

City of South Bend

August- September 2025

Hello Neighbor,

I hope you and your family are enjoying staying cool this summer!

The Department of Public Works is still accepting applications for the 2025 Curb & Sidewalk Reimbursement Program! The program helps homeowners, property owners and businesses within city limits cover the costs of repairing curbs, sidewalks and ADA curb ramps adjacent to their properties. For more information about the program and target areas, please visit southbendin.gov/curbsidewalkprogram.

Fusion Fest is back for its third year on Saturday, September 27 from 12-8pm and Sunday, September 28 from 12-5pm at Howard Park. Please visit sbfusionfest.com to stay updated what you can expect during your visit!

Build the Budget 2026 is officially underway and we want to hear from you! There are many ways to let the City hear your thoughts, such as attending community events, calling our 311 team, and filling out the online survey. For more information about Build the Budget, including upcoming meetings and a link to the budget survey, please visit southebendin.gov/budget.

The Linden Avenue Farmer's Market is in it's 5th year! Join us at the Martin Luther King Dream Center, located at 1522 Linden Ave., on September 13 and enjoy local food vendors, farmers, a live DJ, and other family-friendly interactive entertainment.

South Bend is celebrating its 160th birthday! To honor the milestone, the City is celebrating all year long with exciting events, community fun, and \$1.60 specials. For more information, please visit sbvpa.org/sb160.

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.

Wishing you a wonderful month!

Mayor James Mueller



Agosto-Septiembre 2025

Hola vecino,

¡Espero que usted y su familia estén disfrutando de mantenerse frescos este verano!

¡El Departamento de Obras Públicas todavía está aceptando solicitudes para el Programa de Reembolso de Aceras y Aceras 2025! El programa ayuda a los propietarios de viviendas, propietarios y negocios dentro de los límites de la ciudad a cubrir los costos de reparación de bordillos, aceras y rampas de acera ADA adyacentes a sus propiedades. Para obtener más información sobre el programa y las áreas objetivo, visite southbendin.gov/curbsidewalkprogram.

Fusion Fest regresa por tercer año el sábado 27 de septiembre de 12 a 8 p.m. y el domingo 28 de septiembre de 12 a 5 p.m. en Howard Park. ¡Visite sbfusionfest.com para mantenerse actualizado sobre lo que puede esperar durante su visita!

¡Build the Budget 2026 está oficialmente en marcha y queremos saber de usted! Hay muchas maneras de hacer que la Ciudad escuche sus pensamientos, como asistir a eventos comunitarios, llamar a nuestro equipo 311 y completar la encuesta en línea. Para obtener más información sobre Build the Budget, incluidas las próximas reuniones y un enlace a la encuesta sobre el presupuesto, visite southebendin.gov/budget.

¡El mercado de agricultores de Linden Avenue está en su 5º año! Únase a nosotros en el Martin Luther King Dream Center, ubicado en 1522 Linden Ave., el 13 de septiembre y disfrute de vendedores de comida locales, agricultores, un DJ en vivo y otros entretenimientos interactivos para toda la familia.

¡South Bend está celebrando su 160 aniversario! Para honrar el hito, la Ciudad está celebrando todo el año con eventos emocionantes, diversión comunitaria y ofertas especiales de \$1.60. Para obtener más información, visite sbvpa.org/sb160.

¿Sabes algo? Di algo. Michiana Crime Stoppers ofrece recompensas en efectivo por pistas anónimas que conduzcan al arresto de delincuentes graves. Puede llamar al 574-288-STOP, 800-342-STOP o visitar p3tips.com/203.

Siga las redes sociales de la ciudad de South Bend en Facebook, Twitter, Instagram y LinkedIn para conocer los próximos eventos, reuniones y actualizaciones importantes de la ciudad.

¡Te 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

Mamas Against Violence

www.mamasagainstviolence@yahoo.com

Offers emotional support and encouragement to those who have lost loved ones to homicide. Meetings are held every first Monday of the month at the Charles Martin Youth Center at 5pm.

Indiana Energy Saver Program

Two income-qualified rebate programs are available to Hoosiers! Find more by visiting: indianaenergysaver.com.

Community

St. Joe County Public Library

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

- August 27, 4:30-6:00pm- Branching Out Concert Series, featuring Kevin Scott Joiner at the Lakeville Branch. Live music will take place.
- August 27, 6-7pm- Studio 304 Summer Showcase Presentation: featuring presentations and Q&A with area artists at the Main Library's Community Learning Center
- September 18, 4:00-5:00pm- LEGO Night, join us for a new building challenge at the Tutt Branch.
- September 30, 5:00-7:00pm- Celebracion de la

Herencia Hispana/ National Hispanic Heritage Month celebrates the contributions and diverse culture and histories of American Latinos at the Western Branch.
Downtown South Bend

217 S. Michigan St. | (574) 282-1110 | downtownsouthbend.com

- Saturdays through August 30, 8:00-11:00am- Summer Fitness Series
- September 5, 5:00-9:00pm- September First Fridays: "Dog Days of Summer"

Unity Gardens

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

- Saturday's at 12pm- Lunch and Learn: take produce

from farm to fork with cooking tips and recipes

Neighbor to Neighbor

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

Century Center

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

Arts, Culture & Entertainment

The Music Village

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

- Thursdays, 7pm: Swing Dance. No experience necessary. \$5 charge at the door.
- Instrument rentals and tuition assistance available for music lessons and classes
- Rock Band 101 – be a rockstar! Ages 8-15.
- Tiny Tots – infant/toddler developmental music class. Ages 0-5.
- Suzuki Piano – group piano class for beginners. Ages 4-6.

Fire Arts Inc.

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

- Through August- Flora and Fauna: work by Julie Neises and Mark Ghyselinck
- Resident Artists will have recent work on display throughout August.
- Memorial Exhibition of Sculptural Works by Dora Natella through September and October

The Studebaker National Museum

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

- August 29-January 11, 2026- EXHIBIT: A Bear's Natural Habitat: The Return of Fozzie's Studebaker
- September 2, 8:00-10:00am- Cars & Coffee at the Navistar Proving Ground

- Through Sept 21- Tune-In Cars in Popular Music

The History Museum

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

historymuseumsb.org

South Bend Civic Theatre

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

- August 22-24- The Velocity of Autumn

South Bend Lyric Opera

2216 Parkview Place | (574) 904-2918 | SBLO@Mail

Musical Arts Indiana

18211 Kern Rd. | (708) 606-0391 | musicalartsindiana.org

South Bend Museum of Art

120 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd. | (574) 235-9102 | info@southbendart.org