enhance mobility and public safety while also honoring the urban character and historic features of the project area.

Approaching the one-year anniversary since breaking ground, Reimagine Pleasant Street has shown significant progress for



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phase one, including setting the beams for the 645-foot-long bridge over the White River and paving the new roundabouts along Eighth Street. The roundabouts are set to open ahead of schedule in early November.

“This project is a game-changer for Noblesville, and my administration has been committed to engaging the community and meeting our current and future needs from the beginning,” Jensen said. “I’m happy to say this long-awaited project is within budget and on schedule, and I want to thank everyone involved for their work to continue advancing this forward.”

Investment in public safety

Public safety is the number one priority for Jensen’s administration. The Noble-Act Program is a mental health crisis and substance abuse response program that utilizes mental health police officers, community paramedics, therapy K9s, and mental health clinicians to provide linkage to community services and divert those in crisis away from the criminal justice system. The program adds a third therapy K9 and an in-house licensed clinical social worker.

Innovation Mile encompasses close to 600

acres and fronts Interstate 69. It is a work, live, play, engage, and learn campus designed to drive sustainable economic growth in Noblesville. In September, Innovation Mile broke ground on the Indiana Joint Replacement Institute, a \$28 million, 40,000 square-foot surgery center facility and medical office building dedicated to hip and knee replacements.

On Nov. 6, Noblesville will partner with Pacers Sports & Entertainment to break ground on the Noblesville Event Center. The 3,400-seat, 120,000 square-foot arena will be the home to the Indiana Pacers G League franchise, the second most prominent men’s basketball league in the world. The venue will also host community events, conferences, entertainment, and other sporting events.

“Innovation Mile will become a dynamic business and technology hub that will serve as an anchor for revolutionary thinking and a gateway for innovation, leveraging and catalyzing long-term growth opportunities and reinvestment in the City of Noblesville,” Jensen said. “We have great partners in BorgWarner, Indiana Joint Replacement Institute, and Pacers Sports & Entertainment, and I look

forward to bringing more companies to our city as this campus will be at the forefront of our city’s future.”

The Noblesville Economic Development Department continues to bring industries to Noblesville in life science innovation, health technology, advanced manufacturing, wholesale trade, and professional, technical & financial services to meet the demand for a highly skilled workforce.

Other highlights of Jensen’s State of the City speech include:

- The Indiana Community Cares grant program will enable communities to invest in proactive and sustainable community paramedicine initiatives designed to assist and rehabilitate at-risk Hoosiers while reducing public safety expenses. The goal is to incentivize municipalities to invest in community paramedicine programs that will improve wellbeing outcomes and ultimately be a cost-saving measure for our state.
- The Promenade, a partnership with Justus Companies, will help transform the western gateway of Noblesville. Currently under construction, the development will be home to the Meijer grocery store as well as Promenade Trails, which will feature cottages and a



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Reporter photo by Hayden Parsons

A sign language interpreter was on hand as well.

55 and older community.

• Midland Pointe is a master plan development featuring residential, retail, restaurants, and direct access to the Midland Trace Trail. This project is part of the city’s overall effort to enhance its western gateway and tie quality of place to economic and workforce growth.

• One of the key pillars of Mayor Jensen’s administration is to protect and enhance the historic downtown. The city and JC Hart will open East Bank in mid-2024. Located on the east bank of the White River, this development will bring new rental and retail units to in-

vigorate the downtown and activate prime real estate along the White River.

• Federal Hill is experiencing significant improvements and growth with the addition of Federal Hill Apartments, adding more residential units near downtown Noblesville. This development, a partnership with Old Town Companies, will feature Bocado, a new Mexican restaurant, as well as Indie Coffee Roasters. It will increase public parking with the addition of the Federal Hill Parking Garage, almost doubling the public parking spaces available around the park.

KIWANIS

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There are currently eight students who attend the Academy the (maximum number of students is 30), and the three seniors who are currently

students are all on track to graduate this year.

“It takes academic professionals who truly care about providing every student the opportunity

to regain control of their educational journey, activate their strengths and develop the skills necessary to thrive personally and professionally,”

Kiwanis Club of Cicero President Todd Clevenger said. “Hamilton County is lucky to have school administrators who truly want each and every one

of their students to success and the Northern Hamilton County Academy is just one more example of how truly committed these educators are to

making sure every student receives the attention and support they need to overcome academic challenges and unlock their full potential.”

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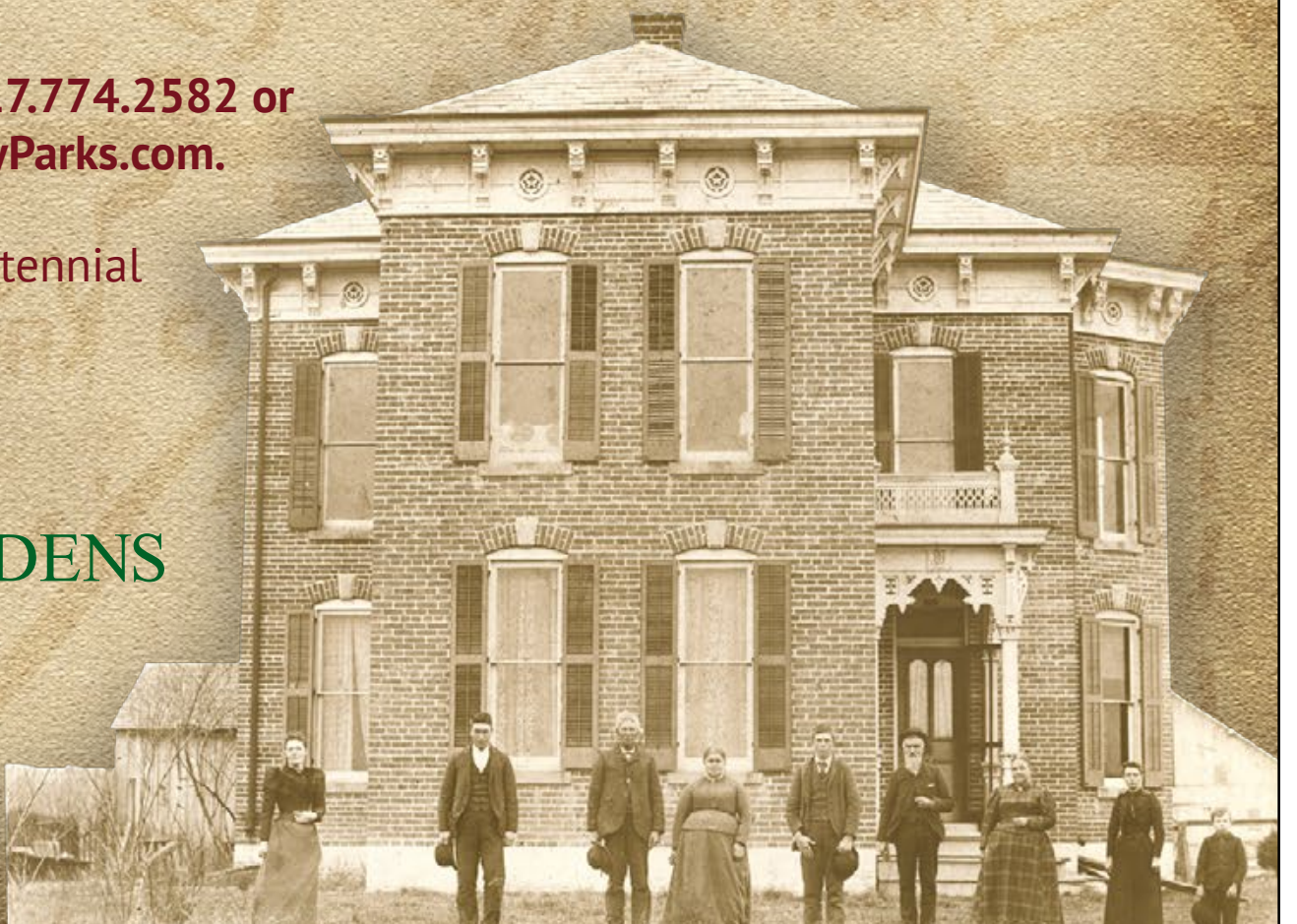
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A complete list of bicentennial events can be found at HamCoTurns200.com.

COXHALL GARDENS



Fishers goes bananas for Halloween



The Fishers High School cheerleaders showed up in a variety of costumes for the girls varsity basketball game on Halloween. They were kind enough to pose for this picture taken by Sports Editor Richie Hall, who dressed up as a sports editor for a newspaper this year. Did the Lady Tigers get tricked or treated? You'll have to read today's Sports Section to find out!

Reporter photo by Richie Hall

Spotlight on Art benefits three local groups who serve county's children

When asked by Esther Lakes to serve as Honorary Chair of Spotlight on Art, which takes place on Thursday, Nov. 9 at Hotel Carmichael, I immediately said yes!

I know Esther is dedicated to the care of the children in our community and her belief in the importance of each child. Spotlight on Art has been her vision and dream for several years. This event is a reality because of her hard work with a devoted committee of community supporters.

The purpose of this event is to better serve families and care for our children so that they can reach their potential. This event raises funds through the sale of art to support organizations that care for our children. Ideally, we would like it if our children were never harmed or placed in painful situations. As much as we try, sometimes these situations, including life's challenges and obstacles, do occur. We want our children to be known for how they overcame their situations and not be defined or limited by them.

We may never know how our efforts to help our children today will affect children not yet born. As a Judge my hope has al-

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ways been that each child develops a spirit of self-reliance and understanding of their individual purpose. We must help instill in them the personal belief that if they work hard and never give up, they can accomplish anything.

This is why supporting this event which benefits Prevail, Boys & Girls Club of Noblesville, and Children's TherAplay is crucial. These organizations have proven their commitment and ability to provide our children and their families with the tools to overcome difficult situations. They work nonstop until each child has the possibility of reaching their highest potential. Therefore, we must join to support this event, as a caring community, that is watchful of our children.

I have always believed in the greatness and ingenuity of the people of Hamilton County. We have come together to provide answers for the needs of our citizens and to set a better course. Consider joining us at Spotlight on Art benefiting children.

The Honorable Steven R. Nation is a former Hamilton County Superior Court Judge and currently serves on the County Council.

Westfield named fourth-best small city in America

The REPORTER

Westfield has received national acclaim, securing the "4th Best Small City in America" title from **Business Insider** and **WalletHub**.

This dual recognition celebrates Westfield's robust local economy, dedication to safety, top-notch schools,

and a strong sense of community, as well as symbolizing what's possible when a community commits to quality of life and progress.

Westfield continues to be an exemplary model of a small city, offering an exceptional lifestyle to its residents and setting the bar for similar communities nationwide.



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- 10. She has been a Carmel Elementary, Middle, and High School parent. ✓
- 9. She has a master's degree in Organizational Leadership. ✓
- 8. She fosters collaboration and will bring balance to Carmel's City Council. ✓
- 7. She proudly supports our public schools and publicly denounced Moms for Liberty. ✓
- 6. She has lived in this district as a renter, townhome owner and new home builder for over a decade. ✓
- 5. She has been a leader in the nonprofit, education and financial sectors. ✓
- 4. She is currently a senior leader at a global technology company. ✓
- 3. She has knocked on over 2,500 doors (and counting) - connecting with voters. ✓
- 2. She has extensive experience leading global teams, multi-year projects and large budgets. ✓
- 1. She is a qualified, passionate and committed voice for the citizens of the North Central District. ✓

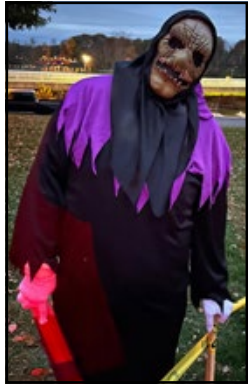


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The Haunting of Red Bridge Park

The Town of Cicero welcomed fear lovers from all over last weekend for the fourth annual Haunted Trail at Red Bridge Park. Featuring kid-friendly hours first, then truly frightening hours after dark, there was something for everyone. If you were too terrified to tempt it, have less fear! We sent someone to scream in terror on your behalf. Behold the Haunting of Red Bridge Park (not to be confused with “The Haunting of Hill House” ... although the park is on a hill and there were ghosts involved). (Reporter photos by Nik Roberts)





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(Top left) Near empty shelves at the Trustee's Office. (Top right) Lions loading the truck included Joe Arrowood, Ed Shea, Gary Hipes, Jen Carr, and Unger. (Above) Ed Shea (NLC), Joe Arrowood (NLC), Jen Carr (NLC), Dale Unger (NLC), Theresa Caldwell (Trustee), Joe Gorzalski, and Gary Hipes (NLC). Notice in the background, the shelves are again full.

Noblesville Lions Club refills Township Trustee's food pantry

The REPORTER

On Thursday, Oct. 26, the Noblesville Lions Club (NLC) purchased and delivered \$3,000 worth of food to refill the Noblesville Township Trustee food pan-

try. The Trustee's Office has been short of food lately and unable to help those they serve. An additional \$2,000 was donated to the Trustee's Office for walk-in needy that require help other than food.

This donation was made in the remembrance of Irv Heath, who was a many-year supporter of the Boys and Girls Club of Noblesville, as well as a member of the Noblesville

Lions Club. Upon his death, a donation was made in his name to support the many causes of the Noblesville Lions Club. A portion of this donation was used as one of those causes.

Hamilton County Historical Society will hold annual meeting on Dec. 2

The REPORTER

The Hamilton County Historical Society, based out of the Sheriff's Residence and Jail Museum on the square in Noblesville, invites its members and the public to the annual meeting and dessert reception.

The meeting will take place at 2 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 2 at Preservation Hall 1274 Logan St., Noblesville.

After a short business meeting and board election, a program will be given by County Historian David Heighway on a recently re-discovered classical composer from Carmel, Frederick Hunt. Hunt and his wife, Nan, led interesting lives with lots of quirks and historical mysteries, so join the Historical Society for the journey, along with clips of

his music.

If you are interested in getting more involved with history in Hamilton County, this is the place to be. The Historical Society is always looking for more members and folks interested in leadership opportunities.

Historical Society members are invited to the meeting for \$5 per person, and members of the public at \$7 per person, paid at the door. If an attendee wants to become a member, special prices will be available at the meeting, paying in cash or check, as well as PayPal.

The dessert reception will include cake, ice cream, and beverages. RSVP to Board Secretary Sandy Lynch at voosiers@gmail.com or at (317) 374-2625 by Wednesday, Nov. 29.



Franciscan Health offers \$49 scans for National Lung Screening Day

The REPORTER

Franciscan Health is offering \$49 self-pay lung scans on Saturday, Nov. 11 in honor of National Lung Screening Day.

According to the American Cancer Society, more patients die from lung cancer annually than breast cancer, colon cancer, and prostate cancer combined. However, when diagnosed in the earliest stages, the five-year survival rate for lung cancer is 92 percent, making screenings a key tool in survival.


Lung scans are simple, non-invasive computer tomography (CT) screenings

that use a minimal amount of radiation.

To qualify for a lung scan, patients must be over the age of 50, have smoked an average of at least one pack of cigarettes per day for 20 years, and have no signs or symptoms of lung cancer.

Scans are available at Franciscan Health in Indianapolis. Hours vary by location and appointments must be made in advance by phone.

Anyone interested in scheduling a scan should call 1-866-600-1919 to see if they qualify and to schedule an appointment.



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New report: United Way & nonprofit grantees provide economic boost to region

The REPORTER

For United Way of Central Indiana and its network of community organizations, impact is routinely

measured by meals served, individuals housed, literacy improved, financial coaching provided and families supported. While these out-

comes define United Way's effect on the community, a new study published today recognizes a secondary effect: United Way's grants

and partnerships with hundreds of nonprofits create a significant boost to the region's economy, collectively contributing more than \$1.5 billion to the region's gross domestic product (GDP) over the last two and a half years.

Prepared by Kelley School of Business's Indiana Business Research Center (IBRC), the "United Way of Central Indiana's Economic Impact" report analyzes the economic impact of 1,775 grants to 387 organizations totaling \$135 million over a three-year period. The report identifies the impact on the region's employment, compensation, and GDP from 2020 to 2023.

Key findings include:

- \$135 million in United Way investments to organizations supported 800 jobs per year in Central Indiana.
- The 800 additional jobs per year are worth \$36 million in annual employee compensation.
- The full impact of United Way's grants to nonprofit organizations contributed an average of \$45.1 million per year to the region's GDP.

Additionally, the IBRC's report summarizes the to-

tal employment impact of 320 tax-exempt nonprofit organizations that received United Way funding.

Key findings include:

- The 320 nonprofits employed 17,270 workers.

- With the "ripple effect" of those jobs, another 5,780 jobs were generated in the community.

- The combined effect of these 320 nonprofits contributed more than \$1.52 billion to Central Indiana's GDP.

"United Way and our partners understand the significant impact investments have on people's lives," United Way President and CEO Fred Payne said. "Now, the results of this new study demonstrate the impact on our local economy."

According to the IBRC, the purpose of this study was to provide a comprehensive and accurate estimate of the economic activity generated by nonprofits receiving funding from United Way. The IBRC used detailed grant



Payne

data provided by United Way and publicly available IRS 990 data on nonprofit organizations to conduct their research.

"Investments matter, and the magnitude of the investments that the United Way makes each year, and the impact those have to help grow the economy of our region, made this an exciting study to pursue," IBRC Director Carol Rogers said. Matt Kinghorn, colleague and author, added that "every dollar invested is getting multiplied across the region."

Payne said that the report highlighted what he had suspected when joining United Way in 2022.

"There are many dimensions of United Way's impact," Payne said, "and now we have a more complete, quantitative picture of our sector's value: We respond to crises, serve people in need, advocate at every government level, create jobs and help fuel the economy of our entire region."

The report is available on [United Way's website](#).

Attorney General Rokita cautions Hoosier parents of child identity theft

The REPORTER

Indiana Attorney General Todd Rokita is warning Hoosiers that child identity theft is on the rise. A total of 1.3 million children have their identities stolen every year. This crime occurs when a hacker steals a

child's personal information and uses it to receive services or benefits.

"Having your identity stolen, as an adult or a child, is devastating financially and mentally,"

AG Rokita said. "Our children do not typically have credit reports, which presents a blank slate for criminals to apply for credit and take out loans in their name. This type of theft can go undetected for years until they apply for a car loan or their first credit card."

Scammers often use children's Social Security number, name and address, or date of birth to apply for services, like health care coverage or nutrition assistance, open a bank or credit card account, apply for a loan, sign up for a utility service, or even rent a place to live.

"The effects of identity fraud are not only a hindrance or an annoyance – they can also destroy the future of children who are navigating into adulthood," AG Rokita said. "As they apply for college loans or apply for a credit card, they can be completely denied due to unprotected data and greedy hackers."

AG Rokita, along with the Federal Trade Commission, offer the following tips to protect your child from identity theft:

Ask questions before giving anyone your child's Social Security number – even if it's the child's school, ask these questions:

- Why do you need it?
- How will you protect it?
- Can you use a different identifier?
- Can you use just the last four digits of the Social Security number?

Protect documents with personal information.

- If you have documents with your child's personal



Rokita

information, like medical bills or their Social Security card, keep them in a safe place, like a locked file cabinet.

- When you decide to get rid of those documents, shred them before you throw them away. If you don't have a shredder, look for a local shred day.

Delete personal information before disposing a computer or cell phone.

- Your computer and phone might contain personal information about your child. Find out how to delete that information before you get rid of a computer or a cell phone.

Security freeze

- As a parent or legal guardian, a security freeze is one tool you can use to restrict certain access to your minor dependent's credit report. Should you request a security freeze be placed on your minor dependent's credit report, a credit report is created for the minor and then frozen.

- Once a security freeze is placed on your child's credit report, it restricts certain access to it, including by fraudsters who may be trying to open a new account using the child's ID.

- Security freezes are free but must be placed separately with all three national credit bureaus (Equifax, Experian, and TransUnion). You'll need to provide copies of documentation that verify your ID; the minor dependent's ID; and your relationship to them.

If your child's identity is hacked, report and close the fraudulent accounts, freeze your child's credit, and contact Attorney General Rokita's staff by visiting [in.gov/attorneygeneral](#) or calling 1-800-382-5516. You also may report suspected cybercriminal scams to the FBI at [ic3.gov](#) or [Identity-Theft.gov](#).

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Photo provided by American Dairy Association Indiana
Jeff Carter of Frankfort, Ind.'s Carter Dairy Farm was among Hoosier dairy industry representatives serving free milkshakes to U.S. veterans and active-duty military personnel during last year's distribution. This year's event takes place from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 10 in front of the Dairy Bar at the Indiana State Fairgrounds.

Indiana's dairy farmers say 'thank you!' to vets & active-duty military with free milkshakes on Nov. 10 at State Fairgrounds

The REPORTER

For the second consecutive year, Indiana's Dairy Farm Families will express their appreciation to area veterans and active-duty military personnel with sweet treats for Veterans' Weekend.

From 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 10, American Dairy Association Indiana (ADAI) – the statewide organization that represents Hoosier dairy farmers – will hand out free 16-ounce chocolate and vanilla milkshakes from the legendary State Fair Dairy Bar on the grounds of the Indiana State Fair, 1202 E. 38th St., Indianapolis. All U.S. military veterans and current active-duty military personnel will receive free signature Dairy Bar milkshakes when they show their official ID in the drive-thru line. Family and friends accompanying them – up to six total oc-

cupants per vehicle – also will receive their choice of shake.

The first 400 served will enjoy their milkshakes from a special edition commemorative Veterans' Weekend Cup. From 10 to 11 a.m., Indianapolis Colts mascot Blue will be on hand to help dispense milkshakes and investigate fun.

Guests should enter the State Fairgrounds via Gate 6 off Fall Creek Parkway on the east side of the Fairgrounds. They'll be directed along the fair's Main Street straight to the Dairy Bar, where they'll receive their choice of a chocolate or vanilla shake.

"Again this year, we're looking forward to welcoming our veterans and active-duty military to the Dairy Bar for sweet treats on Nov. 10," ADAI CEO Jenni Browning said. "While it's impossible to thank these men and women enough

for what they have done and continue to do for all of us, this is one small way of showing our enormous appreciation for their service and sacrifices – a way of letting them know we are so grateful for each and every one of them!"

The Dairy Bar is the popular destination for all types of dairy delights during the Indiana State Fair. Especially popular are the Dairy Bar's two signature items: milkshakes and grilled cheese sandwiches. This past summer, more than 62,000 milkshakes, along with over 38,000 grilled cheese sandwiches, 20,000 ice cream cones, 6,000 bowls of ice cream, and more.

For additional information about American Dairy Association Indiana and dairy farming in the Hoosier state, visit [WinnersDrink-Milk.com](#).

Indiana Small Business Expo Tradeshow gives free tickets to entrepreneurs

The REPORTER

The 2023 Indiana Small Business Expo Tradeshow Conference will take place from 1 to 7 p.m. on Thursday, Nov. 9 at the 502 East Event Center, 502 E. Carmel Drive, Carmel.

The event will bring together statewide businesses from various industries to network with exhibitors and attend workshops. Yolanda M. Smith's topic, "Creating an Explosive Personal Brand" and Steve Frusolone's topic, "Growing Your Business in a Digital World," both authors, will kick off the event as the keynote speakers. Entrepreneurs will display their products and services on their booths. Several valuable prizes will be offered, such as a vacation and real diamonds and gems provided by Title Sponsor Hupp Jewelers.

The five workshops and five talks are as follows: Dr. Tuesday Tate, author (Permission Granted – mindset); Scott Abbott, author (The Essential Concepts, Tools, and Disciplines for Growing

a Great Business); Patrina Williams (Business Builder in Homecare); Patrick Wanzel, author (Break Free from the IRS – How to Resolve Tax Debt and Reclaim Your Freedom); Ron Chambers (Identity Theft Compliance and Your Business); Heather Fosnaugh, LMCC, NCC (Using Psychology in Service-Based Business); Syed Ali Saeed, attorney (Estate Planning for Business Owners); Dr. Michael Hartley (Coco and the QR Code); Omar S. Johnson, PhD (The Financial and Moral Imperative of Sexual Harassment and Active Shooter Response Training); and Robert Leavitt (More Than One Way to Retirement).

Entrepreneurs take constant leaps of faith, and it is vital to collaborate with other entrepreneurs for growth and to learn how to pivot in business.

"Networking relationships are fascinating, and they changed my life, having gone from poverty to CEO," Sparks said.

This started as a passion project for Hoosier Realtor

Kelly Sparks in 2020 and this will be the fourth expo she has organized. While Sparks was serving her networking group, it led her to take a leap of faith in rebranding and revitalization of Indiana Small Business Expo in 2020. Sparks funded it herself and created a successful networking platform for all marketing budgets.

"I knew it could help entrepreneurs to connect and to hold on through COVID," Sparks.

The Indiana Small Business Expo Members stay engaged with monthly events leading up to the annual Tradeshow Conference.

Booth and sponsorship opportunities are available at [indianasbc.com](#).

Who should attend?

Startups, anyone considering entrepreneurship, brick and mortars, businesses that sell to businesses, businesses that sell to consumers, C-level, sales reps, networking groups, small-to medium-sized businesses, retail, and all industries.

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Clay Terrace in Carmel announces Nov. 9 opening of J.Crew Factory

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Clay Terrace has announced the Nov. 9 Grand Opening of J.Crew Factory.

J.Crew Factory, the brand known for its fun, classic and colorful styles for women, men, and kids, will soon arrive at Clay Terrace. Customers can celebrate their love of shopping with frequent drops of new arrivals, exclusive in-store-only events, and incredible deals on styles for every occasion. Shoppers are invited to explore the brand's very own collection of J.Crew Factory – exclusive styles, all at an incredible value. They will also receive a surprise grand-opening offer when visiting the new store and can enter to win a \$250 J.Crew Factory gift card.

Perks are offered through

J.Crew Passport, the brand's free-to-join loyalty program. Members earn points on every purchase, a \$5 reward for every 200 points, a birthday surprise, early access to discounts and more. Additional discounts are offered for teachers, college students, health-care workers, first responders and military personnel. The retailer offers petite and extended sizes, more styles, and sales at [jcrewfactory.com](#), where deal seekers can shop online 24/7.

"We couldn't be more

thrilled to be a part of this community," says Jody Gietl, head of J.Crew Factory. "We're looking forward to offering families great styles for every occasion, all at compelling prices."

J.Crew Factory is proud to be a part of the J.Crew Group family of brands, which is celebrating 40 years (and counting) of elevated American style.

J.Crew Factory will be located at 14405 Clay Terrace Boulevard, Suite 110, Carmel, between Warby Parker and Dry Goods.

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Letter to the Editor

Carmel voter: Matthes will be a true public servant

Dear Editor:

Sometimes it may feel as though the political arena is filled with negativity and divisiveness. Amidst these circumstances, I ask myself why would anyone even want to run for office?

Thus, I was thrilled that Loren Matthes chose to run for Carmel City Council in the West District.

While many cities and towns throughout Indiana have benefited from her financial expertise and guidance, I have known her for more than 30 years and experienced her servant leadership through many different roles and activities. She has a determined spirit, impeccable ethics, and character, and truly cares about people. Her outreach has impacted people of different ethnicities and backgrounds. Her assistance to others has included many years of weekly, dedicated service to an inner-city Indianapolis ministry for families, involvement with the Merciful Help Center in Carmel, and other community services.

She has a deep love of her family and friends, and this is evident by the manner in which she lives. She would be a true public servant!

Colette Irwin-Knott
Carmel West District

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 no longer be accepted.**

Letters in response to new topics published in the Saturday, Oct. 28 edition **will no longer be accepted.**

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

Letters of endorsement will be accepted until Friday, Nov. 3 and will appear in the Saturday, Nov. 4 edition.

Please send your letters to
News@ReadTheReporter.com.

Letters to the Editor do not represent the opinions of The Reporter or our staff.



Early voting underway now in Hamilton County

- Noblesville**
Judicial Center, 1 Hamilton Co. Square
- Nov. 1 to 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
- 4-H Fairgrounds, 2003 Pleasant St.**
- Nov. 1 to 4: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
 - Nov. 6: 8 a.m. to noon
- Carmel**
Wilfong Pavilion, 11675 Hazel Dell Pkwy., Building A & Jill Perelman Pavilion, 3000 W 116th St.
- Nov. 1 & 2: 2 to 7 p.m.
 - Nov. 3 & 4: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Fishers**
Roy G. Holland Memorial Park Building, 1 Park Drive & Billericay Park Building, 12690 Promise Road
- Nov. 1 & 2: 2 to 7 p.m.
 - Nov. 3 & 4: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- Westfield**
Westfield City Hall, 130 Penn St. & Cool Creek Nature Center, 2000-1 E. 151st St.
- Nov. 1 & 2: 2 to 7 p.m.
 - Nov. 3 & 4: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Any voter registered in Hamilton County can vote early in-person. No application is necessary. Bring your ID (Indiana Driver's License, Indiana State ID, U.S. Passport, or U.S. Military ID).

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! VOTE!

Meet the candidates!

The general election is only days away, and The Reporter is doing its part to help voters get informed. Go to ReadTheReporter.com/Elections for links to Candidate Bios, a full ballot, polling locations, and more. Remember to vote on or before Tuesday, Nov. 7!

Note: in previous editions of The Reporter we accidentally published this notice with the headline "Meet the candidates!" One reader noted that can-I-dates raised the question "Can you date any of these people?" The answer is no. No you cannot. While The Reporter regrets the error, we do embrace the self-deprecating comedy.

Letter to the Editor

Reader: C|D|Z seems right for me

Dear Editor:

As a proud 35-year resident of Fishers, I can't help but to stand back and look at how our city has become one of the most desirable places to live in the country! It's not just about the community, but the positive energy that flows through our city, the top-notch safety measures, and the fiscal responsibility demonstrated by our local government.

Fishers has truly become a city to be proud of, and it's the reason why so many of us choose to call it home. What makes Fishers truly exceptional is the safe and thriving environment it provides to its residents, and the responsible use of our tax dollars to maintain this way of life.

This level of success does not happen by accident. It's the result of quality city council members that are focused on the right things ... The three At-Large (citywide) candidates, comprising of Coble, Ditlevson, and Zimmerman, will be key to keep Fishers moving forward as the thriving community it is today. Their commitment to safety, economic growth, and low taxes has been a pledge that is important to all of us, no matter party affiliation. They've ensured that we get the most value from our tax dollars, making Fishers an attractive place for families, entrepreneurs, and everyone in between.

Where the choices made at the local level impact our daily lives more than ever, it's crucial that we have quality leadership on the city council. Looking at other cities that have failed to prioritize safety and fiscal responsibility, it's evident that the alternative path can lead to less desirable outcomes.

So, as a fellow resident of Fishers, I strongly encourage you to support Coble, Ditlevson, and Zimmerman for at large members of city council – the C|D|Z team. Let's ensure that Fishers remains a safe, top-ranked, and fiscally responsible city, where positive energy thrives and the community flourishes.

The choice is clear, and it's in the hands of us, the proud residents of Fishers. Let's keep our city on the right path and continue to call it home.

Kim Logan
Fishers

Letter to the Editor

County Democrats Chair Dayna Colbert: local elections are crucial

Dear Editor:

In today's political climate, it can be hard to find something that both parties agree on. But my Hamilton County GOP counterpart and I do agree on a few things he said in his Letter to the Editor from last week.

"The upcoming election is a crucial moment for our community."

It really is. Across the county, for the first time in recent history, voters have a choice. In fact, a majority of voters have multiple choices.

"I cannot stress enough how important it is for each of us to vote on or before Nov. 7."

Again, we agree. Local elections impact our daily lives more directly than national ones. Is there a pothole on your daily commute that needs to be filled? Have you enjoyed visiting the new Geist waterpark that's minutes away? Do you use the wonderful services at the libraries across the county? Local offices influence all of these and more in a variety of ways.

"The Democrats in Hamilton County see this as their opportunity to turn Hamilton County blue."

Actually, the Democrats in Hamilton County see this as an opportunity to bring balance to our cities. To amplify your voice. To return representation to voters. In this year's uncontested primary election, 47 percent of Fishers ballots requested were for Democrats. That tells me that voters are looking for balance.

"Let's turn out strong in Hamilton County!"

Your vote matters in this election. Many recent local elections were decided by a handful of votes – visit NeverSkipAVote.org to see just how close.

Vote early if you can, or on Nov. 7. You can find locations and hours for early voting and Election Day at IndianaVoters.com.

We're ready to look ahead. To become a community with leaders who are reflective of us all. To embrace and welcome diversity of thought. To move forward, together.

Dayna Colbert
Hamilton County Democratic Party Chair

Letter to the Editor

Driskell supports Giffel for Fishers City Council

Dear Editor:

David Giffel boasts an exemplary track record and deserves to be re-elected to the Fishers City Council.

Residing in Fishers for nearly half a century, I've had the privilege of witnessing numerous elections, which have yielded both outstanding public servants and individuals who fell short of public office expectations. David clearly belongs to the former category – a dedicated public servant I wholeheartedly trust and admire for several compelling reasons.

First and foremost, David consistently attends meetings. My firsthand experience stems from his role as a board member for Delaware Township, where I serve as the Township Trustee. Notably, he never missed a meeting, always came well-prepared to provide valuable input, and remained readily available when needed. Now, in his capacity as a member of the Fishers City Council, David continues to demonstrate his unwavering commitment to fulfilling the responsibilities he vowed to uphold. At each meeting, he arrives prepared and eager to engage.

Furthermore, David diligently conducts his research. He actively seeks the opinions of his constituents and, crucially, he listens to them. He isn't afraid to pose challenging questions to fellow leaders because his goal is to make informed decisions for the betterment of his community.

However, what truly sets David apart is his unshakeable integrity. He is a man who speaks his mind and follows through on his promises. His actions reflect his dedication to serving the people he represents.

In conclusion, David remains resolute in his commitment to truth and transparently shares his plans for the citizens he serves. His steadfast dedication to his word and his community embodies the very essence of a public servant.

Debbie R. Driskell
Fishers

Letter to the Editor

Reader says Tiffanie Ditlevson has all the right qualities voters should seek in public servants

Dear Fellow Hoosiers,

I hope this letter finds you in good health and high spirits. I am writing to you today to express my wholehearted support for Tiffanie Ditlevson as a candidate for the Fishers City Council at Large. Tiffanie is not just any candidate; she is a remarkable individual who brings a unique blend of qualities that our community desperately needs.

First and foremost, Tiffanie Ditlevson is a loving mother, and this role has taught her the importance of creating a safe and nurturing environment for her family. Her dedication to Micayla is a testament to her commitment to ensuring that future generations have the opportunities they deserve. As a mom, Tiffanie understands the importance of education, safety, and community support. She is driven to create a Fishers where every family, just like hers, can thrive.

As a combat veteran, Tiffanie has shown tremendous courage, resilience, and dedication to our country. Her service in the United States Air Force exemplifies her commitment to something larger than herself, and this commitment now extends to our beloved Fishers community. Tiffanie's experience as a combat veteran has taught her valuable lessons about discipline, teamwork, and unwavering dedication. These are qualities that she will undoubtedly bring to her role on the City Council, where she will serve us with the same level of commitment and selflessness that she displayed in the military.

Tiffanie is not only a combat veteran, but she is also a steadfast leader. Her leadership qualities have been honed in the most challenging of environments, and she has emerged as a strong, principled, and compassionate leader. Her ability to make tough decisions, while always considering the well-being of the community, is a testament to her strong character and unwavering commitment to public service. We need leaders like Tiffanie who are unafraid to take on difficult challenges and who will always put the interests of our community first.

Tiffanie Ditlevson is not just a candidate for Fishers City Council at Large; she is a model for future Republican candidates. Her passion for public service, her dedication to conservative values, and her ability to bridge divides and bring people together are exactly what our party and our community need right now. Tiffanie's campaign beautifully embodies the values of inclusivity and diversity, presenting an inspiring opportunity for everyone to adopt and promote these principles. She is breaking barriers and showing that Republicans can truly represent all members of our community.

In Tiffanie Ditlevson, we have a candidate who embodies the qualities we should seek in our public servants: a mother's compassion, a combat veteran's determination, a steadfast leader's resolve, and the model for future Republican candidates. I urge you to join me in supporting Tiffanie and voting for her in the upcoming election. Together, we can ensure that our community continues to thrive and that the voice of all its residents is heard.

Thank you for taking the time to consider my words, and I hope to see you at the polls in support of Tiffanie Ditlevson.

Whitley Yates
*Director of Diversity and Engagement
Indiana Republican Party*

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Please include your phone number and city of residence. The Reporter will publish one letter per person per week.

Letter to the Editor

Keever: voting ‘Yes’ on Sheridan Schools referendum will make a difference for community

Dear Editor:
Tuesday, Nov. 7 is a very important day for our town and the families who live here. Please be sure you vote for the passing of the Sheridan Community Schools Referendum.
Although my residence status will not allow me to personally vote, I feel strongly connected to the importance of passing the school referendum because of my experience in the schools, both as a young teacher of English and French working with then principal Al Youmans, working with the teaching staff with Dr. Mundy in his first term as superintendent, and now as a business owner and Vice President of Sheridan Main Street Inc which is devoted to the preservation and revitalization of our downtown.
A recent study involving 239 surveys from citizens and another 145 participating in focus groups plus an open to the public discussion, tells us that 87 percent of us respond AGREE when asked: “Do you agree or dis-

agree with the statement: I personally feel welcome, comfortable, and safe in and around downtown Sheridan.” That is a rare and precious gift for those of us who live and work here. It needs nurturing to remain so. The contribution of Sheridan Community Schools is vital to protecting that experience for our community.
Assuring that our schools can protect and grow the diversity of excellence now offered, including academics, internship opportunities, performing arts, student leadership, and athletics, as well as low student to teacher ratios allowing for individual attention, depends upon a well-financed school. As a former school administrator, I can tell you that in Indiana providing necessary budget levels are driven by the referendum process.
Schools must pass a referendum to cover operational costs. For Sheridan, the referendum provides 12 percent of the budget and that 12 per-

cent contributes solely to the costs of teachers and staff.
I was working in Sheridan Community Schools when we were unable to be competitive in teacher pay and benefits. Our schools often saw teachers who loved teaching in our classrooms leave based on decisions in the best of interests of their own families because of salary opportunities. That is no longer true. The school has worked hard to meet the challenge of providing competitive pay and retaining our teachers for longer tenures. We do not want to lose that important advantage for our kids.
Your vote on Nov. 7 is truly an opportunity for you to make a difference and to be involved in the exciting things happening in our town.
Cindy Keever
Owner of Keever’s Sheridan Hardware
Former staff member of Sheridan Community Schools

Brainard endorses Sue Finkam to succeed him as Carmel mayor

The REPORTER

Sue Finkam, Republican nominee for Carmel mayor, announced on Tuesday that current mayor Jim Brainard has endorsed her campaign.
“Sue Finkam has the experience, passion, and plan to ensure Carmel continues to prosper,” Brainard said. “Sue has served

our community on the City Council with honor and integrity, she has deep knowledge of city operations and budgets, and her leadership in City Hall is exactly what is needed to unite our residents. I urge Carmel voters to join me in supporting Sue Finkam as Carmel’s next mayor.”



Finkam

Metal Powder Industries Federation elects new officers

The REPORTER

Michael Stucky, Business Unit Director, Norwood Medical, Bellbrook, Ohio, has been elected the 32nd president of the Metal Powder Industries Federation, succeeding Rodney Brennen, Metco Industries, St. Marys, Pa. His two-year term began at the conclusion of the Federation’s annual MPIF Business Meeting which was held Oct. 28 to 30 in Louisville, Ky.
The current president of the Powder Metallurgy Parts

Association (PMPA) Nicola Gismondi, PMT, Vice President Sales & Marketing, MPP, Noblesville, has been re-elected to a second two-year term.
About the Metal Powder Industries Federation
Metal Powder Industries Federation is the North American trade association formed by the powder metallurgy industry to advance the interests of the metal powder producing and consuming industries and provides a single point of reference for all MPIF member companies.



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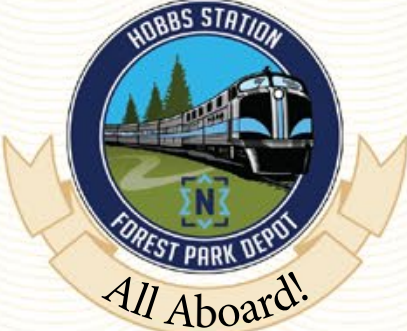
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Suspects seen supposedly swiping stuff from Sephora



Photos provided by Carmel Police Department

The Carmel Police Department is investigating a theft that occurred on Oct. 21 from Sephora located at 14400 Clay Terrace Boulevard in Carmel. The individuals pictured above are persons of interest. If you have any information to help us identify those in the photo, please contact Officer C. Hoag at (317) 571-2500 or call Crime Stoppers at (317) 262-TIPS.

Pankil Desai, MD, joins Franciscan Physician Network

The REPORTER

Pankil Desai, MD, has joined the physician team at Franciscan Physician Network Indiana Heart Physicians and is now accepting new patients in Indianapolis. Board-certified in cardiovascular disease, Dr. Desai specializes in coronary and peripheral intervention. He offers in-person and virtual visits.

Dr. Desai is a graduate of St. George's University School of Medicine in Grenada, West Indies, and completed residency training in internal medicine at Stamford Hospital – Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons in Stamford, Conn. He completed fellowships in cardiovascular disease and interventional cardiology both at New York Presbyterian Brooklyn Methodist Hospital – Weil Cornell Medicine in Brooklyn, N.Y. and Indiana Heart Physicians in Indianapolis. He has served the residents of Indiana since 1978, with cardiologists specializing in the diagnosis, treatment and prevention of heart and vascular disease.

Franciscan Physician Network Indiana Heart Physicians is located at 5330 E. Stop 11 Road, Indianapolis. To make an appointment with Dr. Desai, call (317) 893-1900.



Desai

Jupiter shows its spooky face just in time for Halloween

By **TARA HASTINGS**
WISH-TV | wishtv.com

Usually known for its Great Red Spot, Jupiter shows a face just in time for Halloween.

NASA's Juno mission captured this view of the planet's northern region. The clouds form what looks like a frowning human face. Half of the image is in darkness, while the other half is on the planet's night side. This makes it look like the face is coming from behind a door.

The image was made with raw data from a citizen scientist. The raw image was taken well above Jupiter's cloud tops, about 4,800 miles.

You can see turbulent clouds and even storms along Jupiter's terminator. The terminator is the dividing line between the planet's day and night sides. Scientists are continuing to study this part of Jupiter to better understand the processes playing out in its atmosphere.

The stormy scene was showcased even more by the low sun angle and highlights the changing topography on the fifth planet of our solar system.

Jupiter's clouds are demonstrating what's called pareidolia. According to Merriam-Webster's dictionary, pareidolia is "the tendency to perceive a specific, often meaningful image in a random or ambiguous visual pattern."

More raw images are available to the public and can be seen [here](#).

This isn't the first time during a spooky season we've seen these types of images. In the late 1990s, NASA posted images that appeared to look like there was a [face on Mars](#).




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TODAY'S BIBLE READING

ISAAC AND REBEKAH (CONT.)

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"She quickly lowered her jar from her shoulder and said, 'Drink, and I'll water your camels too.' So I drank, and she watered the camels also.

"I asked her, 'Whose daughter are you?'

"She said, 'The daughter of Bethuel son of Nahor, whom Milkah bore to him.' . . .

Genesis 24:45-47 (NIV)

— ARCADIA —

NOTICE

The Arcadia Plan Commission will meet on November 13, 2023, at 7:00 PM in the Arcadia Town Hall located at 208 W. Main St., Arcadia, Indiana 46030, in order to hear the following petition:

Docket No. PC-23-01-RZ-C3

A Rezone application has been submitted concerning 7.13 acres located at 9090 E 266th St., Arcadia, Indiana 46030.

The petition before the Town of Arcadia Plan Commission requests a rezone from "AG" Agriculture to "C3" Industrial Park / Manufacturing to allow the operation of an excavating business including the storage, repair, and maintenance of heavy equipment, farm equipment, and materials.

Project Address: at 9090 E 266th St., Arcadia, Indiana 46030
Parcel# 03-03-18-00-00-014.001 and 03-03-18-00-00-014.000

Legally described as follows:

Part of the Southwest Quarter and the Southeast Quarter of Section 18, Township 20 North, Range 5 East, Second Principal Meridian, Jackson Township, Hamilton County, Indiana being more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at the Southeast Corner of the Southwest Quarter of Section 18, Township 20 North, Range 5 East; thence on the South line of the Southwest Quarter North 89 degrees 51 minutes 56 seconds West (Assumed Bearing) 365.13 feet to a Mag Nail at the Southeast Corner of the Tract of Real Estate described in Instrument Number #2008053416; Thence on the East line of said Tract of Real Estate North 00 degrees 26 minutes 02 seconds West 504.46 feet to a 5/8 inch rebar with Yellow Cap Stamped Miller Surveying; thence North 88 degrees 36 minutes 52 seconds East 633.93 feet to a 5/8 inch rebar with a yellow ca stamped Miller Surveying on the West line of a tract of real estate described in Instrument Number #2012048226; thence on the West line of said tract of real estate South 00 degrees 40 minutes 51 seconds East to a Mag Nail at the Southwest corner of said tract of real estate; thence on the South line of the Southeast Quarter of said Section 18 North 89 degrees 45 minutes 05 seconds West 271.00 feet to the Point of Beginning, containing 7.48 acres more or less.

The petition may be examined during normal business hours at the office of the Town of Arcadia Plan Commission, 208 W. Main St., Arcadia, Indiana 46030.

Interested parties may offer an oral opinion at the Hearing. Comments may be mailed to Town of Arcadia Plan Commission at PO Box 578, Arcadia, IN 46030. Comments may also be dropped off in the Arcadia Utilities payment drop box located 1208 W. Main St., Arcadia, IN. Comments may also be emailed to jennifer.pickett@arcadia.in.gov. Comments must be received by 3:00 pm on the date of the hearing. Written comments will be read aloud during the public hearing and entered into the record of the Hearing.

The Hearing may be continued from time to time as may be found necessary.

Petitioner's Name: Will Schuler/Power Holdings, LLC,

by Will Gooden, Attorney

Clark, Quinn, Moses, Scott & Grahn, LLP, 317-637-1321

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Michael M. Harvey

July 26, 1968 – October 25, 2023

Michael M. Harvey, a beloved son, brother, uncle, and friend, passed away very suddenly and recently from natural causes. He was born July 26, 1968, in Carmel, son of Allan and Sharon (Gustafson) Harvey.

Following graduation, Mike attended Valparaiso University where he majored in business. Then feeling a call on his life, he went to Moody Bible Institute where he met his future wife. They first moved to Australia and then Shanghai, China, where he spent the majority of his life.

Mike returned to Indiana early 2023 before his father's death in March. Seven months later, Mike passed away to be with his earthly and Heavenly father, both of whom he loved dearly.

Mike leaves behind his mother, Sharon; brothers, Brian and Rick (Kim); and two college-aged nieces, Lauren and Anna, who were very special to him.

The family requests in memory of Mike, contributions be made to donor's favorite charity for the advancement of God's work on this earth.

There will be a private family service.

Bussell Family Funerals is privileged to assist the family in arrangements.

Condolences: bussellfamilyfunerals.com

Meeting Notices	
The Adams Township Board will meet to discuss bids for snow removal, a reorganization committee appointment, and contracts for cost share and consultant at 10 a.m. on Monday, Nov. 6, 2023, at the Adams Township Office, 201 S. Main St., Sheridan.	Pursuant to IC 5-14-1.5-5(a) the Hamilton County Community Corrections Advisory Board will meet to discuss agency business at noon on Thursday, Nov. 2, 2023, at Hamilton County Community Corrections, 18104 Cumberland Road, Noblesville.
The Hamilton East Public Library Board of Trustees Long Range Planning Committee will meet at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, Nov. 1, 2023, in the First Floor Meeting Room in the Noblesville Library, 1 Library Plaza, Noblesville.	The Delaware Township Board and Trustee will meet to discuss the bond preliminary determination resolution at 5:30 p.m. on Thursday, Nov. 2, 2023, at the Delaware Township Government Center, 9090 E. 131st St., Fishers.
The Carmel Advisory Committee on Disability will meet at 9 a.m. on Friday, Nov. 3, 2023, in the Board Room at Carmel Clay Public Library, 425 E. Main St., Carmel.	The Noblesville Common Council Roads Committee meeting scheduled for 8 a.m. on Friday, Nov. 3, 2023, has been canceled.

Send Meeting Notices to:
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Gerald Wayne "Butch" Kirby

November 18, 1952 – October 23, 2023

Gerald Wayne "Butch" Kirby, 70, passed away unexpectedly at his home in Ekin, Ind., on Monday afternoon, October 23, 2023. Born November 18, 1952, in Tipton, Ind., he was the son of the late Donald Paul Kirby and Betty Jane (Mossburg) Kirby-Egler.

He was a 1971 graduate of Sheridan High School and had wonderful memories from his years in their FFA program.

There was no one quite like Butch Kirby. A lifetime farmer and the driving force behind Kirby Farms, Inc., Butch lived his life doing what he loved. Farming was in his blood. He loved getting out in the fields, but the pride and joy of his operation was his herd of buffalo. Raising them was definitely a labor of love, and seeing people stopping alongside the road to watch them out in the pasture never got old.

Farming wasn't his only love. A Harley man through and through, there was never a bad time to go for a ride. Butch always looked forward to his trips out to Sturgis and never missed a chance to go on a benefit ride. He was a charter member of the Cicero American Legion Riders, as well as a member of the Cicero Post 341 Sons of the American Legion and Legion Auxiliary. He enjoyed following NASCAR and loved when a race was close enough for him to get to the track. Watching on TV was fun, but being right there in the middle of things was how he preferred it.

Butch was a gentle giant who never met a stranger. He was always willing to help those in need and would gladly give anybody the shirt off his back (although the sleeves would probably have been torn off). A jokester at heart, Butch could find the humor in just about any situation, and more than likely, a good story or two to go along with it.

Family was everything to Butch, and if you were in his circle, you were family, too. He did things his way, and on his terms, and brought as many people as he could along for the ride.

Butch is survived by his daughters, Brooke Amber Kirby of Arcadia and Gwynne Nicole Kirby of Noblesville; his grandson, Zachary Alon Wayne Kirby; nieces, Mindi Cheek (Travis) of Frankfort and Michelle Ramsey (Brett) of Reynolds; nephew, Brant West (Paige) of Lebanon; and his brother-in-law, Phillip R. West of Lebanon.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Donald Paul Kirby and Betty Jane (Mossburg) Kirby-Egler; brother, Ronald Allen Kirby; and his sister, Juanita West.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. on Friday, November 3, 2023, at Kercheval Funeral Home, 306 E. 10th St., Sheridan. Burial will follow at Crown View Cemetery in Sheridan. Pastor Jody Brown will be officiating. Visitation will take place from 4 to 8 p.m. on Thursday, November 2, 2023, at Kercheval Funeral Home.

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November 12, 1-4 p.m.

Carmel Clay Public Library, Carmel | **FREE**



The Carmel Clay Historical Society and Carmel Clay Public Library invite you to enjoy a family-friendly afternoon gathering to share memories of Clay Township. A special program from 2-3 p.m. includes speakers, musicians and family activities that teach about the rich history of Clay Township and Carmel. Plus, exhibits on display will remain in the library throughout November 2023.

VINTAGE MAPS OF CARMEL

Available through November from various locations | **FREE**

Pick up your free, limited-edition map representing Clay Township's farms and homesteads during the early 20th century. Developed by Clay Township representatives, the artistic rendering is filled with historical information and visuals. **Visit the Events Calendar at HamCoTurns200.com for information on where to get your keepsake map.**

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November 4, 11 a.m.-3 p.m.

Coxhall Gardens, Carmel | **FREE**

Join Hamilton County Parks and Recreation to celebrate the historical heritage of Coxhall Gardens. Learn about the 1865 Italianate brick house that once belonged to the John Williams family and what the Hamilton County Parks Department is doing to preserve this important piece of history. Archaeologists from the University of Indianapolis will be onsite conducting public excavations of the Williams family lawn. The beautiful Coxhall Mansion will be open for tours.

CARMEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 175TH ANNIVERSARY

November 5, 4-7 p.m.

Carmel United Methodist Church, Carmel | **FREE**

Join the Carmel United Methodist Church as they celebrate the 175th anniversary of the congregation. Current and past church leaders will talk about the congregation's history, and a fried chicken pitch-in dinner will begin at 5 p.m. Historic displays and tours of the church at 4:30 will be available for visitors to learn about its buildings and the people who worshiped there.

HOME PLACE HISTORIC HOME TOUR

November 11, 11 a.m.-5 p.m.

Home Place, Carmel | **FREE**

Join the Greater Home Place Neighborhood Association for a historic home tour. Begin your tour at any one of three homes, and then receive a map and list of additional points of interest, including The Edwards "House on the Hill" (originally the Hamer-Combs House, 1201 E. 106th St.), the McShane House (10000 Westfield Blvd.) and the Setter House (part of the farm sold to create the Lexington Farms subdivision).

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Girls Basketball

Tigers roar in season opener

By **RICHIE HALL**
sports@readthereporter.com

FISHERS – The Fishers girls basketball team got off to a splendid start in its first game of the season. The Tigers hosted Ben Davis on Tuesday. Fishers, last season’s Class 4A state runner-up, jumped out to a big first-quarter lead and rode that momentum to a 65-49 victory over the Giants. It was a marquee game for the first week of the season, as the Tigers are ranked No. 5 in the Indiana Basketball Coaches Association’s (IBCA) one-class rankings and Ben Davis is receiving votes. In the Indiana Coaches of Girls Sports Association’s (ICGSA) Class 4A poll, Fishers is also rated No. 5.

It was all Fishers from the outset. The Tigers scored the first seven points of the game and held a double-digit lead four minutes into the first quarter. Joirdyn Smith opened with a 3-pointer, Allison Scheu scored with a layin, and Talia Harris added another layin after Fishers had made two offensive rebounds. Smith and Harris are seniors, while Scheu is a junior who got significant minutes last year. Their leadership carried the Tigers to a 24-9 first-quarter lead, with Harris scoring eight points. Smith (two 3s) and Scheu both had six points. “I thought we did a really nice job defensively to start the game and that gave us some opportunities for transition buckets,” said Fishers coach Lauren



Reporter photos by Richie Hall

(Left) Fishers’ Talia Harris scored 15 points for the Tigers during their season-opening victory over Ben Davis Tuesday at the Tiger Den. Harris is one of four seniors on this year’s Fishers team. (Right) Senior Morgan Roberts hit a 3-pointer for the Tigers right before halftime.

Votaw. “I thought we converted well on those transition buckets. We were taking high-quality, balanced shots in transition and then we were able to use that to build our lead. So then when we had some lulls later in the game, we were okay.” Fishers was in front by at least 13 points during the remaining 24 minutes of the game. Ben Davis battled for the entire game and made things interesting with hot outside shooting (the Giants drained five 3-pointers in the second half.) But the Tigers never BD get back into the game. Case in point: Fishers led 37-21 at halftime. Zoe Wheeler opened the sec-

ond half with a three-point play and the Giants had cut the Tigers’ lead to 37-24. Fishers responded with a 7-0 run to put their lead at 20 points for the first time. Nevaeh Dickman scored four points of that run, with a Harris 3 in between. “We talked before the game about the fact that Ben Davis is going to thrive off of those runs, and we have to make sure that we remain poised,” said Votaw. “If we turn it over, if they get a few buckets in a row, it’s okay, grab the ball, take a deep breath. And I thought we did a really good job of doing that.” Dickman wound up as the leading scorer with 18

points. She scored in each of the four quarters and was solid from the free-throw line, making 8 of 9. Dickman was one of four Tigers that reached double-digit scoring: Harris had 15 points, Scheu scored 12 and Smith had 11. Four seniors are on this year’s Fishers team: Harris, Smith, Kate Thomas and Morgan Roberts. “They know what our schedule is like, they know what our competition is like,” said Votaw. “I think the best way that they lead is they aren’t as fazed by it. And so they’re able to stay calm in those situations. Freshman Alanna Anthony played her first varsity game and made the

FISHERS 65, BEN DAVIS 49				
Fishers	FG	FT	TP	PF
Joirdyn Smith	4	1-2	11	2
Talia Harris	7	0-0	15	1
Kate Thomas	1	0-0	2	3
Nevaeh Dickman	5	8-9	18	1
Allison Scheu	6	0-1	12	3
Morgan Roberts	1	0-2	3	1
Olivia Brookshire	0	0-0	0	1
Alanna Anthony	2	0-0	4	1
Natalie Thomas	0	0-0	0	1
Totals	26	9-14	65	14
Score by Quarters				
Ben Davis	9	12	14	14 – 49
Fishers	24	13	18	10 – 65
Fishers 3-pointers (4) Smith 2, Harris, Roberts.				

most of it, scoring four points. Votaw said she was pleased with how Anthony played. “Alanna is just willing to do all the things,” said Votaw. “She’ll defend, she’ll rebound and she always wants to learn, and she asks really good questions.” Fishers will play at IBCA No. 11 Center Grove on Saturday.

Indiana Soccer Academic All State teams announced

The REPORTER
The Indiana Soccer Coaches Association announced its 2023 Academic All State teams. In order to earn a place on the team, players must be current juniors or seniors and maintain a cumulative 3.7 grade-point average on a 4.0 scale. Here is a list of Academic All-State honorees from Hamilton County. **BOYS DISTRICT 2** **Fishers:** Cole Anderson, Caleb Hartman, Eli Hartman, Caleb Hernandez, Denny Johnson, Nick Kline, Evan McEldowney, Jake Pilkey, Will Sandlin, Avery Williams. **Hamilton Southeastern:** Jack Anderson, Blake Braden, Cade Joniec, Cam

Joniec, Jack Jordan, Drew MacDonald, Dillon O’Rourke, Alex Orris, Owen Wilkins. **Noblesville:** Blake Horn, Vincent Howard, Korey Klimek, Cole Thompson. **BOYS DISTRICT 3** **Carmel:** Luke Domke, Dawson Droste, Drew Flanders, Chris Gabriel, John Gilbert, Jackson Jones, Adam Keleher, Matthew Schilt, Tyler Schilt, Nick Wu. **Guerin Catholic:** Robbie Burt, Armen Chapman, Charlie Cowan, Jacob Hein, Kevin Lee, Cameron Parker, Carson Prather, Johnny Quinn, Gavin Reick, Nolan Scheu, Christian Sosa, Cade Tyson, Ian Wolf. **Hamilton Heights:** Aiden Bryant, Samuel Har-

pham, Isaac Kuhn. **Westfield:** James Carson, Ben Church, Oliver Church, Hayden Galovic, Auden Gruesser, Liam Lara, Jackson McKeever, Grant Myers, Ellis Nichols, Grant Patington, Alec Schurman, Oliver Smith, Noah Speicher, Brendan Taylor. **GIRLS DISTRICT 2** **Fishers:** Addie Allgeier, McKinley Boland, Aubrey Ellinger, Lauren Faulkner, Emerson Huneck, Mia Hutchinson, Raegan McMullan, Maddie Meier, Sienna Mullen, Grace Preston, Emmy Streeter, Olivia Weyer.

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All 2023-2024 State Finals to stream exclusively at IHSAAtv.org

By **LEWIS BAGLEY**
Special to ihsa.org

Livestreaming has become a fact of life in the television world over the past few years. More often, programming is being moved from linear (or conventional) television to streaming platforms.

Starting this school year, livestreaming on the IH-SAA Champions Network presented by Indiana Farm Bureau Insurance via IH-SAAAtv.org will be the only way to view IHSA State Finals broadcasts – including football and boys and girls basketball.

For the past decade, Bally Sports Indiana (formerly Fox Sports Indiana) had been the television home for the state finals. However, Diamond Sports Group – which owns 19 regional sports networks, including Bally Sports Indiana – filed for bankruptcy this past March.

In June, according to IHSA Assistant Commissioner Chris Kaufman, Bally Sports Indiana informed the organization that the partnership would end.

"They called and said they weren't allowed to renew the contract with us,"

Kaufman said. "It was an amicable parting and, all in all, Bally was a great partner. We enjoyed working with them and we will stay in touch."

This means, at least for now, IHSAAtv.org will be the exclusive platform for the state finals and will be behind a paywall.

"The state finals have been on IHSAAtv.org for many years now," said Heath Shanahan, IHSA's Director of Broadcasting/Executive Producer. "It's been a destination website that people hit, not just for the state finals, but the entire tournament and regular season."

"We decided this is a great release point, not just for the state, but worldwide," he added.

The changes will affect all state finals, except for golf, tennis, and Unified sports. Those broadcasts will remain free to view.

To see state finals events, viewers will need to download the free IH-SAAAtv app to their devices (e.g., a computer, phone or OTT/television appliance device) or visit IHSAAtv.org. The prices to view state finals contests will be the same as buying a



Photo courtesy IHSA.org
Kurt Darling (left) and Angela Berry White (right) were the broadcast team for last Friday's IHSA Girls Soccer State Finals.

ticket at the venue: generally \$15 per game or \$20 for an all-access pass. The IHSAAtv OTT app is available for Roku, Firestick, Apple TV, and Android TV devices allowing fans watch in high definition on their televisions.

"We are working to make this as easy as possible for fans," Shanahan said. "Fans can navigate to one site, click the link and follow the steps. It's no different than getting on a phone and going to any app or website."

Kaufman and Shanahan said IHSA realizes there will be pushback due to a natural resistance to streaming content previously available on certain television packages.

"It can be difficult for some who aren't technologically savvy, but that's an issue we can't solve alone," Kaufman said. "The overall climate of change in television has helped as people are seeing they will get their TV [content] differently. But whether you watched on [cable] television or on a stream [streaming platform], you are paying for it."

"With Bally," Shanahan added, "it was rolled into

your cable bill."

Kaufman also said the quality of the production won't change.

Since 2010, IHSAAtv.org has delivered streaming content. Shanahan said the site currently has 150 schools from across the state who contribute games on the network, along with 30-plus independent broadcasters.

"On a recent Friday night, we had 95 football games being streamed," Shanahan said.

While the state finals and semi-state contests are pay-per-view, the sectional and regional rounds of each state tournament – will remain free to view.

Also, the [IHSA Champions Radio Network](http://IHSA.org), supported by Indiana Farm Bureau Insurance, will not be impacted. In fact, that network added seven more stations this year, bringing the total to 79.

"Television is changing rapidly," Shanahan said, "and linear TV isn't close to what it was even five years ago. The pandemic put an importance on livestreaming. This is the future and we've been preparing ourselves for it for several years."

Colts Insider doesn't blame secondary for Saints' offensive explosion

By **NATHANIEL FINCH**
WISH-TV | wishtv.com

The Indianapolis Colts are coming off a **38-27 home loss vs. the New Orleans Saints**, marking their third consecutive defeat.

WISH-TV's Colts Insider Kevin Bowen says Indy's defensive line is the main unit to blame for the 38 points that Derek Carr and the Saints scored.

Bowen is the host of **"The Wake Up Call with KB and Andy,"** the weekday morning radio talk show on **93.5/107.5 The Fan** in Indianapolis.

"When your defensive line only hits Derek Carr twice in a game, you're going to allow him to get into a great rhythm and he had one of the best games of his career yesterday," Bowen said. "That is the group that you're highly invested in, cornerback is not."

KB continued to explain that even though the cornerbacks struggled, the bigger

issue was the lack of production from a unit in which general manager Chris Ballard invested so much.

"That's the group of a bunch of first-round picks," Bowen said. "That's the group you paid a lot of money and you made a big trade for DeForest Buckner."

In the conversation with News 8's **Angela Moryan**, Bowen also detailed what the cornerback room needs to do to improve, and talked about what happened to Jonathan Taylor in his single-carry second half on Sunday.

Watch the video [here](#) to hear the full segment.

You can also see Kevin Bowen every week on WISH-TV's Emmy Award-winning "Countdown to Kickoff." The hour-long pregame show airs live at 11 a.m. on Sundays before Colts games on WISH-TV.

The Colts return to action at 4:05 p.m. on Sunday as they play the Panthers in Charlotte, N.C.

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Dear Readers,

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

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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 Hometown Newspaper, there is still time to engage with your constituency. Go to ReadTheReporter.com/2023-candidate-info and fill out the form . . . unless you don't want voters to know what you stand for.

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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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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 Bakerster ([beckythebakerster.com](https://www.beckythebakerster.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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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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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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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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CARMEL

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.

Connect with Nelson at Miles4Mayor.com, on Facebook, or email Miles@Miles4Mayor.com.

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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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.

Connect with Locke at LockeForCarmel.com, on Facebook, or email Ryan@LockeForCarmel.com.

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 Councilor.

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 Mattress Company, have lived in Carmel for 17 years.

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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 greenspaces, 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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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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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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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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Courtney Culver

Democrat for Carmel City Council, North Central District

Courtney Culver hails from humble beginnings in Bedford, Indiana, as the youngest of five siblings. She later pursued a degree in Journalism and Marketing at Franklin College, graduating as a Top Ten Senior. She then earned a master's degree in Organizational Leadership from Siena Heights University in Southfield, MI.

With over two decades of leadership experience across nonprofit, education, telecommunications, financial services, and technology sectors, Courtney is known for her collaborative nature, courage in communications and team development. In her current role at a global tech company, she manages teams specializing in operations, data analytics, change management, MarTech, program management, and process development. Courtney has also played prominent roles in her company's LGBTQ employee resource group.

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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 deep 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 Macy 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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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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FISHERS

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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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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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.

Connect with Chapman at [Sam4Fishers.com](https://www.sam4fishers.com), on Facebook, or email Info@Sam4Fishers.com.

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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Selina Stoller

Republican for Fishers City Council, Northwest District

Since 2015, Selina Stoller has been a servant leader on the Fishers City Council. She has an engineering degree combined with an MBA and has a career as a business development executive in the investment banking sector. Given her background, she believes in a level of fiscal responsibility that improves the quality of life for residents. This requires investment in infrastructure, parks, neighborhoods, and an investment in public safety.



Selina has served the community in many ways. She serves on the Nickel Plate Review Committee, Plat Committee, Plan Commission, and previously the Finance Committee. Being a special needs mother, she has served on the board of Janus. She currently serves on the board of Conner Prairie. She enjoys going out, meeting neighbors, developing relationships, and serving with a heart.

Selina seeks to continue serving Fishers and build on the momentum created so far. Fishers is consistently ranked as one of the best cities in the country to live. This is maintained by continuing to fund our police and fire departments, investing in quality-of-life amenities, and leading efforts to bring economic growth and jobs to the community, all while maintaining one of the lowest tax rates in the state.

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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.

Connect with Stevenson on Facebook, at [FriendsOfHowardStevenson.com](https://www.friendsofhowardstevenson.com), or email Howard@FriendsOfHowardStevenson.com.

Todd Zimmerman

Republican for Fishers City Council, At Large

Have served on Fishers City Council since 2015.

Kept taxes low, strengthened economic development, worked with residents on needs for a community center, and supported our public safety professionals. My focus for the next four years, if re-elected, is to see to completion our Rec Center, expansion of The District (including arena), focused funding for infrastructure needs, and continuing to address mental health needs throughout the community.



I have been married for 24 years. We have three boys. One is currently a Junior at Purdue University, one is a senior at Fishers High School and the other is a sophomore at Fishers High School.

I moved to Fishers in 1989, at the age of 16. My passion is our community, through coaching and mentoring.
Connect with Zimmerman by emailing zimmerman.toddp@gmail.com.

John Weingardt

Republican for Fishers City Council, South Central District

I have lived in Fishers alongside my wife, Tina, for over 30 years. We have been blessed with three children and five grandchildren. I have been a CPA for over 35 years and am currently a partner at Peachin, Schwartz & Weingardt located in Fishers. My specialties include tax planning, mergers and acquisitions, as well as management consulting for the closely held entrepreneurial business.



My service in the community includes serving on the board of the Fishers Police Foundation, Launch Fishers, the Phoenix Theater, and Riverview Foundation. I am also the Chairman of the City Council's Budget and Finance Committee, and the Co-Chair of the Fishers GOP Club.

I am running for re-election because I want to continue the amazing work we have accomplished in Fishers in recent years. With our dedicated public safety team, our commitment to economic growth, our world-class amenities, and some of the lowest taxes in the state, we have become one of the most desirable cities in the country to live, work and play. With my experience both professionally and serving on City Council, we can continue the positive momentum and keep Fishers on the right track.

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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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NOTICE TO VOTERS OF HAMILTON COUNTY, INDIANA									
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	
		Sheridan Community Center	Sheridan Room		0415	Life Church - Fishers	Worship Center		
	0102	Sheridan 02	24185 N Hinesley Rd	Sheridan	0416	Fall Creek 15	13450 E 116th St	Fishers,	
		Sheridan High School	HS Conference Room			Cornerstone Lutheran Church - Fishers	East Side Hallway		
	0103	Sheridan 03	1545 W 226th St	Sheridan,		Fall Creek 16	9820 E 141st St	Fishers	
Clay	0104	Six Points Church	Lobby		0417	Life Church - Fishers	Worship Center		
		Sheridan 04	506 S Main St	Sheridan	0418	Billericay Park Building	12690 Promise Rd	Fishers,	
		Sheridan Town Hall	Meeting Room		0419	Billericay Park Building	12690 Promise Rd	Fishers,	
	0201	Clay 01	2500 E 98th St	Carmel,	0420	Billericay Park Building	12690 Promise Rd	Fishers,	
		Hope Church	Fellowship Hall		0421	Fall Creek 19	13678 Silverstone Dr	Fishers	
*	0202	Clay 02	12120 Brookshire Pkwy	Carmel,	0422	Crosspoint Church	Entry way		
		Brookshire Golf Club	Banquet Room		0423	Fall Creek 20	12450 Olivo Rd	Fishers	
	0203	Clay 03	4770 E Main St	Carmel,	0424	Grace Church - Fishers	Room 122		
		Christ Community Church	Lobby/Sanctuary		0425	Fall Creek 21	12900 Fall Creek Rd	McCordsville,	
	0204	Clay 04	2000 North New Market	Carmel,	0426	Indianapolis Yacht Club	Main Hall		
	0205	The Meeting House of West Clay	Second Floor	Carmel,	0427	Fall Creek 22	12450 Olivo Rd	Fishers	
		Clay 05	3650 W 106th St	Carmel,	0428	Grace Church - Fishers	Room 122		
	0206	Pilgrim Lutheran Church	Fellowship Hall		0429	Fall Creek 23	13678 Silverstone Dr	Fishers	
		Clay 06	1605 E 106th St	Carmel,	0430	Crosspoint Church	Entry way		
	0207	Orchard Park Presbyterian Church	Lounge/Main Street		0431	Fall Creek 24	12690 Promise Rd	Fishers,	
	0208	Clay 07	4770 E Main St	Carmel,	0432	Billericay Park Building	Main Hall		
		Christ Community Church	Lobby/Sanctuary		0433	Fall Creek 25	12450 Olivo Rd	Fishers	
	0209	Clay 08	621 S Rangeline Rd	Carmel,	0434	Grace Church - Fishers	Room 122		
		Carmel United Methodist Church	Family Life Center		0435	Fall Creek 26	13450 E 116th St	Fishers,	
	0210	Clay 09	1010 E 126th St	Carmel,	0436	Cornerstone Lutheran Church - Fishers	East Side Hallway		
	0211	Trinity Baptist Church	Gym		0437	Fall Creek 27	13151 Cyntheanne Rd	Fishers,	
		Clay 10	3405 E 116th St	Carmel,	0438	Cyntheanne Christian Church	Youth Center		
	0212	Chinese Community Church of Indianapolis	Gym		0439	Fall Creek 28	14842 E 136th St	Fishers,	
		Clay 11	651 W Main St	Carmel,	0440	Northview Church - Fishers Campus	Student Room		
	0213	Carmel Friends Church	Inside Building		0441	Fall Creek 29	10748 E 116th St	Fishers	
	0214	Clay 12	1605 E 106th St	Carmel,	0442	St George Orthodox Christian Church	Fellowship Hall		
		Orchard Park Presbyterian Church	Lounge/Main Street		0443	Fall Creek 30	13490 Howe Rd	Fishers,	
	0215	Clay 13	2381 Pointe Pkwy	Carmel,		Legacy Bible Church	Foyer/Main Entrance		
		Mercy Road Church	Lobby			Fall Creek 31	11595 Brooks School Rd	Fishers,	
	0216	Clay 14	2381 Pointe Pkwy	Carmel,		Fall Creek 32	Community Room		
	0217	Mercy Road Church	Lobby			Fall Creek 33	13490 Howe Rd	Fishers,	
		Clay 15	10701 N College Ave	Carmel,		Legacy Bible Church	Foyer/Main Entrance		
	0218	John Hensel Government Center	Community Room			Fall Creek 34	13450 E 116th St	Fishers,	
		Clay 17	13200 Old Meridian St	Carmel,		Cornerstone Lutheran Church - Fishers	East Side Hallway		
	0219	Genesis Church	Lobby			Fall Creek 35	13678 Silverstone Dr	Fishers	
	0220	Clay 19	10701 N College Ave	Carmel,		Crosspoint Church	Entry way		
		John Hensel Government Center	Community Room			Fall Creek 36	13151 Cyntheanne Rd	Fishers,	
	0221	Clay 20	621 S Rangeline Rd	Carmel,		Cyntheanne Christian Church	Youth Center		
		Carmel United Methodist Church	Family Life Center			Fall Creek 37	9820 E 141st St	Fishers	
	0222	Clay 22	2606 W 96th St	Indianapolis,		Life Church - Fishers	Worship Center		
	0223	College Park Church	Gym			13079 Del Webb Parkway		Fishers,	
		Clay 23	12401 Lynnwood Blvd	Carmel,		Ballrooms A-C			
	0224	Plum Creek Golf Club	Banquet Room			12900 Fall Creek Rd		McCordsville,	
		Clay 24	12900 Hazel Dell Pkwy	Carmel,		Main Hall			
	0225	Northview Church - Carmel	Atrium			11595 Brooks School Rd		Fishers,	
	0226	Clay 27	3450 W 131st St	Carmel,		Community Room			
		Carmel Water Distribution	Truck Bays			13490 Howe Rd		Fishers,	
	0227	Clay 28	2606 W 96th St	Indianapolis,		Foyer/Main Entrance			
		College Park Church	Gym			12450 Olivo Rd		Fishers	
	0228	Clay 29	2900 E 136th St	Carmel,		Room 122			
	0229	Carmel High School Stadium	Community/Hospitality Room			14842 E 136th St		Fishers,	
		Clay 30	10701 N College Ave	Carmel,		Student Room			
	0230	John Hensel Government Center	Community Room			12690 Promise Rd		Fishers,	
		Clay 31	12156 N Meridian St	Carmel,		Main Hall			
	0231	Ritz Charles	Ballroom, Chapel, Pavilion			13079 Del Webb Parkway		Fishers,	
	0232	Clay 32	651 W Main St	Carmel,		Ballrooms A-C			
		Carmel Friends Church	Inside Building			12900 Fall Creek Rd		McCordsville,	
	0233	Clay 33	3450 W 131st St	Carmel,		Main Hall			
		Carmel Water Distribution	Truck Bays			11595 Brooks School Rd		Fishers,	
	0234	Clay 35	14501 Hazel Dell Pkwy	Carmel,		Community Room			
	0235	Venture Christian Church	Auditorium			13490 Howe Rd		Fishers,	
		Clay 36	14550 River Rd	Carmel,		Foyer/Main Entrance			
	0236	Harvest Church	Lobby			12450 Olivo Rd		Fishers	
		Clay 37	12156 N Meridian St	Carmel,		Room 122			
	0237	Ritz Charles	Ballroom, Chapel, Pavilion			14842 E 136th St		Fishers,	
	0238	Clay 38	3405 E 116th St	Carmel,		Student Room			
		Chinese Community Church of Indianapolis	Gym			12690 Promise Rd		Fishers,	
	0239	Clay 39	3131 Maralice Dr	Carmel,		Main Hall			
		Foster Estates Clubhouse	Clubhouse			13151 Cyntheanne Rd		Fishers,	
	0240	Clay 40	2500 E 98th St	Carmel,		Youth Center			
	0241	Hope Church	Fellowship Hall			9820 E 141st St		Fishers	
		Clay 41	13200 Old Meridian St	Carmel,		Worship Center			
	0242	Genesis Church	Lobby			13079 Del Webb Parkway		Fishers,	
		Clay 42	10655 Haverstick Rd	Carmel,		Ballrooms A-C			
	0243	St. Elizabeth Seton Catholic Church	Ministry Rooms B108- B110			12900 Fall Creek Rd		McCordsville,	
	0244	Clay 43	1605 E 106th St	Carmel,		Main Hall			
		Orchard Park Presbyterian Church	Lounge/Main Street			11595 Brooks School Rd		Fishers,	
	0245	Clay 46	1484 W Main St	Carmel,		Community Room			
		Bethlehem Lutheran Church	Fellowship Hall			13490 Howe Rd		Fishers,	
	0246	Clay 47	1010 E 126th St	Carmel,		Foyer/Main Entrance			
	0247	Trinity Baptist Church	Gym			12450 Olivo Rd		Fishers	
		Clay 48	5201 E Main St	Carmel,		Room 122			
	0248	Carmel Clay Schools Educational Services Center	Public Meeting Room			14842 E 136th St		Fishers,	
		Clay 49	14501 Hazel Dell Pkwy	Carmel,		Student Room			
	0249	Venture Christian Church	Auditorium			12690 Promise Rd		Fishers,	
	0251	Clay 51	10655 Haverstick Rd	Carmel,		Main Hall			
		St. Elizabeth Seton Catholic Church	Ministry Rooms B108- B110			13151 Cyntheanne Rd		Fishers,	
	0252	Clay 52	1242 W 136th St	Carme,		Youth Center			
		Traders Point Christian Church - North Campus	Main Lobby			9820 E 141st St		Fishers	
	0253	Clay 53	4770 E Main St	Carmel,		Worship Center			
	0254	Christ Community Church	Lobby/Sanctuary			13079 Del Webb Parkway		Fishers,	
		Clay 54	3450 W 131st St	Carmel,		Ballrooms A-C			
	0255	Carmel Water Distribution	Truck Bays			12900 Fall Creek Rd		McCordsville,	
		Clay 55	12900 Hazel Dell Pkwy	Carmel,		Main Hall			
	0256	Northview Church - Carmel	Atrium			11595 Brooks School Rd		Fishers,	
	0257	Clay 56	3500 W 106th St	Carmel,		Community Room			
		Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Cathedral	Founders' Walk or Library			13490 Howe Rd		Fishers,	
	0258	Clay 57	12156 N Meridian St	Carmel,		Foyer/Main Entrance			
		Ritz Charles	Ballroom, Chapel, Pavilion			12450 Olivo Rd		Fishers	
	0259	Clay 58	11675 Hazel Dell Pkwy	Carmel,		Room 122			
	0260	Wilfong Pavilion @ Founders Park, Bldg A	Pavilion Rooms A & B			14842 E 136th St		Fishers,	
		Clay 59	5201 E Main St	Carmel,		Student Room			
	0261	Carmel Clay Schools Educational Services Center	Public Meeting Room			12690 Promise Rd		Fishers,	
		Clay 60	11675 Hazel Dell Pkwy	Carmel,		Main Hall			
	0262	Wilfong Pavilion @ Founders Park, Bldg A	Pavilion Rooms A & B			13151 Cyntheanne Rd		Fishers,	
	0263	Clay 61	3500 W 106th St	Carmel,		Youth Center			
		Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Cathedral	Founders' Walk or Library			9820 E 141st St		Fishers	
	0264	Clay 62	1242 W 136th St	Carme,		Worship Center			
		Traders Point Christian Church - North Campus	Main Lobby			13079 Del Webb Parkway		Fishers,	
	0265	Clay 63	2000 North New Market	Carmel,		Ballrooms A-C			
	0266	The Meeting House of West Clay	Second Floor			12900 Fall Creek Rd		McCordsville,	
		Clay 64	1242 W 136th St	Carme,		Main Hall			
	0267	Traders Point Christian Church - North Campus	Main Lobby			11595 Brooks School Rd		Fishers,	
		Clay 65	14550 River Rd	Carmel,		Community Room			
	0268	Harvest Church	Lobby			13490 Howe Rd		Fishers,	
	0269	Clay 66	3000 W 116th St	Carmel,		Foyer/Main Entrance			
		Jill Perelman Pavilion	Pavilion Rooms A,B,C			12450 Olivo Rd		Fishers	
	0270	Clay 67	2000						

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:

Carmel Clay Schools
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%.

Hamilton Southeastern Schools
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%.

Sheridan Community Schools
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 www.indianavoters.com or call the Elections Office at 317-776-8476 if you are unsure if you are eligible to vote in the 2023 Municipal Election.