

City of Carmel Civic Square

Civic Square is the heart of Carmel's local governmental offices and departments, and serves as a centralized gathering area for the entire Carmel community. It is located just south of the Carmel City Center site. Carmel City Hall, the Carmel Police Station and the Steven A. Couts Carmel Clay Fire Headquarters are all located in Civic Square, along with the community gazebo located on the grounds of City Hall.

City Hall houses many city departments including the Mayor's Department, Department of Engineering, Department of Community Services, the Law Department as well as the Clerk-Treasurer's Office. The Carmel City Court is located on the second floor, with court sessions scheduled for Mondays and Thursdays of each week. The Council Chambers is also located on the second floor of City Hall. Carmel City Council, as well as many Carmel Boards and Commissions, hold meetings in the Chambers where city policy and ordinances are decided.



Carmel City Hall



Steven A. Couts Fire Headquarters



Carmel Police Department



Fountain at Civic Square



The grounds of City Hall serve as a venue for local festivals and events.



Each summer, the back parking lot of City Hall becomes a bustling Farmers Market on Saturday mornings from June through September. Visitors enjoy locally grown produce and flowers as well as other delicious treats and handmade products.



The front lawn of City Hall hosts many community festivals and events as well. The Gazebo becomes an outdoor weekly music venue each summer with the Gazebo Concert Series featuring local and regional entertainment. City and Community events such as Public Safety Day, the Police Memorial, the Bodacious Blues BBQ Crossroads Cookoff and Carmel's annual Holiday on the Square Lighting Festival celebration, all take place on the front lawn of City Hall and the Civic Square fountain, which is located between the Carmel Fire Department and City Hall.



Carmelfest, Carmel's annual community-wide Fourth of July celebration takes place on the grounds of Civic Square.



The Monon Greenway runs just west of Civic Square, connecting it to the City Center amenities and the Carmel Arts and Design District to the north.