

**CITY OF SOUTH BEND 4/28/2025**  
**Meeting # 844 4886 7252**

**1-2. CALL TO ORDER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

The council meeting was called to order by Mayor Struck at 5:30pm. Members present, Mayor Struck, Councilor Kuiken, Councilor Manlow, Councilor Corcoran (Via Zoom), Councilor Davis, Councilor Williams, Police Chief Stigall and Clerk/Treasurer Johnson. City Supervisor Houk and Fire Chief McGee were absent (excused)

**3. ITEMS FROM THE PUBLIC - None**

**4. APPROVAL – Agenda, Consent agenda, and Prior Meeting Minutes**

A motion was made by Councilor Manlow to approve the Agenda, the Consent Agenda and the minutes of the April 14, 2025, regular meeting. Motion carried. **Vote: Ayes-5, Noes-0, Absent- 0.**

**Vendors – Check #49610 thru Check #49637 - \$164,741.29 Including EFT Payments**

**5. CORRESPONDENCE - None**

**6. REVIEW OF BIDS / First Street Reconstruction (A Street to C Street)**

A motion was made by Councilor Williams to accept the Engineer's recommendation and award the job to the lowest bidder, Advanced Excavation Specialists LLC out of Kelso WA. Motion carried. **Vote: Ayes-5, Noes-0, Absent- 0.**

**7. ORDINANCE NO. 1605 An Ordinance of the City Council of South Bend Comprehensive Plan; Providing for Severability; and Establishing an Effective Date (SECOND READING)**

A motion was made by Councilor Manlow to accept the Ordinance as written. Motion carried. **Vote: Ayes-5, Noes-0, Absent- 0.**

**8. DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORT -**

Clerk / Treasurer Johnson reported that the City was current on ongoing project invoices and grant reimbursements.

**9. MAYOR'S REPORT -**

Mayor Struck reported that she had attended several days meetings for the AWC Board of Health Trust. She also added that the meetings were her last, given the fact that she will not be running for re-election next term.

**10. PUBLIC COMMENT – CURRENT AGENDA ITEMS - None**

**11. COUNCIL COMMENTS -**

Councilor Corcoran prompted discussion on the upcoming openings for the positions of City Council Member and Mayor and what would happen if no one volunteered to run for election. Councilor Williams asked about the purpose of the small red flags posted in various spots around the city. The consensus is that they were to locate power lines.

Councilor Davis asked if pickle ball lines were going to be painted on the Cheney Sport Court / Yes. She also asked if the city was in discussion with TRL about the future of the city library. / Discussion is currently taking place as options are considered.

Councilor Kuiken asked when construction on the EV charging stations was scheduled to take place. / The components needed are on back order and may take up to nine months to be available.

**17. FUTURE AGENDA TOPICS – None**

**18. ADJOURNMENT-**

The meeting was adjourned at 5:45 PM to meet again on Monday May 12, 2025 for a regular council meeting at South Bend City Hall.

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**Julie Struck**  
**Mayor**

**ATTEST:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**David Johnson**