

# Historic Fort Wayne: Share a Regional Treasure



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## Rich Educational Opportunities

### Historical Assets

- | Star Fort and Barracks
- | Tuskegee Airmen Memorial
- | Native American Burial Ground

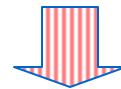


- Educational opportunities for school groups and families
- Teach others about important local military and Native American history

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## Recreational Attractions

- | Riverfront Location
- | Boardwalk/Riverfront promenade
  - | Playgrounds
  - | Athletic Fields
- | Youth Campgrounds
- | Marine Center
- | Open Air Entertainment Venue



- Access to Detroit River for all citizens
- Fishing, Boating opportunities
- Safe and healthy outdoor fun for all ages

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## Community Benefits

- | Fast-growing surrounding neighborhoods of Southwest Detroit, Corktown, Mexicantown
- | Economic boost for local area: more visitors leads to more business and more jobs
- | Improves quality of life: safe, convenient open space

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## Regional Benefits

- | Unique combination of history, recreation, and riverside location in Metro-Detroit area
- | Great day at Fort Wayne → Easy Access to evening entertainment in Detroit
- | International Gateway location boosts tourism
- | Diversity of community and visitors builds regional ties through social interactions

# Vote for Historic Fort Wayne!

- | Joint venture between stakeholders of City of Detroit, HCMA, Detroit Historical Museums, Parks Department, and surrounding communities
- | Preserves historic asset and expands access to rich military, racial, and cultural history
- | Significant opportunity for revitalization, opens access to an underutilized regional treasure