INDIANA
DISABILITY ALLIANCE

Rally to Protect Community Living – Event Details

November 17, 2026

Organized by the Indiana Disability Alliance

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION

INDIANA DISABILITY ALLIANCE

- The Indiana Disability Alliance (IDA) is an intentionally focused coalition of disability organizations working together to advance public policies that promote independence, community integration, meaningful opportunity, and strong home and community-based services across Indiana.
- Alliance Members:
  - Autism Society of Indiana
  - Down Syndrome Indiana
  - FUSE
  - Independence Indiana
  - Indiana Family to Family
  - Indiana Statewide Independent Living Council (INSILC)
  - Self-Advocates of Indiana (SAI)
  - The Arc of Indiana

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RALLY INTRODUCTION

INDIANA DISABILITY ALLIANCE

Rally to Protect Community Living

Tuesday, November 17, 2026

11:00 AM-12:30 PM ET

Indiana Statehouse

200 W. Washington Street, Indianapolis, IN 46204

Please Plan to Arrive Early!

PARKING AND SHUTTLES

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- Attendees can park for free at the Indianapolis Zoo and take a wheelchair-accessible shuttle bus to the Statehouse.
  - Zoo Address: 1200 W. Washington St., Indianapolis, IN 46222
- Miller Transportation Shuttles will run from 9:00 AM – 2:00 PM ET.
- Zoo staff will direct you where to park after you identify you are with the Indiana Disability Alliance.
- Groups may park their large busses or sprinter vans at the Zoo after dropping off passengers at the Bus Drop-Off Location along Capitol Ave on the east side of the Statehouse
- For street parking, attendees can find and reserve a spot with apps like Spot Hero, ParkWhiz, or ParkMobile
- The White River State Park Garage upper level accommodates raised roof vans to 8 feet, the lower level accommodates up to 7 feet

DROP-OFF LOCATIONS

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- All busses are REQUIRED to drop off passengers on the east side of the Statehouse on Capitol Avenue near Market Street.
  - Important: The Capitol Avenue entrance to the Statehouse is NOT accessible. The only Statehouse accessible entrance is on the west side of the building along Senate Ave.
- Attendees using the IDA Shuttle Busses can ride back to the Zoo from the same drop-off location on Capitol Avenue any time before 2:00 PM.
- Sprinter vans and vehicles can drop off passengers near the accessible entrance on Senate Ave.
  - Important: Senate Avenue DOES NOT allow through traffic.
  - To drop off near the accessible entrance, vans and vehicles should access Senate Avenue from Washington Street.
  - There is limited space allowing vans and vehicles before Senate Avenue becomes for pedestrians only. Please use caution in the drop-off area when exiting back onto Washington Street.

STATEHOUSE EXTERIOR MAP

INDIANA DISABILITY ALLIANCE

This map is an aerial view of the Statehouse, showing:

- The Bus-Drop Off Location on the east side of the Statehouse where Capitol Avenue and Market Street intersect
- A sidewalk pathway going from the east side Bus Drop-Off to the west side Accessible Entrance
- The Van & Vehicle Drop-Off Location near the west side Accessible Entrance on Senate Avenue
- A marker near the corner of Senate Avenue and Washington Street where Senate Ave becomes for pedestrians only
- **Find this map with a full image description on the Rally webpage**.

Rally volunteers will be present in black t-shirts to direct attendees.

SECURITY & SIGN REQUIREMENTS

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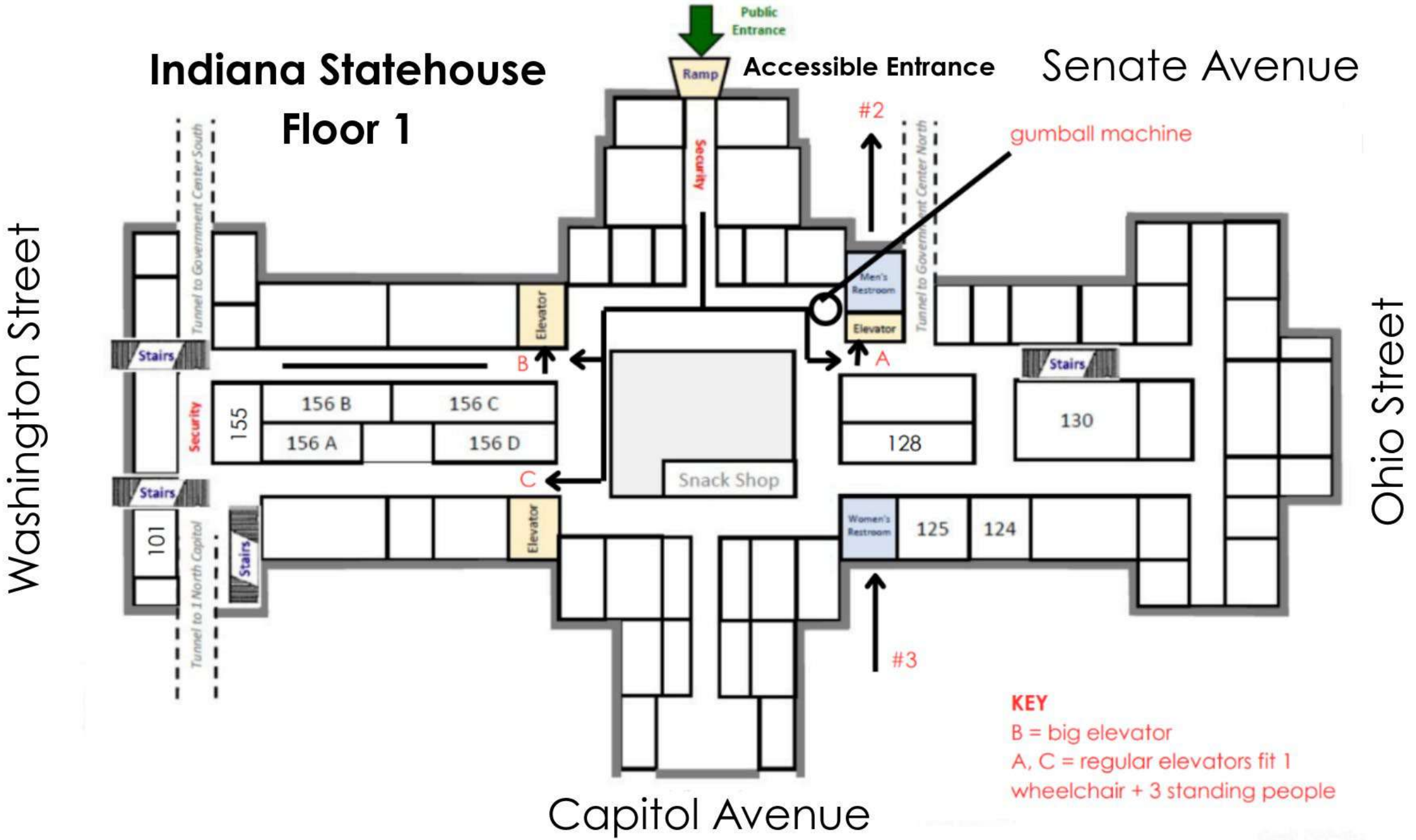
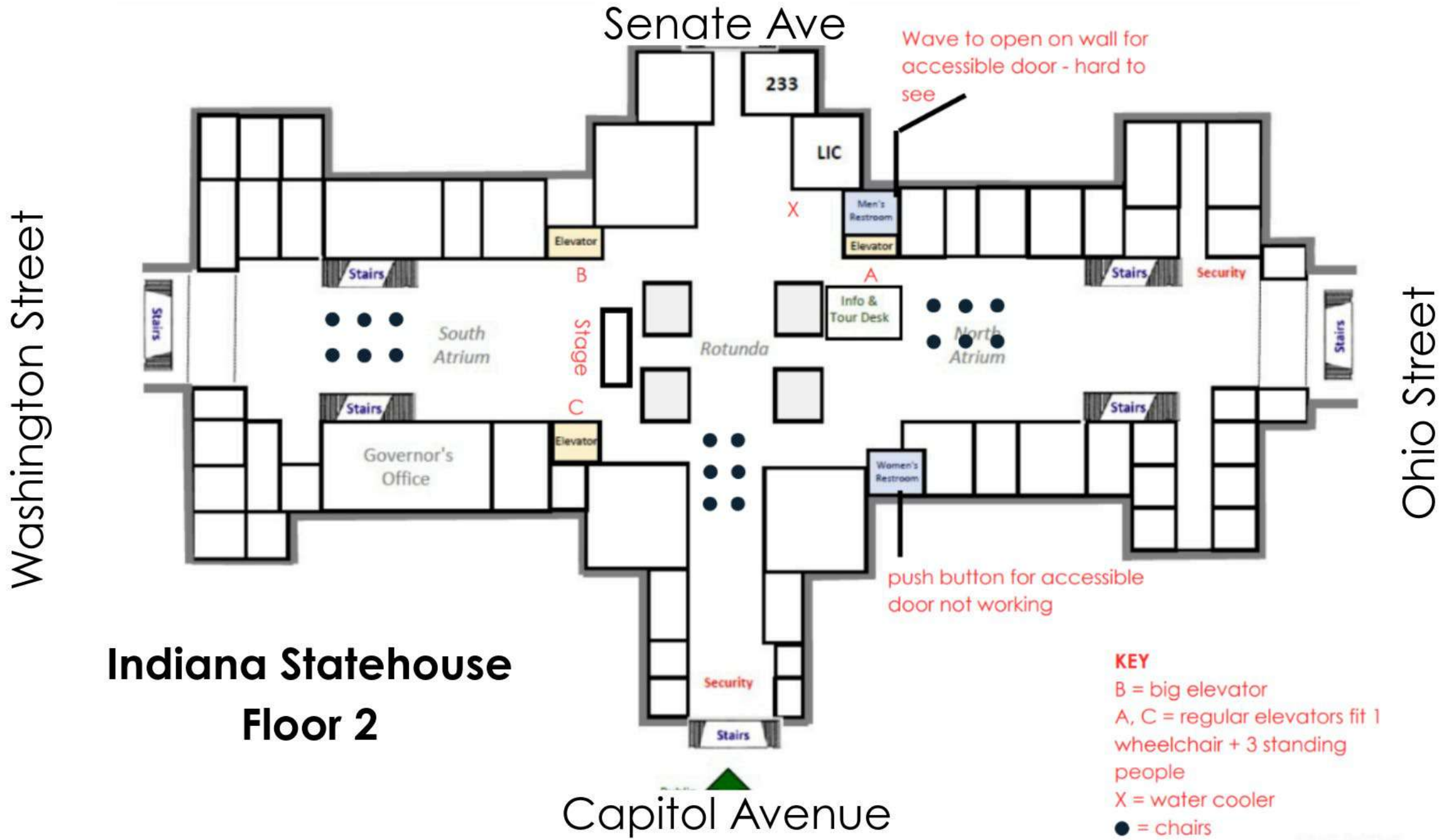
- All visitors pass through metal detectors and screening equipment.
- Bags and packages will go through X-ray screening. Help the line move faster by having your belongings ready to be scanned.
- Weapons are strictly prohibited inside the Capitol and Government Center buildings.
- Visitors with pacemakers or defibrillators should notify the Capitol Police officers before screening for a hand-held wand check.

- Signs cannot be larger than 24 inches by 24 inches (2 feet by 2 feet).
- No Sticks or Poles! Signs must be hand-held and cannot be attached to sticks, wooden posts, or any other hard objects.
- All signs must be placed flat on the designated security screening tables at entry points. Signs that do not fit the criteria are not permitted inside.

Indiana Statehouse
Floor 1

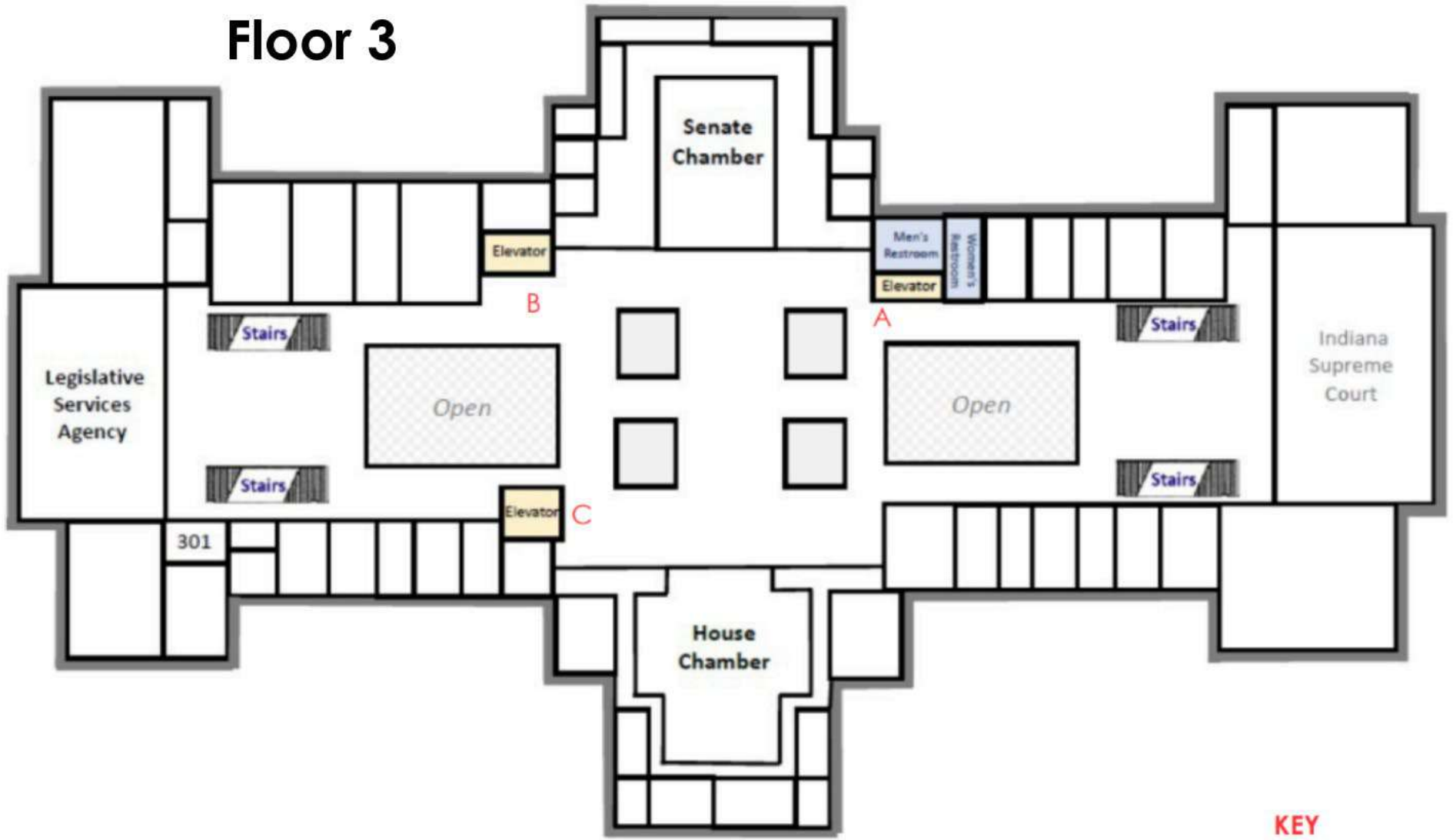



Senate Ave
Wave to open on wall for accessible door - hard to see
233
LIC
X
Men's Restroom
Elevator
Elevator
B
A
Stairs
Stairs
Security
Stairs
Info & Tour Desk
South Atrium
Stage
Rotunda
North Atrium
Stairs
Stairs
C
Stairs
Elevator
Governor's Office
Women's Restroom
push button for accessible door not working
Security
Stairs
Capitol Avenue
Washington Street
Ohio Street
Indiana Statehouse
Floor 2
KEY
B = big elevator
A, C = regular elevators fit 1 wheelchair + 3 standing people
X = water cooler
● = chairs

Indiana Statehouse
Floor 3

Senate Avenue

Washington Street



Ohio Street

Capitol Avenue

KEY

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Indiana Statehouse
Floor 4

Senate Avenue

Washington Street

Ohio Street

Capitol Avenue

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432 - Meditation Room

ACCESSIBILITY

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- ASL interpreting and live captions will be available. Please register to request additional accommodation. We cannot guarantee but will do our best to meet all accommodation requests.
- SEATING WILL BE LIMITED in the South Atrium. Attendees with low stamina are encouraged to arrive early to secure a seat. We cannot guarantee a seat for everyone.
- Volunteers will be located around the Statehouse to direct and help attendees with elevator and bathroom access.
- We have reserved a quiet sensory space in Room 432 on the fourth floor.
- If you have a legislator meeting and need accessibility assistance, please let us know by emailing Info@IndianaDisabilityAlliance.org.
- November 17 is Organization Day gathering all legislators to be sworn into office. Other groups will also be hosting events, meaning the Statehouse will be VERY BUSY all day.
- **Be prepared to stand for long periods in a crowded space.**

AGENDA AND SPEAKERS

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Speakers will include former and current elected officials, disability leaders, advocates, and parents. Check the IDA website for the program timeline and full list of speakers.

We are excited to welcome:

- Former Lt. Governor Suzanne Crouch
- State Representative Lori Goss Reaves
- Dr. Mary Ciccarelli
- State Representative Robin Shackleford
- John Dickerson, Former CEO of The Arc of Indiana and Founder of Quillo

RESTAURANTS/FOOD

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Water bottles and light snacks are permitted; they will be subject to security screening.

Please note that these restaurants are OUTSIDE Statehouse security, meaning you will have to re-enter through security if you leave the Statehouse to get food.

- Indiana Government Centers North and South have cafeterias on the lower level.
- **Lincoln Square Pancake House**
- **Subway**
- **The Block Bistro and Grill**
- **Cafe Patachou**
- **Fat Rooster Diner at the Hyatt Regency**
- **Giordano's**

LEGISLATOR MEETINGS & LETTER WRITING

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- We encourage all attendees to schedule a meeting with their legislator before or after rally.
- Find more information about scheduling legislator meetings on the **Rally webpage**.
- If you or someone you know cannot attend, consider writing a letter to your legislator!
  - Download the template to write to Governor Braun
  - Download the template to write to your state legislator(s)

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Our Home. Our Choice. Our Lives.

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Be Sure to Register!
Plan ample travel time; arrive early!
Schedule meetings with you legislators!

Join individuals, families, providers, and advocates to protect meaningful opportunities to live, work, participate, and receive supports in our own homes and communities.