



## COMMUNITY NEWS October 2022

### What's Inside

- Officer Receives Life Saving Award
- Fall Festival a Success
- Register for Veteran's Day Celebration
- Aldi Update
- Attend the 68th Street Open House
- Meet the Windsor Heights Staff
- Council Update

### Calendar of Events

October 17

- 6 PM City Council Meeting

October 25

- 4 - 6 PM 68th Street Project Open House (Colby Park)

November 7

- 6 PM City Council Meeting

November 11

- 11:30 AM Veteran's Lunch (Colby Park)

November 21

- 6 PM City Council Meeting

December 2 - 3

- Windsor Wonderland

*All City Council Meetings are held in the City Council Chambers at 1133 66th Street.*

### Keep Windsor Heights Beautiful

Windsor Heights is a great place to live, and your help is needed in keeping it clean, safe and beautiful.

Not sure what the Windsor Heights ordinances are? They can be viewed online! Go to [www.windsorheights.org](http://www.windsorheights.org) and select City Code of Ordinances on the homepage.

What You Can Do:

- Keep your lawn mowed and free of trash and junk
- Clean up after your pets and keep them on leashes
- Keep your vehicles parked on pavement and not grass



If you notice a concern around town, let us know by calling City Hall at 515-279-3662 or submitting it online at [windsorheights.org](http://windsorheights.org) and selecting "Report a Concern" on the homepage.

### More Time to Share Your Voice!

We've extended the deadline to October 14! Please share your thoughts on what you want Windsor Heights to look like in the future by telling us what you love about the community, what you want to retain, identify challenges we should address and share new ideas we should consider. We hope you will tell us about your vision for our community.

You can participate in different ways:

- Scan the QR code and answer the brief list of questions, or
- Go to the City's website at [www.windsorheights.org](http://www.windsorheights.org), or
- Request a paper copy from the City at 515-279-3662 before October 14.



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# THANK YOU!

**Sponsors, Vendors,  
Volunteers, Food Trucks,  
Parade Entries & Attendees!**



**Thousands Attend Inaugural Fall Festival** Windsor Heights kicked off fall with a weekend of music, games, food trucks and more! Thank you to all who came and made the Fall Festival a success.



## Windsor Heights Officer Recognized for Life Saving Actions

Windsor Heights was honored to give Officer Chad Norris a Life Saving Award on September 19, 2022.

On Sunday, August 28, 2022, Officer Norris was dispatched to check the welfare of an infant who appeared to be locked in a car. When Officer Norris arrived, he found the infant in a vehicle with two adults who appeared unconscious. Norris was able to wake the male, but the female was unresponsive. After assessing the scene and calling for medics, Officer Norris administered Narcan and the female responded.

Officer Norris showed urgency, compassion and patience while dealing with the situation. Windsor Heights is proud to announce the issuance of the Windsor Heights Police Department Life Saving Award to Officer Norris for his dedication to our community.



City of Windsor Heights

# ANNUAL VETERANS DAY EVENT

All veterans and their families are welcome to join us for a catered lunch and activities

**November 11 - 11:30 AM  
Windsor Heights Community Center  
Colby Park**

If you are a veteran or are the family member of one, please  
scan the QR code to register or call 515-279-3662



## Aldi is Getting Closer to Completion

Construction crews have been hard at work on the new Aldi coming to Windsor Heights. Recently they raised the exterior framing and installed the roof.

# How's Our Newsletter?

Share your comments and suggestions or ask a question! Email Deputy City Clerk Adam Strait at [astrait@windsorheights.org](mailto:astrait@windsorheights.org) or call 515-279-3662

## Tell Us What You Think: 68th Street Redesign Project

The City of Windsor Heights is preparing for the reconstruction of 68th Street (between Hickman Road and Timmons Drive) in the spring of 2023. As part of the design process, we will be hosting the second and final resident meeting on October 25th from 4 - 6 PM at the Community Center.

The design team will be available with the proposed layout for public viewing and to answer any questions. There is no formal presentation, so feel free to stop by any time. For questions, please contact Bolton & Menk at 515.259.9190 or [Desmoines@bolton-menk.com](mailto:Desmoines@bolton-menk.com)



## Meet Your New Deputy City Clerk

Adam Strait is the newest face at City Hall. He started as the City's new Deputy City Clerk in May of 2022 and has taken on the communication efforts of the City as well as managing the City's website, coordinating permit processing and payments, working the front desk, managing digital record keeping, and assisting with community center rentals.

Adam's background is in social media and customer service at Wells Fargo.

When he's not at City Hall, he enjoys spending his free time with his dog, Thurston, and two cats, Eugene and Seymour, or planning his next trip to Walt Disney World. Join us in welcoming Adam to the Windsor Heights community when you see him out and about!

## 9/19/22 City Council Meeting Recap

- Public Safety Director Chad McCluskey Presented a Life Saving Award
- Approved Resolution No. 2022-40 - A Resolution Approving Expenditure of \$15,000 in Local Option Sales Tax to the Mid-Iowa Health Foundation for the Central Iowa Basic Income Pilot Project
- Approved Park Master Plan - Bolton & Menk
- Approved the Removal of a Monument Sign from the Design of the 68th Street Reconstruction Project
- Discussed adding the consideration of a sidewalk on the east side of the street on the 68th Street Reconstruction Project
- Approved the Removal of Traffic Calming Measures from the Design of the 68th Street Reconstruction Project
- Discussed Code Enforcement and Nuisance Abatement
- Discussed Credit Card Fee Policy
- Voted to Cancel Citibot Service

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