

City of South Bend



April-May 2024

Hello Neighbor,

I hope that you and your family are enjoying the Spring season!

The Organic Resources Facility has new hours! Organic Resources is now open 8am to 4:45pm Monday through Friday and 9am to 1pm on Saturdays through October 1. Residents and businesses can drop off yard waste at the facility for a nominal fee and compost and mulch are free of charge. Assisted loading is only available Monday through Friday and ends at 3:45pm. Those who are self-loading must bring their own shovels and containers to collect the material. Call 311 for fee information.

The Household Hazardous Waste Facility is hosting a Tire Amnesty Recycling Event from 8am until noon on Saturday, April 27. Residents can drop off up to six passenger vehicle tires (no tractor or semi tires) per car for free at the South Bend facility, located at 828 Kerr Street. You can also drop off any hazardous waste. For more information, call 574.235.9971.

The Public Works Department is accepting applications for the 2024 Curb & Sidewalk Reimbursement Program, which assists property owners in making repairs to curbs and sidewalks bordering their properties. Anyone who is a homeowner or property owner including businesses, within the city limits can participate in the program. Visit southbendin.gov/curbsidewalkprogram for more information.

The Vacant Building Credit Enhancement Fund is available to provide additional financing tools for small-scale developers focused on the rehabilitation of commercial buildings within South Bend. Loans of up to \$500,000 can be extended for qualified redevelopments through the program. To learn more, call 311 or visit southbendin.gov/south-bend-neglected-building-enhancement-fund/.

Get a jump-start on your spring cleaning by bringing your unwanted documents to the Michiana Crime Stoppers Spring Shredding Event! The secure, drive-thru shredding event is returning to the St. Joseph County Fairgrounds on Saturday, April 27 from 8am to noon.

Know something? Say something. Michiana Crime Stoppers offers cash rewards for anonymous tips leading to the arrest of felony offenders. You can call 574-288-STOP, 800-342-STOP or visit p3tips.com/203.

Please follow the City of South Bend's social media handles on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and LinkedIn for upcoming events, meetings and important city updates. For a list of upcoming events, please visit southbendin.gov/events.

Wishing you a wonderful month!

Mayor James Mueller

Abril- Mayo 2024

Hola Vecino,

Espero que usted y su familia estén disfrutando esta primavera.

La instalación de recursos orgánicos (The Organic Resource Facility) tiene nuevo horario. Recursos orgánicos estará abierto desde las 8 am hasta las 4:45pm de lunes a viernes y 9am a la 1pm los sábados hasta el 1 de octubre. Residentes y negocios pueden dejar residuos de jardín en la instalación por una tarifa nominal, el abono y el mantillo son gratuitos. Carga asistida es disponible solo de lunes a viernes y se termina a las 3:45pm. Quienes sean de autocarga deben traer sus propias palas y contenedores para recoger el material. Llame al 311 para información sobre tarifas.

La instalación de residuos domésticos peligrosos (The Household Hazardous Waste Facility) los invita a una amnistía para reciclaje de llantas empezando a las 8am hasta las 12pm el sábado 27 de abril. Residentes pueden dejar hasta seis llantas de vehículos pasajeros por carro gratis en la instalación de South Bend localizado en la calle 828 Kerr. También se puede dejar residuos peligrosos. Para más información llame al 574-235-9971.

El departamento de obras públicas (The Public Works Department) está aceptando aplicaciones para el programa de reembolso de bordillo y banqueta para el año 2024, que ayuda a los propietarios a realizar reparaciones en los bordillos y banquetas que bordean sus propiedades. Cualquier persona que sea propietario de una vivienda o propiedad, incluyendo negocios dentro de los límites de la ciudad puede participar en el programa. Visite www.southbendin.gov/curbsidewalkprogram para más información.

El Fondo de Mejorar el Crédito para Edificios Desocupados (The Vacant Building Credit Enhancement Fund) está disponible para proporcionar herramientas de financiamiento adicionales para los desarrolladores de pequeña escala centrados en la rehabilitación de los edificios comerciales en South Bend. Se pueden conceder préstamos de hasta \$500,000 para reurbanizaciones calificadas a través del programa. Para más información, llame al 311 o visite www.southbendin.gov/south-bend-neglected-building-enhancement-fund/.

Empiece su limpieza de primavera llevando sus documentos no deseados al evento de trituración de primavera de Michiana Crime Stoppers. El evento seguro, desde el carro regresa a los terrenos feriales del condado de St. Joseph el sábado 27 de abril emezpando a las 8 a.m hasta las 12 de la tarde.

¿Sabe algo? Diga algo. La Parada de Crimen en Michiana (Michiana Crime Stoppers) ofrece recompensas en efectivo por sugerencias anónimas que lleguen al arresto de delincuentes graves. Usted puede llamar al 574-288-STOP, 800-342-STOP o visite www.p3tips.com/203.

Por favor siga las redes sociales de la Ciudad de South Bend en Facebook, Twitter, Instagram y LinkedIn para saber de los próximos eventos, juntas, y actualizaciones importantes de la ciudad. Para una lista de los próximos eventos por favor visite, www.southbendin.gov/events.

¡Les deseo un mes maravilloso!

Alcalde James Mueller

Local Government Resources & Events

COVID-19 Vaccine

Register for the COVID-19 vaccine and learn more about local clinics at ourshot.in.gov or call 211

Lead Protection Program

Up to \$20,000 in lead safe home repairs. Visit southbendin.gov/lead or call 311 for more information on income qualifications.

South Bend Police Department

701 W. Sample St. | police.southbendin.gov

Solid Waste Management District

828 Kerr St. | (574) 235-9971 | sjcindiana.com/2016/Solid-Waste-Management-District-SWMD
Free drop-off for tires, electronics, paint, gasoline, oil, and light bulbs. No medications please.

South Bend Animal Resource Center

512 Eclipse Place | (574) 235-9303

South Bend Venues, Parks & Arts

(574) 299-4765 | sbvpa.org

St. Joseph County Parks

(574) 654-3155 | sjcparks.org
See full list of events online

Supporting South Bend Online Resource

southbendin.gov/support

Michiana Crime Stoppers

(574)288-STOP | michianacrimestoppers.com

Receive up to \$2,500 for tips leading to the solving or arrest in homicide cases.

Assistance

Utility Assistance Program

The City of South Bend has expanded its Utility Assistance Program to provide utility relief for qualifying households.

To qualify, you must have a South Bend utility account in your name, receive sewer

service from the City, and have a household income at or below 80% of the area median income.

Eligible households can receive up to \$25.50 off each monthly utility bill.

Apply by visiting southbendin.gov/uap or calling 311.

Michiana Central Service Office

818 E. Jefferson Blvd., Suite A
michianasober.com

Meeting schedule and events available at michianasober.com

Community

St. Joe County Public Library

304 S. Main St. | (574) 282-4646 | sjcpl.org

•April 22, 6-8pm- 'An evening with Barbara Becker,' at the Main Library Community Learning Center Leighton Auditorium

•May 16, 5-7pm- 'Executing the Dream,' at the Main Library Community Learning Center Leighton Auditorium

•May 29, 5-6pm- Native Plants in Your Backyard, presented by Unity Gardens, at the German Township Branch

St. Joseph County Parks

50651 Laurel Road South Bend, IN 46637 | (574) 277-4828 | sjcparks.org

Downtown South Bend

217 S. Michigan St. | (574)

282-1110 | downtownsouthbend.com

Unity Gardens

3701 Prast Blvd. | (574) 315-4361 | theunitygardens.org

•April 20, 11am-3pm- Earth Day at Unity Gardens.

Open education and activities

•April 24. 6pm- Unity Gardens Fruit Tree Educational Series

Century Center

120 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd. | (574)235-9711 |

centurycenter.org

•April 11-13- AMPS 2024 International Convention

•May 2-4- Around the Bend: The Midwest Region 2024 Convention

May 25-26- Brick Fest Live South Bend

Arts, Culture & Entertainment

The Music Village

333 S. Michigan | (574) 245-7664 | themusicvillage.org

•Summer music programs and camps for all ages.

•Swing dance every Thursday! Lessons start at 7pm, followed by open dancing. \$5 at the door.

•April 26-May 12- The Little Mermaid at The Wilson Auditorium

•May 11, 1-8pm- TMV Block Party at Howard Park. Free admission.

Fire Arts Inc.

305 E. Colfax Ave. | (574) 282-2787 | fireartsinc.com

•Now-May 31- 'Flights of Fancy,' annual juried show

•April-May- Single day enameling workshops

•April-May- Single day glass bead making

The Studebaker National Museum

201 Chapin St. | (574) 235-9714 | studebakermuseum.org

•April 26- Bootlegger's Bash event

•Now-May- Radiator Mascots: Art, Style, and Story exhibition

•Now-July- Family Haulers: The American Station Wagon exhibition

The History Museum

808 W. Washington St. | (574)235-9664

| historymuseumsb.org

•April 26- Bootlegger's Bash event

•May 31- Music in the Gardens

South Bend Civic Theatre

403 N. Main St. | (574) 234-1112 | sbct.org

Neighbor to Neighbor

805 Lincolnway West | (574) 536-0856 | n2nsb.com

•Poker Run Fundraiser
