

## Starting a Business in Culver Indiana

In order to start your own business, you will need to register with the Indiana Secretary of State:

<https://inbiz.in.gov/business-entity/>

The Town of Culver does not require a permit or license from business owners operating in Town. The following regional and local resources are also available:

### Town Services

#### Town of Culver Government

200 E Washington St  
Culver, IN 46511  
574-842-3140  
[clerk@townofculver.org](mailto:clerk@townofculver.org)

The Culver Town Council consists of five elected members who reside within the town and are selected by the entire voting district. The council meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays of every month at the Culver Town Hall 6:30 p.m. The Town Manager, Jonathan Leist, works on a daily basis under the direction of the Town Council. The Culver Town Government also includes several departments including, Police, Street, Water, Wastewater, EMS, Parks & Recreation, and Volunteer Fire. For more information, see <http://www.townofculver.org/>.



#### Culver Plan Commission

200 E Washington St  
Culver, IN 46511  
574-842-3140  
[clerk@townofculver.org](mailto:clerk@townofculver.org)

The Planning Commission makes decisions regarding new building and renovations to existing structures in the town of Culver and a 2 mile surrounding area. Meetings held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of each month at the Culer Town Hall at 6:30 p.m.

#### Culver Board of Zoning Appeals

200 E Washington St  
Culver, IN 46511  
574-842-3140  
[clerk@townofculver.org](mailto:clerk@townofculver.org)

Culver Board of Zoning Appeals enforces the ordinances and approves or denies variances that may deviate from the existing town ordinances. Meetings held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of each month (if there is a hearing) at the Culer Town Hall at 6:30 p.m.

#### Culver Parks Department

819 E Lake Shore Drive  
Culver, IN 46511  
574-842-3510  
[park@townofculver.org](mailto:park@townofculver.org)

### **Culver Based Organizations**

#### Chamber of Commerce in Culver

P.O. Box 129  
Culver, IN 46511  
574-842-5253  
[info@culverchamber.com](mailto:info@culverchamber.com)

The Culver Chamber of Commerce promotes business in Culver and is the organizer for many of the larger events that take place throughout the year including the Winter Fest, The Taste of Culver, Wine Fair, and Fall Fest. Meetings held the 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of each month.



#### Culver Main Street Program

200 E Washington St  
Culver, IN 46511  
574-842-3140  
[clerk@townofculver.org](mailto:clerk@townofculver.org)

Culver's Main Street seeks to stimulate downtown revitalization and preservation by encouraging cooperation in the business community, as well as promoting and improving the business district. Meetings held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of each month at the Culver School Administration Building at 5:00 p.m.

#### Culver & Lake Maxinkuckee Visitor Center

102 W Jefferson St, Suite A  
Culver, IN 46511  
574-635-0054  
[culverlakemaxinkuckeecenter@gmail.com](mailto:culverlakemaxinkuckeecenter@gmail.com)

The Culver & Lake Maxinkuckee Visitor Center serves as a resource for the public, stimulates economic growth, and to promotes recreational and cultural experiences. Board meets once a month and holds an annual meeting in May.

## ***Business Assistance***

### Marshall County Economic Development Corporation

2864 Miller Drive  
Plymouth, IN 46563  
574-935-8499

[jerry@marshallcountyedc.org](mailto:jerry@marshallcountyedc.org)

The Marshall County EDC is the lead economic development organization helping communities attract and grow industries and assisting Culver leadership with growing the Town.

### North Central Indiana Small Business Development Center

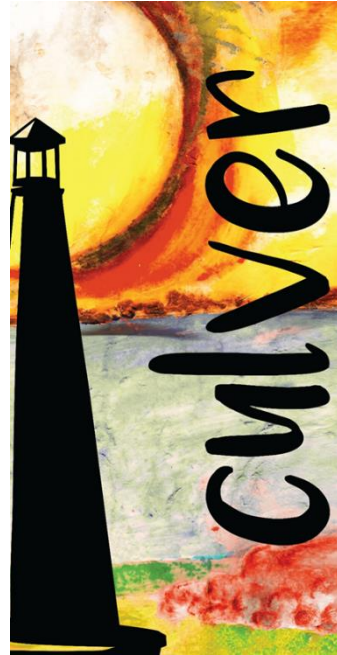
574-520-4126

[astele@isbdc.org](mailto:astele@isbdc.org)

The ISBDC offers entrepreneurs many services at no cost including one-on-one consulting, strategic planning, market research, and loan assistance. Meetings held at MCEDC offices the 1st Tuesday of each month.

### Michiana SCORE

SCORE provides free business advice through our network of volunteer business experts. You can meet with a mentor online or face-to-face in a chapter near you. Meetings held at MCEDC offices upon demand.



## ***Workforce Development***

### Marshall County WorkOne

2876 Miller Drive  
Plymouth, IN 46563  
574-936-8919

WorkOne delivers services based on a model that emphasizes sector partnerships and career pathways, as well as removing employer-identified skills gaps in order to meet the hiring needs of local employers.

### Elwood Staffing

2872 Miller Drive  
Plymouth, IN 46563  
574-935-0809

[plymouth.in@elwoodstaffing.com](mailto:plymouth.in@elwoodstaffing.com)

Elwood Staffing is a provider of talent-based solutions and actionable workforce intelligence that supports companies through the employment life cycle, from attraction to retention.

## **Town of Culver Resource Guide**



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