

November 17, 2025

The regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Angola, Indiana was called to order at 7:00 p.m. at City Hall, 210 North Public Square, with Mayor David B. Martin presiding. Council Members Randy Coffey, David A. Olson, Charles P. Dowe, Jennifer L. Sharkey, and Jerold D. McDermid answered roll. No Council Member was absent. Clerk-Treasurer Ryan P. Herbert recorded the minutes.

Among those present were City Attorney Kim Shoup, City Engineer Amanda Cope, Police Chief Ken Whitmire, and Human Resources Director Sue Essman.

Also present were Chris Emerick and Chad Salzbrenner.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

Council Member Coffey moved to approve November 3, 2025 minutes. Council Member Olson seconded the motion. The motion carried 5-0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Ordinance No. 1793-2025, AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE ANGOLA MUNICIPAL CODE, TITLE 10 VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC, CHAPTER 10.25 PARKING, was read by title and presented to Council on second reading. Council Member McDermid moved to approve. Council Member Sharkey seconded the motion. The motion carried 5-0.

NEW BUSINESS

Ordinance No. 1794-2025, AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CITY OF ANGOLA, INDIANA EMPLOYEE HANDBOOK, PAYROLL STANDARDS, CANINE CARE PAY, was read by title and presented for first reading. Council Member Olson moved to approve. Council Member McDermid seconded the motion. The motion carried 5-0.

Resolution No. 2025-896, A RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE CITY OF ANGOLA FOR THE GENERAL FUND AND FORWARDED TO THE COMMON COUNCIL FOR THEIR ACTION AND PASSAGE PURSUANT TO IC 6-1.1-18.6, was read by title presented to Council for approval. Council Member Olson moved to approve. Council Member McDermid seconded the motion. The motion carried 5-0.

Council Member Olson moved to approve the LPA Consulting Contract for RPR (inspection) services for warning and regulatory sign replacement for various local streets within city limits in the amount of \$54,000 with Fleis & VandenBrink Engineering. Council Member Sharkey seconded the motion. The motion carried 5-0.

Council Member Olson moved to approve the 2026 Agreement for Services with the Steuben County Economic Development Corporation in the amount of \$62,500. Council Member Dowe seconded the motion. Discussion followed. The motion carried 5-0.

Council Member Coffey moved to approve the Uniform Conflict of Interest Disclosure Statement for Amanda Cope. Council Member McDermid seconded the motion. The motion carried 5-0.

DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS

Clerk-Treasurer Herbert reported that the City had received its 1782 notice approving the 2026 budget and corresponding tax rates.

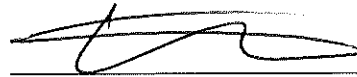
City Engineer Cope reported that construction was beginning for the Pokagon Utility project. A few phone calls have been received from people along the route inquiring about connecting to the utilities.

APPROVAL OF ACCOUNTS PAYABLE VOUCHERS

Council Member Dowe moved to approve the Allowance of Accounts Payable Vouchers 77096 through 77317 totaling \$867,878.91 which includes interfund transfer of \$122,055.00. Council Member McDermid seconded the motion. The motion carried 5-0.

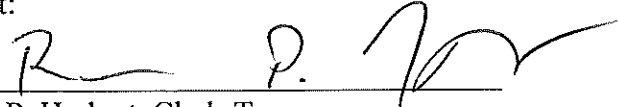
ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting was considered adjourned at 7:12 p.m.



David B. Martin, Mayor
Presiding Officer

Attest:



Ryan P. Herbert, Clerk-Treasurer