AGENDA
BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS AND SAFETY
OCTOBER 8, 2026

1. MEETING CALLED TO ORDER.
2. ROLL CALL.
3. CONFLICT OF INTEREST STATEMENT.
4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF OCTOBER 1, 2026.
5. BID OPENINGS:
6. MATTERS FROM OTHER DEPARTMENT HEADS/THEIR REPRESENTATIVES.
7. CORRESPONDENCE:

A. Correspondence received from Jeffery Long, Chief of Police requesting the approval for Officer Julian Gonzalez to receive the Certified Breath Test Operator Specialty Pay effective October 9, 2026; and Officer David Miller shall be promoted to the rank of 1st Class Patrolman effective October 28, 2026.

B. Correspondence received from Dean Button requesting the approval of $303,500 of CIB Funding to allocated for the Marquette Greenway Trail Construction Engineering and corresponding Agreement.

C. Correspondence received from Dean Button requesting the approval of the Lawndale Lighting Project Change Order No. 1 with Hawk Enterprises in a credited amount.

D. Correspondence received from Dean Button requesting the approval of $18,040 of CIB Funding to be allocated for the Hohman Avenue Phase 2 Project to Install Street/Median Trees on Hohman.

E. Correspondence received from Dean Button requesting the approval of $85,732.08 of CIB Funding to be allocated for the Repairs to East Stairs at Civic Center.

F. Correspondence received from Dean Button requesting the approval of $18,300 of CIB Funding to be allocated for the 173rd Street Pedestrian Crossing Study.

G. Correspondence received from Dean Button requesting the approval of $94,000 of CIB Funding to be allocated for the Lyman Avenue Drainage Project and approval to award the quote to Grimmer Construction Co. who was the lowest, responsive and responsible quoter.

H. Correspondence received from Dean Button requesting the approval of the Agreement for Professional Services for the 173rd Street Pedestrian Crossing Study with VS Engineering in the amount of $18,300.

I. Correspondence received from City of Whiting requesting “no parking” signs to be posted on the 1900 block of Davis (east side) and 1900 block of Stanton Ave. (west side) on Friday December 4, 2026 at 6:00 PM for their Annual Christmas Parade.

Additionally, requesting EMA and/or Hammond Police to aid in traffic control.

8. MATTERS FROM BOARD MEMBERS.
9. NEW BUSINESS.

A. Agreement to Rehabilitate Property located at 410 Waltham submitted for approval.

B. Resolution and Intergovernmental Agreement with Hammond Redevelopment Commission to transfer property located at 727 Sibley and 729 Sibley submitted for approval.

C. Agreement to Purchase Real Property located at 711 Sibley St. submitted for approval.

D. Right of Way Permits (6) received from Engineering submitted for approval.

E. Request for 2 "Dead End" signs to be placed on the 6900 Block of Arkansas for safety issues.

F. Late Business License Hearing – Auto Value Hammond, 6920 Kennedy Ave.

G. Addendum No. 5 with Looks Great Services of MS to increase not to exceed limit.

H. Garage Sale Permits submitted for approval.

10. OLD BUSINESS.

A. Status – Residential Parking request – 4204 Dearborn. Mr. Button recommends Residential Only Parking Signs to be placed along the south side of 142nd Street from the southwest radius to the west end of the curb.

B. Neighborhood Special Events – permission to hold a celebration at the parkway directly across the residence at 7205 Knickerbocker Parkway.

C. Status - 434 Vine

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

Appointing Authority Disclosure

Jeffery Long 2-5-18 to successor named - Mayor
Tinisha Greenwell 12-8-22 to successor named - Mayor
Donald Kalina 2-16-23 to successor named – Mayor