

AGENDA
BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS AND SAFETY
JULY 16, 2026

1. MEETING CALLED TO ORDER.
2. ROLL CALL.
3. CONFLICT OF INTEREST STATEMENT.
4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF JUNE 9, 2026.
5. BID OPENINGS:
6. MATTERS FROM OTHER DEPARTMENT HEADS/THEIR REPRESENTATIVES.
7. CORRESPONDENCE:
 - A. Correspondence received from Jeffery Long, Chief of Police recommending the approval of the Petition for Retirement from Sergeant James Bigham to become effective at the close of business on August 20, 2026; approval for an officer to be placed on Paid Administrative Leave effective July 2, 2026 and formally requesting to void the previous established hiring list and allow the acceptance of applications through July 29, 2026 for Hammond Police Officers.
 - B. Correspondence received from Bernard Grisolia, Fire Chief recommending the approval of the resignation from Probationary Maxwell Smith as of July 13, 2026.
 - C. Correspondence received from Dean Button, City Engineer recommending the quote for the Fabricated Steel Bollards for Hohman Avenue be awarded to Van's Industrial, Inc. of Hammond who was the only quote in the amount of \$18,900 and CIB Funding allocation for same.
 - D. Correspondence received from Dean Button requesting the approval of \$92,300 of CIB Funding to allocated for the design for the resurfacing of 165th Street from Kennedy to Kentucky and Michigan Street from Hohman to Calumet
 - E. Correspondence received from Dean Button requesting the approval of \$15,567.94 of CIB Funding to allocated for the Summer Street Reconstruction – Change Order Nos. 8 and 13 through 17.
 - F. Correspondence received from Dean Button requesting the approval of \$3,100 of CIB Funding to allocated for the Summer Street Sewer Improvement Change Order No. 1 for curb removal and replacement and corresponding Agreement with Grimmer Construction.
 - G. Correspondence received from Dean Button requesting the approval of \$10,700 of CIB Funding to allocated for the Dispose Salvage Building Materials located at 5009 Calumet Ave.
 - H. Correspondence received from Dean Button requesting the approval of \$60,000 of CIB Funding to allocated for on-going general engineering services with NIES

Engineering and corresponding Agreement.

- I. Correspondence received from the Controller's Office requesting the approval of the renewal of amusement device license for Just Toni's Bar, Buffalo Wild Wings Grill & Bar, Sportsman Tap, Chuck & Irene's, Loyal Order of Moose #570, Schoop's Hamburgers, Aurelio's Pizza, McGing's Pub & Grill and Sokol Club #269.
 - J. Correspondence received from Mr. Dudek requesting barricades to be installed at 2037 Calumet Ave. to block the illegal parking at this apartment building during the week of the FOTL. The private residential apartment building has a sign for residential parking only.
 - K. Correspondence received from John Vezmar requesting the approval of the annual Agreement with Connect with Cue and authorizing Mr. Vezmar to e-sign.
 - L. Correspondence received from Milestone requesting road closure from 7:00 AM to 6:00 PM on 108th Street beginning July 20, 2026 to mill and pave 108th Street from State Line Avenue to Indianapolis Blvd.
 - M. Correspondence received from Dean Button requesting the approval of the Agreement with United Consulting for professional services for the Cameron Lighting Design.
8. MATTERS FROM BOARD MEMBERS.
9. NEW BUSINESS.
- A. Funding Allocation Request Forms requesting \$112,500 of 6th District Gaming Fund be allocated for the district resurfacing with Milestone and requesting \$69,500 from 1st District Gaming Fund for the Cameron Lighting Design with United Consulting.
 - B. Funding Allocation Request Forms requesting (2) \$30,000 from 2nd District Gaming Fund be allocated for FOTL; and requesting \$35,000 from the 3rd District Gaming Fund to be allocated for FOTL.
 - C. Funding Allocation Request Forms requesting \$52.50 of 3rd District Gaming Fund be allocated for Miss Print Invoice No. 93990 and \$3,052.25 of 3rd District Gaming Fund to be allocated for the St. Andrews Invoice No. 153040 for Juneteenth Shirts.
 - D. Right of Way Permits (8) received from Engineering submitted for approval.
 - E. Special Events – New Zion Temple Church, 926 Morris St. – Group Walk, August 22, 2026 from 12:00 P.M. to 2:00 P.M. with route and police approval. Requesting to waive

the fee.

- F. Special Events – Pastor Tyrone Gaston, 6043 Hohman Ave., July 25, 2026 from 11:00 AM to 5:00 PM. Requesting to close from the corner of Hohman and Detroit to the end of their lot before the alley.

- G. Garage Sale Permits submitted for approval.

10. OLD BUSINESS.

- A. Findings & Order for property located at 1644, 1648-52, 1654-58 & 1670 175th submitted for approval.

- 11. LATE RENTAL REGISTRATION HEARINGS.
- 12. MEETING OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.
- 13. MEETING ADJOURNED.