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CITY COUNCIL
Monday, October 5, 2026 at 6:30 PM

Meeting Agenda

Common Council is held at Margerum City Hall, 222 North Chauncey Avenue, West Lafayette, IN 47906. Comments can be submitted to the Clerk's office by emailing clerk@westlafayette.in.gov.

Electronic Options:

- Live stream via the Meetings & Agendas section of our website.
- Stream via Microsoft Teams or phone: +1-574-367-5293, Code: 869 451 584
  - Electronic participation by Councilors is *not* permitted for this meeting.

1. CALL TO ORDER: (Pledge of Allegiance)
2. ROLL CALL: Bellisario, Blanco, Burr, Lee, Leverenz, Parker, Rajkarnikar, Sanders, Schenkel
3. PRE-COUNCIL ACTION ITEMS: None
4. MINUTES:
   a. Approval of Minutes: September 8, 2026 Council Meeting
   Documents:
   - September 8, 2026 Council Minutes
5. REPORTS OF BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS:
   1. Area Plan Commission (Leverenz, Parker)
   2. Joint Board (Burr)
   3. Redevelopment Commission (Burr)
6. FINANCIAL REPORT: City Controller
   a. Financial Report
   Documents:
   - Finance Report
7. LEGAL REPORT: Corporation Counsel
   a. Legal Report

Documents:

- September 2026 Legal Report

8. REPORTS OF CITY DEPARTMENTS ON FILE IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE :

   a. Parks and Recreation Report - September 2026
   Documents:
   - Parks and Recreation Report - September 2026

   b. HR Report
   Documents:
   - HR Report

   c. Fire Report - September 2026
   Documents:
   - Fire Report

   d. Street Department Report
   Documents:
   - September 2026

   e. Building Department Reports
   Documents:
   - Building
   - Rental Hsg

   f. Engineering Report
   Documents:
   - Engineering Monthly Report - 09-2026

   g. WWTU Report-August 2026
   Documents:
   - WWTU Report-August 2026

   h. Police Report
   Documents:
   - September 2026 Calls For Service
   - September 2026 NRT

9. SPECIAL REPORTS:

10. PUBLIC RELATIONS:

    a. Appointments:
       i. Council Appointments for Approval: Racial Recognition Task Force - Patti

O'Callaghan, George Lyle, and Charlie Shook

ii. Informational Mayoral Appointment: Go Greener Commission - Brenna Ellison

Documents:

- Ellison Application

11. UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

a. Ordinance No. 16- 2026 An Ordinance Setting The 2027 City Budget And Setting The 2027 Tax Levy On Property And Tax Rate (Prepared by Controller) [No. of Readings 2 of 2]
Continued from the September 8, 2026, Council meeting.

- **PUBLIC HEARING**

Documents:

- Ordinance No. 16-2026 (PROPOSED Amended)
- Notice to Taxpayers (Public Hearing)
- 3-Year Trend (as of 09.25.26)
- Ordinance No. 16-2026
- Presentation: Revenue Sources & Uses [Presented 08.03.26]

b. Ordinance No. 21-2026 An Ordinance Of The City Of West Lafayette, Indiana, Amending The West Lafayette City Code Relating To The Rates And Charges Of The Sewage Works Of The City (Sponsored by Mayor) [No. of Readings 2 of 2]

- **PUBLIC HEARING**

Documents:

- Ordinance No. 21-2026
- Public Hearing Notice
- 2026 Rate Study (Krohn & Associates)

12. NEW BUSINESS:

a. Ordinance No. 22-2026 An Ordinance Authorizing The Acquisition, Construction And Installation Of Certain Improvements To The Sewage Works Of The City Of West Lafayette, Indiana, The Issuance Of Additional Revenue Bonds In One Or More Series To Finance The Cost Thereof, The Collection, Segregation And Distribution Of The Revenues Of Such Sewage Works, The Safeguarding Of The Interests Of The Owners Of Such Revenue Bonds And Other Matters Connected Therewith, Including The Issuance Of Notes In Anticipation Of Such Bonds, And All Matters Related Thereto (Sponsored by Mayor) [No. of Readings 1 of 2]

Documents:

- Ordinance No. 22-2026
- Informational: BOW Res. BW-2026-01

b. Ordinance No. 23-2026 An Ordinance Vacating A Public Alley (Submitted by Reiling Teder & Schrier on behalf of Sullivan Developers, LLC) [No. of Readings 1 of 2]

Documents:

- Ordinance No. 23-2026
- Petition for Vacation
- Notice to Interested Parties (For November Public Hearing)

c. Ordinance No. 24-2026 An Ordinance Amending Chapter 6, Article V Of The Code Of Ordinances Of The City Of West Lafayette, State Of Indiana (Rental Housing Inspection and Registration) (Sponsored by Councilor Burr) [No. of Readings 1 of 2]
Documents:
- Ordinance No. 24-2026

d. Ordinance No. 25-2026 An Ordinance To Set The 2027 Salary Schedule For All Officials And Employees Of The City Of West Lafayette, Indiana (Presented by Controller) [No. of Readings 1 of 2] *This Ordinance was originally filed by title only, and documents were made available on October 1, 2026.*
Documents:
- Ordinance No. 25-2026
- List of Changes Made Since Ord. No. 19-2026

e. Resolution No. 23-2026 A Resolution Of The City Of West Lafayette, Indiana, Approving And Authorizing The Execution Of Lease Agreements Relating To Proposed Refunding Bonds To Be Issued By The City Of West Lafayette Redevelopment Authority (Sponsored by Mayor) [No. of Readings 1 of 1]
Documents:
- Resolution No. 23-2026 [map placeholders filled 10.01.26]
- Informational: RDC Res. No. RC 2026-10

f. Resolution No. 24-2026 A Resolution Authorizing Approval And Execution Of An Interlocal Agreement Between The City Of West Lafayette And Tippecanoe County To Provide For The Equal Division Of IDD Funds From The SK Hynix Project (Sponsored by Mayor) [No. of Readings 1 of 1]
Documents:
- Resolution No. 24-2026
- Interlocal Agreement (IDD Funds) [Proposed Amendment 10.01.26]
- Interlocal Agreement (IDD Funds) [Proposed Amendment with Markup]
- Interlocal Agreement (IDD Funds) [original]

g. Resolution No. 25-2026 Amendment To Resolution No. 09-22 - A Resolution Regarding Limitation On Government Use Of License-Plate-Recognition Cameras (Sponsored by Councilors Sanders and Burr) [No. of Readings 1 of 1]
Documents:
- Resolution No. 25-2026
- For Reference: Res. No. 09-22

13. REPORT BY THE MAYOR

a. Presentation: Property Taxes and Budget Funding - Mayor

Documents:

- Presentation [Uploaded 10.06.26]

14. COMMUNICATIONS

15. PUBLIC COMMENTS

We welcome public comment and encourage active participation at this meeting.

There will be an opportunity for public comment on each Ordinance or Resolution currently before the Council, and again at the end of the meeting for general issues or concerns. These comments should be limited to three (3) minutes in length, and we ask that you not repeat what others have said. Your comments should be courteous and respectful of all. If you need additional time, please consider sending your questions, comments, or concerns to the City Clerk at: clerk@westlafayette.in.gov.

If you wish to speak, we request that you sign in on the designated sheet at the podium.

Your contribution to this meeting aids the efforts of the Council in addressing issues that are important to the citizens of West Lafayette.

16. ADJOURNMENT

Next Regular Council Meeting: November 2, 2026

Note: Pre-Council meets on an as-needed basis and will be announced on public meeting notices from the Clerk's Office.