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

February 2, 2026

7:00 p.m.

- I. PRAYER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE – Councilor Delaney**
- II. ROLL CALL**
- III. INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS AND VISITORS**
- IV. OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS**
- V. ADOPTION OF AGENDA**
- VI. APPROVAL OF JOURNALS – January 5, 2026**
- VII. PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, MEMORIALS, SPECIAL RESOLUTIONS, AND COUNCIL RESOLUTIONS**

PROPOSAL NO. 59, 2026 (Special Resolution)

INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilors Barth, Gibson and Allen

REFERRED TO: Committee of the Whole

DIGEST: recognizes February 2026 as American Heart Month and February 5, 2026 as National Wear Red Day, and supporting community-wide efforts to improve emergency preparedness and cardiac arrest survival rates

PROPOSAL NO. 61, 2026 (Special Resolution)

INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilor Roberts

REFERRED TO: Committee of the Whole

DIGEST: honors the life and legacy of Principal Susan Jordan on the 10th Anniversary of her heroic sacrifice

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

PROPOSAL NO. 3, 2026 (Council Resolution)

INTRODUCED: 1/5/2026 BY: Councilor Lewis

REFERRED TO: Metropolitan and Economic Development Committee

DIGEST: reappoints Brandon Herget to the Metropolitan Development Commission

COMMITTEE ACTION:

1/12/2026 Do Pass 15-0

PROPOSAL NO. 4, 2026 (Council Resolution)

INTRODUCED: 1/5/2026 BY: Councilors Lewis and McCormick

REFERRED TO: Metropolitan and Economic Development Committee

DIGEST: reappoints Jennifer Whitt to the Metropolitan Zoning Appeals Board, Division I

COMMITTEE ACTION:

1/12/2026 Do Pass 15-0

PROPOSAL NO. 5, 2026 (Council Resolution)

INTRODUCED: 1/5/2026 BY: Councilor Lewis

REFERRED TO: Metropolitan and Economic Development Committee

DIGEST: reappoints Patrice Duckett-Brown to the Metropolitan Zoning Appeals Board, Division II

COMMITTEE ACTION:

1/12/2026 Do Pass 15-0

PROPOSAL NO. 6, 2026 (Council Resolution)

INTRODUCED: 1/5/2026 BY: Councilor Lewis

REFERRED TO: Metropolitan and Economic Development Committee

DIGEST: reappoints Percy Bland, Jr. to the Metropolitan Zoning Appeals Board, Division III

COMMITTEE ACTION:

1/12/2026 Do Pass 15-0

PROPOSAL NO. 7, 2026 (Council Resolution)

INTRODUCED: 1/5/2026 BY: Councilor Lewis

REFERRED TO: Metropolitan and Economic Development Committee

DIGEST: reappoints Roderick Bohannon to the Metropolitan Zoning Appeals Board, Division III

COMMITTEE ACTION:

1/12/2026 Do Pass 15-0

PROPOSAL NO. 32, 2026 (Council Resolution)

INTRODUCED: 1/5/2026 BY: Councilor Barth

REFERRED TO: Public Works Committee

DIGEST: appoints Anthony Cherolis to the Fatal Crash Review Team

COMMITTEE ACTION:

1/15/2026 Do Pass 9-0

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

PROPOSAL NO. 33, 2026 (Council Resolution)
INTRODUCED: 1/5/2026 BY: Councilors Barth and Boots
REFERRED TO: Public Works Committee
DIGEST: appoints Craig Pinkus to the Fatal Crash Review Team
COMMITTEE ACTION:
1/15/2026 Do Pass 9-0

VIII. INTRODUCTION OF PROPOSALS

PROPOSAL NO. 34, 2026 (Council Resolution)
INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilors Lewis and Mowery
REFERRED TO: Administration and Finance Committee
DIGEST: approves the Mayor's appointment of Christopher L. Bailey as the Chief Deputy Mayor

PROPOSAL NO. 35, 2026 (General Resolution)
INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilor Jones
REFERRED TO: Administration and Finance Committee
DIGEST: determines the need for the Marion County Election Board to lease approximately 57,000 square feet of office space at 51 Koweba Lane, Indianapolis, Indiana 46201, to relocate the Election Service Center

PROPOSAL NO. 36, 2026 (Council Resolution)
INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilor Osili
REFERRED TO: Metropolitan and Economic Development Committee
DIGEST: appoints Linda Osborne to the Greater Virginia Avenue Corridor Economic Improvement Board

PROPOSAL NO. 37, 2026 (Council Resolution)
INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilors Lewis and Osili
REFERRED TO: Metropolitan and Economic Development Committee
DIGEST: appoints Rory Babb to the Woodruff Place Economic Improvement Board

PROPOSAL NO. 38, 2026 (General Resolution)
INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilor Osili
REFERRED TO: Metropolitan and Economic Development Committee
DIGEST: approves the amounts, locations, and programmatic operation of certain projects to be funded from Community Development Grant Funds

PROPOSAL NO. 39, 2026 (General Ordinance)
INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilors Jones and Osili
REFERRED TO: Metropolitan and Economic Development Committee
DIGEST: amends Chapters 740, 741 and 742 of the Code pertaining to flood control, stormwater management and the wellfield secondary district of the Consolidated Zoning and Subdivision Control Ordinance

VIII. INTRODUCTION OF PROPOSALS

PROPOSAL NO. 40, 2026 (General Resolution)

INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilor Robinson

REFERRED TO: Public Safety and Criminal Justice Committee

DIGEST: directs the Public Safety and Criminal Justice Committee to review and accept the submission by the Sheriff of the Commissary Fund Report

PROPOSAL NO. 41, 2026 (General Resolution)

INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilor Lewis

REFERRED TO: Rules and Public Policy Committee

DIGEST: directs the Rules and Public Policy Committee to review and prepare a report pertaining to the fiscal impact statement associated with the City's union agreement as a representative of the Indianapolis Metropolitan Police Department (IMPD) with the American Federation of State, County, and Municipal Employees (AFSCME 962)

PROPOSAL NO. 42, 2026 (General Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilor Roberts

REFERRED TO: Public Works Committee

DIGEST: authorizes a speed limit reduction to 25 miles per hour in the Sanctuary subdivision (District 4)

PROPOSAL NO. 43, 2026 (General Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilor Evans

REFERRED TO: Public Works Committee

DIGEST: authorizes a speed limit reduction to 25 miles per hour in the Spring Valley subdivision (District 17)

PROPOSAL NO. 44, 2026 (General Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilor Perkins

REFERRED TO: Public Works Committee

DIGEST: authorizes a speed limit reduction to 25 miles per hour in the Brookstone/Fieldstone subdivisions (District 6)

PROPOSAL NO. 45, 2026 (General Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilors Evans and Bain

REFERRED TO: Public Works Committee

DIGEST: authorizes a speed limit reduction to 25 miles per hour on Rybolt Avenue from Perry Street to the dead-end north of Bradbury Avenue (Districts 17,21)

PROPOSAL NO. 46, 2026 (General Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilor J. Brown

REFERRED TO: Public Works Committee

DIGEST: authorizes parking restrictions on East 10th Street, between College and Highland Avenues (District 13)

VIII. INTRODUCTION OF PROPOSALS

PROPOSAL NO. 47, 2026 (General Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilor Roberts

REFERRED TO: Public Works Committee

DIGEST: authorizes a speed limit reduction to 25 miles per hour in the Moorings subdivision (District 4)

PROPOSAL NO. 48, 2026 (General Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilor Bain

REFERRED TO: Public Works Committee

DIGEST: authorizes a weight limit restriction on Southwest Drive from Kentucky Avenue to Troy Avenue (District 21)

PROPOSAL NO. 49, 2026 (General Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilor J. Brown

REFERRED TO: Public Works Committee

DIGEST: authorizes a speed limit reduction to 25 miles per hour in the neighborhood bounded by 16th Street, 21st Street, Sherman Drive, and Emerson Ave (District 13)

PROPOSAL NO. 50, 2026 (General Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilor J. Brown

REFERRED TO: Public Works Committee

DIGEST: authorizes a speed limit reduction to 25 miles per hour in the neighborhood bounded by 10th Street, 16th Street, Sherman Drive, and Emerson Ave (District 13)

PROPOSAL NO. 51, 2026 (General Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilor J. Brown

REFERRED TO: Public Works Committee

DIGEST: authorizes a speed limit reduction to 25 miles per hour in the neighborhood bounded by 10th Street, Pleasant Run Parkway North Drive, CSX Transportation Right-of-Way, Sherman Drive, and Emerson Avenue (District 13)

PROPOSAL NO. 52, 2026 (General Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilor J. Brown

REFERRED TO: Public Works Committee

DIGEST: authorizes a speed limit reduction to 25 miles per hour in the neighborhood bounded by 21st Street, Massachusetts Avenue, Brookside Parkway South Drive, Rural Street and Sherman Drive (District 13)

PROPOSAL NO. 53, 2026 (General Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilor J. Brown

REFERRED TO: Public Works Committee

DIGEST: authorizes a speed limit reduction to 25 miles per hour in the neighborhood bounded by 10th Street, Brookside Parkway S. Drive, Rural Street and Sherman Drive (District 13)

VIII. INTRODUCTION OF PROPOSALS

PROPOSAL NO. 54, 2026 (General Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilor J. Brown

REFERRED TO: Public Works Committee

DIGEST: authorizes a speed limit reduction to 25 miles per hour in the neighborhood bounded by 10th Street, Washington Street, Rural Street and Sherman Drive (District 13)

PROPOSAL NO. 55, 2026 (General Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilor J. Brown

REFERRED TO: Public Works Committee

DIGEST: authorizes a speed limit reduction to 25 miles per hour in the neighborhood bounded by 10th Street, Massachusetts Avenue, I-65 and Rural Street (District 13)

PROPOSAL NO. 56, 2026 (General Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilor J. Brown

REFERRED TO: Public Works Committee

DIGEST: authorizes a speed limit reduction to 25 miles per hour in the neighborhood bounded by 10th Street, Washington Street, I-65 and Rural Street (District 13)

PROPOSAL NO. 57, 2026 (General Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilor Hart

REFERRED TO: Public Works Committee

DIGEST: authorizes parking restrictions on Brookville Road, on both sides, from Irvington Avenue to a point 750 feet east of Shortridge Road (District 20)

PROPOSAL NO. 67, 2026 (Council Resolution)

INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilor Lewis

REFERRED TO: Public Safety and Criminal Justice Committee

DIGEST: approves the Mayor's appointment of Tanya B. Terry as the Chief of Police for the Indianapolis Metropolitan Police Department

IX. SPECIAL ORDERS - PRIORITY BUSINESS

PROPOSAL NOS. 62-63, 2026 (Rezoning Ordinances)

INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilor Osili

REFERRED TO: Committee of the Whole

DIGEST: rezoning ordinances certified for APPROVAL by the Metropolitan Development Commission on January 20, 2026

PROPOSAL NOS. 64-66, 2026 (Rezoning Ordinances)

INTRODUCED: 2/2/2026 BY: Councilor Osili

REFERRED TO: Committee of the Whole

DIGEST: rezoning ordinances certified for APPROVAL by the Metropolitan Development Commission on January 22, 2026

X. SPECIAL ORDERS - PUBLIC HEARING

PROPOSAL NO. 8, 2026 (Fiscal Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 1/5/2026 BY: Councilors Lewis and Nielsen

REFERRED TO: Metropolitan and Economic Development Committee

DIGEST: approves an additional appropriation totaling \$2,840,000 in the 2026 Budget of the Department of Metropolitan Development (Revenue Bonds and Consolidated County Funds) for the purpose of funding the costs associated with Section 108 debt and a permanent supportive housing project

COMMITTEE ACTION:

1/12/2026 Do Pass 15-0

PROPOSAL NO. 10, 2026 (Fiscal Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 1/5/2026 BY: Councilor Delaney

REFERRED TO: Public Safety and Criminal Justice Committee

DIGEST: approves an additional appropriation totaling \$65,000 in the 2026 Budget of the Marion County Coroner's Office (County and State Grants Funds) for the purpose of funding costs associated with participation in a documentary series and the Health First Indiana Initiative grant project

COMMITTEE ACTION:

1/14/2026 Do Pass 10-0

PROPOSAL NO. 19, 2026 (Rezoning Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 1/5/2026 BY: Councilor Lewis

REFERRED TO: Committee of the Whole

DIGEST: rezoning ordinance for Franklin Township, District 25, 8221-8351 South Mitthoefer Road, 10100-10600 Maze Road (2025-ZON-074) certified for APPROVAL by the Metropolitan Development Commission on November 20, 2025

COUNCIL ACTION:

1/5/2026 Scheduled for Public Hearing 02-02-26

MDC ACTION:

1/21/2026 Withdrawn by Petitioner

XI. SPECIAL ORDERS - UNFINISHED BUSINESS

XII. SPECIAL ORDERS - FINAL ADOPTION

PROPOSAL NO. 11, 2026 (General Resolution)

INTRODUCED: 1/5/2026 BY: Councilor Robinson

REFERRED TO: Public Safety and Criminal Justice Committee

DIGEST: approves public purpose grants totaling \$200,000 from the Drug Free Community Fund

COMMITTEE ACTION:

1/14/2026 Do Pass 10-0

XII. SPECIAL ORDERS - FINAL ADOPTION

PROPOSAL NO. 12, 2026 (General Resolution)

INTRODUCED: 1/5/2026 BY: Councilor Gibson

REFERRED TO: Public Safety and Criminal Justice Committee

DIGEST: determines the need for the Indianapolis Metropolitan Police Department to lease approximately 27,010 square feet of office space at 4140 North Keystone Avenue

COMMITTEE ACTION:

1/14/2026 Do Pass 10-0

PROPOSAL NO. 14, 2026 (General Resolution)

INTRODUCED: 1/5/2026 BY: Councilor Osili

REFERRED TO: Public Works Committee

DIGEST: approves and authorizes the execution of an amendment to an existing franchise agreement with a franchise holder for the operation, maintenance and improvement of the city's metered parking system

COMMITTEE ACTION:

1/15/2026 Do Pass 9-0

PROPOSAL NO. 15, 2026 (General Resolution)

INTRODUCED: 1/5/2026 BY: Councilor Jones

REFERRED TO: Public Works Committee

DIGEST: authorizes the city, acting through the Marion County Stormwater Management District, a special taxing district existing pursuant to IC 36-3-5-8, to issue up to \$50,000,000 of revenue bonds and, if necessary, interim financing notes to finance the planning, design, construction and inspection of channels, culverts, levees and dams, stewardship, studies and water quality projects; and approves and authorizes other actions in respect thereto

COMMITTEE ACTION:

1/15/2026 Do Pass 9-0

PROPOSAL NO. 31, 2026 (General Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 1/5/2026 BY: Councilors A. Brown, Osili, Roberts, Boots, Evans and Gibson

REFERRED TO: Public Works Committee

DIGEST: amends Section 261-408 of the Code pertaining to Responsible Bidding Practices

COMMITTEE ACTION:

1/15/2026 Do Pass 9-0

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 Madam President.

The President The Chair recognizes Councilor Mowery.

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

by Councilors A. Brown and Roberts in memory of Jerry Clifford.

by Councilor Barth in memory of Mary Schleissman.

by Councilor Boots in memory of Joseph Goeller.

by Councilor Lewis in memory of Beth Henkel and Jimmy J. Robinson.

by Councilor Nielsen in memory of Jim McGinley, Terri Lee Heady, Shirley Marco Kulwin, and William Frank Russell.

by Councilors Lewis, Barth, Evans, Nielsen and Jones in memory of Linda Ellis.

Madam 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. 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

XVI. PENDING PROPOSALS

PROPOSAL NO. 375, 2025 (Council Resolution)

INTRODUCED: 12/1/2025 BY: Councilor Robinson

REFERRED TO: Public Safety and Criminal Justice Committee

DIGEST: appoints Evan Shearin to the Juvenile Detention Center Advisory Board

COMMITTEE ACTION:

12/10/2025 Postpone until 1/14/2026 7-0

1/14/2026 Postpone until 2/11/2026 10-0

PROPOSAL NO. 1, 2026 (Council Resolution)

INTRODUCED: 1/5/2026 BY: Councilor A. Brown

REFERRED TO: Community Affairs Committee

DIGEST: reappoints Danielle Hynes to the Animal Care Services Board

PROPOSAL NO. 9, 2026 (Council Resolution)

INTRODUCED: 1/5/2026 BY: Councilor Robinson

REFERRED TO: Public Safety and Criminal Justice Committee

DIGEST: reappoints Robert Hammerle to the Marion County Public Defender Board

COMMITTEE ACTION:

1/14/2026 Postponed until 2/11/2026 10-0

PROPOSAL NO. 13, 2026 (General Resolution)

INTRODUCED: 1/5/2026 BY: Councilor Robinson

REFERRED TO: Rules and Public Policy Committee

DIGEST: directs the Rules and Public Policy Committee to review and prepare a report pertaining to the fiscal impact statement associated with the City of Indianapolis/Marion County (Metropolitan Emergency Services Agency) union agreement with the Indianapolis Professional Firefighters (Local 416)

PROPOSAL NO. 16, 2026 (General Ordinance)

INTRODUCED: 1/5/2026 BY: Councilor Brown

REFERRED TO: Public Safety and Criminal Justice Committee

DIGEST: amends the Code to add to the Firefighters' portion a new Section 252-310 entitled Parental Leave

COMMITTEE ACTION:

1/14/2026 Postponed until 2/11/2026 10-0