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Indianapolis Cultural Trail To Expand Headquarters

Larger building on the Cultural Trail will enhance Trail user experience and support the organization's expansion

INDIANAPOLIS, IN–Indianapolis Cultural Trail Inc. announced today plans to expand its headquarters at 132 W. Walnut St., located on the Indianapolis Cultural Trail: A Legacy of Gene and Marilyn Glick. The expansion will meet the evolving needs of the nonprofit organization, provide a welcome center for the Trail, and support the growing Pacers Bikeshare program and addition of new segments of the Cultural Trail.



Artwork by Indianapolis artist Jingo de la Rosa

"It is incredibly important for us to have our headquarters directly on the Indianapolis Cultural Trail," said Kären Haley, Indianapolis Cultural Trail executive director. "We are thrilled to be able to expand our headquarters and to establish a long-term home and welcoming community space in the heart of our city."

The Indianapolis Cultural Trail headquarters expansion includes purchasing and renovating its current location and the adjacent building, doubling the square footage available for the headquarters. Additional outdoor space directly adjacent to the Cultural Trail will provide enhanced opportunities for the community, programming and volunteers.

The Cultural Trail is launching a \$2 million fundraising campaign to support its vision for the future of the Cultural Trail's headquarters including increased operational and programming capacity and a welcoming location for Trail users. Jim and Jan Bisesi have made a lead gift to kick off the fundraising efforts.

In 2024, the Indianapolis Cultural Trail is adding two new miles to the internationally recognized linear park and started design on a new segment which will span the White River and connect to the expansion of White River State Park and Elanco's new innovation district. Additionally, in May the organization added 330 electric assist bikes to the Pacers Bikeshare program and launched IndyRides Free, a free annual pass program for Marion County residents.

For more information and to learn about opportunities to support the vision, visit www.lndyCulturalTrail.org/future.

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About Indianapolis Cultural Trail, Inc.

Indianapolis Cultural Trail Inc. creates, inspires and sustains connections and cultural experiences that are accessible to all. The Indianapolis Cultural Trail is both a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization and a world-class, internationally recognized linear park: The Indianapolis Cultural Trail: A Legacy of Gene and Marilyn Glick. In partnership with the City of Indianapolis, the organization also manages Pacers Bikeshare and public destinations along and connected by the Cultural Trail.