



FROM THE OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

Welcome to the monthly newsletter from The Office of the Mayor, curated by Mayor Brandon Sakbun himself.

This newsletter highlights upcoming city events, street closures, city project updates, public safety information, and whatever else Mayor Brandon thinks you all, the citizens, should be informed of.



Mayor Brandon Sakbun's Official Mayoral Portrait unveiling.

"The month of April was a busy one for the city of Terre Haute. From the opening of a new casino to large downtown events, we continue to see visitors from across the nation visit our hometown. This has also been an active month for city employees. Our Parks Department continues to work tirelessly to deliver quality and clean parks to our citizens. The Wastewater Utility and Street Department were both pivotal in repairing street curbs, fixing alleys, clearing condemned lots, and supporting the largest City-Wide Cleanup recorded in our City's history.

Please join us on Memorial Day for services dedicated to our nation's heroes at Woodlawn and Highland Lawn Cemeteries. Services will be conducted by VFW Post 972.

Services at Woodlawn start at 9:00 am and services at Highland Lawn start at 11:00 am.

-Mayor Brandon

MAY CITY EVENTS

This month is FULL of events as we move into our spring season programming!

Check out what city events are

DEPARTMENT SPOTLIGHT

happening this month in Terre Haute!

[Event List](#)

MAY STREET CLOSURES

Click [Here](#) to view all of the planned street closures within the city limits for the month of May.*

*For additional Street closure information please follow our City of Terre Haute Facebook page.

NEW DATE AND LOCATION ALERT!

The Terre Haute Human Relations Commission and the Terre Haute 10 Equitable Educational Outcomes will be hosting their third (and final) Community Engagement Workshop on Monday, May 6, from 6 to 8 PM at Sarah Scott Middle School.

In this third part, participants will build on the conversations from the previous sessions and discuss how we will implement our strategies in an effort to bring positive change to our community. All are welcome to attend. We thank everyone for their patience as we had to postpone this event - we look forward to seeing everyone in May at Sarah Scott!

THE MAYORS YOUTH COUNCIL

Mayor Sakbun announces the development of The Mayor's Youth Council. He will be working with the Vigo County School Corporation to select a group of 2024/2025 high school seniors. These students will have an immersive experience in

The Engineering Department

We are officially in the middle of spring which means construction season is in full swing. The Engineering Department is ready to get projects underway and highlight projects they've done so far or have planned.

CURRENT ENGINEERING PROJECT UPDATES

[Herz-Rose Park](#)

The project is ready to bid this May and will start construction by July. Here is the current project page under Mayor –

[Destination Wabash](#)

In March, City applied for a RAISE grant through the Department of Transportation to fund both the planning and construction phases of this project. For more information.

[Wabash Riverfront Master Plan](#)

The City is collaborating closely with Riverscape, Vigo County, Thrive, and consultants on the development of the Wabash Riverfront Master Plan.

Safe Streets For All Grant

The city has recently been awarded the Safe Streets for All grant for planning and demonstration activities by the Department of Transportation. Currently, we are in the process of finalizing the grant agreement with the Federal Highway Administration. The grant funding is \$250,000.

With this grant, the city intends to develop the Terre Haute Transportation Safety Action Plan. This plan aims to enhance infrastructure, improve traffic management systems, promote education, and encourage responsible road behavior.

[13th Street and 8th Avenue Overpass Project](#)

SIDEWALK UPDATE

We are excited to share that we are making big improvements to our sidewalks! Our city is dedicated to making sure walking around is safe and easy for everyone.

[View](#) the map to see where the improvements will be

local government.

happening soon.

Formal announcements to come.

STREET PAVING UPDATE

Click [Here](#) to view the current street pavement projects.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT WORKSHOP SERIES

PART 3: IMPLEMENTATION

Monday, May 6
6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

NEW
DATE

SHARE YOUR
VOICE!

**Sarah Scott Middle
School Gym**

1000 Grant St,
Terre Haute, IN 47802

NEW
LOCATION

Join us for the final part of a three-part Community Engagement Series and **share your voice**. Help identify issues in our community and be a part of developing an action plan for how to address them!



TERRE HAUTE 10
EQUITABLE EDUCATIONAL OUTCOMES



City of Terre Haute
Human Relations Commission

Read below for more information about our various grant programs for nonprofits and small businesses!

Nonprofit Grant Program



Funded by the
City of Terre Haute



The grant program is intended to help alleviate the pressure of operational supports for nonprofits and allow them to build capacity and organizational development. This allows them to respond and adapt to the growing needs of our most vulnerable in the City of Terre Haute.

Total funding available: \$750,000
Grant awards: \$10,000 to \$50,000

Goals

- Build capacity and organizational development of nonprofit community
- Strengthen organization's infrastructure, management, and/or governance
- Increase organizational effectiveness

Timeline

- Project Qualification Survey open: April 2, 2024
- Informational grant meetings - United Way - 100 S. 7th St.
 - April 18th @ 9am & April 30th @ 4pm
- Project Qualification Survey due: May 30, 2024
- Invitation-only full application due: August 7, 2024

[Full Grant Details & Application](#)

UWWV.org/NPGrant

(812) 235-6287

Small Business Grant Program



Funded by the
City of Terre Haute



The grant program focuses on multiple pillars of the See You in Terre Haute Community Plan, including economic development, quality of life, and talent attraction and retention.

These grants are intended to help small businesses grow, support business recovery, and increase the overall resiliency of local businesses in the City of Terre Haute.

Total funding available: \$1,500,000
Grant awards: \$10,000 to \$100,000

Goals

- Retain Existing Business
- Retain Existing Employees
- Increase Revenue
- Increase Employees

Timeline

- Project Qualification Survey open: April 2, 2024
- Applicant assistance meetings - The Hub - 900 Wabash Ave
 - April 17th @ 2pm - May 1st @ 8:30am - May 9th @ 6pm
- Project Qualification Survey early deadline: May 16, 2024
- Project Qualification Survey final deadline: June 27, 2024
- Invitation-only full application due: September 17, 2024

Full Grant Details & Application

UWWV.org/SBGrant

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"The United Way and City of Terre Haute Grant Program is a tool that allows small businesses and non-profits an opportunity to apply for needed funding. These grants are possible because of funds from the American Rescue Plan Act. The program will allow the city to grow its small business community and provide needed support for Hoosiers hit hardest the past few years due to the pandemic and inflation. Programs like this one embody the true spirit of local government; an

opportunity to create a rising tide that lifts all boats.”
- Mayor Brandon



"On the latest episode of *Mondays with the Mayor*, Mayor Brandon sits down with three Terre Haute North and South high school students. These students are part of CEO, a program benefiting high school students to gain business and management knowledge and hands-on experience. The group discusses Terre Haute, their futures, and the workforce.

-Mayor Brandon



A MILE WITH THE MAYOR

JOIN MAYOR BRANDON SAKBUN FOR A MONTHLY "MILE WITH THE MAYOR" WALK THIS SUMMER! EACH WALK WILL TAKE PLACE AT A LOCAL PARK OR MUNICIPAL TRAIL WITHIN THE CITY OF TERRE HAUTE PARK SYSTEM.

ALL ARE WELCOME TO PARTICIPATE IN A 1-MILE WALK WITH THE MAYOR THROUGH OUR BEAUTIFUL, LOCAL TRAILS AND PARKS. ENJOY THE OUTDOORS, GET YOUR STEPS IN, AND MEET THE MAYOR!

CHECK OUT THE TERRE HAUTE PARKS AND RECREATION FACEBOOK PAGE FOR UPDATES AND REMINDERS

 START AT 6 PM



MAYOR BRANDON SAKBUN

MEET-UP DATES AND LOCATIONS

-  **MAY 1**  JONES TRAILHEAD
-  **JUNE 1**  DOBBS PARK NATURE CENTER
-  **JULY 1**  FAIRBANKS PARK ARCH
-  **AUGUST 6**  DEMING PARK TORNER CENTER
-  **SEPTEMBER 1**  ISU STADIUM


Terre Haute
parks & recreation
FOR MORE INFORMATION

 (812) 232-0147



"Join me in person for a leisurely walk around our beautiful parks and trails while we discuss our city, plans, and hang out! Let's all take STEPS to improve the public health in our community."

-Mayor Brandon

OUR CITY RECYCLING LOCATION IS OPEN!

THE STREETS DEPARTMENT LOCATED AT 1329 Deming Street Terre Haute, IN 47807 IS NOW ACCEPTING RECYCLABLES!

ITEMS MUST BE PLACED LOOSELY IN BIN!



NO GLASS, PLASTIC BAGS, LOOSE PLASTIC WRAP, OR PIZZA BOXES. DO NOT BRING YOUR TRASH HERE.

EMPTY, CLEAN, AND DRY, ITEMS ONLY 

ACCEPTABLE

PAPER

ENVELOPES, JUNK MAIL, PHONE BOOKS, BROCHURES, MAGAZINES

CARDBOARD

FILE FOLDERS, POSTER BOARD, FROZEN FOOD BOXES, CARDBOARD BOXES, MILK CARTONS

PLASTIC (1,2,5 ONLY)

WATER BOTTLES, TAKE-OUT CONTAINERS, SODA BOTTLES, MILK JUGS, DETERGENT CONTAINERS

ALUMINUM/METAL

ALUMINUM DRINK CANS, FOOD CANS, SCRAP METAL

UNACCEPTABLE

**AEROSOL CANS
ALUMINUM FOIL
BATTERIES
CLOTHING
FOOD SCRAPS
MIRRORS
CERAMIC
PLASTIC BAGS
SHREDDED PAPER
STICKERS/ADDRESS LABELS
STYROFOAM
PAPER TOWELS
ALL GLASS**



CONTAMINATION WILL RESULT IN CLOSING RECYCLING SITES. DO THE RIGHT THING.

We will be receiving a larger recycling bin in the month of May. Our glass recycling efforts will begin this month as well. Stay tuned for more announcements!



My T.H. 311+

MATTRESS AND LARGE ITEM DROP OFF LOCATION

City residents are being offered a new service from Vigo County!

Vigo County Solid Waste Management has opened a collection site taking in old mattresses and living room furniture.

Drop off items at 3230 E Haythorne Ave.*

Do you have a municipal issue to report?
Large item pickup at your city residence?
Contact 311! A **FREE** city resource.

[How to contact](#) | [What can I report?](#)

Every Mon, Tues, Wed- 9am to 3:30pm
First Saturday of every month- 10am to 2pm

*Limit of 2 mattresses/box springs per visit, limit of one couch/love seat/recliner per visit.



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