



# AGENDA

## COMMON COUNCIL - REGULAR MEETING

Wednesday, November 5, 2008

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

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### CALL TO ORDER BY COUNCIL PRESIDENT

### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG and PRAYER

### ROLL CALL

APPROVAL OF MINUTES .....Regular Meeting October 21, 2008

### REPORTS of STANDING COMMITTEES

### REPORTS of SPECIAL or SELECT COMMITTEES

**REPORTS of OTHER CITY OFFICERS and DEPARTMENTS**

**PETITIONS**

**COMMUNICATIONS**

**RESOLUTIONS**

**ORDINANCES**

**ORDINANCE  
1<sup>st</sup> Reading**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MICHIGAN CITY, INDIANA TO AMEND THE MICHIGAN CITY ZONING ORDINANCE NO. 2114 TO RE-ZONE A SIXTY-SIX (66) ACRE PARCEL OF PROPERTY FROM AGRICULTURAL TO MANUFACTURING-1**

**Introduced by: Patricia Boy**

**ORDINANCE  
1<sup>st</sup> Reading**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE MICHIGAN CITY COMMON COUNCIL ESTABLISHING PROCEDURES AND LIMITATIONS ON CAPITAL PROJECT EXPENDITURES IN THE BOYD DEVELOPMENT FUND AND THE RIVERBOAT GAMING FUND**

**Introduced by: Marc Espar**

**ORDINANCE  
1<sup>st</sup> Reading**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY  
OF MICHIGAN CITY, INDIANA AMENDING ORDINANCE NO.  
2053, THE BUILDING CODE AND ALL SUBSEQUENT  
AMENDMENTS**

**Introduced by:** Patricia Boy

**ORDINANCE  
2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Reading**

**AN ORDINANCE REORGANIZING AND AMENDING THE  
MICHIGAN CITY POLICE MERIT COMMISSION ORDINANCE  
TO INCORPORATE PRIOR AMENDMENTS AND ADD  
PROVISIONS FOR PART OF A GRADE FOR PROMOTIONS  
TO BE BASED ON ORAL INTERVIEWS**

**Introduced by:** Angela Nelson

**ORDINANCE  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reading**

**AN ORDINANCE TO REDUCE APPROPRIATION FOR  
INSURANCE**

**Introduced by:** Marc Espar

Fund: General Fund No. 0101  
Department: Board of Public Works and Safety  
Budget Item: Insurance Other Than Health  
Account No.: 03 434.005  
Amount: \$500,000

**ORDINANCE  
2<sup>nd</sup> READING**

**AN ORDINANCE SETTING THE ANNUAL SALARIES FOR  
THE CITY CLERK, MAYOR, AND ALL COMMON  
COUNCIL MEMBERS FOR THE YEARS 2009, 2010, AND 2011**

**Introduced by:** Marc Espar

*News Dispatch ad*  
**October 19 & 26,  
2008**

Formal Public  
Hearing to be held

**November 5,  
2008**

**ORDINANCE  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reading**

**AN ORDINANCE SETTING SALARIES AND WAGES FOR  
APPOINTED OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE CITY OF  
MICHIGAN CITY, INDIANA, FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2009**

**Introduced by: Marc Espar**

**ORDINANCE  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reading**

**AN ORDINANCE ESTBLISHING SALARIES FOR THE FIRE  
DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF MICHIGAN CITY FOR THE  
CALENDAR YEAR 2009**

**Introduced by: Marc Espar**

**ORDINANCE  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reading**

**AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING SALARIES FOR THE POLICE  
DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF MICHIGAN CITY FOR THE  
CALENDAR YEAR 2009**

**Introduced by: Marc Espar**

**ORDINANCE  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reading**

**AN ORDINANCE FOR APPROPRIATIONS AND TAX RATES**

**Introduced by: Marc Espar**

*News-Dispatch ad*  
**October 17 & 24,  
2008**

Formal Public  
Hearing to be held  
**November 5,  
2008**

**ORDINANCE  
3rd Reading**

**AN ORDINANCE TO ADOPT A CODE OF ETHICS AND TO  
CREATE AN ETHICS ADVISORY BOARD FOR THE CITY  
OF MICHIGAN CITY, INDIANA**

**Introduced by:** Patricia Boy  
Joseph Doyle  
Bob McKee

**UNFINISHED  
BUSINESS**

**NEW BUSINESS**

**Council appointment necessary – Commission on the Urban Enterprise Association (for the unexpired term of Mr. Frank Harris, expiration date 12-31-08).**

**COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC**

**COMMENTS FROM THE COUNCIL**

**ADJOURNMENT**

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**Thomas F. Fedder, City Clerk**