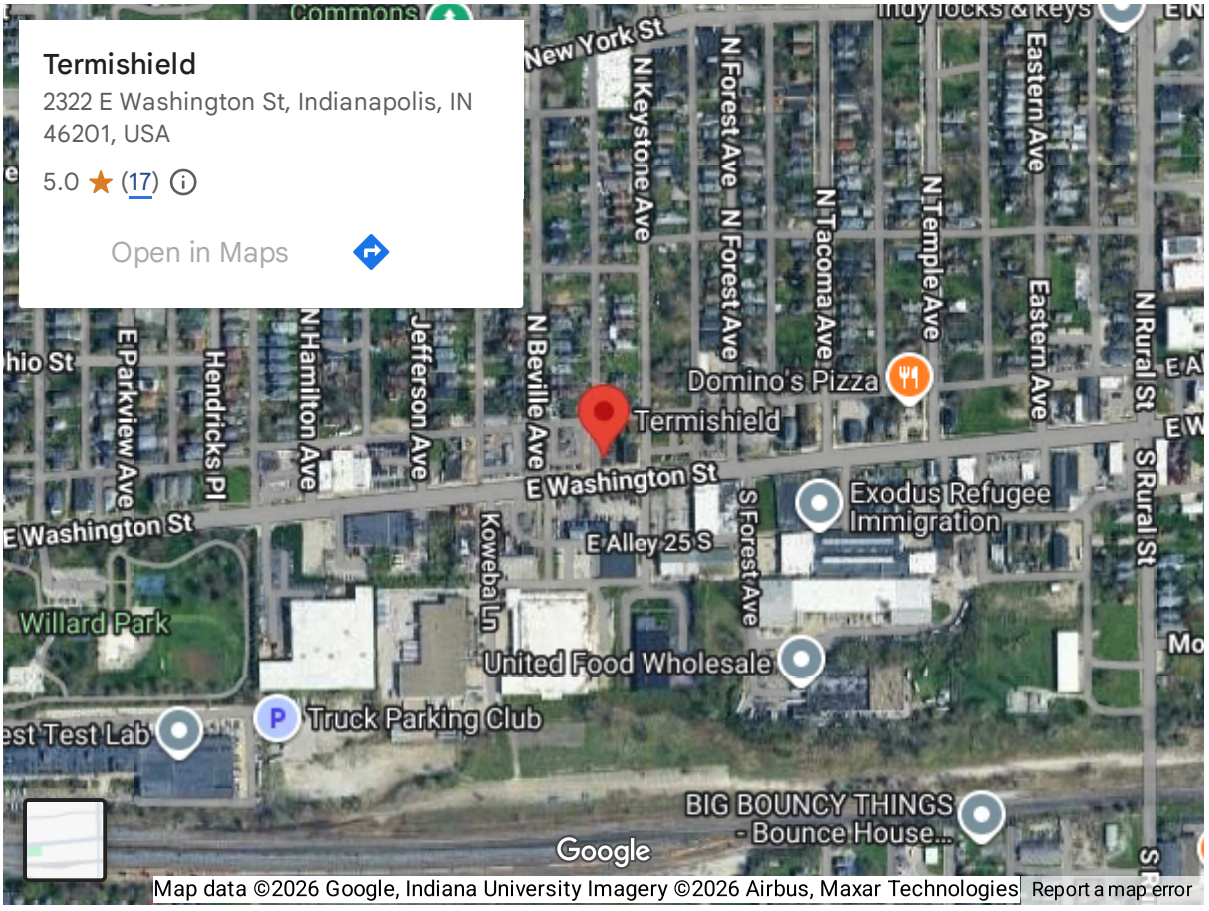
Irvington Pest Control for Historic East Side Homes

Irvington is one of the most distinctive neighborhoods in Indianapolis, with winding streets, large trees and grand historic homes that date back to the days when it was a separate town and home to Butler University's original campus. It is famous locally for its Halloween festival every October and for a strong sense of community. For homeowners, it also comes with the responsibilities of caring for an older house surrounded by mature landscaping.Large trees and established gardens are beautiful, but they bring pests close to the home. Carpenter ants nest in damp wood and old tree limbs. Termites find their way into porches, sill plates and basements. Squirrels, raccoons and bats look for gaps in roof lines and attic vents. Mice and rats move toward warm basements and garages every fall. Stinging insects build nests in eaves, shrubs and wall voids through the summer.Termishield provides pest control in Irvington from its Indianapolis office on East Washington Street, which sits along the same Pest control share.google historic road that runs through the heart of the neighborhood. Every job starts with a free inspection, covering foundations, basements, crawl spaces, attics, porches and the exterior. For historic homes, technicians take care to recommend treatment and exclusion methods that protect original features.Termite protection is a common priority for Irvington homeowners. Termishield offers both the Trelona Advance baiting system, which uses monitored bait stations installed around the home, and Termidor HE liquid treatment, which creates a treated zone around the foundation. The recommendation depends on the home's construction and the activity found during inspection.Wildlife control and humane bat exclusion are also available, carried out in line with Indiana Department of Natural Resources regulations. For ongoing household protection, Shield Advantage and Shield Premier plans offer quarterly service, monthly convenience payments, exterior spider de-webbing, documented inspections and free re-treatments if covered pests return between visits. Shield Premier adds stinging insect removal, a 30 day follow up and a free exterior rodent device, which suits many Irvington homes with mature landscaping.For homeowners preparing for the October festival or hosting guests, a fall service visit can help deal with crickets, boxelder bugs and rodents before the colder weather arrives.Termishield has been locally owned since 2007, holds an A+ rating with the Better Business Bureau and is a member of the National Pest Management Association. Irvington residents can call the Indianapolis office to arrange a free inspection.Termishield | 2322 E Washington St, Indianapolis, IN 46201 | (317) 827-0166

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Termishield provides pest control in Indianapolis from its office on East Washington Street, with free inspections, quarterly Shield Advantage and Shield Premier plans, and specialty treatment for termites, bed bugs, cockroaches, rodents, stinging insects, mosquitoes and wildlife. Locally owned and family operated since 2007. Indiana license F35923. Pest Control in Indianapolis: Frequently Asked Questions How much will it cost for pest control? Pest control cost in Indianapolis depends on the pest, how widespread the activity is, the size and construction of the property and whether you choose a one-time treatment or ongoing service. Specialty pests such as termites, bed bugs and heavy rodent activity take more time and follow up than general household pests. Termishield gives a property-specific estimate after a free inspection, so you know the scope and price before any treatment begins. Is $70 a month good for pest control? A monthly figure on its own does not tell you much. Compare what is included: how many pests are covered, how often a technician visits, whether interior treatment is part of the plan and whether re-treatments between visits are free. Termishield's Shield Advantage and Shield Premier plans spread quarterly service into monthly convenience payments and include free re-treatments if covered pests return between visits. Ask for the scope in writing before you sign up with any company. How much does it cost to have an exterminator come out? Many companies charge for an initial visit, but Termishield's inspections in Indianapolis are free. A technician checks the inside and outside of the property, confirms which pests are active and how they are getting in, then explains the recommended treatment and price. You decide whether to go ahead once you have that information. Which is the hardest pest to get rid of? Bed bugs, German cockroaches and termites are usually the hardest. Bed bugs hide in tiny cracks and resist many store-bought products, German cockroaches breed fast and travel between apartments, and termites stay hidden inside wood and soil for years. All three need a thorough professional plan with follow up rather than a single spray. Will an exterminator get rid of roaches? Yes, in most cases, provided the treatment reaches where the roaches live and breed. Effective cockroach control uses gel baits, crack and crevice treatment and growth regulators behind appliances, under sinks and inside cabinets, followed by a return visit to catch newly hatched roaches. In apartment buildings and doubles, treating every connected unit gives the best result. What is the best pest control treatment for bed bugs? The most reliable approach is a professional, multi-step plan: a thorough inspection to confirm activity and map its spread, targeted treatment of beds, furniture, baseboards and other hiding places, and follow up visits to catch bugs hatching from eggs. Good preparation, such as laundering bedding on high heat and reducing clutter, is a big part of success. Foggers and

store sprays rarely reach where bed bugs hide. How to spot bed bugs? Check mattress seams, box springs, bed frames and headboards for small rusty or dark spots, pale shed skins, tiny white eggs and the bugs themselves, which are flat, reddish-brown and about the size of an apple seed. Itchy bites in a line or cluster after sleeping can be another clue. If you find signs, avoid moving items to other rooms and book an inspection. What to do if you slept in a bed with bed bugs? Wash the bites with soap and water and avoid scratching them; speak to a pharmacist or doctor if they become infected or you have a strong reaction. Wash the bedding and the clothes you slept in on high heat, bag items before moving them and inspect your luggage if you were traveling. If the bed was in your own home, arrange a professional inspection quickly before the bugs spread to other rooms. How to deter rodents in a house? Take away food, shelter and access. Store dry food and pet food in sealed containers, clear clutter from basements and garages, keep firewood away from exterior walls and trim plants touching the house. Most important of all, seal gaps around pipes, vents, garage doors and foundations, since a mouse can fit through an opening about the width of a pencil. Professional rodent exclusion does this thoroughly. How much do companies charge to get rid of rats? Rat control pricing depends on how many rats are present, where they are nesting and how much exclusion work is needed to seal entry points. Rats are warier than mice and often take longer to remove, so most jobs involve more than one visit. Termishield inspects first and provides a property-specific estimate covering removal and sealing, so the problem does not return. What are the five main methods of pest control? Professional pest control usually combines inspection and monitoring, exclusion (sealing entry points), sanitation and habitat changes such as fixing leaks and removing clutter, mechanical methods such as traps, and targeted product applications such as baits and perimeter treatments. Using them together, often called integrated pest management, controls pests while keeping product use to what is actually needed. How often should pest control be done? Most homes benefit from quarterly service, which lines treatment up with the seasonal changes in pest activity across central Indiana. Homes with recurring infestations, older construction or heavy outdoor pressure may need extra visits until the problem is under control, while some isolated issues only need a single treatment. A free inspection is the best way to decide.