

## Public Hearing Layer User Manual



The Public Hearing Map is a resource for the citizens of Carmel to supplement existing Public notice requirements. The map is updated whenever an agenda is released by the Department of Community Services and after public hearings, including City Council. Currently, there are four types of public hearings that can be viewed:

- Plan Commission
- Board of Zoning Appeals
- Plan Commission Hearing Officer
- Board of Zoning Appeals Hearing Officer

Clicking on each of the polygons will display a pop-up window containing important information for each petition, as well as, a link to the petition's online file.

### How do I find a specific address or docket number?

You can pan and scroll around the map with your mouse. In the top left hand corner is a search bar. Both addresses and docket numbers (petition identifier) can be searched for using this tool. As the address or docket is typed multiple options will appear, allowing you to select from the possible matches. The map will zoom to the typed location.

### How do I display various map layers?

At the bottom of the page are various disk icons, known as widgets. You can toggle on and off the various layers by selecting the *Layer List* icon and then checking or unchecking the layers available.



The *Legend* icon, when selected, will display the layers toggled on with their respective polygon colors.



### Additional Tools



The *Filter* tool can be used to view each type of public hearing by year. For example, you can use the tool to view only the Plan Commission petitions from 2018.

The *Basemap Gallery*, found in the bottom right hand corner, allows the use to view various aerials of Carmel.



The *Neighborhood Summary* tool will display each currently toggled petition on the map. When you find the petition you are looking for, click on the title to retrieve more information.

The *Measure* tool allows you to measure both acreage and distance in feet. Please note that measurements are not exact and a survey should be conducted for more precise measurement.



Thank you for using the Department of Community Services *Active Public Hearings* Map. If you have further questions about a particular petition or upcoming an upcoming public hearing please email Joe Shestak ([jshestak@carmel.in.gov](mailto:jshestak@carmel.in.gov)). If you have questions about the interactive map please email Nathan Chavez ([nchavez@carmel.in.gov](mailto:nchavez@carmel.in.gov)). You can reach the Department of Community Services at 317-571-2417.

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