

COMMITTEE SESSION

AGENDA Fort Wayne Common Council November 18, 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

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Russ Jehl

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Lana Keesling City Clerk

Joseph G. Bonahoom Council Attorney

Fort Wayne Common Council Members Elected to a 4-year term: 1/1/24 – 12/31/27							
Martin Bender Rohli Booker Michelle Chambers							
Paul Ensley	Thomas Freistrof	fer Nathan Hartman					
Russ Jehl	Russ Jehl Scott Myers Geoff Paddock						

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PRESENTATION

Public Works Department

- Transportation Engineering Update
- Right of Way Update

ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS FOR DISCUSSION

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE

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

Action

S-25-11-04

An Ordinance approving Construction Contract – Burgess Street & St. Mary's Avenue Street Lighting Improvements - Work Order #1008L – between Kissinger Electric, Inc. and the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, by and through its Board of Public Works

Involving a total cost of \$156,565.00

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

S-25-11-14

An Ordinance approving a Construction Contract for Fairfield and Kinsmoor Sidewalk and Lighting Enhancement Project - Resolution/Work Order #112-9-30-25-1 - between Malott Contracting Inc. and the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, by and through its Board of Public Works

Involving a total cost of \$276,059.90

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

CITY UTILITIES COMMITTEE

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

Action

No Ordinance or Resolution for Discussion

FINANCE COMMITTEE

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

Action

S-25-11-01

An Ordinance approving the awarding of ITB #8355844 - Service Agreement – Clean-Ups for Neighborhood Code - between Yard Jobs Inc. and the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, by and through its Purchasing Department

Involving a total cost of \$250,000.00

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

Finance Committee Continued

Action

S-25-11-02

An Ordinance approving Purchase & Annual Service of Autura Unified Dispatch Software between Autura – CFKAA Holdings, LLC and the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, as a Special Procurement under I.C. 5-22-10 by and through its Department of Neighborhood Code Compliance

Involving a total cost of \$140,000.00

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

S-25-11-03

An Ordinance approving the awarding of ITB #9875540 - Service Agreement – replace domestic boilers and storage tanks at four Fire Stations - between A. Hattersley & Sons, INC. and the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, by and through its Purchasing Department for the Fort Wayne Fire Department

Involving a total cost of \$134,207.00

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

S-25-11-06

An Ordinance approving purchase of bunker gear and replacement sets - Quote #RB021025-03 – between Hoosier Fire Equipment Inc. and the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, as a Special Procurement under I.C. 5-22-10 by and through its Fort Wayne Fire Department

Involving a total cost of \$246,540.00

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

Finance Committee Continued

Action

S-25-11-07

An Ordinance approving the increase for Purchase Order #25803006 for Pierce Fire Truck Parts – by the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, by and through its Department of Purchasing and MacQueen Equipment for the Fleet Department

Involving a total cost of \$40,000.00

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

REGULATIONS COMMITTEE

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

Action

No Ordinance or Resolution for Discussion



SPECIAL REGULAR SESSION

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Council Leadership Vote

Nominations:

Voting Result: