

## **2025 Legislative Platform**

The Indiana Tourism Association asks members of the Indiana General Assembly to:

- 1. Build upon the State's unprecedented investment in destination promotion through the Indiana Destination Development Corporation by:
  - Giving local communities a flexible tool for destination promotion and development by passing enabling legislation for Tourism Improvement Districts;
  - Maintaining funding levels for IDDC in the 2026-27 budget;
  - Maintaining funding levels for the Statewide Sports and Tourism Bid Fund;
  - Providing state-administered incentive tools that foster private investment in new developments that enhance the quality of place for visitors and residents.
- 2. Ensure the tourism tax dollars are invested in destination tourism marketing and product development by restricting spending powers to the tourism commission.