

HAMMOND CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT BOARD
MINUTES OF APRIL 6, 2026

The regular meeting of the Hammond Capital Improvements Board of the City of Hammond, Lake County, Indiana was held on April 6, 2026, in the Hammond City Council Chambers and was available to be viewed at gohammond on Facebook, gohammond.TV live and per Zoom.

CALL TO ORDER

President/ Chairman Button presided.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE was recited by all.

ROLL CALL

PHYSICALLY PRESENT: Moore, Muta, Prieto, Rakos, Button

ELECTRONICALLY PRESENT PER ZOOM: Salinas, Woerpel

ABSENT:

TOTAL: 7

CONSIDERATION OF PAST MEETING MINUTES

Commissioner Prieto, supported by Commissioner Muta, moved to approve the minutes from March 16, 2026.

ROLL CALL VOTE

AYES: Moore, Muta, Prieto, Rakos, Salinas, Woerpel, Button

NAYS: None

ABSENT:

Motion Carried

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MINUTES APPROVED

REPORT ON WORK STUDY SESSION

President / Chairman Button – Discussion of current items on agenda.

FUNDING – Commissioner Moore – I do not have an update for this meeting however I do anticipate us receiving some additional funds at the next meeting so I will announce that at that point.

OLD BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

Funding Allocation #315 – Summer Street Sewer Improvements – Grimmer Construction – in the amount of \$138,884.00

Chairman/President Button gave a brief description of the funding allocation.

ROLL CALL VOTE (Preliminary Engineering Fee Marina District Screen Wall)

AYES: Moore, Muta, Prieto, Rakos, Salinas, Woerpel, Button

NAYS: None

ABSENT:

Motion Carried

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FUNDING ALLOCATION

Funding Allocation #318 – 2026 CCMG Project – 165th street – Kennedy Ave to Grand Ave – in the amount of \$1,744,896.40

Councilman Rakos, supported by Commissioner Muta, moved to approve the funding allocation for 2026 CCMG Project – 165th street – Kennedy Ave to Grand Ave – in the amount of \$1,744.896.40

Chairman/President Button gave a brief description of the funding allocation.

ROLL CALL VOTE (2026 CCMG Project)

AYES: Moore, Muta, Prieto, Rakos, Salinas, Woerpel, Button

NAYS: None

ABSENT:

Motion Carried

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FUNDING ALLOCATION

PUBLIC EXPRESSION – None

Chairman/President Button – reminded the board that April 20th, 2026, is the next meeting, with a work study session at 4:30pm and a regular meeting at 5pm.

Commissioner Muta, supported by Commissioner Moore, moved to adjourn. AYES: ALL

2026 HAMMOND CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT BOARD ATTENDANCE RECORD OF ELECTRONIC AND PHYSICAL PRESENCE

	January		Feb		March		April		May		June		July	
	x	21	2	18	2	16	6	20	4	18	1	15	6	20
Megan Moore	x	A	x	A	P	P	P							
Matthew Muta	x	P	x	P	P	P	P							
Jaime Prieto	x	P	x	P	E	A	P							
Scott Rakos	x	P	x	P	P	P	P							
Al Salinas	x	P	x	P	P	P	E							
Dave Woerpel	x	P	x	A	P	A	E							
Dean Button	x	P	x	P	P	P	P							
Initials		ddb		ddb	ddb	ddb	ddb							

E=ELECTRONIC
P=PHYSICALLY PRESENT
A=ABSENT

APPROVED:

Dean Button, President
Capital Improvement Board

ATTEST:

Robert J. Golec, Hammond City Clerk

Time 5:14 pm

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*Prepared by
Robert J. Golec
Hammond City Clerk*