

MILITARY AND FAMILY RESOURCE GUIDE

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Jasper County

Food Services

Good Samaritan Food Pantry

214 West Harrison Street, Rensselaer
219.866.4515

Jasper Community Services

967 East Leopold Street, Rensselaer
219.866.4515

Sorrowful Mother Church

165 Grace Street, Wheatfield
219.828.7611

Dyer Baptist Church

735 213th Street, Dyer
219.865.2910

Food Bank of Northwest Indiana

2248 West 35th Avenue, Gary
219.980.1777

Love Inc. of Greater Hammond

PO 557, Griffith
219.923.2775

City of Lake Station Municipal Complex

275 East 29th Avenue, Lake Station
219.962.2081

Food Finders Food Bank

50 Olympia Court, Lafayette
765.471.0062

Brothers Keepers

2120 Broadway, Gary
219.882.4459

God First Ministries

801 East Chicago Avenue, East Chicago
219.378.1965

Housing

North Central Indiana Rural Crisis Center

PO Box 212, Rensselaer
219.866.8281

Domestic Violence Shelter

Jasper County Public Library

208 West Susan Street, Rensselaer
219.866.5881

Warming Shelter

Veteran's Life Changing Services

501 Wes Ridge Road, Gary
219.979.0900

The Caring Place

Knox
574.772.2222
3107 Cascade Drive, Valparaiso
219.464.0840

Jasper County Habitat for Humanity

230 West Merritt Street, Rensselaer
219.866.5811

Gabriel's Horn

792 McCool Road, Portage
219.364.1448

Mt. Vernon Homeless Shelter

Mt. Vernon
812.838.3851

Housing Opportunities

701 McCord Street, Valparaiso
219.548.2800

Christian Community Action of Porter

2001 Calumet Avenue, Valparaiso
219.465.1022

Medical Services

Northshore Health Centers

2490 Central Avenue, Lake Station

Jasper County Hospital

420 East Main Street, Brook
219.275.2521

Porter Health System

404 10th Street Southwest, Demotte
219.987.6010

Healthinc

104 East Culver Road Suite 101, Knox
574.772.7400

710 Franklin Street, Suite 200,
Michigan City

219.872.6200

454 South College Avenue, Valparaiso
219.462.7173

Monterey Community Health Services

6194 East Main Street, Monterey
574.542.2552

Hammond Clinic

9800 Valparaiso Drive, Munster
219.836.5800

Porter Health System

336 West US Highway 30, Valparaiso
219.464.7430

2000 Roosevelt Road, Valparaiso
219.263.4900

Jasper County Hospital

492 South Main Street, Wheatfield
219.956.2110

General Information

National Suicide Prevention Life-Line
800.273.8255

YMCA

Military Outreach Initiative and Respite
Child Care

<http://www.ymca.net/military-outreach>

Free membership to family members of
deployed National Guard or Reservists

USO of Indiana

<http://affiliates.uso.org/indiana>

Three USO Service Centers, raise
donations, travel Support, moral support,
and internet access.

VA Home Loan Information

<http://www.benefits.va.gov/homeloans>

Indiana Foreclosure Prevention Network

Services Include: Assistance paying
mortgage.

1-877-GET-HOPE

www.877GetHope.org

Military Discounts

<http://www.military.com/discounts/>

Amtrak

www.amtrak.com

Look under *Deals* for military discount

Shades of Green

<http://www.shadesofgreen.org>

Armed Forces Recreation Center at Disney
World and Attraction Ticket Sales Office.

Army MWR

<http://www.armymwr.com>

Army Lodging, Travel Deals, Dining, Family
Recreation and Leisure, and Travel News.

4 Military Families

[http://www.4militaryfamilies.com/
militarydiscounts](http://www.4militaryfamilies.com/militarydiscounts)

Lifeline/ Link-Up Telephone Service

Call your local phone company (Embarq)
and ask about this discount service to
provide telephone service to low-income
households

Township Trustees

Definition of what a Township Trustee Does:

He/ She is responsible for "poor relief" services for persons residing in his/her township. Basic assistance includes: shelter, food, funeral expenses, medical, prescriptions, rent, transportation, utilities, and personal items like clothing. Each township is different.

Barkley

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12204 South 680 West, Remington
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Kankakee

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1611 East State Road 10, Wheatfield
219.956.4985

Wheatfield

Rachel Myers
411 South Graham Street, Wheatfield
219.956.3550

Keener

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16900 North US Highway 231, DeMotte
219.987.7825

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219.866.4360

Newton

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219.866.5945

Union

Terri Swartz
9035 West State Road 14, Rensselaer
219.866.4369

Walker

Eldon "Butch" Jeffries
305 West 900 North, Wheatfield
219.730.6503

40 & 8 Services

The Forty and Eight is committed to charitable and patriotic aims. Their purpose is to uphold and defend the United States Constitution, to promote the well-being of veterans and their widows and orphans, and to actively participate in selected charitable endeavors, which include programs that promote child welfare and nurse's training.

Harry Schwier: 6581 County Road, Remington: 219.261.2477

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