

# City of South Bend

November– December 2018



Dear Neighbor,

October was a strong month for South Bend. On October 8 we passed our 2019 City budget, which ensures our finances remain healthy and our services remain top-notch. On October 24 we opened the Rum Village Dog Park and on November 1 we reopened the expanded Charles Black Center. Each will be a community space for South Bend neighborhoods in the coming years. Be sure to attend the downtown tree lighting ceremony at the Gridiron at 6:00 p.m. on December 7! Find more details at [sbvpa.org](http://sbvpa.org).

Through a number of partnerships with the St. Joseph County Health Department, the South Bend Medical Foundation, and the Michiana Health Information Network, the City is providing more resources to help families combat lead in their homes. This is an urgent issue, and it is important that all children 7 and under get tested. For information on funding, testing, and more, go to [southbendin.gov/leadsafesouthbend](http://southbendin.gov/leadsafesouthbend).

This is the LAST year to apply for the Department of Public Works' FREE program to disconnect downspouts for residential properties. Disconnecting downspouts from the City's sewer will reduce basement flooding and improve water quality in our community's streams and rivers. All homes within city limits must have their downspouts disconnected by December 31, 2020. Residents have until December 31, 2018 to apply. To schedule a FREE downspout disconnection, visit [southbendin.gov/freedisconnect](http://southbendin.gov/freedisconnect) or call 311.

Even though yard waste season ends November 30, residents can still request an extra pickup for yard waste items. One cubic yard is allowed every month. To review guidelines or schedule an extra pickup, go to [southbendin.gov/extrapickup](http://southbendin.gov/extrapickup) or call 311.

Code Enforcement would like to thank everyone who has partnered with them throughout the year to organize neighborhood cleanups and those who helped to make our neighborhoods a cleaner, safer place to live, work and play. Reminder: there is still time to organize more neighborhood cleanups before the snow comes. Contact Code Enforcement via 311 for more information.

The Building Department would like to remind residents to test the pressure of natural gas lines when they have been moved, disconnected, or newly started. To set up a test, call the Building Department at 574-235-9554. Testing now is better than losing heat later!

See you in the City!

Sincerely,

Mayor Pete

## Clerk's Corner

Greetings and Happy Holidays, South Bend!

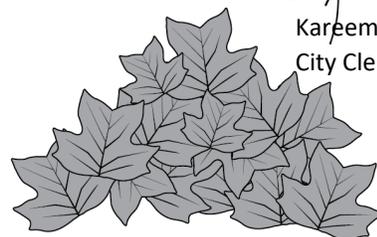
As the winter months approach, please remember that it is the responsibility of the owner or occupant of any premises bordering or touching any city street to remove snow and ice from the sidewalk within twenty-four (24) hours after it has fallen or accumulated (*South Bend Municipal Code, §20-102*). If you have problems clearing your sidewalk due to a disability, please contact the Board of Public Works by dialing 311.

Additionally, parking may be restricted when street snow clearance conditions are declared by the Mayor from 8:00 a.m. until 8:00 a.m. the following morning. In this case, the Mayor will announce one (1) of the following schedules via multiple news sources: Vehicles may only be parked on the even address street side on even-numbered days, and on the odd address street side on odd-numbered days, even when the street is designated as "No Parking."

Vehicles parked or incapable of moving will be fined \$25, and/or towed and/or impounded (*SBMC, §20-105*).

Best,

Kareemah Fowler  
City Clerk



## City

### South Bend Venues, Parks & Arts

Check out events at [sbvpa.org](http://sbvpa.org)

### South Bend Animal Care and Control

521 Eclipse Place | 574-235-9303

### Solid Waste Management District – Recycling

574-235-9971 | [www.swmd.org](http://www.swmd.org) | 828 Kerr St

Free drop-off for tires, electronics, paint, gas, oil, and light bulbs. No medications please.

Waste Facility Hours- Mon-Fri, 8:30-4 and Sat 8-12 noon

### Rum Village Nature Center

574-235-9455 | 2626 S. Gertrude Street

November 4: Pinecone Bird Feeder

November 11: Rum Village Uncovered

### Potawatomi Zoo

574-235-9800 | [potawatomizoo.org/](http://potawatomizoo.org/) | 500 S Greenlawn Ave.

November 23-25, 30-Dec. 2nd: The gift of lights

December 7-9, 14-16, 21-23: The gifts of lights

### Downtown South Bend

[downtownsouthbend.com](http://downtownsouthbend.com)

November 2 & December 7 First Fridays

December 7-24 Downtown for the Holidays

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## Assistance

### WorkOne

574-237-9675 | [gotoworkone.com](http://gotoworkone.com)

851 S. Marietta Street

Networking, Interviewing, & Resumes every Wednesday at 10am. Information for Training Assistance

Fridays at 10 AM. Job Fair Thursdays 9:30-10:30

am.

### South Bend Heritage

574-289-1066 | [sbheritage.org](http://sbheritage.org)

803 Lincolnway West

### Human Rights Commission

574-235-9355 | 319 N. Niles Ave.

### Bridges Out of Poverty

117 N Lafayette | [sjcbridges.org](http://sjcbridges.org)

### Dismas House of Indiana

574-233-8522 | [dismas.org](http://dismas.org) | 521 S St Joseph

### Saint Vincent de Paul

574-234-6000 | [svdpsb.org](http://svdpsb.org) | 520 Crescent Ave |

[svdpsborg@gmail.com](mailto:svdpsborg@gmail.com)

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## Arts & Culture

### Century Center

574-235-9711 | [centurycenter.org](http://centurycenter.org) | 120 South Dr.

Martin Luther King Jr Blvd.

2 Hotel/Motel Tax Board Meeting

3 The 9th Annual 100 Black Men of Greater South Bend Gala

4, 11, 18, 25 River of Life Family Church Service

7 SBMA Film

7, 14, 21, 28 South Bend Rotary

15 South Bend Alumni Association

17 The Epsilon Beta Beta Chapter of Omega Psi Phi comedy show

21 Civic Center board of managers meeting

### Studebaker National Museum

574-235-9714 | [studebakermuseum.org](http://studebakermuseum.org)

574-235-9355 | 201 Chapin St.

Ten Cars That Changed the World: 6/15 to 1/06

Mascots: Art Over Function: 7/13 to 1/02

Speaker Series: 3rd Wed. of mo. at 1:30pm

November 14th- Abraham Lincoln and Ulysses S.

Grant historic impersonators presentation

### The Music Village

574-245-7664 | [themusicvillage.org](http://themusicvillage.org)

333 S. Michigan St.

### The Morris Performing Arts Center

574-235-9190 | [morriscenter.org](http://morriscenter.org)

November

3: South Bend Symphony Tchaikovsky's Circles

4: John Crist, The Human Being Tour

8: Rumours: Fleetwood Mac Tribute

14-15: South Bend Symphony Youth Performances 25: Harry Connick Jr.

28: Straight No Chaser

30 - Dec 2: The Sound of Music

December

8 - 9: The Nutcracker Ballet

12: Mannheim Steamroller Christmas

15 - 16: South Bend Symphony Orchestra:

Home for the Holidays

20: Charlie Brown Christmas

### Indiana University South Bend

574-307-6135 | [crhc.iusb.edu](http://crhc.iusb.edu)

1040 West Washington

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574-307-6135 | 1700 Mishawaka Ave.

### South Bend Museum of Art

574-235-9102 | [southbendart.org](http://southbendart.org)

120 S. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd

### The History Museum

574-235-9664 | [historymuseumsb.org](http://historymuseumsb.org)

808 W Washington St

4/6 - 9/23: Tiffany: Luminous Masterworks, 7/2:

Fancy Pants Bazaar, 7/26: Gallery After Dark

Architecture at Notre Dame 9/2/17-8/18/19

### South Bend Civic Theater

574-234-1112 | [sbct.org](http://sbct.org) | 403 N. Main St

9/7-9/23: Jesus Christ Superstar

10/12-10/28: The Secret Garden

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## Community

### Southeast Organizing Area Residents

574-340-3979 | [soarforward.wordpress.com](http://soarforward.wordpress.com)

### The Near Northwest Neighborhood

574-232-9182 | [nearnorthwest.org](http://nearnorthwest.org)

1007 Portage Ave

Ongoing Yoga, Zumba, Hoop Embodiment, Art and

Dance classes – Call for details.

### The Local Cup

1009 Portage | 9am-1pm Fri-Sat, 1-4pm Sun

### Neighborhood Resources Connection

574-287-0425 | [nrc4neighborhoods.org](http://nrc4neighborhoods.org)

NRC provides grants for a limited number of block parties to eligible South Bend neighborhood associations. Contact to apply.

### Hurry Home

Hurry Home is a new way to become a homeowners.

We care more about your rental history than your credit score. To learn more visit [hurryhome.io](http://hurryhome.io) or give us a call at 574-584-7226.

### Unity Gardens

574-315-4361 | [theunitygardens.org](http://theunitygardens.org)

3701 Prast Blvd

### LangLab South Bend

[langlabsb.com](http://langlabsb.com) | 1302 High St.

### The LGBTQ Center

574-234-1411 | [thelgbtqcenter.org](http://thelgbtqcenter.org)

1522 E. Mishawaka Ave.

Teen Group - 1st & 3rd Saturday of every month, 2-4pm

### St Joseph County Library

574-282-4646 | [sjcpl.org](http://sjcpl.org)

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## Health

### Real Services

574-233-8205 | [realservices.org](http://realservices.org)

1151 S. Michigan St.

### Memorial Hospital

615 N Michigan St | 574-647-1000

### AIDS Ministries

574-234-2870 | [aidsministries.org](http://aidsministries.org)

201 S. William St.

### The Clubhouse of Saint Joseph County

574-360-8409 | [clubhousesjc.org](http://clubhousesjc.org)

1153 Northside Blvd.

Support of people with psychiatric disabilities

### Alcoholics Anonymous Center Service Office

574-234-7007 | [michianasober.org](http://michianasober.org)

818 E. Jefferson Blvd

### Senior Programming

574-235-9428 | 211 S St. Peter Street

Mondays- Dominoes 11 AM- 1 Pm

Mondays & Wednesdays- 5 Crown Cards 12-3:30PM

Mondays- Mahjongg 12-4 PM

Wednesdays & Fridays- Euchre 1-3:30 \$1.50