



# AREA 10 COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

## November 2022

### Trending Topics

#### **2022 Leaf Collection Season – November 7, 2022 to December 2, 2022**

40 bags of leaves per week are permitted in addition to your regular trash. Please place leaves in the same location you put out your trash (curb or alley) but keep them 3-5 feet away from your trash. Leaves should not be set out loose in cans.

<https://www.indy.gov/activity/leaf-collection-season>

#### **Visiting All Neighborhoods – Due November 30, 2022**

Within each of the City-County Councils' 25 districts, businesses are encouraged to apply for a complimentary two-year Visit Indy Partnership, valued at \$2,000 per business. Businesses must be based in Marion County and be in operation for at least 12 months.

<https://www.visitindy.com/visitingallneighborhoods/>

#### **Neighbor Power Indy (NPI) ft Neighborhoods in Action: The Power of Community – Due December 5, 2022**

The Indianapolis Neighborhood Resource Center (INRC) needs your help in seeking neighbors and organizations that have worked to build our communities in the past 12 months. During March 1, 2023 to March 11, 2023, these community leader's stories will be shared in hope to continue to inspire others. A video proposal needs to be submitted using the link below.

[https://secure.lglforms.com/form\\_engine/s/JTr43uectTh7A8GEOETOnA](https://secure.lglforms.com/form_engine/s/JTr43uectTh7A8GEOETOnA)

### Current Traffic/Street Closures

#### **North Split Construction**

##### **Streets**

10th Street – Closed overnight through Nov 11 from 7pm to 5am

Ohio Street – Closed until mid-November

Washington Street – One lane closed overnight through Nov 18

##### **Ramps**

I-65 northbound to Meridian/Pennsylvania – Closed until late November

I-65 southbound/I-70 westbound C/D to Ohio Street – Closed until late November

Keystone/Rural to I-70 westbound – Closed until late December

*Report concerns or issues to INDOT [here](#).*

### Current Transportation/Infrastructure Projects

#### **Street Improvements**

[College Avenue Two-Way Conversion](#) – Market St and Mass Ave

[Super Stop Structural Rehabilitation](#) – Maryland St to Vermont St

[Monument Circle Reconstruction](#) – East Market St Phase One

[Monument Circle Reconstruction](#) – West Market St Phase One

[White River Innovation District](#) – Associated Roadway

For all other current projects on *bridge improvements, connectivity improvements, and stormwater and drainage improvements*, please click [here](#).

## What Happened in October?

### October 17<sup>th</sup>

Mayor Hogsett and the Greater Indianapolis Progress Committee (GIPC) awarded community leader, volunteer, and current CEO of the Central Indiana Corporate Partnership (CICP), David Johnson with the [2022 Charles L. Whistler Award](#)

[2023 Budget Passage](#): Historic funding for public safety, infrastructure, more passed in bipartisan vote by City-County Council.

### October 21<sup>st</sup>

Mayor Hogsett and the Department of Metropolitan Development (DMD) released [222 North Alabama Street Redevelopment Project Request for Proposals](#), a redevelopment opportunity for 222 N. Alabama St., a downtown parking lot north of Old City Hall.

### October 28<sup>th</sup>

Department of Metropolitan Development (DMD) [was awarded a \\$35 million allocation of New Markets Tax Credits](#) from the U.S. Department of Treasury. DMD estimates the \$35 million award will generate at least \$90 million in new development.

### October 31<sup>st</sup>

City of Indianapolis Office of Minority and Women Business Development (OMWBD) selects a women and veteran-owned business enterprise, [GroundBreakers Hydrovac Excavation Services LLC](#), for its second Vendor of the Month.

## Get Involved

### Indiana Diaper Bank: Share the Love Diaper Drive

This will be the 3rd annual Share the Love diaper drive event. Each year they try to raise 150,000 diapers for families experiencing diaper need. This drive will run from Nov 25 through Dec 31.

[Share the Love Diaper Drive](#)

### Indianapolis Animal Care Services (IACS) Safety Net Foster Program

Want to help keep families and pets together? Have space in your home for some extra paws? Apply to be a temporary foster family!

[Indy CARES Foster Home Application](#)

### American Red Cross: Sound the Alarm

Get trained and help your neighbors install free smoke alarms.

[Sound the Alarm, Save a Life](#)

## Upcoming Events

**Nov 11 through Jan 7:** [Festival of Trees](#) at the Indiana Historical Society

**Nov 19 through Jan 16:** [Jingle Rails](#) at The Eiteljorg Museum of American Indians and Western Art

**Nov 19 through Dec 30:** [Christmas at the Zoo](#)

**Nov 25:** [Downtown Indy, Inc. Circle of Lights®](#)

**Nov 25 through Dec 31:** [Celebration Crossing](#) at the Indiana State Museum and Historic Sites

**Nov 25 - Dec 18:** The Athenaeum's

[Christkindlmarkt](#)

**Dec 1:** West Indy Winter Fest 2022

## THANK YOU!

For staying connected to your community and allowing your Indianapolis MNAs the opportunity to continue building and developing our neighborhoods. I look forward to working with each of you in the coming months! Stay safe and

*happy  
Thanksgiving  
everyone!*

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