

COMMITTEE SESSION

AGENDA Fort Wayne Common Council May 13, 2025

COMMITTEE SESSION – 5:30 P.M.
ROOM 035 – COUNCIL CHAMBERS COURTROOM
GARDEN LEVEL – CITIZENS SQUARE

Presiding over the Standing Committee of the Common Council

Secretary of the Committee Session of the Common Council

Legal Advisor to Members of the Common Council

Russ Jehl

Council President

Lana Keesling City Clerk

Joseph G. Bonahoom Council Attorney

BENDER	BOOKER	CHAMBERS	
ENSLEY	FREISTROFFER	HARTMAN	
JEHL	MYERS	PADDOCK	

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PRESENTATION

North River Remediation and Usage Briefing

ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS FOR DISCUSSION

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE

Martin Bender, Chair Rohli Booker, Co-Chair All Council Members

Action

No Ordinance or Resolution for Discussion

CITY UTILITIES COMMITTEE

Scott Myers, Chair Paul Ensley, Co-Chair All Council Members

Action

S-25-04-24

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FINANCE COMMITTEE

Geoff Paddock, Chair Nathan Hartman, Co-Chair All Council Members

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REGULATIONS COMMITTEE

Michelle Chambers, Chair
Thomas Freistroffer, Co-Chair
All Council Members

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Regulations Committee Continued

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ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS FOR INTRODUCTION

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE

Martin Bender, Chair Rohli Booker, Co-Chair All Council Members

Action

S-25-05-02

An Ordinance approving Construction Contract – Fairfield Avenue Street Lighting Improvements Clermont Drive To Pettit Avenue - Work Order #0965N – between Kissinger Electric, Inc. and the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, by and through its Board of Public Works

Involving a total cost of \$162,613.00

Councilmembers' Votes					Total Y -
BENDER	BENDER BOOKER CHAMBERS ENSLEY FREISTROFFER				
HARTMAN	JEHL	MYERS	PADDOCK		Total A -

S-25-05-03

An Ordinance approving Construction Contract – W. Washington Blvd & College St Signal Improvements - Work Order #0969T – between Indoor Wireless, Inc. and the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, by and through its Board of Public Works

Involving a total cost of \$255,451.82

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HARTMAN	JEHL	MYERS	PADDOCK		Total A -

CITY UTILITIES COMMITTEE

Scott Myers, Chair Paul Ensley, Co-Chair All Council Members

Action

S-25-05-04

An Ordinance approving Construction Contract – Carroll Road WME: Carroll Lake Drive To Dantes Voyage Drive - Work Order #67365 – between Fleming Excavating, Inc. and the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, by and through its Board of Public Works

Involving a total cost of \$704,976.00

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HARTMAN	JEHL	MYERS	PADDOCK		Total A -

S-25-05-05

An Ordinance approving Professional Services Agreement – Water Pollution Control Plant – Aeration Basin Diffuser Improvements – Phase 2 - Work Order #77482 - between Donohue & Associates, Inc. and the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, by and through its Board of Public Works

Involving a not-to-exceed cost of \$156,190.00 (funded by Sewer State Revolving Fund)

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HARTMAN	JEHL	MYERS	PADDOCK		Total A -

S-25-05-08

An Ordinance approving Purchase of Power and Control Panel Equipment between Shambaugh & Son, L.P. and the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, by and through its Board of Public Works

Involving a total cost of \$131,260.00

Councilmembers' Votes					Total Y -
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HARTMAN	JEHL	MYERS	PADDOCK		Total A -

City Utilities Committee Continued

Action

S-25-05-09

An Ordinance approving Professional Services Agreement – Maumee River Hydraulic Modeling Updates - Work Order #83959 - between DLZ Indiana LLC and the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, by and through its Board of Public Works

Involving a not-to-exceed cost of \$317,900.00 (funded by Sewer & Storm Revenue)

Councilmembers' Votes						
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FINANCE COMMITTEE

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Nathan Hartman, Co-Chair

All Council Members

Action

R-25-05-07

A Resolution approving the acquisition by appraised value of up to fifty two (52) parcels of certain real estate located in Fort Wayne, Indiana, for the City Of Fort Wayne, from their owners by and through the Division of Public Works

Councilmembers' Votes						
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REGULATIONS COMMITTEE

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Action

G-25-05-06

An Ordinance amending Chapter 33: Departments, Boards and other Administrative Bodies of the City of Fort Wayne Code of Ordinances

Councilmembers' Votes						
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Z-25-05-01

An Ordinance amending the City of Fort Wayne Zoning Map No. J-31 (Sec. 34 of Wayne Township)

To rezone 3.73 acres to RP/Planned Residential at the east side of 7700-7800 block of Bluffton Rd to implement the zoning recommendations of the 2017 Bluffton Road – Lower Huntington Road Corridor Improvement Plan

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ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS FOR PASSAGE

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE

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Action

S-25-04-26 Do Pass

An Ordinance approving Construction Contract – 2025 Resurfacing Package Southeast - Work Order #0867A – between Brooks Construction Co. Inc. and the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, by and through its Board of Public Works

Involving a total cost of \$1,316,200.00

Councilmembers' Votes						
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S-25-04-27 Do Pass

An Ordinance approving Construction Contract – 2025 Resurfacing Package Southwest - Work Order #0868A – between E&B Paving LLC and the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, by and through its Board of Public Works

Involving a total cost of \$720,635.00

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S-25-04-23 Do Pass

An Ordinance approving Construction Contract – Kruse Homestead Addition Water Main Extension - Work Order #67434 – between Midwest Trenchless Services, LLC and the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, by and through its Board of Public Works

Involving a total cost of \$720,375.00

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S-25-04-25 Do Pass

An Ordinance approving Construction Contract – St. Joe Dam Bar Rack Improvements - Work Order #67367 – between Woodruff Contracting and Sales, LLC and the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, by and through its Board of Public Works

Involving a total cost of \$531,089.00

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