



**Community Newsletter - City of New Haven - April, 2017**



Terry McDonald,  
Mayor

**Join us for the 8th Annual  
Veterans' Memorial Ride  
Saturday, May 13, 2017**

(Rain Date Saturday, June 3, 2017)

**American Legion Post 330**  
330 Entrance Drive  
New Haven, Indiana



- 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.**      **Breakfast Buffet (\$7)**
- 11:00-12:30 p.m.**      **Registration (Donation of \$10 per bike)**
- 12:30 p.m.**              **Opening Ceremony & Awards**
- 1:00 p.m.**                 **Ride Departs from American Legion Post #330**  
330 Entrance Drive, New Haven
- 2:00 p.m.- 5:00 p.m.**      **Lunch (\$7)**  
**Entertainment by Backwater Band**
- 5:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.**      **Baby Back Ribs Dinner**

Once again this year, the New Haven Mayor's Office and New Haven Park Department has teamed up with American Legion Post 330 to present the Annual Veterans' Memorial Motorcycle Ride on Saturday, May 13th. Registration will begin at 11:00 a.m. at the American Legion Post 330 in New Haven. After the opening ceremony and salute to our military, this 40+ mile motorcycle ride will take off at 1:00 p.m. from American Legion Post 330 and arrive back at the American Legion.

A breakfast buffet and lunch will be offered to the public for \$7 per person. Entertainment by the Mason Dixon Line band will be held from 2:00-5:00 p.m. To finish out a day full of fun and entertainment, the Legion will offer a baby back ribs dinner from 5:00-9:00 p.m.

The Veterans' Memorial Ride will also host commercial vendors during this event. Come join us for contests, door prizes, raffles, and much more.

Proceeds from this ride will benefit continued renovations to Schnelker Veterans' Memorial Park in honor of all military veterans and those who serve this great country.

For more information, contact Sue at the New Haven Park Department at 749-2212.

**Thank You to our Sponsors**



**CONTACT INFORMATION**

City Court.....	748-7878
Clerk-Treasurer .....	748-7010
Code Enforcement.....	748-7060
Drug/Crime Tip Hotline.....	748-7099
Engineering.....	748-7030
EMS.....	749-1235
Fire.....	493-7500
Mayor's Office.....	748-7070
Parks.....	749-2212
Planning/Permits.....	748-7040
Police Non-Emergency.....	748-7080
<b>Sewer/Water (24 Hr. Emergency).....</b>	<b>414-9097</b>
Street Dept.....	748-7056
Utility Office.....	748-7050

**ENGINEERING PROJECTS**

Updates on current street resurfacing projects are available on our website at [www.newhavenin.org](http://www.newhavenin.org)

**CITY HALL BUSINESS HOURS**

	<b>Mon. - Thurs.</b>	<b>Friday</b>
City Court	7:30a-4:00p	7:00a - 3:30p
Clerk-Treas.	7:00a-4:00p	7:00a - 3:30p
Engineering	7:00a-4:00p	7:00a - 3:30p
Mayor	7:30a-4:00p	7:00a - 3:30p
Utilities	7:00a-4:00p	7:00a - 3:30p
Street Dept.	7:00a-4:00p	7:00a - 3:30p
Planning Dept.	7:00a-4:00p	7:00a - 3:30p

**UTILITY BILL - CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS**

To pay your utility bill by phone with a credit card, please contact (866) 670-3036.

**◆ Meetings at New Haven City Hall ◆  
(Park Board Meets at the Community Center)**

**May**

05/01	Park Board	6:00 p.m.
05/02	Board of Works	9:30 a.m.
05/09	City Council	7:00 p.m.
05/16	Board of Works	9:30 a.m.
05/16	Plan Commission	7:00 p.m.
05/18	Fire/EMS	7:00 p.m.
05/23	City Council	7:00 p.m.
05/24	BZA	7:00 p.m.
05/29	Memorial Day	<b>Closed</b>



## 2017 New Haven Neighborhood Garage Sales



### MAY

### JUNE

May 18-19 Barber's Pointe  
 May 19-20 Canal Ridge  
 Glenridge Manor  
 Shordon Estates  
 Tanglewood

June 1-3 Windsor Pointe  
 June 2-3 Ashford Lakes Villas  
 Ashford Lakes  
 Lakes of Scarborough  
 Pinestone  
 Sunnymede  
 Woodfield

May 19-20-21 Meadowbrook      June 16-17 Arrow Haven



## Unwanted Medication Disposal



Thanks to the efforts of Allen County TRIAD and the participation of Walgreen's Drug Stores, there will be an organized drive for the collection of unwanted medication on **Friday, April 28<sup>th</sup> from 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.** Bring any unwanted medication (in their original bottles or packages) to any of these select **Walgreen's Drug Store** locations:

**907 Lincoln Hwy. West (New Haven)  
 10170 Maysville Rd.**

**Ongoing collection sites (for pills only) at:**  
 New Haven Police Department (815 Lincoln Highway East)

For more information, call (260) 469-3036 or visit [www.agingihs.org](http://www.agingihs.org)

## Summer Waste Water Discount

Customers typically use the most water during the summer months; therefore, all residential customers inside the city limits are automatically put on a discounted wastewater rate for the summer. This discount allows customers to use more water while paying less wastewater.

Each customer's discount is unique to their own usage average for the previous months of December, January, February and March. This average becomes the wastewater cap for any water used over and above their average during the summer discount timeframe from **(May 9, 2017 - September 6, 2017)**. Ex: Customer "A" has an average of 5,000 gallons of water from Dec-Mar. June's water usage is 8,500 gallons but they are only charged for 5,000 gallons of wastewater. They are getting a discount of 3,500 gallons on their waste water portion of their bill.

For more information, please contact the New Haven Utility Office at 748-7050.



## Event Rental Opportunities at the New Haven Depot

546 State Street, New Haven  
 (Across from Moser Park)

Did you know the New Haven Depot is not only a historic location in Haven, but also offers rental opportunities for your upcoming event? From April through December each year, the New Haven Depot can accommodate your party needs, including meetings, reunions, birthday parties, bridal showers or baby showers, graduation parties, or other special events, please consider renting the New Haven Depot for your next event.

Celebrating over 100 years of tradition, the New Haven Depot is a unique space to host your next event.

For rental information or other questions, please contact Allison Adams at (260) 493-3734.



## Severe Weather Are You Prepared?



It's only early spring, yet we have already experienced severe weather in our area. Now is a good time to sit down with your family and talk about severe weather preparedness. Severe thunderstorms and tornadoes can occur without much warning here in the Midwest, so a little preparation now can have a big impact when the weather turns bad.

Here are a few tips to help keep you and your family safe in the event of severe weather.

1. Develop a safe place inside your home, either in the basement or a center room such as a bathroom or closet.

2. If you live in a mobile home, plan now for a safe shelter. Ask someone if you might be able to use their conventionally built home as a shelter.

3. Purchase an emergency weather radio to alert you as bad weather approaches the area.

4. Be aware of local weather via television or radio and plan accordingly.

5. Are you prepared if a severe weather comes through your area? Stock bottled water and other essentials for your family for at least 3 days. Severe weather may cause damage to power lines or disrupt water supplies - so be prepared.



## Tornado Siren Warnings



Public safety is always our top priority. The City of New Haven now has nine Tornado Warning Sirens active throughout the community. With our extensive siren coverage, residents can expect the sirens to sound when there has been a tornado warning issued for Allen County, when New Haven is expected to be in or near the warning area, or a credible sighting has been made by trained personnel.

When activated, residents will hear a steady 3 minute tone and should take shelter immediately and tune to any radio or television for information. The sirens may be heard up to a mile [outside residences] and up to 1/2 to 2/3 of a mile [inside homes]. In the event of an active warning, residents can expect the siren to be reactivated if a tornado continues to be a threat to the community. Residents are also encouraged to utilize a commercial weather radio where activation tones will alert for severe weather.

All nine sirens are tested at 12:00 noon on the first Wednesday of each month (weather permitting) and will run for about 30 seconds. If the weather at the time of the test is threatening, the test will be delayed until the following month. Anytime unscheduled maintenance is needed on any of the sirens where an audible test is required, it will also be carried out only when the weather is not threatening.

### Tornado Siren Locations

- Adams Center Road
- Bensman Avenue
- Jury Park
- Landin Road
- Meadowbrook Park
- Moser Park
- Nelson Road
- Seiler Road
- Sunnymede Park