

## RECREATIONAL RESOURCES OF WAYNE COUNTY

The Wayne County Resource Inventory Council has initiated a new project: an online map of recreational resources in Wayne County. A range of interesting and varied recreational resources contribute significantly to an area's Quality of Place.

The first recreational resource to be inventoried is parks.



## GENERAL INFORMATION MAPS

A general information map set is available on paper and online.

The set of maps includes:

- Richmond School Districts
- Richmond Zoning Districts
- Postal Zip Code Areas
- Natural Gas Service Areas
- Water Utilities Service Areas
- Wayne County School Districts
- Wayne County Zoning Districts
- Ground Water Availability
- Electric Utilities Service Areas
- Sanitary Utilities Service Areas

The map set can be found at libraries in Wayne County, the Visitor Center on US 40 East in Richmond and the County Surveyor and Planning offices. It is also available in the County Planning office for \$10.00

## OTHER MATERIAL AVAILABLE FROM W.C.R.I.C.

- Check before You Buy or Build" – brochure
- "Land Resources Guide for Planners and Builders" – a planning guide for land use changes
- 1874 History Map with narrative
- 2005 Survey of Early School Buildings (with maps) Updated 2019 \$10.00
- Driving tour of Wayne County online.

### All materials are available at the:

Wayne County Planning Department  
Wayne County Administration Building  
401 E Main St, Richmond, Indiana 47374  
765-973-9249  
E-mail: [ric@co.wayne.in.us](mailto:ric@co.wayne.in.us)

## ONLINE INTERNET RESOURCES

### W.C.R.I.C.

[www.co.wayne.in.us/ric](http://www.co.wayne.in.us/ric)

Includes downloadable maps and narratives, links to natural and economic resources, demographic information for, but not limited to Wayne County.

### Barns of Wayne County Indiana Geographic Information System

[www.co.wayne.in.us/gis](http://www.co.wayne.in.us/gis)

Interactive maps of Wayne County including parcel information, aerial photos, soils, elevation, voting precincts and other features of interest specific to Wayne County.

### W.C.R.I.C. MEMBERSHIP

The Resource Inventory Council is composed of members representing government, civic, commercial, agricultural, environmental, industrial and educational organizations.

### W.C.R.I.C. FUNDING

Wayne County provides funding support. Additional support comes from the County Surveyor, County Planning Office, Richmond City Engineer, and Richmond City Planning Office.

## WAYNE COUNTY, INDIANA

The mission of the Wayne County Resource Inventory Council, WCRIC, is to inventory and map Wayne County resources so that accurate data describing the resources is available for making the best planning decisions possible.



Wayne County Relief Map

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## What are some ways the inventory maps can be used?

### TO:

- predict groundwater availability
- locate flood plains
- determine general soil types
- determine general geology
- estimate depth to bedrock
- evaluate underground bedrock surface
- locate special natural features
- locate special historical features
- identify existing land uses
- locate utility lines and conduits
- locate county zoning boundaries
- determine general topography
- locate old dump sites
- teach
- identify some historical places
- learn history
- support Quality of Place

Further detailed information is available from Wayne County planning department.

## Who needs the Resource Inventory?

Any person or group interested in present, past or future uses of Wayne County resources.

## Indiana's High Point in Wayne County



Driving Directions: From I-70 Exit #153 take 227 N to the north (left) and drive 8.3-8.5 miles to Bethel Rd. Turn west (left) and go 1.0 miles to Elliot Rd. Turn North (right) on Elliot Rd and go 0.9 mile to short gravel drive along south edge of woods. Follow short path into woods.

Please visit, enjoy & leave a note in the log book.

## RESOURCE MAPS

Maps are available online at [www.co.wayne.in.us/ric](http://www.co.wayne.in.us/ric).  
Printed copies available in Wayne County Planning Office.

### RECREATIONAL RESOURCES -

Being inventoried

### BARN INVENTORY-

More than 800 Wayne County barns pictures and inventoried.

### BASE MAP WITH SECTION LINES –

Shows highways, roads, railroads, streams with permanent flow, cities, towns and villages along with section lines and numbers for location of points.

### BEDROCK DEPTH –

Shows depth from land surface to underlying bedrock surface.

### BEDROCK ELEVATION –

Shows surface of underlying bedrock using contour lines.

### CEMETERIES –

Shows cemeteries in Wayne County by townships.

### CONTOURS MAP – 50 FOOT CONTOURS-

Shows general county topography.

### FLOOD HAZARD ANALYSIS –

Defines areas subject to flooding in a 100-year flood.

### FORMER DUMP SITES –

Shows sites previously used for dumping wastes.

### POTENTIALLY SUITABLE LANDFILL SITES –

Shows potentially suitable sites for an environmentally acceptable landfill based on geological and soils data.

### GENERAL SOILS MAP-

Shows broad areas that have a distinctive pattern of soils, relief, and drainage and can be used for general planning only.

### GEOLOGIC FEATURES –

Shows depth of bedrock, glacial geology, soil types.

### HISTORIC SCHOOLS OF WAYNE COUNTY-

Shows early school sites.

### HISTORIC SITES –

Shows historic sites presently visible.

### 1874 HISTORY MAP –

Shows turnpikes, railroads, canals, treaty lines, and historic sites based on the 1874 Atlas.

### LAND USE – DEVELOPMENT –

Shows placement of all man-made structures.

### LAND USE – GROUND COVER -

Shows forests, agricultural areas, quarries, wetlands, orchards.

### NATURAL AREAS –

Shows natural areas of special biological, geological and aesthetic interest.

### UTILITIES –

Shows underground and overhead utilities outside corporation limits, water towers, reservoirs and communication towers. No Telephone lines.

### WATER AVAILABILITY –

Shows general water availability based on well drill data.

### WATER RESOURCES –

Shows general water & oil well drill data. (Avail. from IDNR div. of water)

### ZONING MAP –

Shows generalized zoning districts in the county.