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AGENDA
CITY COUNTY COUNCIL
AND THE
INDIANAPOLIS POLICE, FIRE, AND SOLID WASTE COLLECTION
SPECIAL SERVICE DISTRICT COUNCILS

September 22, 2025

7:00 p.m.

- I. PRAYER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE – Councilor Boots**
- II. ROLL CALL**
- III. INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS AND VISITORS**
- IV. OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS**
- V. ADOPTION OF AGENDA**
- VI. APPROVAL OF JOURNALS – September 8, 2025**
- VII. PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, MEMORIALS, SPECIAL RESOLUTIONS, AND COUNCIL RESOLUTIONS**

PROPOSAL NO. 277, 2025 (Council Resolution)

INTRODUCED: 9/8/2025 BY: Councilor Lewis

REFERRED TO: Metropolitan and Economic Development Committee

DIGEST: appoints Courtney Howell Rissman to the City Market Corporation Board of Directors

9/15/2025 Do Pass 11-0

PROPOSAL NO. 278, 2025 (Council Resolution)

INTRODUCED: 9/8/2025 BY: Councilor Lewis

REFERRED TO: Metropolitan and Economic Development Committee

DIGEST: appoints David Herron to the City Market Corporation Board of Directors

9/15/2025 Do Pass 11-0

VII. PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, MEMORIALS, SPECIAL RESOLUTIONS, AND COUNCIL RESOLUTIONS

PROPOSAL NO. 279, 2025 (Council Resolution)
INTRODUCED: 9/8/2025 BY: Councilor Evans
REFERRED TO: Municipal Corporations Committee
DIGEST: reappoints Richard Wilson, Jr. to the Indianapolis Public Transportation Corporation Board of Directors (IndyGo)
9/17/2025 Do Pass 11-0

VIII. INTRODUCTION OF PROPOSALS

IX. SPECIAL ORDERS - PRIORITY BUSINESS

PROPOSAL NO. 308, 2025 (Rezoning Ordinance)
INTRODUCED: 9/15/2025 BY: Councilor Lewis
REFERRED TO: Committee of the Whole
DIGEST: rezoning ordinance for Franklin Township, District 25, 10010 and 10440 Pentecost Road (2025-ZON-046) certified for APPROVAL by the Metropolitan Development Commission on September 9, 2025

X. SPECIAL ORDERS - PUBLIC HEARING

**COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE COUNCIL
PUBLIC TESTIMONY – BUDGET ORDINANCES**

Combined Budgets of City and County Government Departments and Agencies:
PROPOSAL NO. 256, 2025 approves the tax levy and rate for the Police Special Service District for 2026. **PROPOSAL NO. 257, 2025** approves the tax levy and rate for the Fire Special Service District for 2026. **PROPOSAL NO. 258, 2025** approves the tax levy and rate for the Solid Waste Collection Special Service District for 2026. **PROPOSAL NO. 259, 2025** adopts the annual budget for the City of Indianapolis and Marion County for 2026.

PROPOSAL NO. 282, 2025 adopts the operating and maintenance budgets and tax levies of the Indianapolis Airport Authority and establishes appropriations for said municipal corporation for 2026.

PROPOSAL NO. 283, 2025 adopts the operating and maintenance budgets and tax levies of the Capital Improvement Board of Managers and establishes appropriations for said municipal corporation for 2026.

PROPOSAL NO. 284, 2025 adopts the operating and maintenance budgets and tax levies of the Health and Hospital Corporation and establishes appropriations for said municipal corporation for 2026.

PROPOSAL NO. 285, 2025 adopts the operating and maintenance budgets and tax levies of the Indianapolis-Marion County Public Library and establishes appropriations for said municipal corporation for 2026.

PROPOSAL NO. 286, 2025 adopts the operating and maintenance budgets and tax levies of the Indianapolis Public Transportation Corporation (IndyGo) and establishes appropriations for said municipal corporation for 2026.

X. SPECIAL ORDERS - PUBLIC HEARING

PROPOSAL NO. 306, 2025 (Rezoning Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 9/8/2025 BY: Councilor Lewis

REFERRED TO: Committee of the Whole

DIGEST: rezoning ordinance for Franklin Township, District 20, 3043-3801 South Post Road, 9405-9931 East Troy Avenue, 3430-3610 Davis Road, and 9500 Vandergriff Road (2025-CZN-814) certified for APPROVAL by the Metropolitan Development Commission on August 26, 2025

COUNCIL ACTION:

9/8/2025 Scheduled for Public Hearing 9-22-25 25-0

XI. SPECIAL ORDERS - UNFINISHED BUSINESS

XII. SPECIAL ORDERS - FINAL ADOPTION

PROPOSAL NO. 276, 2025 (General Resolution)

INTRODUCED: 9/8/2025 BY: Councilor Robinson

REFERRED TO: Public Safety and Criminal Justice Committee

DIGEST: directs the Office of Public Health and Safety to provide a report to the City-County Council regarding the appropriations of the round III Elevation Grant program to the Indianapolis Foundation

9/10/2025 Report Received

PROPOSAL NO. 280, 2025 (Special Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 9/8/2025 BY: Councilors Brown and Jones

REFERRED TO: Municipal Corporations Committee

DIGEST: approves the issuance of Indianapolis-Marion County Public Library general obligation bonds (2025-2026 Multi-Facility Long-Term Capital Maintenance and Equipment Update Project) in an original aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$15,000,000

COMMITTEE ACTION:

9/11/2025 Do Pass 11-0

PROPOSAL NO. 281, 2025 (Special Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 9/8/2025 BY: Councilors Brown and Jones

REFERRED TO: Municipal Corporations Committee

DIGEST: approves the appropriation of the proceeds and investment earnings of the Indianapolis-Marion County Public Library general obligation bonds in an original aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$15,000,000, for the purpose of financing all or any portion of the 2025-2026 Multi-Facility Long-Term Capital Maintenance and Equipment Update Project

COMMITTEE ACTION:

9/11/2025 Do Pass 11-0

XIII. SPECIAL SERVICE DISTRICT COUNCILS

XIV. NEW BUSINESS

XV. ANNOUNCEMENTS AND ADJOURNMENT

The President The docketed agenda for this meeting of Council having been completed, the Chair will now entertain motions for adjournment.

President's Designee Mr. President.

The President The Chair recognizes Councilor Mowery.

The Councilor Mr. President, I have been asked to offer the following motion for adjournment:

by Councilor Roberts in memory of Glorina Lewis and Jean Bruck.

by Councilor Lewis in memory of Joseph Worden.

by Councilor Mascari in memory of Anthony Loy-Howell and Ben Solomon.

Mr. President, I would like to move the adjournment of this meeting of the Indianapolis City-County Council in recognition of and respect for the life and contributions of those persons I have here specifically named. I respectfully ask the support of fellow Councilors. I further request that the motion be made a part of the permanent records of this body and that a letter bearing the Council seal and the signature of the President be sent to the family of each person advising of this action.

The President Thank you, Councilor Mowery. Hearing no objections, the motion is received and the requests are so ordered.

Hearing no further motions, we are adjourned.

XVI. PENDING PROPOSALS

PROPOSAL NO. 25, 2025 (Council Resolution)

INTRODUCED: 1/8/2025 BY: Councilor Robinson

REFERRED TO: Public Safety and Criminal Justice Committee

DIGEST: approves the Mayor's appointment of Lena Hill as the Deputy Mayor for public health and safety

COMMITTEE ACTION:

1/15/2025 Postponed

2/12/2025 Postponed to March 12, 2025, 11-0

3/12/2025 Do Pass 9-1

COUNCIL ACTION:

4/7/2025 Tabled 25-0

XVI. PENDING PROPOSALS

PROPOSAL NO. 48, 2025 (Council Resolution)

INTRODUCED: 2/3/2025 BY: Councilor Brown

REFERRED TO: Community Affairs Committee

DIGEST: reappoints Tasha Ahmad to the Indianapolis Community Food Access Advisory Commission

COMMITTEE ACTION:

3/19/2025 Postponed 5-0

5/21/2025 No Action Taken

PROPOSAL NO. 141, 2025 (Council Resolution)

INTRODUCED: 5/5/2025 BY: Councilor Lewis

REFERRED TO: Metropolitan and Economic Development Committee

DIGEST: reappoints Victoria Beaty to the Indianapolis City Market Corporation Board of Directors

COMMITTEE ACTION:

5/12/2025 Postpone until 6/16/2025 9-0

6/16/2025 Postponed 9-0

PROPOSAL NO. 239, 2025 (General Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 8/11/2025 BY: Councilor Lewis

REFERRED TO: Metropolitan and Economic Development Committee

DIGEST: amends various sections of the Revised Code to reflect fee, penalty, and policy changes regarding enforcement and permitting within the Department of Business and Neighborhood Services

COMMITTEE ACTION:

8/18/2025 Postponed until 9/23/2025 11-0

PROPOSAL NO. 245, 2025 (General Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 8/11/2025 BY: Councilors Hart, Bain and Boots

REFERRED TO: Public Safety and Criminal Justice Committee

DIGEST: amends Chapter 381 of the Revised Code further defining parental responsibilities under the juvenile curfew law

COMMITTEE ACTION:

8/27/2025 Do Pass 4-7 (failed)

COUNCIL ACTION:

9/8/2025 Tabled 18-7

PROPOSAL NO. 256, 2025 (PSSD Fiscal Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 8/11/2025 BY: Councilor Robinson

REFERRED TO: Public Safety and Criminal Justice Committee

DIGEST: approves the tax levy and rate for the Police Special Service District for 2026

PROPOSAL NO. 257, 2025 (FSSD Fiscal Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 8/11/2025 BY: Councilor Robinson

REFERRED TO: Public Safety and Criminal Justice Committee

DIGEST: approves the tax levy and rate for the Fire Special Service District for 2026

XVI. PENDING PROPOSALS

PROPOSAL NO. 258, 2025 (SWCSSD Fiscal Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 8/11/2025 **BY:** Councilor Jones

REFERRED TO: Public Works Committee

DIGEST: approves the tax levy and rate for the Solid Waste Collection Special Service District for 2026

PROPOSAL NO. 259, 2025 (Fiscal Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 8/11/2025 **BY:** Councilors Osili, Brown, Lewis, Boots and Nielsen

REFERRED TO: Administration and Finance, Community Affairs, Metropolitan and Economic Development, Parks and Recreation, Public Safety and Criminal Justice, and Public Works Committees

DIGEST: adopts the annual budget for the City of Indianapolis and Marion County for 2026

PROPOSAL NO. 273, 2025 (Fiscal Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 8/11/2025 **BY:** Councilors Osili, Lewis, Nielsen and Boots

REFERRED TO: Administration and Finance Committee

DIGEST: approves an additional appropriation totaling \$20,000,000 in the 2025 Budget of the Departments of Metropolitan Development and Public Works (Consolidated County General and Capital Asset Lifecycle and Development Funds) for the purpose of funding homelessness initiatives and the design of public infrastructure improvements

PROPOSAL NO. 275, 2025 (Special Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 9/8/2025 **BY:** Councilor Mascari

REFERRED TO: Administration and Finance Committee

DIGEST: proposes an ordinance of the Marion County Local Income Tax Council to: 1) modify the local income tax rate, 2) modify the allocation of the previously imposed expenditure rate, and 3) to cast the vote of the City-County Council on such ordinance

PROPOSAL NO. 282, 2025 (Fiscal Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 9/8/2025 **BY:** Councilor Evans

REFERRED TO: Municipal Corporations Committee

DIGEST: adopts the operating and maintenance budgets and tax levies of the Indianapolis Airport Authority and establishes appropriations for said municipal corporation for 2026

PROPOSAL NO. 283, 2025 (Fiscal Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 9/8/2025 **BY:** Councilor Evans

REFERRED TO: Municipal Corporations Committee

DIGEST: adopts the operating and maintenance budgets and tax levies of the Capital Improvement Board of Managers and establishes appropriations for said municipal corporation for 2026

PROPOSAL NO. 284, 2025 (Fiscal Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 9/8/2025 **BY:** Councilor Evans

REFERRED TO: Municipal Corporations Committee

DIGEST: adopts the operating and maintenance budgets and tax levies of the Health and Hospital Corporation and establishes appropriations for said municipal corporation for 2026

XVI. PENDING PROPOSALS

PROPOSAL NO. 285, 2025 (Fiscal Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 9/8/2025 BY: Councilor Evans

REFERRED TO: Municipal Corporations Committee

DIGEST: adopts the operating and maintenance budgets and tax levies of the Indianapolis Public Transportation Corporation (IndyGo) and establishes appropriations for said municipal corporation for 2026

PROPOSAL NO. 286, 2025 (Fiscal Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 9/8/2025 BY: Councilor Evans

REFERRED TO: Municipal Corporations Committee

DIGEST: adopts the operating and maintenance budgets and tax levies of the Indianapolis-Marion County Public Library and establishes appropriations for said municipal corporation for 2026

PROPOSAL NO. 287, 2025 (Council Resolution)

INTRODUCED: 9/8/2025 BY: Councilors Hart and Bain

REFERRED TO: Administration and Finance Committee

DIGEST: urges the Indianapolis Power & Light Company d/b/a AES Indiana and the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission (IURC) to protect ratepayers by withdrawing or rejecting AES Indiana's pending rate increase petition