Mayor’s Night Out – Northwest Outer Region

Mayor Greg Ballard

34<sup>th</sup> Mayor’s Night Out
City Successes

The Mayor’s Action Center (MAC):

• Speed to answer down to 1 second in October 2010 from as much as 4 minutes in years past

• Created **outbound call program**; more than **55,670 outbound calls** made since November 2008

• First of its kind online Web portal

• Over **12,300 requests** received since the launch on June 16\(^{th}\)

• **Track the status** of your request online

• [www.indy.gov/mac](http://www.indy.gov/mac)
Water & wastewater utilities transfer to Citizens Energy Group:

- Upon approval, the City will receive upwards of $400 million to be used for infrastructure improvements
- $55 million invested throughout city/county by end of 2010

The agreement will:

- Provide rates that are 25 percent lower by 2025 than currently projected
- Provide funding for deteriorating infrastructure
- Depoliticize management decisions
- Create Jobs
- [www.indy.gov/rebuildindy](http://www.indy.gov/rebuildindy) or [www.indy.gov/utilities](http://www.indy.gov/utilities)
- Follow @RebuildIndy on Twitter
Mayor’s Night Out – Northwest Outer Region

City Successes

Parking Modernization
• On November 15, the City-County Council passed the Mayor’s proposal to modernize the city’s parking system
• The ParkIndy team is committed to improving our parking system in a way that will spur economic development and make parking more convenient for residents and visitors

The plan includes:
• Credit/debit card capable meters
• $20 Million upfront payment
• Projected $620 Million dollars for infrastructure improvements over life of proposal

For more info, visit www.indy.gov/parking
City Successes

Job Commitments:

- Created Jobs
  - 2009: 4,151 (41 Projects)
  - 2010 ytd: 6,982 (62 Projects)

- Retained Jobs
  - 2009: 6,802
  - 2010 ytd: 8,102

Total Capital Investment

- 2009: $139 M
- 2010 ytd: $865 M
## City Successes

### Pike Township Economic Development Projects

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Company</th>
<th>Industry</th>
<th>New Jobs</th>
<th>Retained Jobs</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Blue Bell Creameries</td>
<td>Logistical/Distribution</td>
<td>24</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Dow AgroSciences</td>
<td>Life Sciences</td>
<td>577</td>
<td>1131</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Fusion Alliance</td>
<td>IT</td>
<td>123</td>
<td>173</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Hat World</td>
<td>Logistical/Distribution</td>
<td>571</td>
<td>336</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>AIT Labs</td>
<td>Life Sciences</td>
<td>160</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Incredible Pizza Company</td>
<td>Retail</td>
<td>35</td>
<td>0</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Sam Schmidt Motorsports</td>
<td>Motorsports</td>
<td>28</td>
<td>12</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Beckman Coulter</td>
<td>Advanced Manufacturing</td>
<td>95</td>
<td>540</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
City Successes

Minority, Women and Veteran Business Development Creating a Level Playing Field:

- $141,202,004 in contracts awarded to MBE/WBE firms in 2009 compared to $68,951,675 in 2008
- Implemented City’s first M/W/VBE participation & reporting program in all city/county departments & agencies
- Six of 12 contracts for managing golf facilities awarded to M/WBE
Indianapolis Veteran Services Web Site:
- Site Includes links to Veteran resources, benefits information, updates on events and networking opportunities
- [http://www.indy.gov/VeteranServices](http://www.indy.gov/VeteranServices)
Public Safety

Northwest Outer Region – Policing Districts

IMPD North District
Commander Tom Koppel
Headquarters: 3120 E. 30th St.
Front Desk: 327-6100

IMPD Northwest District
Commander Peter Mungovan
Headquarters: 3821 Industrial Blvd.
Front Desk: 327-6600
Public Safety

City-Wide Homicide Trend
May – October 2007 - 2010

Includes Criminal Homicides for the IMPD Service Area
Mayor’s Night Out – Northwest Outer Region

Public Safety

Northwest Outer Region – Preliminary Crime Trend
May 1, 2009 – October 31, 2009 vs. May 1, 2010 – October 31, 2010

Violent Crime is down 11.25% in the city overall
Property Crime is down 3.82% in the city overall

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Violent Crimes</th>
<th>Property Crimes</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Percentage Change</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8.86%</td>
<td>-2.67%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Includes Criminal Homicide, Rape, Armed and Strong Arm Robbery, Carjacking, Aggravated Assault and Simple Assault

Includes Burglary, Larceny, Larceny from Vehicle and Stolen Vehicle
Public Safety

• Targeting crime with our community-based approach
  – Partnering with community, ministers, schools, public health and other officials to address causes of crime and violence
  – Neighborhood clean-ups
  – Public Safety walks to talk with residents about CrimeWatch, PAL Club, and crime prevention tips

• Continue to fight crime by taking proactive measures
  – Targeted patrols and investigations in crime hot spots
  – Follow-up visits to crime scene areas to prevent repeat actions or retaliation
  – Prostitution, probation, and warrant sweeps
  – Long-term Narcotics Investigations
Northern Estates Drainage Improvements

- Hybrid ditches were constructed in the Northern Estates neighborhood, alleviating standing water in the area and positively affecting over 50 homes
- Streets repaved in neighborhood

Northwest Outer Region Infrastructure Improvements Completed in 2010:

- Line Marking 33
- Guardrail Repair 3
- Signal Timing/Repair 13
- Resurfacing on Guion Rd, Zionsville Rd, Lafayette Rd, Hallwood Ct, Wood Stream Ct, Mosswood Dr, Mosswood Ct, Shadowwood Dr, Shadowwood Ct, Wiltonwood Dr
Through Mayor’s Night Out meetings, reports from the Mayor’s Action Center (MAC) and conversations with residents, issues in the Crooked Creek Neighborhood near Michigan Road were brought to the Mayor’s attention early in his administration. Several road projects are now underway that will significantly improve the quality of life for residents who live near or drive on Michigan Road.

• DPW has added concrete medians to the intersection of Michigan Rd. and Westlane Rd. and widened it to allow for left turn movements
• Improved LED signal heads were also added and pedestrian push buttons were installed
• The City will spend $800,000 in pedestrian improvements along 71st and Michigan Road by adding a trail from Cold Springs Road to Kessler Boulevard
Ongoing initiatives in the Lafayette Square Mall Area/CRED/ International Market Place:

- Call for designs, sponsored by Keep Indianapolis Beautiful, held to help develop a vision/streetscape for the area

- RFQ released for the design of gateways to help re-brand the area as an international marketplace
DCE has performed the following in the Northwest Outer Region as of November 4, 2010:

- 492 high weeds and grass violations issued
- 1,340 zoning investigations conducted
- 261 zoning violations cited

**Green Building Incentive:**

- In partnership with the **Office of Sustainability**, implemented a **rebate program** for building construction projects that incorporate sustainable design techniques or technologies
- Projects eligible for up to a **50% rebate on all permit fees**
Mayor’s Night Out – Northwest Outer Region

IndyGo

Transit Enhancements

• IndyGo will add **benches and bike racks** to nearly all **bus stops** on **38th Street** between Georgetown and High School Roads
• Working with **Lafayette Square Coalition** in trying to identify sites for bus stop improvements

Adopt-A-Stop Program

• **Northwest Outer Region Adopt-A-Stop Participants:**
  • R & C Brown Family
  • Pike Township Advisory Board
  • Pike Township Fire Department
  • Top Ladies of Distinction Inc.
  • Kevin & Gena Brown

• **Interested in Adopting-A-Stop?**
  Contact Bryan Luellen at 317.614.9284 or bluellen@indygo.net
IndyParks

Eagle Creek Park
• Porous asphalt paving at Geisse Soccer Complex through a United Water Green Infrastructure Grant

Northwestway Park
• The parking lot for the Little League teams will get new striping

71st Street Trail
• Construction of 0.8 mile trail that will connect the Eagle Creek Park North gate and 12 Oaks Boulevard
• The trail is 100% funded by the Indiana Department of Transportation
Mayor’s Night Out – Northwest Outer Region

Questions and Answers

Connect with the City

www.facebook.com/MayorBallard

www.twitter.com/MayorBallard

www.flikr.com/cityofindy

www.indy.gov/Mayor/Newsletter