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AGENDA
LA PORTE COUNTY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING
September 27, 2021

(Please Turn Off All Cell Phones.)

The Regular Meeting of the La Porte County Council to be held on September 27, 2021 at 6:00 p.m. (local time) in the Assembly Room of the La Porte County Government Complex, 809 State St., La Porte, IN 46350.

CALL TO ORDER

Meeting to be called to order by Council President Randy Novak.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

APPROVAL OF SEPTEMBER 27, 2021 AGENDA

APPROVAL OF AUGUST 23, 2021 MEETING MINUTES

PUBLIC COMMENT

DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS

LIAISON REPORTS

CORRESPONDENCE

ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS

Second Reading of Ordinance No. 2021-08 – An Ordinance Adopting Request to use Recorder's Perpetuation Fund to Cover Office Expenses and Salaries

NEW BUSINESS

1. Retroactively approve on the record the emergency appropriation for computer equipment at Community Corrections
2. Approval of La Porte County Recycling Solid Waste 2022 budget
3. Consider approval of Council President's authorization to hire replacement positions for:
La Porte County Treasurer's Office – Clerk and Book Keepers positions
La Porte County Circuit Court – JDAI Coordinator/Administrator
La Porte County Highway Department – Operator position
La Porte County Auditor – Tax Sale/Grant Administrator, Accounts Payable Clerk, and Assessor Roll Book Clerk positions
4. La Porte County E911 – Shift Differential pay and Longevity pay

OLD BUSINESS

APPROPRIATIONS, TRANSFERS, REQUESTS

La Porte County Animal Shelter

Requesting permission to transfer \$16,000.00 from Spay/Neuter account #1106 to part-time to cover remaining payroll \$16,000.00

La Porte County IT

Requesting Additional Appropriation from ARP (8950/8951) or General (1000) for: Infrastructure Broadband Disaster Recovery in South Bend Union Station \$658,659.50

La Porte County Treasurer

Requesting Additional Appropriation from ARP (8950) or Riverboat (1191) for: Computers, Software, and money counting machines \$60,000.00

La Porte County COVID Committee

Requesting Additional Appropriation from Riverboat (1191) or General (1000) for: Health Department's COVID vaccine clinic and COVID testing \$400,000.00

Honorable Judge Jeffrey Thorne Superior Court No. 3

Requesting Additional Appropriation from Riverboat (1191) or General (1000) for: Replace monies in Bailiff's account due to paying sick and vacation time \$4,300.00

La Porte County Sheriff

Requesting Additional Appropriations from Riverboat (1191) or General (1000) for:
Compensation of sick time \$4,500.00
Fuel Money \$150,000.00

La Porte County Sheriff

Requesting to spend \$14,000 from Misdemeanant Account for license fees for Office 365 email account \$14,000.00

La Porte County EMS

Requesting Additional Appropriations from Riverboat (1191) or General (1000) for:
Budget Shortages 20021 Other Supplies \$14,000.00
Budget Shortages 200256 Gas and Oil \$30,000.00
Budget Shortages 30161 Corporate Compliance \$30,000.00
Budget Shortages 10140 Overtime \$90,000.00

La Porte County Commissioners

Requesting Additional Appropriations from Riverboat (1191) or General (1000) for:
Professional Consulting Services \$30,000.00
Professional Services \$40,000.00
Liability Claims \$700,000.00

Indiana Guardianship Services

Requesting Additional Appropriation from Riverboat (1191) or General (1000) for:
To satisfy the VASIA Adult Guardianship Matching Grant
(Volunteer Advocate for Seniors or Incapacitated Adults) \$37,500.00

La Porte County Community Corrections

Requesting Additional Appropriations from Riverboat (1191) or General (1000) for:
Remove 12 existing sinks and replace with 12 new sinks \$36,000.00
New Security System with Security Automation Systems \$146,661.00

La Porte County Weights and Measures

Requesting Additional Appropriation from Riverboat (1191) or General (1000) for:
Part time pay \$1,736.00

La Porte County Coroner

Requesting Additional Appropriation from Riverboat (1191) or General (1000) for:
Professional Services \$10,000.00

La Porte County Maintenance

Requesting Additional Appropriation from Emergency Reserve (1186) or General (1000) or Riverboat (1191) for:
Emergency repair to jail roof top HVAC *35,000.00

La Porte County Maintenance

Requesting Additional Appropriation from Riverboat (1191) or LIT (1112) for:
Fairground improvements *150,000.00

La Porte County Auditor

Requesting to spend from Dual Homestead Act (7110) for:
Office Supplies \$750.00

*Not to exceed

COUNCIL/ATTORNEY COMMENTS

ADJOURNMENT

EXAMINED & APPROVED BY THE LA PORTE COUNTY COUNCIL this 27th day of September 2021.

ATTEST: _____
Timothy Stabosz, La Porte County Auditor

LaPorte County is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

Topic: Public Budget Hearing and La Porte County Council Meeting to follow

Time: Sep 27, 2021 05:30 PM Central Time (US and Canada)

Every month on the Fourth Mon, until Nov 22, 2021, 3 occurrence(s)

Sep 27, 2021 05:30 PM

Oct 25, 2021 05:30 PM

Nov 22, 2021 05:30 PM

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