



**INSIDE THIS ISSUE:** 2026 Meetings & Block Party Dates & Upcoming Neighborhood Projects!

## Farewell to a board member

We want to thank Dawn Parnin for her years of dedicated service to the board. Dawn has been the motivating force behind so many of the projects that the city has implemented within our borders, and her drive will be missed. Her last project, the beautification of the Lenox Triangle is on schedule to be completed this year!

## Welcome

We are welcoming Dee Schwein as our new VP. Dee joined us as a volunteer two years ago and led us in the FORTify program. Thanks to grants from that program we have our new signs, our block parties, and even more to come!

Issues, Questions, Annual Dues?  
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## General Meetings

*Shawnee Branch ACPL*  
6:30pm

March 16  
May 18  
Sep 21  
Nov 16

## Block Party

*Kettler Park 2pm*  
October 17

## Tires & TVs

*Trash pickup 6am*  
Apr 17  
Oct 16

## Neighborhood Clean-ups

*Kettler Park 8am-12*  
Apr 18  
Jul 18  
Oct 17

# City Projects in 2026

## Paulding:

The rest of the Paulding Rd. project which will continue the new sidewalks, and center lane. There will also be a new bus station at Kettler Park, and public art at the Paulding Fairfield intersection.

- <https://engage.cityoffortwayne.org/fairfieldandpaulding>

## Belmont:

The entire length of Belmont will be rebuilt, including connecting to the split storm/sewer system underneath Fairfield. Crosby Excavating's project manager Austin Harris provided his number (765-557-1051) at the meeting on Feb 4 and asked if you have any questions/issues with the crew to reach out directly.

- <https://engage.cityoffortwayne.org/fairfield-terrace-belmont-neighborhood-assoc-belmont-st-reconstruction>

## McClellan:

While still in the bidding process, McClellan is also due for a full rebuild in the coming years.

- <https://engage.cityoffortwayne.org/mcclellan-street-reconstruction>

# FTB Board

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# FTB Projects in 2026

## Lenox Triangle:

Thanks in part to grants from the FORTify program, and the City of Fort Wayne, the triangle of land at Lenox and Buell will be getting a full makeover. There will be a seating area, a little free library, trees, and landscaping making that area a great place to stop and rest for a while.

## Block Party:

Happening October 17 in conjunction with our Neighborhood Clean-up Day, this year's block party will have a beauty and function theme. We want to know how you can be happier to live in your neighborhood. What decorative projects, like the Lenox Triangle, would you like to see us work towards? There are grants to be had, and we're applying to many of them. How would you like that money spent?

## Neighborhood Clean-up & Tires/TVs:

Back again this year we will be collecting your old tires or TVs. Place them in your trash location by Friday at 6am, and they'll be picked up and taken to the dump free of charge. On Saturday morning we'll have a free dumpster at Kettler Park from 8am-noon for any of your oversized trash.

If you need assistance please reach out at least a week in advance!

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Now that you've read what FTBNA does for you,  
let's talk about what you can do!

### Meetings:

6:30pm at the Shawnee branch of the library on Calhoun:  
March 16, May 18, Sep 21, and Nov 16

### Dues:

Dues pay for block parties, signage, neighborhood clean-ups, and increase our ability to help our neighbors. At only \$25/year per house they're a great deal! We are hoping to increase our dues received so we can offer more opportunities and options for the neighborhood. Whether you're an owner, renter, or landlord you are gaining the benefits of the FTBNA, and things are only going to get better the more people who are involved.

Online, by phone, or by mail/in person:  
c/o Shirley Glover, 5118 Buell Dr., Fort Wayne, IN 46807

### Volunteer:

We are always looking for folks who want to get involved. This doesn't have to be a big commitment, come help hand out raffle tickets at the Block Party. Walk around with a trash bag during a Neighborhood Clean-up, or even just come to the General Meetings and let us know what you'd like out of your neighborhood.

### Ideas:

Right now all the ideas for projects are coming from about 5 people, and we may not be prioritizing what you'd like. Reach out in person, by phone, by email, or through the website. Even if you only have the start of an idea, we'd like to hear it!

**Tell your neighbors!**