



**OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
CITY OF SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS**

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Mayor**

SPRINGFIELD, IL—The City of Springfield announces the official trick-or-treating hours for Halloween 2024. Trick-or-treating will take place from 4:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Thursday, October 31, 2024.

To ensure a safe trick-or-treating experience for everyone, the City of Springfield recommends following these guidelines:

1. Trick-or-Treating Hours:

- Date: Thursday, October 31, 2024
- Time: 4:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

2. Safety First:

- Parents and guardians, please accompany young children and ensure they are visible with reflective clothing or costumes.
- Stay on well-lit sidewalks and always look both ways before crossing the street.
- Be cautious when crossing driveways and intersections.
- It is recommended for parents and guardians to thoroughly check candy before allowing children to eat it.

3. Porch Lights:

- To signify participation in the Halloween festivities, please turn on your porch lights during the designated trick-or-treating hours.
- Homes without their porch lights illuminated should not be visited.

Make sure you check out the Visit Springfield [Fall Things to Do in Springfield](#) blog for other fun activities in the Springfield Area.