



A G E N D A
COMMON COUNCIL - REGULAR MEETING
Wednesday, January 2, 2019

Meeting to be held at **6:30 p.m.**, local time,
in the Common Council Chambers, City Hall Building
100 East Michigan Boulevard, Michigan City, Indiana

CALL TO ORDER BY COUNCIL PRESIDENT

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG and PRAYER

ROLL CALL

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

President

Vice-President

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Regular Meeting December 18, 2018

REPORTS of STANDING COMMITTEES

REPORTS of SPECIAL or SELECT COMMITTEES

REPORTS of OTHER CITY OFFICERS and DEPARTMENTS

CLAIMS DOCKET

Fund #2042 – Riverboat – Claims - \$ 10,401.45
Fund #2031 – Boyd Development - \$ 177,567.30

PETITIONS

COMMUNICATIONS

RESOLUTIONS

ORDINANCES

ORDINANCE
1st Reading

**APPROVING ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION IN THE BUDGET OF
THE RIVERBOAT FUND TO HIRE FOUR (4) POLICE OFFICERS FOR
THE MICHIGAN CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT**

Introduced by: Don Przybylinski
Gene Simmons

(DECREASE Riverboat Fund # 2042 Unappropriated balance \$200,000.00
INCREASE ACCOUNT# 1001.202.411.013 Salary and Wages-Police \$200,000.00)

**APPROVING ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION IN THE BUDGET OF
THE RIVERBOAT FUND FOR THE PURCHASE OF TREES AND
MAINTENANCE, LABOR, AND SUPPLIES NECESSARY
TO CARE FOR THOSE TREES BY THE CITY FORRESTER**

Introduced by: Johnny Stimley

(DECREASE Riverboat Fund # 2042 Unappropriated balance \$50,000.00
INCREASE ACCOUNT# 2042.401.445.050 Capital Outlay Other-Vector
\$50,000.00)

**UNFINISHED
BUSINESS**

Nominations: For the replacement of Rae Isbell, H.O.P.E.
Community who has submitted her resignation for her appointment
to the Social Status of African American Males Commission
(term expires February 15, 2019)

Vote: The Common Council has one (1) appointment to
the Commission for Women representing a Non-profit organization
dealing with women's issues– term expires December 21, 2018
Nominee: Nicole Coleman

Vote: The Common Council has 2 appointments to the
Veteran's Commission - 1 of these appointments shall be a
representative of an organization dealing with veterans' issues,
including PTSD
Nominees: Rich Mrozinski
Keith Devereaux
Natalee Stewart

VOTE: Mayor Meer is requesting the advice and consent of the members of the Michigan City Common Council regarding his re-appointment of Ms. Dale Cooper as a member of the Michigan City Public Art Committee

VOTE: Mayor Meer is requesting the advice and consent of the members of the Michigan City Common Council regarding his re-appointment of Ms. Marianne Milcarek and Ms. Virginia Nicholas as members of the Michigan City Board of Cemetery Trustees

VOTE: Mayor Meer is requesting the advice and consent of the members of the Michigan City Common Council regarding his appointment of Mr. John Ryszka II as a member of the Michigan City Public Art Committee

NEW BUSINESS

FYI: The Council has seven (7) appointments to the Commission on the Social Status of African-American Males:

Incumbents:

Mr. Mario Rosa - Community Advocates of Northern Indiana

Pastor Edward Damon Carnes, Sr. - Ministerial Assoc.

Mrs. Rea Isbell - H.O.P.E. Community

Mr. Willie Milsap - Swanson Center

Ms. Faye Moore - NAACP

Pastor Dennis Carroll - Human Rights Commission

Ms. Nila Williams - Council Appointment

*note-all 7 terms expires 02/15/2019

**FYI – 2019 VOTING MEMBERS ON THE FOLLOWING
COUNCIL COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS**

- **Animal Control Board –**
- **Economic Development Corporation –**
- **Plan Commission –**
- **Public Art Committee –**
- **Social Status of African American Males –**
- **Solid Waste Management –**
- **Tree Board –**

COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC

COMMENTS FROM THE COUNCIL

ADJOURNMENT

Gale A. Neulieb, City Clerk

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Agenda January 2, 2019
Posted December 28, 2018