

CITY OF SOUTH BEND 8/11/2025
Meeting # 835 8628 5013

1-2. CALL TO ORDER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

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

3. ITEMS FROM THE PUBLIC - None

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

A motion was made by Councilor Corcoran to approve the Agenda, the Consent Agenda and the minutes of the July 28th, 2025, regular meeting. Motion carried. **Vote: Ayes-4, Noes-0, Absent-1.**

Vendors – Check #49827 thru Check #49866 - \$116,742.72 Including EFT Payments
Payroll – Check #25241 thru Check #25244 - \$147,560.23 Including Direct Deposit

5. CORRESPONDENCE - None

6. DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORT -

City Supervisor Houk reported that The Cheney Sports park looks good and that pickle ball nets are available and being stored in a steel locker on site. Work on the First Street Project is going well with a couple of minor fixes taking place. Striping on this project will take place on the 22nd. He also reports that the Pre-construction meeting for Red Town Initiative project is scheduled. Prep work is scheduled to start on the 18th of this month, and surfacing will begin September 8th.

7. MAYOR'S REPORT -

Mayor Struck reported that the Bush Park Memorial dedication ceremony went well, with over 90 people in attendance.

8. PUBLIC COMMENT – CURRENT AGENDA ITEMS - None

9. COUNCIL COMMENTS

Councilor Corcoran agreed with the Mayor, saying the ceremony was “great”. She also mentioned that she was fielding comments from the public about the First Street project, indicating a “rough patch” that needed to be taken care of. Councilor Williams stated that he was glad to see pickle ball courts in place at the Cheney Sports Park. He also mentioned that while talking to workers connected to the Yellow Deli, it was mentioned that finishing the interior of the structure may be over a year out. Councilor Kuiken agreed that both the Cheney Sports Court and the Bush Memorial Park projects turned out well, noting it was good to see improvements happening in the city.

10. FUTURE AGENDA TOPICS

Mosquito Spraying

11. ADJOURNMENT-

The meeting was adjourned at 5:40 PM to meet again on Monday August 25, 2025 for a regular council meeting at South Bend City Hall.

Julie Struck
Mayor

ATTEST: _____
David Johnson