

New North Regional Guide: Resources for Multicultural Residents

For Oshkosh and Fond du Lac areas

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and the City of Appleton



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Overview

Welcome to the New North Regional Guide: Resources for Multicultural Residents

Welcome to the New North region, a vibrant region to work, learn, experience, grow, worship and have fun! These guides are designed to help residents feel at home here. Listed are activities, community resources, educational resources, and culturally-specific businesses. We hope you'll find value in the Guides, and will enjoy exploring the New North!

This PDF file will continue to grow over time to include other communities.

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About Us

New North, Inc., a 501(c)3 non-profit organization, represents the New North region, which is comprised of eighteen counties in Northeast Wisconsin. It fosters collaboration among private and public sector leaders throughout the region. Our mission is to harness and promote the Northeast Wisconsin's resources, talents and creativity for the purposes of sustaining and growing our regional economy.

The Green Bay Area Chamber of Commerce seeks to strengthen member businesses, enhance economic and workforce development, and improve the quality of life in our community and region.

The City of Appleton is dedicated to meeting the needs of our community and enhancing the quality of life. We are committed to diversity and inclusion throughout the entire community.



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Resources for African-American Residents

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Green Bay, WI 54303
Phone: 920-593-3417
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www.titletown.org

Beauty & Salons (Fond du Lac)

Central Barber & Styling

4 North Main Street
Fond du Lac, WI 54935
(920) 921-8636

Regis Salon

835 West Johnson Street
Fond du Lac, WI 54935
(920) 923-2199
www.regissalons.com

Renaissance Hair Salon & Day Spa

105 Sheboygan Street
Fond du Lac, WI 54935
(920) 907-0750
www.rensalon.com
*Offers smoothing treatments

Twist 'N Tease Salon & Spa

1161 West Johnson Street
Fond du Lac, WI 54937
(920) 922-2322
*Ask for Crystal or Mike

Euphoria, Inc.

976 East Johnson Street
Fond du Lac, WI 54935
(920) 922-6652
www.euphoriaincsalon.com
*Ask for Elaine

Odyssey Salon

265 N Seymour Street
Fond Du Lac, WI 54935
(920) 960-6191
*Ask for Becky

Beauty & Salons (Oshkosh)

Clean Cuts

211 High Avenue
Oshkosh, WI 54901
(920) 252-5105

The Barbershop- A Hair Salon For Men

362 South Koeller Street
Oshkosh, WI 54902
(920) 233-1895

Family Value Hair Salon

1941 South Washburn Street
Oshkosh, WI 54901
(920) 651-9000
*Offers the California Smooth hair treatment

Renee Michelle Salon and Spa

1926 South Washburn Avenue
Oshkosh, WI 54904
(920) 232-2323
<http://www.reneemichellesalon.com/>
*Ask for Renee

Trillium Salon

200 City Center #H
Oshkosh, WI 54901
(920) 231-6580
<http://www.trilliumsalonoshkosh.com/>
*Ask for Stephanie

Salon Mode & Daydreams Spa

501 North Main Street
Oshkosh, WI 54901
(920) 233-0700
www.salon-mode.com

Salon Fusion, LLC

2100 Omro Road
Oshkosh, WI 54901
(920) 235-2121
www.salonfusionwi.com

Clothing/Fashion (Fond du Lac)

Deb Stores

835 West Johnson Street
Fond du Lac, WI 54935
(920) 921-0731
www.debshops.com

DDT Clothing, Inc.

15 3rd Street
Fond du Lac, WI 54935
(920) 921-0105

Restaurant/Nightlife (Oshkosh)

Fat Mamas Soul Food

9 Church Avenue
Oshkosh, WI 54901
(920) 651-3000
www.fatmamasofoshkosh.com

Acee Duecee Lounge

667 West 8th Avenue
Oshkosh, WI 54902
(920) 235-1453

Clothing/Fashion (Oshkosh)

Frugal Fashion

738 North Main Street
Oshkosh, WI 54901
(920) 303-5538

The Guilded Lily, LLC

615 South Main Street
Oshkosh, WI 54901
(920) 233-2505

Impressions

910 Oregon Street
Oshkosh, WI 54902
(920) 230-6084

Klassy Kids

459 North Main Street
Oshkosh, WI 54901
(920) 231-5437

Religion & Tradition (Fond du Lac)

Apostolic Christian Church

5324 East Pioneer Road
Fond du Lac, WI 54935
(920) 923-3728

Calvary Bible Church

51 West Division Street
Fond du Lac, WI 54935
(920) 921-0530

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints

347 North Country Lane
Fond du Lac, WI 54935
(920) 924-7425

Church of Peace UCC

158 Military Road
Fond du Lac, WI 54935
(920) 921-8215

Community Church

N6717 Streblov Drive
Fond du Lac, WI 54937
(920) 922-1477

Cornerstone Worship Center

154 West McWilliams Street
Fond du Lac, WI 54935
(920) 923-4442

Grace Christian Church

1596 4th Street
Fond du Lac, WI 54937
(920) 923-5292

Holy Family Catholic Community

Sacred Heart

200 South Peter Avenue
Fond du Lac, WI 54935
(920) 921-0580

Hope Lutheran Church

260 Vincent Street
Fond du Lac, WI 54935
(920) 922-5130

Lighthouse Christian Church

401 South National Avenue
Fond du Lac, WI 54935
(920) 921-3477

Memorial Baptist Church

645 Forest Avenue
Fond du Lac, WI 54935
(920) 922-2360

Open Circle Unitarian Universalist Fellowship

19 East Third Street
Fond du Lac, WI 54935
(920) 924-8598

St. Paul's Cathedral

51 West Division Street
Fond du Lac, WI 54935
(920) 921-3363

Trinity Baptist Church

400 East Johnson Street
Fond du Lac, WI 54935
(920) 922-9044

Religion & Tradition (Oshkosh)

BAPTIST

Allenville Community Baptist Church

6629 Hilltop Road
Oshkosh, WI 54904
(920) 836-2491

Community Church

2351 Ryf Road
Oshkosh, WI 54904
(920) 231-7070

First Baptist Temple

138 Church Avenue
Oshkosh, WI 54901
(920) 231-9920

Victory Baptist Church

608 Jefferson Street
Oshkosh, WI 54901
(920) 426-2726

Wyldeewood Baptist Church

3030 North Eagle Street
Oshkosh, WI 54902
www.ahmadiyaa.us/

NON-DENOMINATIONAL**Calvary Chapel**

824 East Parkway Ave
Oshkosh, WI 54901
(920) 233-8090

Countryside Christian Church

1483 Burr Oak Road
Oshkosh, WI 54904
(920) 589-2112
www.countrysidechristianbrookfield.com

God's Empire Restoration

400 Sawyer Street
Oshkosh, WI 54903
(920) 410-5180
www.godsempirecomplex.org

Gracewalk Church

1173 South Washburn Street
Oshkosh, WI 54904
(920) 232-6852
www.gracewalkchurch.com

His Church World Outreach Center

2704 Jackson Street
Oshkosh, WI 54901
(920) 426-4596
www.hcwo.org

The Lord's Highlands

4017 Leonard Point Road
Oshkosh, WI 54904
(920) 233-4034

Rivervally Church

1331 High Avenue
Oshkosh, WI 54901
(920) 231-9690

Sunnyview Christ Church

175 East County Road Y
Oshkosh, WI 54901
(920) 235-3784

PENTECOSTAL**Apostolic Gospel Church**

101 West 10th Avenue
Oshkosh, WI 54902
(920) 231-2004

Beth Worship Center

903 East Tennessee Avenue
Oshkosh, WI 54901
(920) 235-2332

Faith Christian Center

939 Bowen Street
Oshkosh, WI 54901
(920) 231-2200

Forsquare Church

454 Church Avenue
Oshkosh, WI 54901
(920) 233-2484
www.forsquare.org

Glad Tidings Tabernacle

122 West Bent Avenue
Oshkosh, WI 54901
(920) 233-4759

New Life Community Church

3250 West 9th Avenue
Oshkosh, WI 54904
(920) 235-3670

Pathway Apostolic Church

808 North Main Street
Oshkosh, WI 54901
(920) 203-8132
www.forministry.com/USWIUPCINPACPA

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Resources for Hmong Residents

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Grocery Stores (Appleton)

Oriental Food Market

343 West Wisconsin Avenue
Appleton, WI 54913
920-997-8250

Bangkok Oriental Food

706 East Wisconsin Avenue
Appleton, WI 54911
920-733-7899

Oriental Food Mart

633 West Wisconsin Avenue
Appleton, WI 54913
920-733-4680

D & K Asian Food Market

122 West Wisconsin Avenue
Appleton, WI 54913
920-830-1563

Super Deal Asian Oriental Food

219 South Walter Avenue
Appleton, WI 54915
920-380-9020

Asian Food Store

236 W Calumet Street Suite 4
Appleton, WI 54915
920-954-8138

Appleton Downtown Winter Farm Market

100 W. College Ave., inside City Center Plaza
Appleton, WI 54911
Phone: (920) 954-9112
INDOOR / SEASONAL
November – March
9am – 1pm
Email: Djuanna@appletondowntown.org

Downtown Appleton Farm Market

College Avenue
Every Saturday, June 16-October 27
8:00 am-12:30 pm
Experience the area's largest Farm Market with more than 100 vendors selling fresh produce and flowers, exotic meats and cheeses, breads and baked goods, specialty foods and handcrafted items along with live music and free newspapers. PLUS, enjoy the local restaurants, retail stores, the Building for Kids Children's Museum and all that Downtown Appleton has to offer! Special Features on the third Saturday of the Month throughout the Farm Market season: Art Market featuring Handcrafted fine art and craft media and Green Market featuring products that help Reduce, Recycle and Reuse the earth's resources.

Grocery Stores (Green Bay)

Asian Food Market

719 South Broadway
Green Bay, WI
920-435-5022

LPV Oriental Food Store

849 Shawano Avenue
1125 Pine Street
Green Bay, WI 54303
920-321-0677

Kalia Oriental Market

610 Bodart Street
Green Bay, WI
920-432-1292

Asian Taste Supermarket

722 Bodart Street
Green Bay, WI
920-431-8439

Main Oriental Market (Khw Hmoob)

Bruce & Kao Shoua Yang, Owners
607 Pine Street
Green Bay, WI 54301
920-435-5271

Local Farmer's Markets

Pine and Monroe Streets

Green Bay, WI 54301

<http://www.anythingwisconsin.com/farmmarkets.htm>

The City of Green Bay has operated a farmer's market since 1917. The market features over 95 vendors with fresh, homegrown fruits and vegetables. Other items include homemade baked goods, herbs, fresh and dried flowers, honey, syrup, meat, homemade crafts, and much more. There are also local farmer's markets in Kaukauna and Appleton. You can visit the Market Website for more information.

Restaurants (Appleton)

Meng's Restaurant and Bar

236 West Calumet Street

Appleton, WI

920-749-4747

A quaint Asian/American-inspired restaurant and banquet hall on Appleton's south side.

Mai's Deli

104 South Memorial Drive

Appleton, WI 54911

920-733-7900

<http://maisdeli.com>

Email: maisdeli@yahoo.com

Asian Taste Restaurant and Night Club

236 West Calumet Street

Appleton, WI

920-749-7474

Phonsavan

N192 Stoney Brook Road

Appleton, WI 54915

(920) 955-3780

Shadows Food and Spirits

211 South Walter Street

Appleton, WI 54915

920-954-1230

Restaurants (Green Bay)

Sunny's Chinese Noodle House

2331 Velp Avenue

Green Bay, WI

920-6691-9088

www.sunnyschinesenoodlehouse.com

Sunny's provides luncheon specials every day and chef specialties. Chicken, beef, pork, steak, spare ribs, and much more. Full menu of traditional beef entrées.

The Bangkok Garden

240 North Broadway

Green Bay, WI

920-433-9901

www.greenbaythaifood.com

The Bangkok Garden has become Green Bay's best kept secret, serving fresh-made Thai food to their lunch buffet, dinner, and carry-out customers.

Lotus Restaurant

418 South Military Avenue

Green Bay, WI

920-498-9898

www.lotusrestaurantgreenbay.com

Lotus Restaurant offers mouth-watering Chinese and Thai cuisine in the Green Bay area. They value their customers, which is why they only serve premium quality food at reasonable rates.

Place of Worship

Fox Cities Lutheran Ministry

2220 East College Avenue
Appleton, WI 54911
920-734-9643

Hmong Alliance Church

303 North Oneida Street
Appleton, WI 54911
920-832-1310

Living Stone Alliance Church

Pastor: Xf. Vaam Txus Xyooj
3131 North Meade Street
Appleton, WI 54911
920-832-1310

Saint Paul Hmong Lutheran

Pastor: Kx. Paul Thao (Kx. Txawj Pov Thoj)
322 North Morrison Street
Appleton, WI 54911
920-733-6701
www.hmongministry.net/saintpaulhmong.htm

Appleton Hmong Baptist Mission

Pastor: Kx. Boua Fue Lee
3600 North Chippewa Street
Appleton, WI 54915
920-739-1636

Green Bay Hmong Alliance Church

Senior Pastor: Kx. Vaam Txus Yaaj
Youth Pastor: Mr. Zaam Lis Thoj
1253 Mather Street
Green Bay, WI 54303
920-494-5477

Hmong Pilgrim Lutheran Church

1731 Saint Agnes Drive
Green Bay, WI
920-965-2233
www.pilgrimluth.org
Lutheran church. Childcare/preschool and daycare is offered. Services offered in Hmong language.

New Faith Hmong Ministry

341 Wilson Avenue
Green Bay, WI
920-494-4549
www.hmongumc.org
Association with the Hmong United Methodist Churches. Services offered in Hmong language.

Professionals (Green Bay, Appleton, and Sheboygan Areas)

Hmong Wisconsin Radio

Kor Xiong
Hmong Wisconsin Radio
337 W. Wisconsin Ave. Ste. 6
Appleton, WI 54911
920-882-2940
xionk2001@yahoo.com
<http://www.hmongwisconsinradio.com/>
Welcome to the Hmong Wisconsin Radio website. This radio station broadcasts news, talk shows, and entertainment for listeners of all ages, 24 hours 7 days a week. Tune in to listen and learn more about the Hmong culture and what the Hmong people are doing in Wisconsin and around the world.

HmongTV

“Keep you connected with Hmong people through television”
Kor Xiong, President & CEO
337 West Wisconsin Avenue, Suite 5
Appleton, WI 54911
920-257-8300
920-763-227-3619
Xionk2001@yahoo.com
www.hmongtv.us

Rainbo Graphics, LLC (Creative Design&Print)

Peter Thao, Graphic Designer
1731 West Washington Street, Suite C
Appleton, WI 54914
920-915-8563
rainbographics@mail.com
www.hmonghello.com
Specializes in graphic designs logo design, brochures, flyers, posters, photos, magazines, bannes and signs, video, CD, DVD covers, and more...

WBAY TV

Bao Vang, News Reporter
 115 South Jefferson Street
 Green Bay, WI 54301
 Office: 920-438-3301
 Cell: 920-639-3148
 Fax: 920-639-3148
 bvang@wbay.com

Chungyia T. Thao (Check to make sure they are still in business)
 Universal Translating & Staffing, Inc.
 206 S. Memorial Dr.
 Appleton, WI 54911
 920-734-1702
 chung@universal-translation.com

Hmong American Partnership

President Bao Vang
 2198 S. Memorial Drive
 Appleton, WI 54915
 920-739-3192
 This agency provides social services---call to get more details.
<http://www.hmong.org/>

Chiropractic**Family Chiropractic**

Salad Vang
 2110 South Memorial Drive
 Appleton, WI 54915
 920-997-3889

Bay Valley Health

Dr. Choua Lee, D.C.
 989 West Mason Street
 Green Bay, WI 54303
 920-435-7575

Dental**(Local Hmong Practitioners)****David Blong Lee, D.D.S.**

825 Michigan Avenue
 Sheboygan, WI 53081
 920-459-9010

David Blong Lee, D.D.S.

412 East Longview Drive, Suite A
 Appleton, WI 54911
 920-993-5555

**Elderly Care/Personal Care
(Local Hmong Practitioners)****Tongxeng Personal Homecare, LLC**

206 South Memorial Drive
 Appleton, WI 54911
 Phone: 920-734-1702
 Fax: 920-734-1703
<http://www.tongxenghomecare.com>

Tongxeng Personal Homecare, LLC

Choungyia Thoa
 722 Bodart Street
 Green Bay, WI 54301
 920-431-8487

Tongxeng Personal Homecare, LLC

North Webster Avenue
 Green Bay, WI 54301
 920-438-7330

Helping Hands Caregivers

443 South Jackson Street
 Green Bay, WI 54301
 920-217-2961

Happy In-Home Care

1731 West Washington Street, Suite C
 Appleton, WI 54914
 920-915-8563
 1-866-977-3757
happyhc@mail.com

Advance Personal Care

Kurt Kom Kaub Xiong
 711 North Lynndale Drive, Suite 2F
 Appleton, WI 54914
 920-560-3158

Staffing Agency

AHEAD Wisconsin Area Office

443 South Jackson Street
Green Bay, WI 54301
Phone: 920-436-9887
Fax: 920-436-9886

Lawyers

Recka and Joannes, S.C.

Blia Vang
211 South Monroe Avenue
Green Bay, WI 54301
920-435-8159
Services: Bankruptcy, personal injury, business law, divorce for women, Lincoln title services, malpractice, motorcycle injury, patent, trademark, and copyright, selling a home, and estate planning.

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125 South Jefferson Street, Suite 101
Green Bay, WI
920-432-7716
920-205-6103 – Hais lus Hmoob
www.hspwlaw.com

Hmong Legal Center

337 W. Wisconsin Avenue
Appleton, WI 54911-4361
(920) 730-0889

Hmong Realtors

Place Perfect Realty (kuv pab yuav thiab muag tsev)

Ker Vang, Realtor
2445B Lineville Road
Green Bay, WI 54303
Phone: 920-434-2400 ext. 104
Cell: 920-562-4436
Fax: 920-434-1166
kvang@placeperfectrealty.com
www.placeperfectrealty.com

Neighborhood Realtors, LLC

Hmong Agent: Yang Kong
119 South Webster Avenue
Green Bay, WI 54301
920-217-3707

ReMax Realtors

Hmong Agent: Xia M. Moua
2325 Verlin Road
Green Bay, WI 54311
920-438-3439
Contact information: 920-438-8000

Alterations & Clothing

Classic Media & Tailoring Alterations

1276 Main St
Green Bay, WI 54302
920-437-1909

Vue's Custom Fashion & Alterations

Zong Koua & Xe Vue
1270 Main Street, Suite 130
Green Bay, WI 54301
Phone: 920-857-3347
Cell: 920-360-2406
vuescustomfashion@gmail.com

Travel

Paradise Travel

Tulue Lor, Travel Consultant
215 Deschane Place
Green Bay, WI 54302
Phone: 920-406-9309
Cell: 920-713-6404
Cell: 920-217-7872
paratravelor@yahoo.com
www.myspace.com/meejmom
Specializes in international and domestic airfare, passport and re-enter permit, Visa to Thailand, Lao, and etc.

Insurance

JV Insurance & Financial Services

Jeming Vang
2245 South Oneida Street, #2
Appleton, WI 54915
Phone: 920-202-5530
Cell: 920-205-8017
jeming.vang@horacemann.com
Specializes in auto insurance, life insurance, home insurance, retirement planning, college funding, disability insurance, and other financial needs

UFIS United Family Insurance Solutions, LLC

John C. Lee, Founder & CEO
1214 North Division Street
Appleton, WI 54911
920-996-4867
jlee@ufinssolutions.com
www.ufinssolutions.com
Specializes in auto, home, life, health, and business insurance services.

Yang Insurance Agency

Lue Yang
906 East Walnut Street
Green Bay, WI 54301
920-857-9113
www.yangins.com

Marquette Group

Scott Folsom
425 South Military Road
Green Bay, WI 54303
920-494-8911

Sentry Insurance

John C. Lee
1524 North Edgewood Avenue
Appleton, WI 54914
920-993-1726

Farmers Insurance Group

Pao Vang
33 Park Place, Suite 300
Appleton, WI 54914
920-380-0810

National Mutual Benefit

Youa Lee
1320 Creekside Lane
Green Bay, WI 54311
920-406-6552

K-Financial Services, LLC

820 Ontonagon Court
Green Bay, WI 54301
920-362-1181
www.borntoretire.com

National Mutual Benefit-

Youa Lee
1320 Creekside Lane
Green Bay, WI 54311
920-406-6552

HBW Insurance & Financial Services, Inc.

Wawoo Xiong
1418 Huron Ave
Sheboygan, WI 53081
920-698-0151
wamwon@yahoo.com

Associations

Hmong American Partnership Fox Valley, Inc.

2198 South Memorial Drive
Appleton, WI 54915
920-739-3192

United Hmong Asian American Community Center, Inc.

Wa Yia Thao, President
Staryoung Thao, Director
401 9th Street
Green Bay, WI
920-432-8900/920-437-4550
This association hosts and organizes social gatherings and events for the Hmong Community, and ideal place to network into the Hmong community.

Multicultural Center of Greater Green Bay

Nia Cha Yang, President
217 North Madison Street
Green Bay, WI 54302
920-438-1660
www.downtowngreenbay.com/node/572

My Der Vang

Hmong Association—Hmong culture, history, and diversity
200 South Ashland Avenue
Green Bay, WI 54303
920-437-4550

Appleton Public Library Hmong Resource Center

225 N. Oneida Street
Appleton, WI 54911-4980
920-832-6170

Wisconsin National Guard

SSG Lee Vang Thao
Recruiting & Retention NCO, Recruiting & Retention Battalion
2801 West Second Street
Appleton, WI 54911
Phone: 920-889-0141
Cell: 920-268-3971
Lee.vang.thao@us.army.mil

Funeral Location

Legacy Chapel Funeral Home & Cremation Services

838 South Fisk Street
Green Bay, WI 54304
920-498-1118

Malcore Funeral Home

1530 West Mason Street
Green Bay, WI 54303
920-499-4100

Malcore Funeral Home

701 North Baird Street
Green Bay, WI 54302
920-432-5579
<http://www.malcorefuneralhome.com/>

Valley Funeral Home

2211 North Richmond Street
Appleton, WI 54911
920-733-5435

Events

Hmong New Year

Organized by the United Hmong Community Center of Green Bay, the Hmong New Year is celebrated at the Brown County Arena. One of the most unusual aspects of the Hmong culture is that the New Year Festival is celebrated with everyone in the community. The New Year is the only time of the year that these people have off work as they farm all year. So it is no wonder that this time of the year is most important as it fulfills all of their religious and social functions.

The Hmong do not always celebrate the New Year on the official date as it may not coincide with the end of the harvesting of the rice. It is also preferable that the New Year festival coincide with other nearby villages so that the unmarried men of the village can meet prospective wives in other communities as well. In Australia they celebrate at Christmas/New Year when they can have a holiday.

The New Year festival must be at least three days as it was considered bad luck for it to last a day that was an even number. It can last a month to a month and a half. For more information, contact Wa Yia Thao.

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Resources for Indian Residents

Welcome to the New North Regional Guide: Resources for Indian Residents. These resources are intended for those wishing to experience the Indian culture in the New North region.

Please provide your thoughts, or additional resources, to Celestine Jeffreys, Diversity Manager, Green Bay Area Chamber of Commerce at cjeffreys@titletown.org or Kathy Flores, Diversity Coordinator, City of Appleton at Kathy.Flores@appleton.org.

The resources listed in this guide are for informational purposes only. They are not endorsed by or sponsored by New North, Inc., Green Bay Area Chamber of Commerce, the City of Appleton or their affiliates.

Diversity & Organizations

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Groceries

India Grocery (Appleton)

2333 West Wisconsin Avenue
Appleton, WI 54914
920-733-8200

This grocery store is located in Appleton and sells retail as well as wholesale products. Some of the items include food, hygiene, and video rentals.

Downtown Appleton Farmers Market

College Avenue
Every Saturday, June 16-October 27
8:00 am-12:30 pm

Experience the area's largest Farm Market with more than 100 vendors selling fresh produce and flowers, exotic meats and cheeses, breads and baked goods, specialty foods and hand-crafted items along with live music and free newspapers. PLUS, enjoy the local restaurants, retail stores, the Building for Kids Children's Museum and all that Downtown Appleton has to offer! Special Features on the third Saturday of the Month throughout the Farm Market season: Art Market featuring Handcrafted fine art and craft media and Green Market featuring products that help Reduce, Recycle and Reuse the earth's resources.

Restaurants

India Darbar (Appleton)

2333 West Wisconsin Avenue
Appleton, WI 54914
920-560-4967
<http://www.indiadarbar.com/>

This restaurant provides authentic Indian cuisine, and is known for their use of aromatic spices. India Darbar is connected to India Grocery. There is also a banquet hall attached that can cater to weddings and other gatherings.

Sai Ram Indian Cuisine (Appleton)

253 West Northland Avenue
Appleton, WI 54911
920-733-3003
<http://www.sairamindiancuisine.net/>

Sai Ram offers freshly made, authentic Indian food. It features both vegetarian and non-vegetarian specials.

The below listed restaurants are vegetarian, but not specifically Indian cuisine

Harmony Café

233 East College Avenue
Appleton, WI 54911
920-734-2233

<http://www.focol.org/harmonycafe/>

This is a non-profit coffee house whose profits go to local Goodwill stores in North Central Wisconsin. They are known for their specialty coffees, and also includes free WI-Fi.

Health & Beauty

Indira

133 East College Ave
Appleton, WI 54911
920-993-1212

<http://www.indirasalonspa.com/>

Indira is a salon that offers many different services for cutting and styling hair, as well as other spa treatments. One of the spa treatments they offer is an ethnic relaxing treatment. Indira also has a "Lifestyles Reward Program" which gives the customer points based on each visit or referral to Indira Salon and Spa.

Religious Services

Hindu Temple of Northeast Wisconsin

911 Delanglade Street
Kaukauna, WI 54130
<http://www.htnew.org/>

Appleton Gurudwara

1304 Midway Road
Menasha, WI 54952

Hindu Temple of Wisconsin

N4063 W243 Pewaukee Road
Pewaukee, WI 53072
262-695-1200

One of the nearest temples to Green Bay is located just outside of Milwaukee in Pewaukee. Given is the website, phone number, and address for more information.

Resources & Groups

IndUS

<http://www.indus.org/>

The mission of IndUS of the Fox Valley is “dedicated to promoting Indo-American friendship and goodwill by serving the community through social, cultural, educational, and charitable activities.”

IANEW

<http://ianew.net/>

The Indian Association of North East Wisconsin is a non-profit organization that creates awareness about India’s culture and heritage to the local community. Here you can find information on how to get involved in different activities. The website also has many links to other websites that include music, news, and immigration information.

Islamic Society of Wisconsin (Green Bay Masjid)

2615 Packerland Drive., #F
Green Bay, WI 54313

<http://www.islamicfinder.org/getitWorld.php?id=55321&lang=>

Orkut

<http://www.orkut.com/>

Orkut is a networking website (much like Facebook) used by many people in the Indian community to stay in touch with each other. You need to register an account to access the services, which include instant messaging and video/picture messaging.

Professional Services

Ashi Tannan (Realtor)

775 South Nicolet Road
Appleton, WI 54914
920-733-7800

<http://www.century21.com/real-estate-agent/profile/ashi-tannan-10712432>

Please visit the following website to view Ashi’s profile. Ashi is a realtor for Century 21.

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Bienvenida al Nuevo Norte, una región vibrante para aprender, experimentar, volverse, rendir culto y diviértase. El Guía General de la Comunidad y la Cultura Guía de recursos da muchos recursos que ayudarán a los residentes se sientan como en casa. La lista incluye las actividades, los recursos comunitarios, los recursos educativos, y las empresas culturales específicos. Esperamos que usted encontrarán las guías de valor, y disfrutar de la exploración del Nuevo Norte.

Este archivo PDF seguirá creciendo con el tiempo. Esta lista inicial abarca solamente de los recursos de las áreas en Green Bay y Appleton. En los próximos meses, el comité se agregan recursos de Oshkosh y Fond du Lac. La responsabilidad principal de este comité de es encontrar maneras de atraer y retener el talento diverso para cada área, y permitir al público a tomar conciencia de los recursos locales.

Por favor, da sus pensamientos o recursos adicionales a Celestine Jeffreys, La Directora de la Diversidad, a la Cámara de Comercio de Green Bay a cjeffreys@titletown.org.

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La Guía de la Comunidad General

Bienvenidos a la Guía de la Comunidad General del Nuevo Norte. Esta lista, aunque no tiene todo incluido, presenta los recursos para cualquiera que esta considerando dar un paso a la región, así como los residentes actuales que están buscando para lugares nuevos para explorar. Esperamos que usted encontrará el valor en nuestra Guía de Recursos, y disfrutar de la exploración del Nuevo Norte.

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Groceries (Fond du Lac)

Mexicana Mini-Market

158 West Division Street
Fond du Lac, Wisconsin 54935
(920) 581-0501

La Esperanza

(Mexican Market and Latino Groceries)

306 Main Street
Fond du Lac, Wisconsin 54935
(920) 924-3577

La Gran Plaza

(Traditional Mexican Restaurant/Grocery and Shopping Center)

239 West Scott Street
Fond du Lac, Wisconsin 54935
(920) 923-2304

Panadería Rey (Bakery)

335 Winnebago Drive
Fond du Lac, Wisconsin 54935
(920) 922-7922

Groceries (Oshkosh)

Nayarit Mexican Super Market

258 West 8th Avenue
Oshkosh, Wisconsin 54902
(920) 237-0642

Restaurants (Fond du Lac)

La Gran Plaza

*See above information. This location is both a grocery store and a restaurant.

La Tapatía

609 West Johnson Street
Fond du Lac, Wisconsin 54935
(920) 322-9000

Mazatlan

237 South Main Street
Fond du Lac, Wisconsin 54935
(920) 924-9012

Sombrero's

445 North Pioneer Road
Fond du Lac, Wisconsin 54935
(920) 922-9207

Mexicana Express

417 South Main Street
Fond du Lac, Wisconsin 54935
(920) 923-3130

Restaurants (Oshkosh)

Durango's

2070 South Koeller Street
Oshkosh, Wisconsin 54902
(920) 303-1948

Lara's

715 North Main Street
Oshkosh, Wisconsin 54902
(920) 233-4440

Mario's Place

2505 Oregon Street
Oshkosh, Wisconsin 54902
(920) 235-9854

South of the Border Mexican Restaurant

800 Oregon Street
Oshkosh, Wisconsin 54902
(920) 230-8000
www.southborder.biz

Habaneros Mexican Grill

5171 Jackson Street
Oshkosh, Wisconsin 54902
(920) 230-7047
www.habanerososhkosh.com

Habaneros Mexican Grill

242 Wisconsin Avenue
Oshkosh, Wisconsin 54902
(920) 230-6690
www.habanerososhkosh.com

Religion/Places of Worship

Iglesia Cristiana Pentecostés – Pan de Vida

344 Military Street
Fond du Lac, Wisconsin 54935
Pastor: Orlando Izaguirre
(920) 904-0950

Professionals

Domicilio – Mecánico en General

(920) 970-6026
*Se compran carros para junk, precios económicos. Tune-ups, frenos, reparaciones en general, radiadores, y alternadores.
*We buy “junk cars”, economic prices. Tune-ups, brakes, general repairs, radiators, and alternaters.

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