

## **March 16, 2026**

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, and Jerold D. McDermid answered roll. Council Member Jennifer L. Sharkey was absent. Clerk-Treasurer Ryan P. Herbert recorded the minutes.

Among those present were City Attorney Kim Shoup, Economic Development and Planning Director Retha Hicks, Police Chief Ken Whitmire, Water Superintendent Mitch Sattison, Wastewater Superintendent Jeff Gaff, and Human Resources Director Sue Essman.

Also among those present were Chris Heroy, Isaac Lee, Chris Pontorno, and Brett Eagen

### APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

Council Member Coffey moved to approve the March 2, 2026 minutes. Council Member Olson seconded the motion. The motion carried 4-0.

### NEW BUSINESS

Ordinance No. 1798-2026, AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CITY OF ANGOLA, INDIANA EMPLOYEE HANDBOOK, EMPLOYEE BENEFITS – LEAVE PROGRAMS, was read by title and presented to Council for first reading. Council Member McDermid moved to approve. Council Member Olson seconded the motion. Discussion Followed. The motion carried 4-0.

Resolution No. 2026-900, A RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE TRANSFER OF CASH TO THE LOCAL ROAD AND BRIDGE MATCHING GRANT FUND, was read by title and presented to Council for approval. Council Member Olson moved to approve. Council Member McDermid seconded the motion. The motion carried 4-0.

Council Member Olson moved to approve Change Order No. 1 for Pokagon Utility Project Division 3. Council Member Coffey seconded the motion. The motion carried 4-0.

Council Member Olson moved to find Univertical LLC located at 203 Weatherhead Street in substantial compliance with the Statement of Benefits for Real Estate Improvements. (Resolutions No. 2021-798, ten years and 2024-866, five years) and Personal Property (Resolutions No. 2019-766, five years and 2024-865, five years) Council Member Coffey seconded the motion. Discussion followed. The motion carried 4-0.

Council Member Olson moved to find Angola Wire Products, Inc. located at 803 Wohlert Street in substantial compliance with the Statement of Benefits for Personal Property

(Resolutions No. 2020-786, five years and 2024-871, five years) Council Member Coffey seconded the motion. Discussion followed. The motion carried 4-0.

Council Member McDermid moved to find R. R. Donnelley Inc. located at 611 W Mill Street in substantial compliance with the Statement of Benefits for Personal Property (Resolutions No. 2018-725, ten years) Council Member Dowe seconded the motion. Discussion followed. The motion carried 4-0.

Clerk-Treasurer's Depository Statement and Cash Reconciliation for the month ending February 2026 was presented for Council information.

#### DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS

Economic Development and Planning Director Hicks provided DORA information to Council Members and reported we would be beginning the process to pass a DORA soon.

Wastewater Superintendent Gaff reported that sewer replacement on the collapsed Stocker Street Sewer is continuing. There was a holdup when the contractor ran into a large amount of concrete underground.

Police Chief Whitmire reported that the new furniture was installed in the Police Department.

#### APPROVAL OF ACCOUNTS PAYABLE VOUCHERS

Council Member McDermid moved to approve the Allowance of Accounts Payable Vouchers 78855 through 79089 totaling \$1,307,225.71 which includes interfund transfers of \$50,308.00. Council Member Coffey seconded the motion. The motion carried 4-0.

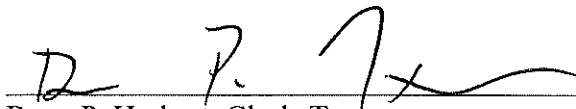
#### ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting was considered adjourned at 7:44 p.m.



David B. Martin, Mayor  
Presiding Officer

Attest:



Ryan P. Herbert, Clerk-Treasurer