



City Updates

October 2nd, 2026

Events

- Fall Fest will be downtown on Saturday, October 10th from 3pm - 9pm with over 40 market vendors on site until 8pm. This is a great free family event and an opportunity to visit our downtown businesses!
- Olde Fashioned Christmas will be downtown Friday, November 20th and Saturday November 21st. Friday will include lighting of holiday decorations on Main Street, carriage rides, and another chance to visit your local businesses for some holiday shopping. Saturday Santa comes to town on Firetruck at 10:00am!

Welcome CHS!

- The City is excited CHS announced it is moving forward with construction of its Evansville Oilseed Processing facility. The facility will process beans from local farmers & output oil & meal for distribution. Construction is expected to start this fall & take about 2 years. Our local businesses will see immediate benefits of additional patrons during this construction. The City is working on an informational page for our industrial partners, focusing on CHS. You can find information about this project at www.evansvillewi.gov/chs

2026 Capital Projects Wrap Up

- Longfield Street is significantly behind. The City is working closely with engineers and contractors to minimize further delays.
- The lift station on Lincoln Street reconstruction work is complete.
- Sidewalk repairs are underway, primarily along Main Street.

- Your local vehicle registration fees allowed the repaving of Lincoln Street and portions of Countryside Drive as well as other chip sealing and maintenance to preserve the life of other roads.
- The historic Park Store building next to the splash pad was an integral part of concessions for the old pool, it now needs to find a new purpose! Work will occur this fall/winter to bring the building structure and mechanical systems up to modern safety and code standards. Final work on the building will occur next year but will depend on how the building is used. We need your thoughts! How would you like to see the building used? Email Jason: j.sergeant@evansvillewi.gov

2027 Budget

- Common Council is reviewing a draft of the 2027 budget this month, with final adoption next month. Some items being proposed, and subject to changes, include:
 - Reallocating youth center budget for a recreation coordinator
 - Upgrades to older park equipment
 - A kayak launch at Lake Leota
 - Road work on Liberty Street, First Street, and Garfield Street

Other Updates

- Evansville Aquatic Center and Veterans Memorial Splashpad are closed for the season. For a third year in a row, the aquatic center generated enough revenue to cover expenses.
- Sign up to receive monthly calendar updates: www.evansvillewi.gov/signup

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