Greetings Neighbors!

The City of Fort Wayne FencePost website is a wonderful way for neighbors to share ideas and stay current in their neighborhood "happenings"! It is "Neighbors talking to Neighbors"!

Contribute to Ideas - Post Announcements - Share Frustrations - Celebrate Good news! - All of this and more can be accessed on FencePost!

The City's Neighborhood Associations have had great success with those who are currently using this site and as President of our neighborhood; I am encouraging all of you to join.

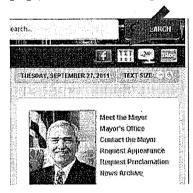
The City of Fort Wayne has over 400 active neighborhoods and this website lets you see what's happening in your neighborhood and those around town.

Okay, let's get started!

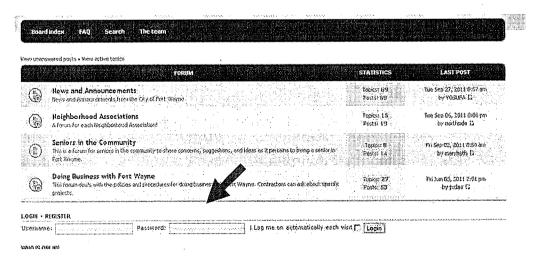
Below are the instructions on how to register and some "quick tips" for this website. Please do not hesitate to contact Mary Huth (mary.huth@cityoffortwayne.org) if you need further assistance.

To register at the new "City of Fort Wayne: Fencepost" website,

Either go to: http://www.cityoffortwayne.org/fencepost or go to the www.cityoffortwayne.org (which is the City's web page) and click on the picture (icon) of the fencepost at the top, right side of the page.



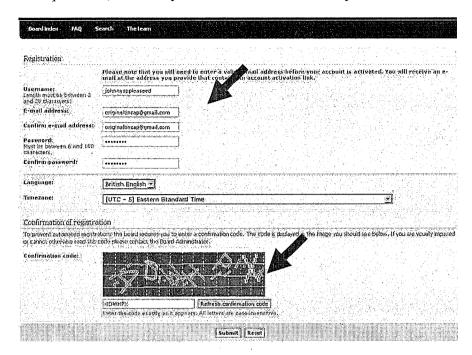
Once on FencePost, you will see at the bottom of the home page an area to register. Click Register.



You will want to create a user name – we suggest your first name and Last initial to make it easy for others to identify you. Your password can be anything you want, but we suggest making it easy to remember.

Quick Tips for your registration:

Please register the first time you visit. After you agree to the site terms, you'll reach the registration page. Select a username and a password, and enter your email address. Your site password must be between 6 and 100 characters long.



Also complete the **confirmation code** at the bottom on the screen. The confirmation code helps prevent spam from reaching the site. You will only have to do this once. (The confirmation code is case sensitive)

A verification email will be sent to the account you registered, asking you to verify your membership. Clicking on the link in the email will verify your account and provide access to the Fencepost.

- If you don't receive a verification email, please email Mary at mary.huth@cityoffortwayne.org

HELPFUL TIPS ON THE FENCEPOST WEBSITE:

Reading Messages

Messages are organized by forums and sub-forums. You may click on any forum name to see the messages inside. The main page also contains links to help you new content or special content. Look for these links at the top of the main page.

View unanswered posts, View active topics, View unread posts, View new posts, and View your post

Monitor Postings

You can sign up to receive an email if something new is posted to a forum you are interested in. To receive notifications of new or updated items, scroll down to the bottom of the page you would like to receive the notifications about and click on the "subscribe" link. (i.e. if you are in forums, scroll to the bottom of the page and click on the link that says "Subscribe forum"). You can unsubscribe at anytime by clicking on the unsubscribe link.

Writing Messages

To write a new message, open a forum and click the "New Topic" button. To write a reply, view a message and click the "Post Reply" button.

You must fill in the subject line of the message and type some text in your message. You can change the font and color of your message.

To attach a file, scroll down to the "Upload attachment" section. Click the "Browse" button and select a file, and click "Open". Click the "Add the file" button to attach the file to your message.

City's website: www.cityoffortwayne.org

Resident's page: www.cityoffortwayne.org/residents.html

Animal Care and Control: www.FWACC.org

Public Works home page: www.cityoffortwayne.org/publicworks

Garbage and Recycling page: www.cityoffortwayne.org/publicworks/solid-waste-management.html

Neighborhood Code home page: www.cityoffortwayne.org/neighborhoodcodeenforcement.html

Right-of-Way home page: www.cityoffortwayne.org/right-of-way.html

List of R-O-W Ordinances: www.cityoffortwayne.org/publicworks/right-of-way/code-enforcement-responsibilities.html

Street Department home page: www.cityoffortwayne.org/street-department.html

FW Police Department home page: www.fwpd.org

FW Fire Department home page: www.fortwaynefiredepartment.org

Planning Services (including BZA) home page: www.allencounty.us/dps

Residents page on the county website: www.allencounty.us/residents