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ANNUAL IMPACT REPORT

Purdue Extension Marion County

Mission

Within a culture of equity, Purdue Extension Marion County delivers high-impact educational and community-building experiences for all ages that are designed to meet the unique needs of our diverse community and urban landscape.



4-H Design & Innovation Studio



Community Gardening in Perry Township



Extension Master Gardeners
Demonstration Garden

Total Impact

606
LEARNING
HOURS

4108
RESIDENTS
SERVED

435
VOLUNTEERS

Increased interactions with non-white residents from 16% of total contacts in 2020 to 32% in 2021.

Over 300 Extension Master Gardeners provided 18,276 volunteer hours to the community.

Partnered with the United Way of Central Indiana for the second year to provide financial management classes to VITA participants.

Extension Master Gardener Demonstration Garden, First Place Winner All American Selections Display Garden Category II Winner, Theme: "Diversity In The Garden".

Home to the 2022 Community Development Conference hosting Extension Educators from around the country.

Launched programming at the new 4-H Design & Innovation Studio located at Machyne on the 16 Tech Innovation District. The 4-H Design & Innovation Studio provides low & no-cost STEAM educational experiences with a focus on building confidence & curiosity in STEAM college and career pathways.

Purdue University is an equal opportunity/equal access/affirmative action institution.

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Vision

As an anchor institution within a resilient city, Purdue Extension Marion County is a trusted, lifelong educational partner working to ensure all residents have the ability to achieve positive life outcomes.

Purdue Extension Marion County values underappreciated communities and celebrates human differences by embracing and recognizing the need for diverse, equitable, and inclusive structural change.



Beginner's Guide to
Grant Writing



4-H Dog Club



4-H Volunteer Linda Baucknecht
Mayoral Recognition

Partners



Extension - Marion County

@ Properties
16 Tech Innovation District
Alpha Omega Chi
American Red Cross
Apprisen
Bethany Gardens
Bradley Corporation
Christel House
City of Indianapolis
Coburn Place
Community Alliance for the Far Eastside
Community Health Network
Community Health Touchpoint
Connections In Health
Department of Metropolitan Development
Department Veterans Affairs
EmployIndy
Falam Christian Church
Felege Hiwot Center
Girl's STEM Institute
Goodwill of Central and Southern Indiana
Groundwork Indy
Hamilton County Master Gardener Association
Hawthorne Community Center
Indiana 4-H Foundation

Indiana Department of Agriculture
Indiana Legal Services
Indiana Native Plant Society
Indiana Philanthropy Alliance
Indiana Soybean Alliance
Indiana State Fairgrounds
Indiana University CADI
Indianapolis Children's Museum
Indianapolis Muslim Community Association
Indianapolis Public Library
Indy Food Access Coalition
Indy Today
IndyGo
INMaC
Internal Revenue Services
InVestEd
JAG (Jobs for America's Graduates)
John H Boner Community Center
Keep Indianapolis Beautiful
LaPlaza Community Center
LHD Benefits Advisors
Lilly Endowment Inc.
LISC
Mad Farmers' Collective
Marion County Farm Bureau

Marion County Master Gardener Association
Marion County Soil and Water Conservation District
Mary Rigg Neighborhood Center
Matchbook Learning at Wendell Phillips 63
Midtown Indy
MSD Washington Township
MSD Wayne Township
National 4-H Council
National FFA Organization
Newfields
NRCS
Paramount Schools of Excellence
Purdue University Horticulture and Landscape Architecture
Rent The Chicken
SEND Southeast Neighborhood Development CDC
Southeast Community Services
STEM Education Works
Summer Youth Program Fund
TeenWorks
The Eiteljorg Museum
Tractor Supply Company
TruTerra
U.S. House of Representatives
United Way of Central Indiana
Xercis Society

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