



HAMMOND COMMON COUNCIL AGENDA

DECEMBER 8, 2025

COUNCILPERSONS

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2ND District

-Alfonso Salinas III

3RD District

-Barry Tyler, Jr.

4TH District

-William Emerson

5TH District/ 2025 President

-Dave Woerpel

6TH District

-Scott Rakos

At Large (3)

-Katrina Alexander

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Prepared by:

Robert J. Golec,
Hammond City Clerk

1. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Invocation

2. ROLL CALL

3. MAYOR'S ADDRESS

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

5. APPROVAL OF CLAIMS

6. PUBLIC HEARINGS

None

7. COMMUNICATIONS

8. COMMITTEE REPORTS

9. ORDINANCE 3RD READING – FINAL PASSAGE

10. INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCES

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| A. An Ordinance fixing the Salaries for Elected City Officials for the City of Hammond, Indiana Commencing January 1, 2026 Be it Ordained by the Common Council of the City of Hammond, Indiana Sponsored by Mayor Thomas M. McDermott, Jr. | 25-33 |
| B. An Ordinance to Appropriate Monies into the 2025 Gaming Fund Sponsored by Janet Venecz | 25-34 |
| C. An Ordinance Authorizing the City Controller to Transfer Funds From One Line Item to Another Within Various City 2025 Budgets Sponsored by Janet Venecz | 25-35 |
| D. An Ordinance Respecting and Ratifying the Actions of the City of Hammond Board of Public Works and Safety Related to Traffic Regulation for 2025 Sponsored by Scott Rakos | 25-36 |

11. RESOLUTIONS

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| A. A Resolution Confirming the Reappointment of Kristen Hill as a Commissioner of the Hammond Human Relations Commission of the City of Hammond, Indiana Sponsored by Bill Emerson, Sr. | 25R-24 |
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11. RESOLUTIONS Cont.

- B. A Resolution Confirming the Reappointment of Ivonne Rocha as a Commissioner of the Hammond Human Relations Commission of the City of Hammond, Indiana 25R-25
Sponsored by Alfonso Salinas

1. NEW AND UNFINISHED BUSINESS

2. PUBLIC EXPRESSION

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