



CITY OF INDIANOLA COUNCIL STUDY MEETING

December 8, 2025

6:00 PM

City Council Chambers

Minutes

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

Update to the Hillcrest Median Project

As requested at the May 19, 2025 Council meeting, Dave Moeller with Snyder and Associates presented the Council with the modifications made to the Hillcrest median.

Annual Presentation from Indianola Main Street

Erica Roberts presented the Indianola Main Street annual report to the Council.

Annual Presentation from Indianola Chamber of Commerce

Amanda Zwanizger and Kristy Brouillet presented the Indianola Chamber of Commerce annual report to the Council and included information on Experience Indianola.

Annual Presentation from Warren County Economic Development

Rachel Gocken presented the Warren County Economic Development annual report to the Council.

Energy Efficiency Block Grant Discussion

Jason Holder, Chief of Innovation and Internal Services, presented information to the Council on the energy efficiency block grant for electric vehicle charging stations around the Square. The Council directed staff to work to obtain an updated bid, provide additional details on potential profit/loss and alternative cost models, and prepare the necessary resolutions for consideration at the January 5, 2026 Council meeting. Bill Howard from the Sustainability Committee was also present.

Presentation regarding the compensation plan

Human Resources Director Courtney Silliman presented an informational presentation on the compensation plan. Council directed staff to use the Midwest CPI with a cap for cost-of-living adjustments.

The meeting ended at 9:18 PM.