



**Thursday, November 12, 2015: 7:30 a.m.  
American Red Cross Building  
AGENDA**

- I. Welcome** – President Michael Higgins
  
- II. Guest Speaker:** Jess Weitzel: Crawford, Murphy & Tilly, Inc.  
Tactical Urbanism: A Community Development Tool
  
- III. Board Reports**  
Secretary: Julie Dirksen  
Treasurer: Daniel Shelton
  
- IV. Local Government Update**
  - Alderman Cory Jobe, Ward 6
  - Alderman Joe McMenamin, Ward 7
  - Jerome Mayor Michael Lopez
  - County Board Member: Lisa Hills
  - Neighborhood Police Officer: Tammy Walcher
  
- V. Announcements:**
  - Membership Update
  - Oct. 10<sup>th</sup> MacArthur Blvd. Clean Up: Thanks to all
  - City of Springfield Ward Strategic Planning Sessions.  
Ward 7: Saturday, November 14 from 9:00 - 11:00 a.m. at South Side Christian Church, 2600 S MacArthur Boulevard.  
Ward 6: Monday, November 16 from 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. at Laurel United Methodist Church, 631 South Grand Avenue West.

**Please note:** December MBA Annual Membership Meeting will be held  
Thursday, Dec. 10<sup>th</sup> @ 7:30 a.m. at the HyVee Grill  
MBA will sponsor a Complimentary Continental Breakfast

**Thank you to our November Coffee Sponsor  
South Side Christian Church**