

City of Sycamore

New Resident's Guide



City of Sycamore
308 West State Street
Sycamore, IL 60178
815-895-4515

www.cityofsycamore.com

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

The City of Sycamore is a home-rule community that has a Council-Manager form of government. The Sycamore City Council meets the first and third Mondays of every month at 7:00 PM. The Plan Commission meets the second Monday of every month at 7:00 PM. The meetings are held in the Council Chambers on the second floor of the Sycamore Center at 308 West State Street in downtown Sycamore. The city offices are also located in the Sycamore Center and are open Monday through Friday, 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM. Please visit the City of Sycamore at www.cityofsycamore.com.

MAYOR – Ken Mundy (815) 895-4517 ▪ kmundy@cityofsycamore.com

CITY CLERK – Candy Smith (815) 895-4515 ▪ csmith@cityofsycamore.com

CITY MANAGER – Brian Gregory (815) 895-4853 ▪ bgregory@cityofsycamore.com

ALDERPERSONS:

FIRST WARD:

Curt Lang (2013-2015)
350 Parkside Dr.
(815) 895-2013
clang1110@yahoo.com

Alan Bauer (2013-2017)
349 Home St.
(815) 766-1300
alderbauer@comcast.net

SECOND WARD:

Chuck Stowe (2011-2015)
314 North California St.
(815) 739-5558
videodr@aol.com

Pete Paulsen (2013-2017)
1119 Susan St.
(815) 909-5686
Sycamore2ndWard@comcast.net

THIRD WARD:

Steve Braser (2013-2017)
1704 Ironwood Dr.
(815) 762-9877
stevebraser@yahoo.com

Becky Springer (2015-2019)
1005 Berkshire Drive
(815) 991-5888
bspringer@cityofsycamore.com

FOURTH WARD:

Rick “Spider” Kramer (2011-2015)
337 Charles St.
(815) 899-9388
spiglo@comcast.net

Janice Tripp (2013-2017)
1117 Commercial St.
(815) 895-5889
janice.tripp@gmail.com



CITY DEPARTMENTS

CITY ADMINISTRATION

Brian Gregory, *City Manager*
308 W. State St.
(815) 895-4853
(815) 899-2054 (fax)
<http://www.cityofsycamore.com>

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE

Candy Smith, *City Clerk*
308 W. State St.
(815) 895-4515
(815) 899-2054 (fax)

FINANCE OFFICE

Adam Orton, *City Treasurer*
308 W. State St.
(815) 895-4920
(815) 899-9079 (fax)

HUMAN RESOURCES OFFICE

Maggie Peck, *Human Resources Director*
308 W. State St.
(815) 895-0786
(815) 895-1760 (fax)

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Pete Polarek, *Fire Chief*
535 DeKalb Ave.
Emergency: 911
Non-Emergency: (815) 895-4514

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Glenn Theriault, *Police Chief*
535 DeKalb Ave.
Emergency: 911
Non-Emergency (815) 895-3435
<http://www.sycamorepd.com>

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Fred Busse, *Director of Public Works*
Street Division:
475 North Cross St.
(815) 895-3545
Waste Water Treatment Plant:
(815) 895-2992
Water Department
202 E. Page Street
(815) 895-4516

BUILDING & ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

John Sauter, *Director of Building & Engineering*
541 DeKalb Ave.
(815) 895-4434

CITY ENGINEER

Mark Bushnell, *City Engineer*
541 DeKalb Ave.
(815) 895-4557



FEDERAL, STATE AND COUNTY GOVERNMENT

COUNTY GOVERNMENT

DeKalb County Administration Building
110 East Sycamore Street
Sycamore, IL 60178
815-895-7189

DeKalb County Courthouse
133 West State Street
Sycamore, IL 60178
www.dekalbcounty.org

STATE SENATOR AND REPRESENTATIVE

Senator Dave Syverson (R)
35th District
www.senatordavesyverson.com

Representative Robert W. Pritchard (R)
70th District
www.pritchardstaterep.org

Rockford Office:

State of Illinois Building
200 S. Wyman, Suite 302
Rockford, IL 61101
(815) 987-7555

Sycamore Office:

2600 DeKalb Ave. Suite C
Sycamore, IL 60178
(815) 748-3494

U.S. SENATORS

Senator Richard J. Durbin (D-Illinois)

Senator Mark Kirk (R-Illinois)

D.C. Office:

309 Hart Senate Bldg.
Washington, DC 20510
(202) 224-2152

D.C. Office:

524 Hart Senate Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20510
(202) 224-2854

Chicago Office:

230 S Dearborn St. Suite 3892
Chicago, IL 60604
(312) 353-4952

Chicago Office:

230 South Dearborn St. Suite 3900
Chicago, Illinois 60604
(312) 886-3506

U.S. REPRESENTATIVE

Representative Randy Hultgren (R-Illinois)
14th District

D.C. Office:

2304 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515
(202) 225-2976
www.hultgren.house.gov

Geneva Office:

1797 State Street, Suite A
Geneva, IL 60134
(630) 232-7104



SCHOOLS

SYCAMORE COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT #427

245 W. Exchange St.
815-899-8100
<http://www.syc427.org>

HIGH SCHOOL

Sycamore High School
Spartan Trail
815-899-8160

MIDDLE SCHOOL

Sycamore Middle School
150 Maplewood Dr.
815-899-8170

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

North Elementary School
1680 Brickville Rd.
815-899-8209

South Prairie Elementary School
820 Borden Ave.
815-899-8299

Southeast Elementary School
718 S. Locust St.
815-899-8219

West Elementary School
240 South Fair Street
815-899-8199

North Grove Elementary School
850 Republic Ave.
815-899-8124

PRIVATE SCHOOLS

Cornerstone Christian Academy
355 North Cross Street
815-895-8522

St. Mary's Catholic School
222 Waterman St.
815-895-5215

HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS

Northern Illinois University
DeKalb, IL
<http://www.niu.edu>

Kishwaukee College
21193 Malta Rd.
Malta, IL
815-825-2086
www.kishwaukeecollege.edu



UTILITY INFORMATION

ELECTRIC SERVICE

Commonwealth Edison
1-800-Edison-1 (1-800-334-7661)
<http://www.comed.com>

NATURAL GAS SERVICE

NICOR
1-888-Nicor4u (1-888-642-6748)
<http://www.nicorgas.com>

WATER & REFUSE

City of Sycamore Water Department (815) 895-4516	Waste Management 1-800-796-9696
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*Water and refuse are billed together through the City of Sycamore.

CABLE, PHONE & INTERNET

There are numerous providers of these services in Sycamore.

HOSPITALS

Kishwaukee Community Hospital
1 Kish Hospital Drive
DeKalb, IL 60115
815-756-1521
www.kishhospital.org

Kindred Hospital
225 Edward St. Sycamore, Illinois
Sycamore, IL 60178
(815) 895-2144
www.kindredhospitalsyc.com

LIBRARY

Sycamore Public Library
103 East State St. Sycamore, Illinois
Sycamore, IL 60178
(815) 895-2500
www.sycamorelibrary.org

Joiner History Room
103 East State St.
Sycamore, IL 60178
Located in the Sycamore Public Library
(815) 895-7271

MUSEUMS

Midwest Museum of Natural History
425 W. State St.
Sycamore, IL 60178
(815) 895-9777
www.mmnh.org

Sycamore Historical Society & Museum
1730 N. Main St.
Sycamore, IL 60178
(815) 895-5762
www.sycamorehistory.org



PARKS

Sycamore Park District
940 E. State St.
Sycamore, IL 60178
(815) 895-3365
www.sycamoreparkdistrict.com

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Sycamore Chamber of Commerce
407 W. State St. Suite 10
Sycamore, IL 60178
(815) 895-3456
www.sycamorechamber.com

LOCAL NEWSPAPERS

Midweek Newspaper
1586 Barber Greene Rd.
DeKalb, IL 60115
(815) 756-4841

Daily Chronicle
1586 Barber Greene Rd.
DeKalb, IL 60115
(815) 756-4841

POST OFFICE

U.S. Post Office
104 E. State St.
Sycamore, IL 60178
(815) 895-2888

