



COMMITTEE SESSION

AGENDA

Fort Wayne Common Council September 1, 2026

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

Presiding over the Standing Committee
of the Common Council

Martin Bender
Council President

Secretary of the Committee Session of the
Common Council

John McGauley
City Clerk

Legal Advisor to Members of the
Common Council

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 Freistroffer		Nathan Hartman	
Russ Jehl		Scott Myers		Geoff Paddock	

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ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS FOR DISCUSSION

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE

Paul Ensley, Chair

Michelle Chambers, Co-Chair

All Council Members

Action

S-26-08-49

An Ordinance approving Service Agreement – 2026 Tree Removal Package – between Worx Companies and the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, by and through its Board of Public Works

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 -

S-26-08-50

An Ordinance approving Construction Contract – Vance Ave Concrete Street Rehab – between Wayne Asphalt and Construction Co. Inc. and the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, by and through its Board of Public Works

Involving a total cost of \$407,159.50

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

CITY UTILITIES COMMITTEE

Thomas Freistoffer, Chair

Russ Jehl, Co-Chair

All Council Members

Action

S-26-08-51

An Ordinance approving Construction Contract – Coldwater & Covington Tank Rehabilitation –between Seven Brother's Painting, Inc. and the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, by and through its Board of Public Works

Involving a total cost of \$1,995,600.00

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

S-26-08-52

An Ordinance approving Construction Contract – CU 2026 Asphalt Patching Package 4 – Local & Collector Streets – 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 \$390,489.00

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

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Nathan Hartman, Chair

Geoff Paddock, Co-Chair

All Council Members

Action

A-26-05-22 Held from 06/09/26

An Ordinance appropriating money into certain accounts for the 2026 Budgets of various funds and departments of the City of Fort Wayne, reducing the unappropriated and unobligated balance of the particular fund involved as required to meet obligations for the remainder of 2026

Total Appropriation in the amount of \$2,750,000.00

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

R-26-05-24 Held from 06/09/26

A Resolution of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, regarding the pledging of Local Income Tax Revenues and APRA Revenues to pay for the construction of a Homeless Resource Center to be undertaken by the City of Fort Wayne

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

REGULATIONS COMMITTEE

Rohli Booker, Chair

Scott Myers, Co-Chair

All Council Members

Action

No Ordinance or Resolution for Discussion

PUBLIC COMMENT
