



# WELCOME TO AMO

INDIANA

The  
Hoosier  
State



Hendricks  
County



## TOWN OF AMO, INDIANA

### RESOURCE GUIDE August 2025

#### COMMUNITY BUILDING



5046 Sycamore Street / Amo, IN 46103

#### COMMUNITY BUILDING RESERVATIONS CONTACT

For scheduling the Community Building,  
please call Kelsey Freeman @ 317.734.6471.

#### BUILDING RENTAL RATES

Residents — \$25.00  
Non-Resident — \$100.00

**PAYMENT:** Check payable to Town of Amo or Cash

Internet is available in the Community Building  
*Rental Agreements must be signed and a 50% non-refundable Deposit made at time of request. Balance due by rental date.*

#### POST OFFICE

PMR (Postmaster Relief)  
*Angel Chattin*

4925 Pearl Street / 46103

Amo Post Office Phone Number:

317.539.2168

Coatesville Phone Number:

1.765.386.7480



Post Office Hours:

Monday - Friday: 10:00 a.m. — Noon

Saturday: 8:00 a.m. — 10:00 a.m.

Lobby is open 24 hours

**CLOSED:**

*Federally-Observed Holidays*

*Each year we are told the Post Office will review our office on whether to expand hours. Please continue to patronize our post office.*

#### SCHOOL GROUNDS SHELTER

To reserve the Shelter located on the school grounds,  
please call Fire Chief Dustin Strahl @ 317.442.5357.



## TOWN COUNCIL

Town Council Meetings are held monthly, usually the first Thursday of the month; however, occasionally the meetings are moved to the second Thursday. Meeting dates are posted in the Post Office and on the Town's Facebook page and published in the Town's quarterly newsletter. Everyone is welcome at the Town Council meetings.

Town Council meetings are held at the Amo Community Building @ 7:00 p.m.  
(Unless otherwise posted)

### Town Council:

President — *Donna Watson*  
President Pro Tem — *Mark Wicks*  
Council Member — *Rene Gay*

Clerk-Treasurer — *Barb Strahl*

Town Council Board Term is: 1-1-24—12-31-27

Town of Amo Phone Number: 317.539.6030  
Town of Amo E-mail: [townfamo@tds.com](mailto:townfamo@tds.com)  
Town Council Meetings Live-Streaming:  
[YouTube.com](https://www.youtube.com) / Search for Town of Amo

## TOWN OF AMO

### COMMUNICATION RESOURCES

*Town of Amo Newsletter* is a quarterly publication.

Submissions for the Newsletter should be e-mailed to **Becky Rhea** @ [rarhea23@gmail.com](mailto:rarhea23@gmail.com) or call or text her @ 317.281.8996. All submissions are at the discretion of the Amo elected officials and the Communication Director.



<http://www.amoin.net>

Keep up to date on Amo events by checking out our Facebook page.



## MILL CREEK WEST ELEMENTARY

4704 Pearl Street, Amo, IN 46103  
317.539.9255

For information and events, check out their Facebook page.



## FIRE DEPARTMENT



**CHIEF/PRESIDENT:** Dustin Strahl

**ASSISTANT CHIEF:** Andy Gibbs

**CAPTAIN:** Nathan Bayliss

**LIEUTENANT:** Corey Witham

**TREASURER:** Annette Reach

**SECRETARY:** Brandi Bayliss



## POLICE DEPARTMENT

**CHIEF OF POLICE:** Chris Nelson

**ASSISTANT CHIEF OF POLICE:** John Vehling

**PATROL OFFICER:** David Gunn

**PATROL OFFICER:** Ben Oliphant

**DEPARTMENT CHAPLAIN:** Rev. Shelly Zook

Contact Amo Police @ 317.539.6030

When Driving Through Town Remember To:  
Dim Your Lights / Observe the Speed Zone / Watch for Kids

## BUSINESSES

**AMO PIZZA & GENERAL STORE** - Mark & Gina Wicks:

317.539.2555

**ASSURANCE MAINTENANCE** - Brian Miller: 317.650.9047

**ATOMIC MACHINE** - Chris Carter: 317.750.7781

**EAGLE ENTERPRISES** - Doug Wallace: 317.223.5877

**DRAGONFLY LAYNE RENTALS** - Rene Gay: 317.370.6990

**FIVE STAR MORTGAGE SOLUTIONS** - Mark Wicks

317.840.8200

**HARPER HOME SERVICES, LLC** - Chad Harper: 317.919.0028

**HARPER TRUCKING** - Joe Harper: 317.539.2119

**HOME REALTY** - Melissa A. Richey: 317.258.3595

**MATCO TOOLS** - Distributor, Mike Spilker: 317.796.7701

**MAXIMUM EFFORT ROOFING** - Chad Wilson: 317.476.7980

**MIKE'S GARAGE** - Mike Bruce: 317.627.9881

**MITCHELL'S MUFFLER SHOP** - Justin Mitchell: 317.539.5692

**OPEN GATE WOOD WORKING** - Greg & Laura Burch:

317.443.8035 / 317.371.0778

**THE CUP AND THE CONE** - Mark & Gina Wicks:

317.539.2294

**WEST SIDE AIR-COOLED** - Gene Noel: 317.941.3293



Rev. Shelly A. Zook, Lead Pastor  
 Church/Office number: 317.539.6920  
 Emergency number: 317.489.2988  
 PO Box 146; 4779 Pearl St., Amo, IN 46103  
 EMAIL: [1stBaptistAmo@gmail.com](mailto:1stBaptistAmo@gmail.com)

Follow us on Facebook for Church events, messages, and pertinent information.



### Mill Creek Fellowship

(Formerly Amo United Methodist)



Amo, IN 46103

Church contacts:

Bill Bartlett: 317.501.6676  
 Angel Chattin: 317.539.3357

Follow us on Facebook, or contact any of our leaders for more information.



Don't forget to recycle your bottle caps for Thrive!! Amo Collection Boxes are located in Amo Pizza and General Store, Mill Creek West Elementary and Amo Community Building. Thrive collects the bottle caps for picnic tables and benches. Other collection locations include all Front Offices of Mill Creek School Corporation schools, Clayton Library, 5199 Iowa Street, Clayton 46118.

### THE TRINITY CENTER

*Storehouse Food Pantry,  
 Community Chapel,  
 Youth Center*

4794 Vine Street  
 P.O. Box 75  
 Amo, IN 46103



**Storehouse Food Pantry DONATION DAY:**  
 Second Saturday of Every Month 10 a.m. to Noon.

**CLIENTS SERVED:**  
 Third Saturday Monthly 10 a.m. to Noon.

Monetary donations may be made by mailing your check to "The Storehouse Food Pantry" at PO Box 75, Amo, IN 46103. To support the TRINITY CENTER; Storehouse Food Pantry, Youth Center or Community Chapel, please contact Pastor Shelly at 317.489.2988.

**TRINITY CENTER BOARD:** Carolyn Porter, Interim Treasurer; Dave Dumser, Board Member; Maureen Jackson, Board Member; Jeanne Bryant, Board Member; Reverend Shelly Zook, Board Member.

### Mill Creek/Cascade BackPack Ministry



The purpose of the Weekend BackPacks is to help stamp out food insecurity in the Mill Creek community.

Drop-off Locations:

**Amo Pizza and General Store —**  
 4964 Pearl Street, Amo 46103  
 (Please specify donation is for the BackPack Ministry)

**Ms B's Teas —** 4883 Iowa Street, Clayton 46118

**A&D Hardware —** 7949 Main Street, Coatesville 46121

**Clayton Christian Church**  
 5110 IN-39, Clayton, IN 46118

For questions and information about the BackPack Ministry follow their Facebook Page where questions can be directed to Carla Trowbridge. Financial donations may be mailed to: 1st Baptist Amo, P.O. Box 146, Amo IN 46103.

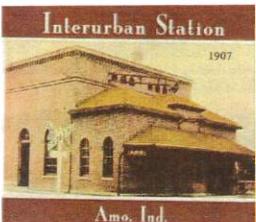


**TOWN OF AMO**  
P.O. Box 15  
AMO, INDIANA 46103

### *Box Holder*

*Amo, Indiana 46103*

STAMP



*Internet is available in  
the Interurban*



### **AMO READING ROOM & INTERURBAN HISTORY MUSEUM**

**Open Hours:**

**Tuesdays & Thursdays:**

5 — 7 p.m.

**Wednesdays:**

10 a.m. — Noon

**First Saturday of Each Month:** 10 a.m. — Noon

**MISS KELSEY FREEMAN**

Reading Room

Attendant

Check out our town's terrific reading room! All ages welcome! Reading Room Attendant, Miss Kelsey, has made the room quite comfortable and compatible for all ages! Great selection of books to choose from!



### *Interurban History Museum Committee*

Becky Rhea, Facilitator; Donna Watson, Town Council Member; Darrell Mynatt; David Phillips; Ronnie Travelsted; Darlene Miller, Maureen Pugh Jackson; Rosie Burch Bell; Kelsey Freeman

The Committee usually meets monthly at the Interurban prior to the Parks Board.

*Internet is available in  
the Interurban*

### **VANDALIA TRAIL — Please use the Trail!**

For more details and for activities planned on other parts of the trail, please visit [www.nrht.org/vandalia](http://www.nrht.org/vandalia) and [hendrickscountyparks.org](http://hendrickscountyparks.org).

*Please enjoy the trails!*

Greg Midgley, National Road Heritage Trail, Inc.

[www.nrht.org](http://www.nrht.org); [www.facebook.com/NRHTInc](http://www.facebook.com/NRHTInc)

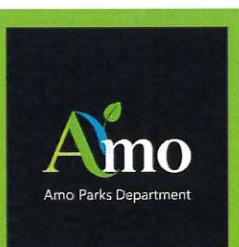
[greg@nrht.org](mailto:greg@nrht.org) / cell: 317-503-1101

“Check out” a book at the

LITTLE LIBRARY

Located at the trailhead

Feel free to add books as well!



### **AMO PARKS BOARD**

Brian Williams, President

Becky Rhea, Vice President

Dustin Strahl, Secretary

Gina Wicks

Melissa Allison

The Board usually meets monthly at 6:00 PM at the Amo Community Building prior to the Town Council meeting.

## AMO JAM

MOST TUESDAY EVENINGS / 6:00—8:30 p.m.

**CLOSES NOVEMBER / RESUMES MID-MARCH**

Open Mic / Impromptu

Bring your own musical instrument or voice.

Can't play an instrument or sing?

Just come, sit back and listen!

Donations accepted, but not required,  
to help offset cost of building rental.

NO food.

For additional information,

Call Larry Burns @ 317.374.4672

Amo Jam normally is suspended mid-November  
until mid-March of the next year.

## REACH ALERT

The Town of Amo has a service which will allow us to immediately share important information regarding a number of items, including road closures/delays due to construction or accidents, hazmat situations, AMBER/Silver alerts, police actions and civic events.

1. Go to [www.v2.reachalert.com](http://www.v2.reachalert.com) and enter Amo in the Select a network box and click on our name when it appears.
2. Follow the prompts and enter your preferred contact information.
3. When you enter your address (please enter your physical address). If Coatesville comes up as the address city, but your address is Amo, just enter Amo to override.

Once you have successfully completed your registration, REACH Alert will send you a confirmation text or email. If you do not receive this message, please call Reach Alert. If you do not have access to a computer or if you experience any difficulty registering, please contact REACH Alert at 1.877.307.9313. They will help complete your registration in about 1 minute!



What you need to know about

## OPEN BURNING

### WHAT'S ALLOWED?



Green Wood



Charcoal



Paper



Yard Waste

### WHAT'S PROHIBITED?



No Trash



No Chemicals or Plastics



No Tires



No Homes/Buildings



No Cardboard



No Demolition/Construction Debris

### RESIDENTIAL BURNING

[www.idem.IN.gov](http://www.idem.IN.gov)

## Indiana Department of Environmental Management

### Residential Burning in Indiana

Indiana's air pollution control rules generally prohibits open burning. There are certain agriculture and maintenance exceptions to the open burning rule. Smoke from burning household trash, including plastic containers, is more toxic than the smoke from burning clean wood. Protecting your health is worth the small fee for proper waste disposal. IDEM always encourages alternatives to open burning such as recycling.

These rules **must** always be followed:

- Only clean wood products may be burned. Treated wood is not clean wood.
- Wood products coated with stain, paint, preservatives, glue or other coatings are not allowed to be burned.
- Residential open burning of clean wood products shall be in a noncombustible and ventilated container.
- Recreational or ceremonial fires, such as fires for scouting activities or cooking may only burn clean wood products, paper, or charcoal.
- Burning must be done during safe weather conditions, not during high winds or on pollution alert days.
- Fires must be attended until completely extinguished, and adequate fire suppression equipment present.
- Non-recreational burning must be done during daylight hours and extinguished prior to sunset.
- Open burning is not allowed at mobile home parks, apartment or condominium complexes or buildings of more than four dwelling units.
- Fires must be extinguished if they create a fire hazard, nuisance, pollution problem or threat to public health.
- Burning must comply with all other federal, state and local laws, rules or ordinances.
- Additional restrictions apply in Lake, Porter, Clark or Floyd counties. No open burning of trash, leaves or yard waste is allowed.
- Want to learn more? Visit IDEM's open burning site at [www.idem.IN.gov/openburning](http://www.idem.IN.gov/openburning).

To report illegal open burning, call the Indiana Department of Environmental Management at (800) 451-6027, option 3.

OPS-1022-PR



Properly dispose of trash, chemicals and/or debris

For additional information on residential burning:

[www.idem.IN.gov/openburning](http://www.idem.IN.gov/openburning)

**HELPFUL RESOURCES**

<b>TOWN OF AMO</b>	<b>317.539.6030</b>
<b>CASCADE YOUTH LEAGUE — Nathan Peters (For Brian Burch Memorial Ballpark Info)</b>	<b>317.371.8477</b>
<b>24/7 HUMAN SERVICES / BE WELL CRISIS HELPLINE</b>	<b>2-1-1</b>
<b>ADOPTION INFORMATION</b>	<b>888.252.3678</b>
<b>AMO/COATESVILLE SEWER CONSERVANCY</b>	<b>765.386.7205</b>
<b>BUREAU OF MOTOR VEHICLES</b>	<b>888.692.6841</b>
<b>CONSUMER PROTECTION HOTLINE</b>	<b>800.382.4679</b>
<b>DUKE ENERGY PLAINFIELD</b>	<b>800.521.2232</b>
<b>FAMILY SUPPORT SERVICES (Medicaid, Food Stamps, TANF)</b>	<b>800.403.0864</b>
<b>HENDRICKS COUNTY VOTER REGISTRATION</b>	<b>317.745.9249</b>

**Online @ <https://indianavoters.in.gov/>**

**By Mail: Voter Registration Form**

**Mail to: Voter Registration, 355 S. Washington St., #120  
Danville, IN 46122**

<b>HENDRICKS POWER COOPERATIVE</b>	<b>317.745.5473</b>
<b>HOOSIER HEALTHWISE FOR CHILDREN</b>	<b>800.889.9949</b>
<b>HOOSIER RX (INDIANA'S PRESCRIPTION DRUG PROGRAM)</b>	<b>866.267.4679</b>
<b>HOOSIER VOTER HOTLINE</b>	<b>866.461.8683</b>
<b>INDIANA BAR ASSOCIATION (Legal Aid Info)</b>	<b>317.269.2415</b>
<b>INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE</b>	<b>317.232.2240</b>
<b>INDIANA UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION</b>	<b>800.851.4268</b>
<b>UNEMPLOYMENT CLAIM QUESTIONS</b>	<b>800.691.6499</b>
<b>SOCIAL SECURITY</b>	<b>800.772.1213</b>
<b>STATE INFORMATION CENTER</b>	<b>800.457.8283</b>
<b>U.S. SENATE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON AGING FRAUD HOTLINE</b>	<b>855.303.9470</b>
<b>VETERANS ADMINISTRATION</b>	
<b>Hendricks County Veterans Services 355 South Washington Street, Danville, IN 46122</b>	<b>317.745.9239</b>

