BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS AND SAFETY
MINUTES OF SEPTEMBER 24, 2026

The regularly scheduled meeting of the Board of Public Works and Safety convened at 9:03 a.m. on Thursday, September 24, 2026, in the Council Chambers of Hammond City Hall. A roll call was taken: Mr. Long – present; Ms. Greenwell – present; Mr. Kalina – present.

Under Conflict of Interest, Mr. Long will not participate in police matters.

Motion by Ms. Greenwell to approve the Minutes of the meeting of September 17, 2026; seconded by Mr. Kalina. AYES ALL. Motion carried.

Under Bid Openings, Quotes: Lyman Sewer Project, Grimmer Construction - $94,000; Dyer Construction Co. - $95,784. Motion by Ms. Greenwell to forward to consultant; seconded by Mr. Kalina. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 26-562)

Under Correspondence, correspondence received from Jeffery Long, Chief of Police recommending the approval of Officer Chantey Taylor-Payne to received Traffic Specialty Pay effective September 29, 2026; Officer Matthew Zembala will be transferred from Traffic Division to the Detective Bureau and will receive Detective Specialty Pay effective September 29, 2026; and Officers Jason Quick, Stephanie Merritt and Zachary Retske shall receive Instructor Specialty Pay effective August 27, 2026. Motion by Ms. Greenwell to approve; seconded by Mr. Kalina. 2-0-1 abstained. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 26-563)

Correspondence received from Dean Button requesting the approval of $508,786.10 of CIB Funding to allocated for the Marquette Greenway – Kennedy Ave. to Cline Ave. Project for the 20% Match with the Indiana Department of Transportation; requesting approval of $50,000 of CIB Funding for the Downtown Hammond Station to provide flagging/force account work; and $4,669.50 of CIB Funding to be allocated for the Marina Screen Wall along the US12/20/41 Indianapolis Blvd. from the Indiana-Illinois State Line. Motion by Ms. Greenwell to approve; seconded by Mr. Kalina. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 26-564)

Correspondence received from PBS Design requesting the approval to block the front of 5262 Hohman Avenue for approximately 12-16 weeks. Motion by Ms. Greenwell to approve; seconded by Mr. Kalina. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 26-565)

Correspondence received from Dave Weisz, Deputy Chief requesting the approval of the Sale Agreement with Stryker for various equipment/service coverage. Motion by Ms. Greenwell to approve; seconded by Mr. Kalina. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 26-566)

Correspondence received from Aileen Ibarra, Special Events Coordinator requesting permission to hold the 2026 Hammond Veterans Appreciation Day Parade on Saturday, November 7, 2026 with route and police approval. Motion by Ms. Greenwell to approve; seconded by Mr. Kalina. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 26-567)

Under Matters from Board Members, Ms. Greenwell presents the Addendum 4 to Looks Great Services of MS. Motion by Ms. Greenwell to approve; seconded by Mr. Kalina. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 26-568)

Under New Business, Resolution and Agreement with Hammond Redevelopment Commission to transfer property located at 6005 Calumet, 6007 Calumet, 6009-11 Calumet and 6013-60 Calumet Avenue. Motion by Ms. Greenwell to approve; seconded by Mr. Kalina. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 26-569)

Resolution and Interlocal Governmental Agreement with the Hammond Water Works Department to reimburse the city for water infrastructure installed in the Memorial Park Addition Project. Motion by Ms. Greenwell to approve; seconded by Mr. Kalina. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 26-570)

Right of Way Permits (4) received from Engineering submitted for approval. Motion by Ms. Greenwell to approve; seconded by Mr. Kalina. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 26-571)

Garage Sale Permits submitted for approval. Motion by Ms. Greenwell to approve; seconded by Mr. Kalina. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 26-572)

Neighborhood Special Events – Maggie Nolan, 7205 Knickerbocker Parkway, November 7, 2026 from 3:00 PM to 10:00 PM. Motion by Ms. Greenwell to defer to next week; seconded by Mr. Kalina. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 26-573)

Under Rental Registration Hearings, 939 Sibley. Owner does not appear. Motion by Ms. Greenwell to apply the late fee; seconded by Mr. Kalina. AYES ALL. Motion carried. (Ins. No. 26-574)

There being no further business to come before the Board, motion by Ms. Greenwell to adjourn; seconded by Mr. Kalina. The regularly scheduled meeting adjourned at 9:14 a.m.

APPROVED:

BY: _____
Jeffery Long, President

ATTEST:

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Linda Norville, Board Secretary