

**MARTINSVILLE COMMON COUNCIL
MARTINSVILLE INDIANA
MORGAN COUNTY, INDIANA
JUNE 8, 2026**

Call to Order, Invocation., and Pledge of Allegiance

Mayor Costin called the Martinsville Common Council meeting to order on June 8, 2026. Lisa Flake 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 At Large Ann Miller
Councilor District 1 Jonathan Collier

A quorum was declared present.

Consideration of the Minutes

- A. Consideration of the May 26, 2026, Common Council Meeting Minutes
A motion to Approve was made by Councilor District 1 Jonathan Collier. Ann Miller seconded the motion. The minutes were Passed 6-0.

Staff Updates

- A. Police Department
Chief Manley gave an update to the council regarding the flock camera system.

- B. Transfer Station
Mr. Dunn gave the council an update on the transfer station repair. The station should be reopened June 10th. Future remodeling will be completed by fall of 2026.

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.

New Business

- A. Second Reading and Consideration of Ordinance 2026-1415 - Amendment to Chapter 78, Traffic and Vehicles

Mr. Coffey presented the ordinance (22026-1915) to the council for their consideration.

A motion to Approve was made by Councilor District 4 Suzie Lipps. John Badger XIV seconded the motion. The motion was Passed 6-0.

- B. Second Reading and Consideration of Ordinance 2026-1916 - Rezoning of Property - 2008 Burton Lane

Mr. Coffey presented the ordinance to the council for their consideration.

A motion to Approve was made by Councilor At Large Ann Miller. Jonathan Collier seconded the motion. The motion was Passed 6-0.

- C. Second Reading and Consideration of Ordinance 2026-1917 - Rezoning of Property - Southeast Corner of Ohio and South Streets

Mr. Coffey presented the ordinance to the council for their consideration. A discussion ensued.

A motion to Approve was made by Councilor District 1 Jonathan Collier. Suzie Lipps seconded the motion. The motion was Passed 5-1. Councilor Ann Miller voted no.

Council Comments

Public Comment

Next Regular Meeting

- A. The next regular meeting will be on Monday, June 22, 2026, beginning at 7:00 PM in the Council Chambers (Room 202), City Hall, 59 S. Jefferson St., Martinsville, Indiana.

Adjournment

Name		Signature
Phil R. Deckard II, Member, District 5, President Pro Tempore	Aye <input type="checkbox"/> Nay <input type="checkbox"/> Abstain <input type="checkbox"/>	
Jonathan Collier, District 1	Aye <input type="checkbox"/> Nay <input type="checkbox"/> Abstain <input type="checkbox"/>	
Ben Mahan, Member, District 2	Aye <input type="checkbox"/> Nay <input type="checkbox"/> Abstain <input type="checkbox"/>	
Josh Ferran, Member, District 3	Aye <input type="checkbox"/> Nay <input type="checkbox"/> Abstain <input type="checkbox"/>	
Suzie Lipps, Member, District 4	Aye <input type="checkbox"/> Nay <input type="checkbox"/> Abstain <input type="checkbox"/>	
Ann Miller, Member-at-Large	Aye <input type="checkbox"/> Nay <input type="checkbox"/> Abstain <input type="checkbox"/>	
John Badger, XIV, Member-at-Large	Aye <input type="checkbox"/> Nay <input type="checkbox"/> Abstain <input type="checkbox"/>	

ATTEST

Name	Signature	Date
Benjamin K. Merida, Clerk-Treasurer		

MAYOR ACTION

Name		Signature	Date
Kenneth W. Costin, Mayor	Approve <input type="checkbox"/> Veto <input type="checkbox"/>		