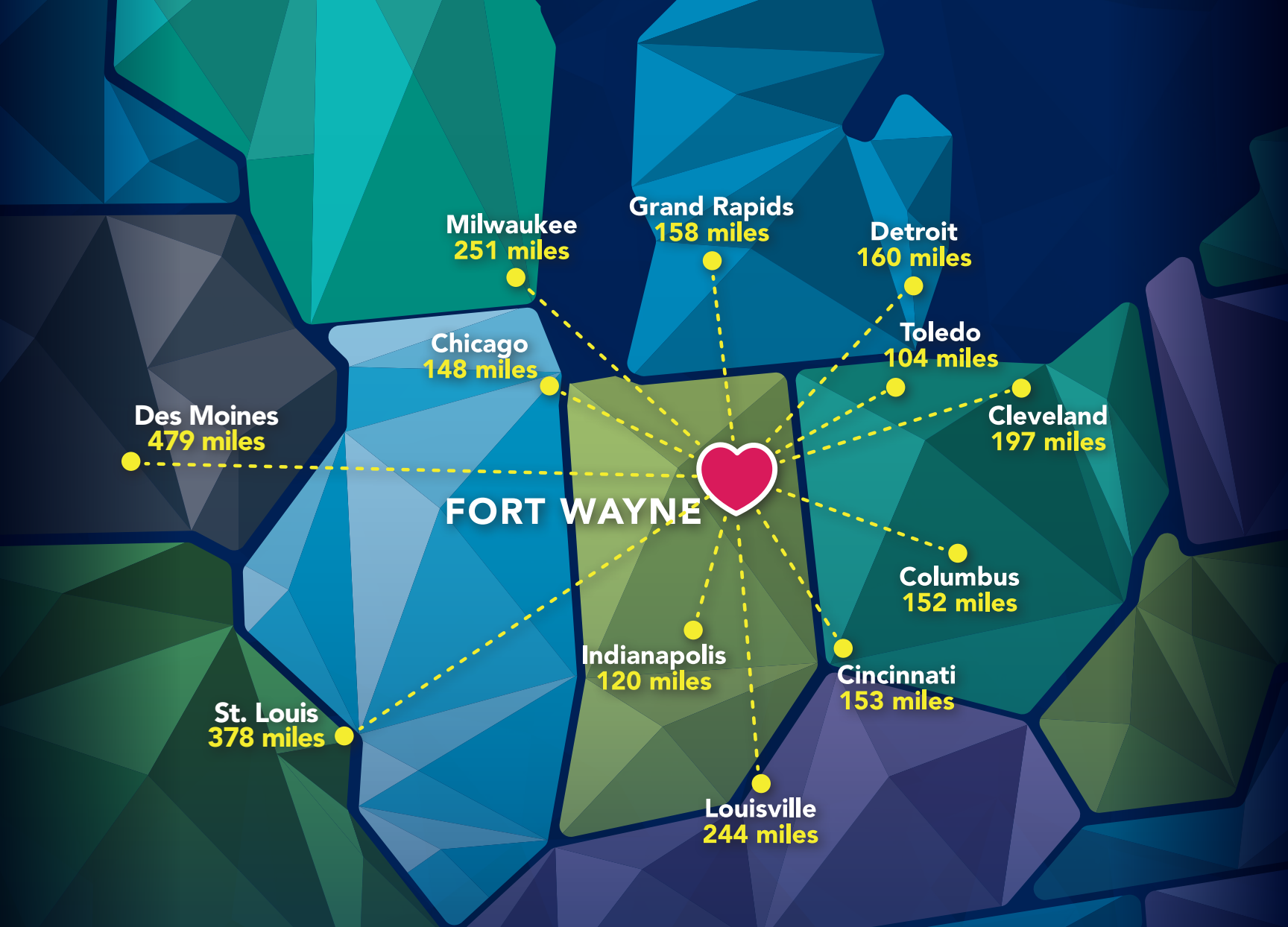




# Fort Wayne, Indiana: Where all of the pieces come together.



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- Indiana's second-largest city, located in the heart of the Midwest.
- More than half of the continental United States is located within a two-day drive of Fort Wayne. Two major interstates, four U.S. highways, and seven state roads cross the county to provide easy access to I-80/90 to the north and I-75 to the east.
- Fort Wayne International Airport is home to 4 major carriers and offers more than 140 weekly non-stop departures to Chicago, Atlanta, Detroit, Dallas/Fort Worth, NYC/Newark, Charlotte, Phoenix, Orlando and other major cities. And, FWA is located just nine miles from downtown and offers free hotel shuttles.
- Fort Wayne features two world-class meeting facilities including the Grand Wayne Convention Center and Allen County War Memorial Coliseum – both are non-union!
- Offering 5,000 hotel rooms and the amenities and services that your group will enjoy – at an average of 15% less than the national cost!



## Downtown Fort Wayne's Walkable Convention Package

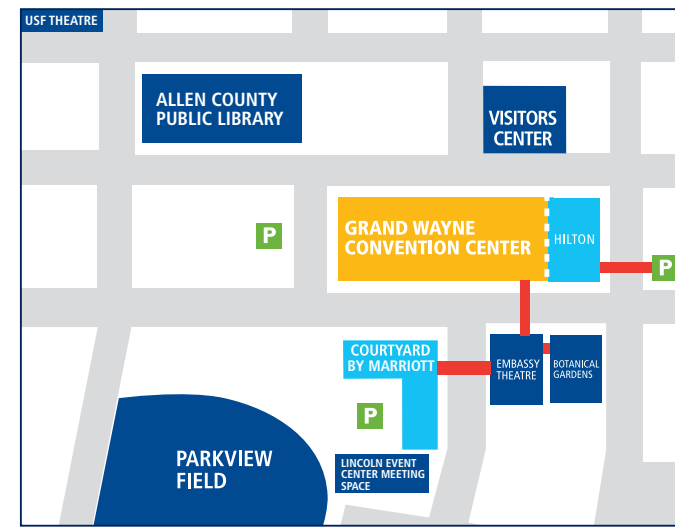
Downtown Fort Wayne is anchored by the award-winning **Grand Wayne Convention Center**, offering 225,000 sq. ft. of dedicated meeting space.

Attached to the Grand Wayne Convention Center you will find:

- Hilton Hotel
- Courtyard by Marriott
- Embassy Theatre
- Botanical Conservatory

And just steps away you will enjoy:

- Parkview Field
- Allen County Public Library and Genealogy Center
- University of St. Francis Theatre
- Over 45 restaurants within a 4-block radius of the Convention Center!



Downtown Fort Wayne: connected and convenient

## North of Downtown, the Memorial Coliseum Shines!

The **Allen County War Memorial Coliseum** features more than 1,000,000 sq. ft. under one roof, including:

- 108,000 sq. ft. Exposition Center
- 27,155 sq. ft. Conference Center
- 13,000 seat Arena
- Eight additional meeting rooms plus lobby, lounge, and large rotunda
- 5,000 surface parking spaces
- Full-service, 150 room Holiday Inn adjacent, with 15 additional hotels within 4 miles
- Over 75 restaurants within 2 miles

## Did You Know:

Fort Wayne is Indiana's second-largest city. We offer a "big city" feel, alongside Hoosier Hospitality (which means unmatched service and affordability for you!)

We are home to a lot of bests! "One of the nation's best children's zoos," "The #1 experience in Minor League Baseball," "The friendliest airport in America," "Top 5 Best City in the U.S. to visit with Kids," "Top 10 Cities for Quality of Life," "The Nations Largest Public Genealogy Center," and more! We know how to make your next event the "best" too!



Fort Wayne is located on three rivers and offers 100 miles of trails throughout our community!

Turnstone is the 4th largest Paralympic sports club in the U.S., and a gem of our community.

Fort Wayne is known as the *City of Churches*.





GE Campus



Riverfront Promenade



The Landing

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There is growing excitement and immense momentum in Fort Wayne as we undertake three city-changing projects. The \$100 million **Riverfront Promenade** will become an iconic meeting place including the Compass Pavilion, which features indoor and outdoor seating.

Only blocks away, **The Landing** will enhance Fort Wayne's downtown dining and entertainment options. And, in coming years, the revitalized **GE Campus**, located just two blocks from Parkview Field, will bring dining, shopping, business and lifestyle enhancements to our city. Join us in this exciting new landscape.

## Make us your first call!

We'll bring all of the pieces for your next event together by connecting you to the people and resources you need to make the most of your budget.

Once here, we offer extensive no-cost destination and pre-promotion services.

Contact us today at **1-800-767-7752** or **josie@visitfortwayne.com** to get started!



### Just a few of the groups we've hosted:

- North American Scrabble Player's Association
- North American Brass Band Association
- LifeWay Christian Resources – Living Proof Live with Beth Moore
- Gold Wing Road Riders Association
- National Fishing Lure Collectors Club



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