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Elkhart authorities investigate propane blast



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By STEVEN COVATTA
Elkhart, Ind. — A propane gas leak at a residential site in Elkhart, Ind., on Tuesday night led to a massive fire and explosion that killed a man and injured another. The fire started in a two-story house on the corner of 10th and 11th streets, where a propane tank was leaking. The tank exploded, sending a fireball into the air. The fire spread quickly, consuming the house and nearby structures. Firefighters arrived within minutes, but the damage was extensive. The cause of the leak is still under investigation.

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A woman who was missing for several days after she was last seen on a bus in Elkhart, Ind., has been found. She was discovered in a nearby area and is now being treated for her injuries. The incident occurred on Tuesday night, and the bus was last seen heading towards the city center. The woman's name is not being released at this time.

EVERY WEDNESDAY
New Beginnings Church to offer Vacation Bible Classes



Relay For Life Survivor Dinner set for Thursday

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PRE-REGISTER NOW
Join First Southern Baptist Church for Ride of Life

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A store that was once a thriving business in Elkhart, Ind., is now a ghost town. The store, which was owned by a local family, had been in operation for decades. It was a popular destination for shoppers and a source of pride for the community. However, due to various factors, the store eventually closed its doors. The building is now in a state of disrepair, and the surrounding area has changed significantly. The loss of the store is a significant part of the town's history.

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The city of Elkhart, Ind., is planning to discuss plans for rezoning and a robotics grant. The rezoning is intended to address the needs of the growing population and the changing economic landscape. The robotics grant is aimed at supporting local businesses and promoting innovation in the manufacturing sector. The city council will hold a public hearing on these issues in the coming weeks.

PRE-REGISTER JULY 21
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Lynne Donovan has launched her newest book, "The Windy Side of the Mountain." The book is a collection of short stories and essays that explore the author's experiences and observations. The book is available in paperback and e-book formats. Donovan is a well-known author and has received several awards for her work. The book is expected to be a success and will be available in local bookstores.



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