

Murals, Memorials & Historic Sites of Downtown Wentzville

1. Crossroads Arts Council & Wentzville Community Historical Society

310 West Pearce Boulevard

This building housed the Wentzville City Hall through 2017. It opened in 2021 as a community space used by two community focused organizations.

2. Vietnam Veterans Memorial

209 W. Pearce Boulevard

The first Vietnam Veterans Memorial in the United States, the monument is now represented by a red Missouri granite column adorned with an eagle. Originally dedicated in December 1967, it is now an annual stop on the Run for the Wall.

3. Vietnam Veterans Mural

201 W. Pearce Boulevard; installation date to be determined

Located on the west wall of Ehll's Western Auto, this mural will face the Vietnam Veterans Memorial.

4. Bicentennial Park

22 W. Pearce Boulevard

Designed as a memorial garden in 1975 to honor major events in U.S. history, this park now contains four historical elements and is maintained by a variety of community organizations.

a) World War I Veterans Memorial Mural & Uncle Sam Poster recreation, on reverse of Honor Roll Board

b) World War II Memorial and Honor Roll Board

c) Bicentennial of the United States Victory Garden

Commemorative Stone. The stone marks a time capsule, buried in 1976; the capsule is to be opened August 10, 2046.

d) Explanatory Plaque

5. History of Tobacco in Wentzville Mural

1 E. Allen Street.; located on the Linn Avenue Side of the building

Tobacco began to be commercially grown in Wentzville in the 1820s. By the Civil War, there were seven area factories producing and distributing tobacco products. The largest, Dula & Carr, was sold in 1884, though tobacco was still grown by local farmers through the 1930s and '40s.

6. Civil War Battle of Wentzville Mural

201 E. Pearce Boulevard

Located on the east side of Thieman's Carpet Company, this mural commemorates the Civil War skirmish that occurred near Wentzville July 16-17, 1861 as Union soldiers were traveling by train to Mexico, Mo.

7. Site of Wentzville's First Phone Company

205 E. Allen

Once the site of the Wentzville Farmer's Telephone Company, this building now houses several businesses including a retail store, bakery and restoration shop.

8. Wentzville Caboose

E. Main Street

Built around 1942, this caboose moved to Wentzville in 2000 after a stint as a McDonalds party room. It has been renovated to contain the rotating museum exhibits of the Wentzville Community Historical Society. It also hosts a tiny library. Open during festivals and by appointment.

9. Village Center History Panel

Back of 408 E. Main Street

Showing a collage of photographs of historic Wentzville, this is the first mural created in conjunction with the Crossroads Art Council. Located on the back of the Centurylink building, across from the entrance to Friendship Brewery.

10. Former Site of Wentzville Tobacco Company

South Elm, between 4th & 5th Streets

The site of the Wentzville Tobacco Company from 1885 to 1892, this site also formerly housed Karrenbrock Flour Milling and the Acme Garment Factory. It is now a Public Parking area.

11. Green Lantern Senior Center

506 S. Linn Avenue

Built in the late 1800s, this building housed the first Wentzville Public High School. It has served as the town senior center since 1973 and currently hosts Wentzville Community Historical Society meetings and displays.

12. William Karrenbrock House

521 S. Linn Avenue

W.F. Karrenbrock and his wife Eugenia built the home in 1921; Karrenbrock was president of the Wentzville Bank. Dale and Lisa Covington restored the home to reflect its original construction era, starting in 2012. The Historical Society has recognized their efforts with a bronze plaque commemorating this century home.

13. Former Pitman Carriage House

107 S. Linn Avenue

Built as a blacksmith shop in 1905, this building served as the carriage house and storage building for Pitman Funeral Services from 1922 to 1942. Today, it houses a hookah lounge.

14. Picnic & Lawn Fete Mural

2 Main Street

On the Linn Avenue side of the corner brick building, this is a recreation of a 1907 handbill advertising a community event.

15. Historical Buildings of Wentzville Mural

112 W. Main Street

Located on the west side of the Wentzville Millworks building, this mural features artistic renderings of thirteen historic buildings. The original renderings were created by local artist Twig Loughry for the city's millennium celebration calendar.

16. Historic Wentzville Mural

Across the street from 210 W. Main Street

Located on the east side of the MFA building near the train tracks, this mural was created by Wentzville artist Keith Henderson to represent the downtown Wentzville area in the mid 1800s.

17. Afghanistan & Iraq War Memorial

500 W. Main Street

Located near the parking area of the Wentzville Community Club, this memorial was dedicated in 2008.

Brochure designed by the



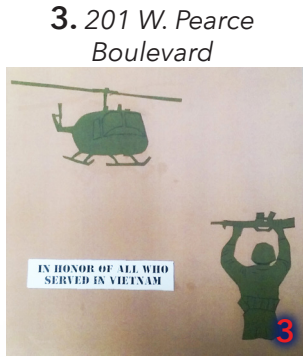
in conjunction with the Wentzville Downtown Business Association and the Wentzville Community Historical Society.



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4. 22 W. Pearce Boulevard (left & below)



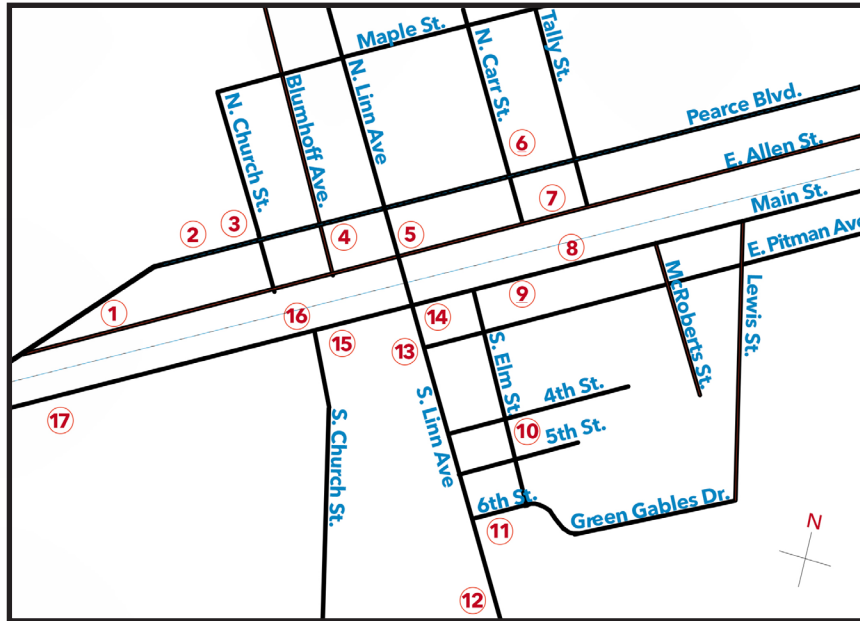
5. Side of 1 E. Allen Street
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8. East Main Street, across from S. Talley St.



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