



CITY OF INDIANOLA COUNCIL STUDY MEETING

September 8, 2025

6:00 PM

City Council Chambers

Minutes

Discussion and direction regarding the tax abatement program

The Indianola City Council met for a study session at 6:00 PM on September 8, 2025, in the City Hall Council Chambers. The following members were present: Josh Rabe, Ron Dalby, Steve Armstrong, Mellisa Sones, Bob Lane (via Teams) and Mayor Steve Richardson. Absent: Christina Beach.

Jackie Raffety, Clerk and Finance Director, presented information on the City's tax abatement program. The Council directed staff to model residential abatement options based off of peer communities and consider the impact to sales tax/other revenues. The Council directed staff to keep commercial/industrial tax abatement as-is. The Council will discuss residential tax abatement at the November study session.

The study session adjourned at 7:23 PM