



Crawfordsville Council Meeting Minutes

City of Crawfordsville, Indiana

City Building, Council Chambers
300 E. Pike Street
Crawfordsville, IN 47933

May 12, 2025 at 6:00PM

The Crawfordsville Common Council met on Monday, May 12, 2025 at 6:00 p.m. Present were Mayor Todd Barton, Clerk-Treasurer – Karyn Douglas and City Attorney – Kent Minnette, Councilman – Kent Priebe, Councilman – Ethan Hollander, Councilman – Jeff Lucas, Councilwoman – Jennifer Lowe, Councilman – Stan Hamilton and Councilman – Andy Biddle.

Also present were: Aaron Mattingly – Police Department, Mike McKinney – Wastewater Department, Scott Busenbark – Fire Department, Mark Cox – Street Department, Megan Huckstep – Planning Department, John Douglas – CEL&P and Fawn Johnson – Park & Rec.

Councilman Hollander led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Councilman Lucas led the prayer.

Chairman Barton asked Clerk-Treasurer Douglas to call the roll for purpose of attendance. Councilman Hamilton not present.

Councilman Biddle moved to approve the minutes from the meeting on April 14, 2025. Councilman Hamilton seconded.

Councilman Biddle moved to acknowledge receipt of the monthly financials. Councilman Hamilton seconded. Motion passed.

Clerk-Treasurer, Karyn Douglas, called the roll for suggested additions to the agenda. No additions.

Committee of the Whole

An Ordinance Making an Additional Appropriation for the Year 2025 (Crawfordsville Street Department). Councilman Biddle moved to pass to full council. Councilman Hamilton seconded. Motion passed.

Fiscal Affairs

The first item presented is the first reading of an Ordinance Making an Additional Appropriation for the Year 2025 (Crawfordsville Street Department). Councilman Biddle moved to place the Ordinance on first reading. Councilman Hamilton seconded. Chairman Barton called for comments from the Council and the public. Hearing none, the roll was called for the vote. The ordinance passed first reading with a unanimous vote.

(First Reading)

Ordinance & Petitions

The first item presented is the second reading of an Ordinance to Amend City Code Section 33.002 Meeting Location. Councilman Lucas moved to place the Ordinance on second reading. Councilwoman Lowe seconded. Chairman Barton called for comments from the Council and the public. Hearing none, the roll was called for the vote. The ordinance passed second reading with a unanimous vote.

Councilman Lucas moved to place the ordinance on third and final reading and so adopt. Councilwoman Lowe seconded. Chairman Barton called for comments from the Council and the public. Hearing none, the roll was called for the vote. The ordinance passed third and final reading with a unanimous vote.

(Ordinance# 4 -2025)

Traffic, Parking & Safety

The first item presented is the second reading of an Ordinance Vacating a Portion of an Alley in Crawfordsville, Indiana – North-South Alley directly east of 508 Curtis Street, Crawfordsville, IN also commonly known as the alley between lots 1, 2 & 42 of Highland Park subdivision. Councilman Hamilton moved to place the Ordinance on second reading. Councilwoman Lowe seconded. Chairman Barton called for comments from the Council and the public. Hearing none, the roll was called for the vote. The ordinance passed second reading with a unanimous vote.

Councilman Hamilton moved to place the ordinance on third and final reading and so adopt. Councilman Priebe seconded. Chairman Barton called for comments from the Council and the public. Hearing none, the roll was called for the vote. The ordinance passed third and final reading with a unanimous vote.

(Ordinance# 5 -2025)

Mayor Barton opened a Public Hearing at 6:08 pm on an Ordinance Vacating a Portion of an Alley in Crawfordsville, Indiana – North-South Alley directly east of 508 Curtis Street, Crawfordsville, IN also commonly known as the alley between lots 1, 2 & 42 of Highland Park subdivision. The hearing closed at 6:08 pm.

Annexation

The first item presented is the second reading of an Ordinance to Annex Property Known as approximately 147 acres located at St Rd 47 S, Purple Heart Parkway, and US Hwy 231 S in Crawfordsville, Indiana, and the associated right-of-way (Parcel 54-10-07-700-044.001-025, 54-10-18-500-002.0. Councilman Hollander moved to place the Ordinance on second reading. Councilman Priebe seconded. Chairman Barton called for comments from the Council and the public. Hearing none, the roll was called for the vote. The ordinance passed second reading with a unanimous vote.

Councilman Hollander moved to place the ordinance on third and final reading and so adopt. Councilwoman Lowe seconded. Chairman Barton called for comments from the Council and the public. Hearing none, the roll was called for the vote. The ordinance passed third and final reading with a unanimous vote.

(Ordinance# 6 -2025)

Miscellaneous

Mayor Barton asked the Council to consider moving the June Council meeting to June 16th due to a travel conflict. Councilman Biddle made a motion to approve the request. Councilman Hamilton seconded.

Adjournment

There being no further business Councilman Biddle moved to adjourn the meeting. Councilman Hamilton seconded. The meeting was adjourned at 6:11 p.m.

Signed by me this 16th day of June, 2025.



Mayor, Todd Barton

ATTEST: 
