



SOUTH BEND COMMON COUNCIL

MEETING AGENDA

Monday, February 24, 2025
7:00 P.M.

The South Bend Common Council meeting will be open to the public at the Council Chambers on the 4th floor of the County-City Building, 227 W. Jefferson Blvd., South Bend, IN 46601

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1. **INVOCATION**

RABBI MICHAEL FRIEDLAND | SINAI SYNAGOGUE

2. **PLEDGE TO THE FLAG**

3. **ROLL CALL**

4. **REPORT FROM THE SUB-COMMITTEE ON MINUTES**

FEBRUARY 10, 2025

5. **SPECIAL BUSINESS**

SPECIAL RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING W.U.B.S. AND THE LEGACY OF DR. SYLVESTER AND WANDA WILLIAMS

6. **REPORTS FROM CITY OFFICES**

UPDATE – CITIZEN POLICE REVIEW BOARD

7. **COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE**

TIME: _____

BILL NO.

07-25 PUBLIC HEARING ON AN ORDINANCE OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOUTH BEND, INDIANA, AMENDING CHAPTER 18,

ARTICLE 5, TO UPDATE THE PROCEDURES FOR VACATION OF PUBLIC WAYS AND PUBLIC PLACES

8. **BILLS ON THIRD READING**

TIME: _____

BILL NO.

07-25 THIRD READING ON AN ORDINANCE OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOUTH BEND, INDIANA, AMENDING CHAPTER 18, ARTICLE 5, TO UPDATE THE PROCEDURES FOR VACATION OF PUBLIC WAYS AND PUBLIC PLACES

9. **RESOLUTIONS**

BILL NO.

25-14 A RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOUTH BEND DESIGNATING CERTAIN AREAS WITHIN THE CITY OF SOUTH BEND, INDIANA, COMMONLY KNOWN AS 425 SOUTH MICHIGAN STREET, SOUTH BEND, INDIANA 46601 AN ECONOMIC REVITALIZATION AREA FOR PURPOSES OF A TWO-YEAR (2) VACANT BUILDING TAX ABATEMENT FOR PENNY HILL HOMES LLC

25-15 A RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOUTH BEND DESIGNATING CERTAIN AREAS WITHIN THE CITY OF SOUTH BEND, INDIANA, COMMONLY KNOWN AS 425 SOUTH MICHIGAN STREET, SOUTH BEND, INDIANA 46601 AN ECONOMIC REVITALIZATION AREA FOR PURPOSES OF A TEN-YEAR (10) REAL PROPERTY TAX ABATEMENT FOR PENNY HILL HOMES LLC

25-16 A RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOUTH BEND DESIGNATING CERTAIN AREAS WITHIN THE CITY OF SOUTH BEND, INDIANA, COMMONLY KNOWN AS 25471 CLEVELAND ROAD, SOUTH BEND, INDIANA 46628 AN ECONOMIC REVITALIZATION AREA FOR PURPOSES OF A SEVEN-YEAR (7) REAL PROPERTY TAX ABATEMENT FOR BLUEPRINT, LLC

10. **BILLS ON FIRST READING**

BILL NO.

08-25 FIRST READING ON AN ORDINANCE OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOUTH BEND, INDIANA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY TO ISSUE ONE OR MORE SERIES OF ITS TAXABLE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT TAX INCREMENT REVENUE BONDS AND APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING OTHER ACTIONS IN RESPECT THERETO IN CONNECTION WITH THE J.C. HART DEVELOPMENT PROJECT

09-25 FIRST READING ON AN ORDINANCE OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOUTH BEND, INDIANA, AMENDING ORDINANCE NO.

11161-24 FIXING THE ANNUAL PAY AND MONETARY FRINGE BENEFITS OF SWORN MEMBERS OF THE SOUTH BEND FIRE DEPARTMENT FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2025 TO AMEND AND CLARIFY THE SALARY CLASSIFICATIONS AT SECTION II OF THIS ORDINANCES

10-25 FIRST READING ON AN ORDINANCE OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOUTH BEND, INDIANA, AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 11160-24, WHICH FIXES MAXIMUM SALARIES AND WAGES OF APPOINTED OFFICERS AND NON-BARGAINING EMPLOYEES OF EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS OF THE CITY OF SOUTH BEND FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2025, TO MAKE POSITION CHANGES IN INNOVATION & TECHNOLOGY AND THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

11-25 FIRST READING ON AN ORDINANCE OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOUTH BEND, INDIANA, AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 11155-24, WHICH FIXED MAXIMUM WAGES OF TEAMSTER EMPLOYEES FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2025, 2026, 2027, AND 2028, TO ADD A FULL-TIME EMPLOYEE TO ONE EXISTING POSITION

12-25 FIRST READING ON AN ORDINANCE OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOUTH BEND, INDIANA, FOR BUDGET TRANSFERS FOR VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS WITHIN THE CITY OF SOUTH BEND, INDIANA FOR THE YEAR 2025

13-25 FIRST READING ON AN ORDINANCE OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOUTH BEND, INDIANA, APPROPRIATING ADDITIONAL FUNDS FOR CERTAIN DEPARTMENTAL AND CITY SERVICES OPERATIONS FOR THE YEAR 2025 OF \$1,464,798 FROM THE GENERAL FUND (#101), \$535,028 FROM THE PARKS AND RECREATION FUND (#201), \$5,000 FROM THE GIFT, DONATION, BEQUEST FUND (#217), \$655,000 FROM THE LAW ENFORCEMENT CONTINUING EDUCATION FUND (#220), \$54,198 FROM THE CENTRAL SERVICES FUND (#222), \$489,000 FROM THE IT/INNOVATION/311 CALL CENTER FUND (#279), \$350,000 FROM THE FIRE DEPARTMENT CAPITAL FUND (#287), \$9,425,000 FROM THE LOCAL INCOME TAX – ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FUND (#408), \$250,000 FROM THE SEWAGE WORKS OPERATIONS FUND (#641), AND \$82,500 FROM THE UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION FUND (#713)

11. **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

12. **NEW BUSINESS**

13. **PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR**

14. **ADJOURNMENT**

TIME: _____

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