

**MARTINSVILLE COMMON COUNCIL  
MARTINSVILLE INDIANA  
MORGAN COUNTY, INDIANA  
NOVEMBER 10, 2025**

**Call to Order, Invocation., and Pledge of Allegiance**

Mayor Costin called the Martinsville Common Council meeting to order on November 10, 2025. Ben Merida led the prayer for those in attendance. Mayor Costin then led the attendees in the Pledge of Allegiance.

**Roll Call**

Councilor At Large John Badger XIV  
Councilor District 5 Phil Deckard II  
Councilor District 3 Josh Ferran  
Councilor District 4 Suzie Lipps  
Councilor District 2 Ben Mahan  
Councilor At Large Ann Miller

A quorum was declared present.

**Consideration of the Minutes**

- A. Consideration of the October 27, 2025, Common Council Meeting Minutes

A motion to Approve was made by Councilor District 4 Suzie Lipps. Ann Miller seconded the motion. The minutes were Passed 6-0.

**Clerk-Treasurer's Report**

**Committee Report**

- A. Study Committee Report - Peddlers, Solicitors and Transient Merchants

Councilor Ann Miller submitted the report to the council for their review. A discussion ensued. No action was taken.

**Public Hearing**

The meeting was recessed to have a public hearing.

Mayor Costin called for public comment regarding ordinance 2025-1899. No public comments were made.

Mayor Costin called for public comment regarding ordinance 2025-1900. No public comments were made.

- A. Ordinance 2025-1899 - Stating Salaries of Elected Officials
- B. Ordinance 2025-1900 - Setting Salaries of Certain Appointed Officials and

Employees

### **New Business**

Public Hearing was closed and the council meeting was reconvened.

A. First Reading of Ordinance 2025-1899 - Stating Salaries of Elected Officials

Mr. Coffey presented the ordinance to the council. No action was taken.

B. First Reading of Ordinance 2025-1900 - Setting Salaries of Certain Appointed Officials and Employees

Mr. Coffey presented the ordinance to the council. No action was taken.

### **Consideration of Claims**

A motion to Approve was made by Councilor District 5 Phil Deckard II. Suzie Lipps seconded the motion. The motion was Passed 6-0.

### **Council Comments**

### **Public Comment**

### **Next Regular Meeting**

A. The next regular meeting will be on Monday, November 24, 2025, beginning at 7:00 PM in the Council Chambers (Room 202), City Hall, 59 S. Jefferson St., Martinsville, IN

### **Adjournment**