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COVER PHOTO: The Southfield City Centre at fall photographed by Don Kurek



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Public art springs up throughout Southfield

Iconic Boy & Bear and three other new art installations recently unveiled

Several exciting new public art installations have taken place throughout Southfield over the past few months. Beginning with the installation of Marshall Fredericks' iconic **Boy & Bear** (pictured right) in the Southfield Public Library on May 19, the City has embarked upon an ambitious public arts campaign headed by the new Public Arts Commission.

"Numerous studies have shown that public art is an economic driver," commented Mayor Ken Siver. "Public art instills a sense of place for the community. It serves as a catalyst for investment and development as data shows that people want to live and work in communities that value art and aesthetics."

The Southfield Public Arts Commission launched the 'Free the Bear' development campaign to raise funds for the recently acquired art from the former Northland Center. To date, more than \$510,000 has been raised to repay the loan for the art and the relocations.



On June 10, the City dedicated the new Southfield '**Coasting the Baseline**' Obelisk (pictured next page) at the corner of Rutland and Eight Mile. The Coasting the Baseline Project is a series of commemorative markers located on Eight Mile or Baseline Road. Each marker is a ten foot tall obelisk that describes the significance of surveying in the settlement of Michigan and as the foundation for property ownership in the state. Michigan was the first state in the nation to be fully surveyed using modern surveying practices. Known as the Public Land Survey System (PLSS) or the rectangular survey system, it is a mathematically designed and based method of measuring land.

The Southfield Coasting the Baseline Obelisk is the 4th marker to join those of other neighboring communities along Eight Mile Road. It is envisioned that markers will stretch from Lake St. Clair to Lake Michigan along the baseline. The markers, designed by Michigan native and world-renowned sculptor David Barr, include engraved references to early surveying tools, land ownership in America and elements of each community's local history created from alternating blocks of black and white granite. The site selected for Southfield's Coasting the Baseline marker is at Eight Mile and Rutland on city owned property.

"Southfield's Baseline Obelisk stands as a tribute to this major road and the communities that it links," commented Mayor



On May 25, the donated work **Gratitude** (pictured left) was installed in the south roundabout on Evergreen Road at Civic Center Drive. Created by the highly-respected international abstract artist Jay Lefkowitz (a former Southfield resident), the work was donated by Southfield resident and arts commission member Skip Davis. The sculpture serves as a unique landmark that signals motorists' arrival to the heart of Southfield.

The Southfield City Centre Advisory Board commissioned the new **#SouthfieldSpirit** piece (pictured below). The movable letters are made of aluminum and can be altered to include an interactive component at events and other locations. Guests are encouraged to pose for pictures with the sign by completing the 'L' and posting on social media with the hashtag #SouthfieldSpirit. Look for it throughout Southfield (currently located on the Municipal Campus front lawn) and get your #SouthfieldSpirit photo!



Fire Captain Johnny Menifee appointed as new Southfield Fire Chief



The Southfield City Council unanimously approved the appointment of Southfield Fire Captain Johnny Menifee as the new Fire Chief at the July 11 City Council meeting. He was officially sworn-in at the City Council meeting on July 18, 2016.

“Chief Menifee has a proven track record and a great deal of experience in protecting and serving the public in the city of Southfield,” commented Mayor Kenson Siver. “He will make a great fire chief and will carry on the high

standards of the city of Southfield and the Southfield Fire Department.”

Fire Chief Menifee has been with the Southfield Fire Department for 23 years, beginning in November of 1993 as a fire cadet/firefighter. He has served in progressively-responsible supervisory positions throughout the department, including as an acting battalion chief, captain, lieutenant, EMT/paramedic, and as the department’s training and safety officer.

Chief Menifee holds a Bachelor’s of Science degree in Public Safety from Sienna Heights University in addition to a Master’s of Science in Technology Studies with a concentration in Homeland Security & Emergency Management from Eastern Michigan University. Chief Menifee fulfilled Staff and Command Executive Officer training with honors and has been invited back as a guest instructor at the university level. He is also a graduate of the National Fire Academy in Emmitsburg, Maryland with certification in New Fire Chief II, Administrative Issues, and is an instructor at the Fire Training Institute at Oakland Community College – training the

next generation of firefighters where he has been a three time recipient of top instructor. Chief Menifee is also an instructor for flashover firefighter survival and Rapid Intervention Team.

“Fire Chief Menifee has a strong desire to work with our management team to further the goals and objectives of our elected officials – namely to keep Southfield residents safe and secure,” commented City Administrator Fred Zorn. “Chief Menifee will do an excellent job in maintaining the Southfield standard of excellence in the delivery of fire services.”

The Southfield Fire Department is presently comprised of 88 highly-trained and motivated members who serve the citizens of Southfield and Lathrup Village, as well as a daytime population estimated at 175,000. The men and women of the Southfield Fire Department respond from five fire stations strategically located within the city. In 2014, the busiest year on record, Southfield firefighters responded to 13,470 calls for service (36.7 calls per day), and remains one of the busiest fire departments in Oakland County.

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Kenson Siver. “In addition to adding a new piece of public art to Southfield, the Baseline also incorporates local and Michigan history for the enrichment of school children and the community at large.”

The Southfield Coasting the Baseline Obelisk was erected through private and corporate sponsors. No tax dollars were used for this community project or any of the other public art installations. The Coasting the Baseline Committee raised funds for the obelisk

and landscaping in addition to selling engraved brick pavers to support the completion of project amenities.

The Southfield Arts Commission was established in 2015 to advise the City Council on matters affecting public art in the city. The goal of this commission is to create a stimulating environment that reflects and enhances the City’s heritage, diversity, and character through public artworks integrated in the architecture, infrastructure, and landscape.



Teresa Fields appointed as new Southfield Parks & Recreation Director

The Southfield City Council unanimously approved the appointment of Teresa Fields as the new Parks & Recreation Director at the August 8 City Council meeting.

"Ms. Fields has a great deal of experience in providing numerous communities with exceptional parks and recreation programming, services and facilities," commented Mayor Kenson Siver. "She will make a great addition to the department and city staff as she brings her many years of P&R experience to Southfield."

Ms. Fields previously served as the Chief of Recreation Programs and Services for Oakland County Parks and Recreation since 2009. In this position, she oversaw planning and development of division services and more than 600 programs and events annually. She successfully partnered with local government officials, DDA's, and Chambers of Commerce to bring park and recreation services to area residents. Prior to that, Ms. Fields served as the Recreation Superintendent for West

Bloomfield Parks and Recreation from 2000 to 2009 and as the Recreation Activities Coordinator for the city of Wyoming, MI from 1991 to 1999. She holds a Bachelor's degree in Parks and Recreation Management with a minor in Business Management from Eastern Michigan University.

"With over 20 years of experience and accomplishments, Ms. Fields will be an immediate and viable asset to the city of Southfield," commented City Administrator Fred Zorn. "Her extensive administrative skills combined with her leisure, cultural and recreational services background will be a real asset to the community."

The mission of the Southfield Parks & Recreation Department is to provide excellence and equal opportunity in leisure, cultural and recreational services to all Southfield residents. The Department's purpose is to provide safe, educationally challenging, convenient leisure opportunities, utilizing public open space and quality leisure facilities to enhance the quality



of life for Southfield's total population that might not otherwise be available. The Parks & Recreation Department is responsible for over 770 acres of park land, 20 developed parks, 16 tennis courts, two public nine-hole golf courses, one ice arena, one public pool, Beech Woods Recreation Center and Carpenter Lake Nature Preserve. The Department currently has 17 full-time staff in addition to 50 part-time and 140 seasonal positions.

Pet license required for all cats and dogs in Southfield

Residents are reminded that City Ordinance requires all cats and dogs in Southfield to be licensed through the Police Records Bureau.

PET LICENSE INFORMATION

Pet licenses expire on December 31 of each year. After January 1, a \$25.00 delinquency fee will be added to the normal license fee (per household, not per pet). If you have not licensed your pet, you may do so by mail or in person.

You must return the completed Pet License Application Form to us with proof of rabies vaccination and a check

payable to the "City of Southfield." In order to receive the discounted rate listed as S/N (spayed/ neutered) you will need to furnish documented proof of neutering from your veterinarian. Once the information is processed, a license will be mailed to you. The same information is required when purchasing at the Police Records Bureau.

PET LICENSE FEES

(Animals not Neutered)

- 1 YR Male/Female \$20.00
- 3 YR Male/Female \$50.00
- Senior Owner - 1 YR \$18.00

- Senior Owner - 3 YR \$45.00

(Neutered Animals)

- 1 YR Spayed/Neutered \$10.00
- 3 YR Spayed/Neutered \$25.00
- Senior Owner - 1 YR \$9.00
- Senior Owner - 3 YR \$22.50

To qualify for the Senior Owner discount, you must be 65 years of age or older and provide picture identification as proof.

For more information, call the Southfield Police Department Records Bureau at (248) 796-5580.



Southfield Connect App

Southfield has re-launched the City's free app, formerly known as Spot Southfield, as the new Southfield Connect – with a new design and several new features to make it an even more useful tool. The new Southfield Connect app now features the ability for users to report issues directly to the city with ease, including potholes or other public works concerns, code or appearance issues, dead animals or nuisance complaints, general concerns or complaints and more. The 'Tell Us' feature also allows users to submit the issue along with a photo or video and the exact location from the interactive map. The new version of the app is now available for download on both Apple and Android smart phones and tablets. No further action is required for users who have already installed the previous app as the transition is seamless. Download is quick, easy and free-of-charge in both the Apple App Store for iPhones and iPads and Google Play for Android phones and devices.

Human Services Dept is on the move

The Southfield Human Services Department will be relocating from the Burgh Historical Park to the Neighborhood & Information Center in City Hall located at 26000 Evergreen Road. The Department will continue to provide the same programs and services designed to meet the specialized needs of our residents, including legal aid, social work outreach services, social work older adult services, services for the physically challenged and educational programs. The move is expected to be completed by mid-September. Their phone number (248/796-4540) and hours of operation (Monday - Friday from 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.) will remain the same.

Master Plan for former Northland Center site nears completion

The City of Southfield envisions 114-acres of opportunity at the site of the former Northland Center shopping mall. In the course of developing a Master Plan for the now-vacant space, Livonia-based OHM Advisers has been seeking opinions from corporations, non-profits, government leaders, and residents.

The City has held two public meetings to collect ideas from people of all ages who call Southfield home, and hundreds have responded with creative suggestions. The first meeting was held on June 22 as part of the annual Family Fun and Safety Night, and the second was held on August 23 at the Southfield Public Library. Citizen input is key to the success of any plan, and many of the ideas offered at those two meetings are being incorporated into the Master Plan, a preliminary version of which was presented to City Council on August 8.

Suggestions included walking paths; dog parks; a community swimming pool or a lake; expansion of the Providence Hospital campus, including medical offices and new housing for residents and interns; multi-generational housing, including lofts; office buildings; a stage/amphitheater; and some shopping space; but not another full-scale mall.

Vacant malls are becoming increasingly common across the nation. Southfield has pledged that the former Northland Center site will not be added to the list. The large space offers a unique opportunity to enhance the quality of life for residents in a myriad of ways.



Since the closing of the mall, OHM Advisers has been studying various development options. The preliminary plan calls for five distinct mixed-use districts, including an Innovation District, a Lifestyle District, a Shopping District, a Central Park District, and Park Greenway Corridors. The master plan for redeveloping Northland into a future mixed-use project will also determine which buildings—if any—could be reused.

Once the Master Plan is approved by City Council, which is expected to happen within the next few weeks, a consultant who specializes in repositioning real estate assets will develop a Request for Quote (RFQ) from qualified developers.

The City Council is encouraged by the level of interest and enthusiasm from surrounding community and business leaders, including Providence Hospital. The City is optimistic that the new master plan will help to pave the way for a vibrant, pedestrian-friendly mixed-use development that includes green infrastructure.

For more information, call the Downtown Development Authority at (248) 796-5190 or visit the project website at www.imaginenorthland.com

Southfield reintroduces Greg Kennedy Community Service Award

The City of Southfield has reintroduced the Greg Kennedy Community Service Award to honor members of the community who exemplify the characteristics of the late Greg Kennedy.

The award was originally established in 1999 to honor the legacy of community activist Greg Kennedy by encouraging other residents to engage in public service.

The Greg Kennedy Community Service Award is intended to:

- Recognize and encourage volunteerism in the City of Southfield;
- Raise public awareness of the many areas within the City that benefit from volunteer commitment; and
- Recognize unsung heroes who represent the characteristics of the late Greg Kennedy and his commitment to Southfield and its residents.

Criteria

Nominees must be a Southfield resident for at least the past five years who is involved in the community and exemplifies community spirit through their attitude, activities and volunteer efforts. The following criteria should be considered when nominating someone for this honor:

1. **Service:** Nominees should be recognized for their service to the City of Southfield, Southfield Schools and PTAs, religious organizations, senior citizens' groups, youth organizations, and/or its residents. The nominee's volunteer activity should be exemplary in community service and involvement.

2. **Character:** Nominees should embody and demonstrate qualities

of Greg Kennedy's personal character including compassion, community dedication, and service to Southfield.

3. **Impact:** The nominee's activities should demonstrate a long-term commitment to community programs and activities. The nominee's service has made an impact or difference to the community.

Nomination Process

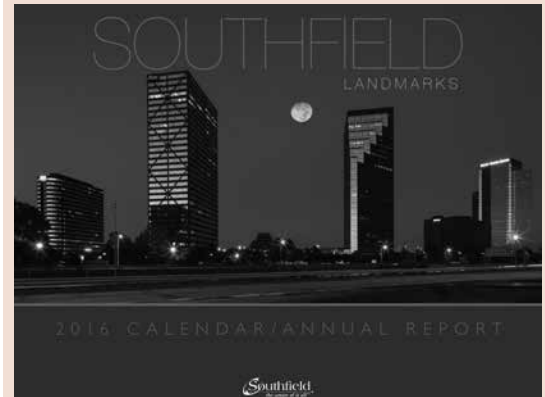
Nominations are due by September 12 and are available online at www.cityofsouthfield.com or in print at City Hall. Nominations for this prestigious award are reviewed by the City's Total Living Commission with recommendations made to Southfield City Council. The City Council recognizes one resident annually with the Greg Kennedy Community Service Award as merited. The award will be presented at a televised City Council meeting in December if a deserving candidate is nominated.

Nomination Questions

Please provide, in 150 words or less, a brief biography of your nominee. Include a brief summary of the nominee's volunteer service activities. Please provide information about how long the nominee has lived in the community, community-related hobbies and other interests, relevant job or family information. Please elaborate on your Nominee Summary by addressing the following points in no more than 500 words: 1) Volunteer Service Activity; 2) Accomplishments; and 3) Anecdotes.

The complete award guidelines and nomination form are available on the City's Web site at www.cityofsouthfield.com.

Southfield 2016 Calendar national award finalist



Southfield's 2016 Annual Report/Calendar, produced by the Community Relations Department, was selected as a finalist in the 28th annual national Savvy Awards Competition sponsored by the City-County Communications and Marketing Association (3CMA). The City of Southfield's entry was one of more than 600 submitted from municipalities and counties from across the country. This marks the second consecutive year that Southfield's signature marketing tool has been nationally recognized. The Savvy Awards are held annually in cooperation with the National League of Cities to recognize outstanding local government achievements in communications, public sector marketing, and citizen-government relationships.

Advertise in the 2017 Southfield Calendar!

Reach potential customers all year long with just one ad! More than 45,000 copies of the City of Southfield's award-winning calendar are mailed annually to every home, apartment and business in the City. Thousands more are included in information packets distributed throughout the year to prospective new residents and businesses. The calendar advertising insert is an excellent way to reach more than 73,000 Southfield residents and 10,000 businesses for one extraordinarily low price.

Reserve your ad today—space is limited! Call Southfield Community Relations at (248) 796-5130 for more information.

CITY CLERK'S NEWS

Nancy L. M. Banks, City Clerk



2016 Election Information

Presidential General Election – November 8, 2016

The polls will be open from 7 a.m. until 8 p.m. on Election Day.

Close of Registration

Are you registered to vote? Do you know your voting precinct?

In an effort to provide better service for our residents, and to help cut down the number of phone calls and/or waiting in line on Election Day, you can verify your voter information by contacting the City Clerk's Office at (248) 796-5150 or visiting our website at www.cityofsouthfield.com. Click on the Government Tab at the top, select City Clerk's Office, under Services on left hand side scroll down and click on Election Information. Under Downloads on the far right, click on **Are You Registered to Vote**. Enter your name and zip code and your voter information will appear.

Michigan election law states that you must be registered to vote 30 days in advance of an election.

The Close of Registration deadline for the November General Election is October 11, 2016.

If you are not currently registered to vote in Southfield, please visit the City Clerk's Office, or any Secretary of State Branch office, or view the City web site at www.cityofsouthfield.com to

download a voter registration form. If you are physically unable to appear in person, please call City Clerk Nancy L. M. Banks at (248) 796-5150, to make arrangements for a member of the City Clerk's Office to register you at home.

Absent Voter Information

Absent Voter Ballots will be mailed by the first week in October for those who have requested a ballot. Due to the long lines being predicted for the Presidential Election, we encourage you to consider voting an Absent Voter Ballot. You can apply for one at the City Clerk's Office.

Business Licenses

As the winter season approaches, many people contract with companies to have their snow removed from their driveways and sidewalks. Please make sure before you sign a contract to have your snow removed that you confirm whether the business is licensed to do business in the City of Southfield. If they are not licensed, they can come to the City Clerk's Office to obtain a license.

City Clerk's Office Web site

Have you surfed the City Clerk's website lately? The City Clerk's website includes a variety of information regarding the services and resources available in the Clerk's Office. Business Licenses, Freedom of Information Requests, Vital Records, Election Information and forms are available by visiting the City Clerk's Office website.

The newly updated and republished City Charter and Code of Ordinances are available for viewing 24-7. Log-on to www.cityofsouthfield.com, select the Government tab at the top, City Clerk's Office on the left column, and scroll down the page to Resources.

Council Agendas are posted every Friday afternoon prior to each Council Meeting, complete with the supporting materials for each Agenda. Approved Minutes are also available for viewing.



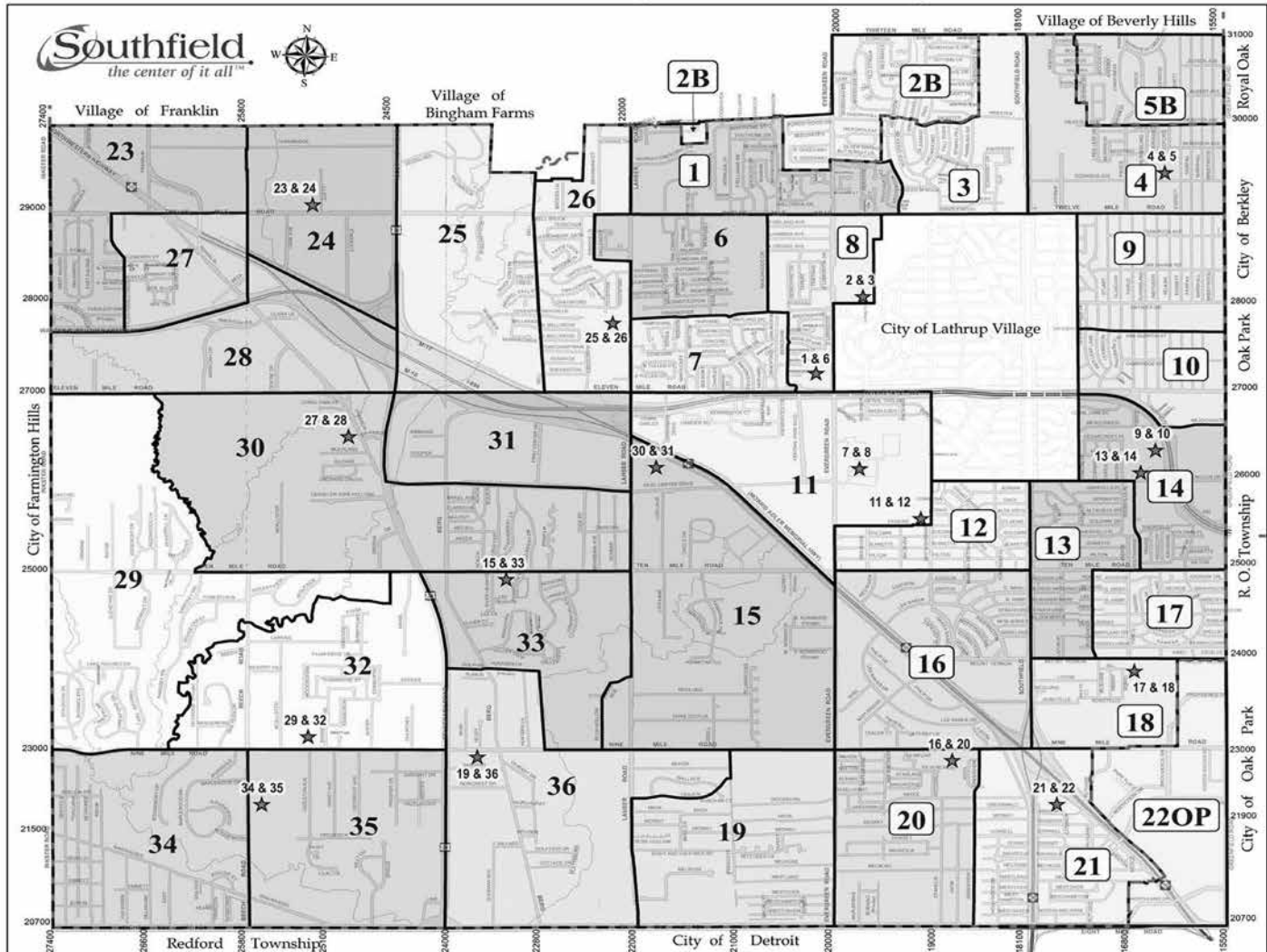


2016 City of Southfield Guide to Voting Precincts

(Total Locations: 18 - Polling Locations Map below. Precincts identified with star.)

01	Birney Middle School 27225 Evergreen Road	10	Thompson School 16300 Lincoln Drive	19	New Hope Missionary Baptist Church Hall 23455 W. Nine Mile Road	28	Christian Tabernacle Church 26555 Franklin Road
02	McIntyre School 19600 Saratoga	11	Adler School 19100 Filmore	20	Brace-Lederle School 18575 Nine Mile Road	29	Levey Middle School 25300 Nine Mile Road
03	McIntyre School 19600 Saratoga	12	Adler School 19100 Filmore	21	St. Johns Armenian Church 22001 Northwestern Hwy	30	Hope United Methodist 26275 Northwestern Hwy
04	Vandenberg School 16100 Edwards	13	Beth Yehuda (Schoenals School) 16500 Lincoln Drive	22	St. Johns Armenian Church 22001 Northwestern Hwy	31	Hope United Methodist 26275 Northwestern Hwy
05	Vandenberg School 16100 Edwards	14	Beth Yehuda (Schoenals School) 16500 Lincoln Drive	23	Regency Manor (Palace of Southfield) 25228 Twelve Mile Road	32	Levey Middle School 25300 Nine Mile Road
06	Birney Middle School 27225 Evergreen Road	15	Oakland Church of Christ 23333 Ten Mile Road	24	Regency Manor (Palace of Southfield) 25228 Twelve Mile Road	33	Oakland Church of Christ 23333 Ten Mile Road
07	City Hall 26000 Evergreen Road	16	Brace-Lederle School 18575 Nine Mile Road	25	Stevenson School 27777 Lahser Road	34	Beech Woods Recreation Center 22200 Beech Road
08	City Hall 26000 Evergreen Road	17	Southfield Education Center (SEC) (Kennedy School) 16299 Mt. Vernon	26	Stevenson School 27777 Lahser Road	35	Beech Woods Recreation Center 22200 Beech Road
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2016 City of Southfield Voting Precincts & Polling Locations Map



International Festival celebrates Southfield's diversity



INTERNATIONAL Festival

Southfield's signature cultural event features food, music, dance and merchandise from around the world

The City of Southfield, in partnership with the International Institute of Metropolitan Detroit, Inc., is proud to present the International Festival Saturday, November 19 – Sunday, November 20 in the Southfield Pavilion.

The International Festival is the ideal event to showcase Southfield's rich cultural heritage. The 2016 International Festival will kick-off on Friday, November 18 at 10 a.m. with a U.S. Citizenship & Immigration Services (CIS) swearing-in ceremony of new citizens. Last year, more than 80 individuals from 38 countries became United States' citizens right here in Southfield. The 2016 International Festival will continue Saturday, November 19 from 12-6 p.m. and Sunday, November 20 from 12-6 p.m.

The International Festival will feature a fun, affordable and enriching afternoon for the entire family. The event will offer international music and dance

performances throughout the entire weekend including African, Indian, Polish, Spanish, Greek, Korean, Mexican, Middle Eastern, Ukrainian and many others; children's hands-on activities; cultural exhibits; and ethnic art and craft demonstrations. Guests will also be able to purchase imported products, handmade crafts, jewelry, fabrics, apparels and other unique gifts from around the world at the International Bazaar. A variety of international and ethnic food will also be available for purchase. A weekend pass is just \$3 per person or \$5 per family with free parking.

The International Festival is sponsored by the City of Southfield, the International Institute of Metropolitan Detroit, Lawrence Technological University, and C&G Newspapers (*as of publication*).

For more information, call Southfield Community Relations at (248) 796-5130 or visit www.cityofsouthfield.com.



INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL AT A GLANCE

Saturday, November 19

12 – 6 p.m.

Sunday, November 20

12 – 6 p.m.

Southfield Pavilion • 26000 Evergreen Road

- Weekend pass just \$3 per person or \$5 per family with free parking.
- International music and dance performances all weekend.
- Children's hands-on activities; ethnic arts and crafts demonstrations; and a wide variety of imported products, handmade arts and crafts, jewelry, fabrics, apparels and other unique gifts available from around the world.
- International and ethnic food available for purchase.

Questions? Call Community Relations at (248) 796-5130 or visit www.cityofsouthfield.com

What's Happening in Southfield?

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- September 5 -** Labor Day, City Offices & Library Closed (*Rubbish collection delayed one day all week*)
- September 8 -** Eat to the Beat Concert, 12-2 p.m., City Centre Plaza
- September 25 -** Pokemon Go Hunt & Meet Up, 1-4 p.m., City Hall front lawn
- October 10 -** Columbus Day, City Offices & Library Closed
- October 15 -** Household Hazardous Waste Day, 9 a.m. - 2 p.m., RRRASOC
- October 31 -** Boo at the Burgh, 2-4:30 p.m., Southfield Pavilion
- November 3 -** Spooky Skating Party, 4:30-6 p.m., Southfield Sports Arena
- November 7 -** Halloween Candy Screening, 6 - 9 p.m., Sports Arena
- November 8 -** Sips & Sounds (21 & over only), 6 - 8:30 p.m., Southfield Pavilion
- November 11 -** Ride with Santa Contest opens, P&R Building
- November 19 -** General Election, polls open 7 a.m. - 8 p.m., various sites
- November 20 -** Veterans' Day Ceremony, 11 a.m., City Hall
- November 21 -** Veterans' Day (observed), City Offices & Library Closed
- November 24 -** International Festival, 12 - 6 p.m., Southfield Pavilion
- November 25 -** International Festival, 12 - 6 p.m., Southfield Pavilion
- November 26 -** Ride with Santa Contest winner chosen, 12 p.m., P&R Building
- November 28 -** Thanksgiving, City Offices & Library Closed (*No rubbish collection*)
- November 29 -** City Offices & Library Closed (*Rubbish collection delayed one day*)
- November 30 -** Yard waste collection ends (*on your regular trash collection day*)
- December 1 -** Southfield Goodfellows Newspaper Sale, visit www.southfieldgoodfellows.org
- December 6 -** Burgh Tree Lighting Ceremony (& Visits with Santa), 6:30 p.m., Burgh Historical Park
- December 24 -** Christmas Eve, Library Closed
- December 25 -** Christmas Day, Library Closed
- December 31 -** New Year's Eve, Library Closed
- January 1 -** New Year's Day, Library Closed
- January 8 -** Winter Escape Family Movie Night, 6:30 - 9 p.m., Southfield Pavilion
- January 16 -** Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, City Offices & Library Closed
- January 19 -** Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Peace Walk Celebration, 9:30 a.m., Hope United Methodist Church
- January 28 -** MLK Peace Walk Program, 11 a.m., Southfield Pavilion
- February 20 -** Daddy-Daughter Dance, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Southfield Pavilion
- February 21 -** Presidents' Day, City Offices & Library Closed
- February 19 -** Winter Fest, 2-4:30 p.m., Southfield Pavilion
- March 8 -** Southfield/Red Cross Community Blood Drive, 8 a.m. - 2 p.m., Southfield Pavilion
- April 8 -** EGGS'travaganza, 2-4:30 p.m., Southfield Pavilion

REMEMBER: Last Day for Yard Waste Collection is November 26 (on your regular trash collection day)

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