



AGENDA

COMMON COUNCIL - REGULAR MEETING

Tuesday, April 20, 2010

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

APPROVAL OF MINUTES Regular Meeting April 6, 2010

REPORTS of STANDING COMMITTEES

REPORTS of SPECIAL or SELECT COMMITTEES

REPORTS of OTHER CITY OFFICERS and DEPARTMENTS

PETITIONS

COMMUNICATIONS

RESOLUTIONS

**AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A LAKE MICHIGAN
COASTAL RPOGRAM GRANT APPLICATION**

Introduced by: Rich Murphy

ORDINANCES

**ORDINANCE
1st Reading**

**ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION FOR THE PARK DEPARTMENT
TO ALLOW FOR ADDITIONAL EXPENSES INCURRED FROM
THE CONCESSION OPERATION AT PATRIOT PARK**

Introduced by: Joseph Doyle

**ORDINANCE
2ND Reading**

**AMENDING MUNICIPAL CODE CHAPTER 54, ARTICLE II,
DIVISION 3, MERIT SYSTEM**

Introduced by: Patricia Boy
Co-Sponsor: Angie Nelson

**ORDINANCE
2nd Reading**

**AMENDING CHAPTER 22, ARTICLE XI OF THE MUNICIPAL
CODE OF THE CITY OF MICHIGAN CITY, INDIANA COMMONLY
KNOWN AS THE CONTRACTOR SECTION OF BUILDINGS AND
BUILDING REGULATIONS**

Introduced by: Patricia Boy

**ORDINANCE
2nd Reading**

**APPROVING ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION IN THE BUDGET
OF THE LEGAL SERVICES FUND**

Introduced by: Marc Espar

**(DECREASE: Fund #9000, Riverboat Fund ,Unappropriated -
\$160,000.00. INCREASE: Account # 9000 0000 03 431.001,
Appropriated, Legal Services - \$160,000.00)**

**News Dispatch ad
April 7, 2010**

**Formal Public
Hearing will be held
April 20, 2010**

**ORDINANCE
2nd Reading**

**APPROVING ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION IN THE BUDGET
OF THE RIVERBOAT FUND FOR EQUIPMENT FOR ANIMAL
DEPARTMENT**

Introduced by: Marc Espar

**(DECREASE: fund #9000, Riverboat Fund Unappropriated -
\$8,067.85. INCREASE: Account # 9000 0000 04 444.014,
Animal Control Department Equipment - \$8,067.85.)**

News Dispatch ad

March 17, 2010

**Formal Public
Hearing will be held
April 20, 2010**

(NOTE: The proposed ordinance was TABLED on March 16, 2010 until the April 20, 2010 Council Meeting).

**ORDINANCE
2nd Reading**

**APPROVING AN ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION IN THE
BUDGET OF THE RIVER BOAT FUND**

Introduced by: Richard Murphy

(DECREASE: fund #9000, Riverboat Fund Unappropriated – \$42,850.00. INCREASE: Account # 9000 0000 04 441.001 Land Acquisition - \$42,850.00.)

**News Dispatch ad
March 17, 2010**

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**ORDINANCE
2nd Reading**

**APPROVING ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION IN THE BUDGET
OF THE RIVERBOAT FUND FOR FORESTER EQUIPMENT**

Introduced by: Marc Espar

(DECREASE: fund #9000, Riverboat Fund Unappropriated - \$51,000.00. INCREASE: Account #9000 0000 04 444.005 Forester Equipment \$51,000.00).

**News Dispatch ad
March 17, 2010**

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ORDINANCE

APPROVING ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION IN THE BUDGET

2nd Reading

**OF THE RIVERBOAT FUND FOR EQUIPMENT FOR THE
CENTRAL MAINTENANCE DEPARTMENT**

Introduced by: Marc Espar

(DECREASE: fund #9000, Riverboat Fund Unappropriated – \$35,000.00. **INCREASE:** Account #9000 0000 04 444.009, Central Maintenance Department Equipment - \$35,000.00.)

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March 17, 2010**

**Formal Public
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April 20, 2010**

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**ORDINANCE
2nd Reading**

**APPROVING ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION IN THE BUDGET
OF THE RIVERBOAT FUND FOR BUILDING REPAIRS FOR THE
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION**

Introduced by: Marc Espar

(DECREASE: fund #9000, Riverboat Fund Unappropriated – \$18,885.00. **INCREASE:** Account #9000 0000 04 443.007, Park Projects - \$18,885.00.)

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ORDINANCE

APPROVING ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION IN THE BUDGET

2nd Reading

**OF THE RIVERBOAT FUND FOR EQUIPMENT FOR THE
VECTOR CONTROL DEPARTMENT**

Introduced by: Marc Espar

(DECREASE: fund #9000, Riverboat Fund Unappropriated - \$9,020.00. **INCREASE:** Account #9000 0000 04 444.007, Vector Control Department Equipment - \$9,020.00.)

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**ORDINANCE
2nd Reading**

**APPROVING ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION IN THE BUDGET
OF THE RIVERBOAT FUND FOR EQUIPMENT FOR THE
POLICE DEPARTMENT**

Introduced by: Marc Espar

(DECREASE: fund #9000, Riverboat Fund Unappropriated - \$67,750.62. **INCREASE:** Account # 9000 0000 04 444.021, Police Department Equipment - \$67,750.62.)

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ORDINANCE

APPROVING ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION IN THE BUDGET

2nd Reading

OF THE RIVERBOAT FUND FOR LAND ACQUISITION

Introduced by: Marc Espar

(DECREASE: fund #9000, Riverboat Fund Unappropriated - \$42,500.00. **INCREASE:** Account #9000 0000 04 444.001, Land Acquisition - \$42,500.00.)

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**ORDINANCE
2nd Reading**

**APPROVING ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION IN THE BUDGET
OF THE RIVERBOAT FUND FOR EQUIPMENT FOR THE
STREET DEPARTMENT**

Introduced by: Marc Espar

(DECREASE: fund #9000 Riverboat Fund Unappropriated - \$287,000.00. **INCREASE:** fund #9000 0000 04 444.004, Street Department Equipment - \$287,000.00.)

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ORDINANCE
3rd Reading

PROVIDING FOR THE PARK DEPARTMENT CONCESSION OPERATIONS (EXCEPT GOLF) IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION AND AMENDING EXISTING ORDINANCES ACCORDINGLY

Introduced by: Joe Doyle

ORDINANCE
3rd Reading

AMENDING SECTION 3 OF ORDINANCE NO. 3748 TO ALLOW FOR THE TRANSFER OF MONIES FROM THE ZOO EDUCATION NON-REVERTING FUND NO. 1303 TO THE OPERATING BUDGET OF THE MICHIGAN CITY PARK AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT TO PAY THE WASHINGTON PARK ZOO EDUCATION CURATOR'S ANNUAL WAGES

Introduced by: Joe Doyle

ORDINANCE
3rd Reading

AMENDING THE ZOO NON-REVERTING CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND AND AMENDING ALL SUBSEQUENT AMENDING ORDINANCES THERETO ALSO KNOWN AS SECTION 2-411 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF THE CITY OF MICHIGAN CITY, INDIANA

**Introduced by : Joe Doyle
Ron Meer
Patricia Boy**

UNFINISHED

Mayor Oberlie requests advice and consent concerning the

BUSINESS

appointment of Mr. Cory Soller as a member of the Michigan City Human Rights Board. Mr. Soller's term will begin immediately and expire November 2, 2013.

NEW BUSINESS

Mayor Oberlie requests advice and consent concerning the re-appointment of Mr. John Haynes as a member of the Michigan City Port Authority. With your advice and consent, Mr. Haynes's term of office will begin immediately and would expire on April 12, 2014.

COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC

COMMENTS FROM THE COUNCIL

ADJOURNMENT

Thomas F. Fedder, City Clerk