

City of Bedford – Minutes

Redevelopment Commission Meeting

October 21, 2025

StoneGate Arts & Education Center

931 15th Street

5:30 PM

Call to Order:

The Redevelopment Commission of the City of Bedford, Indiana met for Regular Meeting on October 21, 2025, at 5:30 PM at StoneGate Arts & Education Center.

Live Streaming VIA Facebook: www.facebook.com/Bedford.in.gov

VIA YOUTUBE <https://www.youtube.com/@CityofBedford-812/streams>

President Craig Turpen Presided and called the meeting to order.

Members' Present

Mayor Samuel Craig

Craig Turpen

Ryan Griffith

Judy Carlisle

Kathy Blackburn

Shea Hooten

Scott King (nonvoting member)

Members Absent

Reading of Minutes-September 16, 2025, Regular Meeting

- Ryan Griffith made the motion to approve,
- Shea Hooten seconded the motion,
- ***All votes were in favor, No One opposed, Approved.***

New Business:

1. Receiving And Opening Of Sealed Bids For Council Room-Brandon Woodward

- Mayor Craig stated that there was an issue with the bids and asks the board to table the opening of the bids.
- Shea Hooten made the motion to table the bid opening.
- Judy Carlilse seconded the motion.
- ***All votes were in favor, No One opposed, Approved.***

2. Requesting Approval And Acceptance Of Payment For 2026 Stipends For Police And Fire-Mayor Sam Craig

- A request for RDC to reimburse the General Fund for the proposed stipends of police officers and firefighters.
- There are 69 police officers and firefighters. A proposed \$3,000 stipend plus taxes is estimated not to exceed \$220,000. The stipend is to be paid to City employees in June and December of 2026 pending council approval.
- Ryan Griffith made the motion to approve the reimbursement of the 2026 Stipends for Police and Fire pending council approval not to exceed \$220,000.
- Kathy Blackburn seconded the motion.
- ***All votes were in favor, No One opposed, Approved.***

3. Request Approval And Acceptance Of Proposed Invoice And Payment For Experience Technology System -New Council Chamber Audio & Video-\$52,800-Brandon Woodward

- Equipment-\$32,200.
- Labor-\$20,680.
- Brandon Woodward requested RDC to accept the proposal from Experience Technology Systems for audio, video and security equipment and installation for the new council chambers and City Hall.
- Judy Carlisle made the motion to approve the proposal as presented.
- Kathy Blackburn seconded the motion.
- ***All votes were in favor, No One opposed, Approved.***

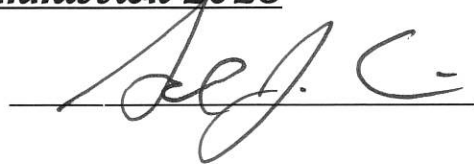
5. Discussion-None

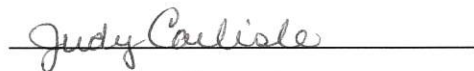
6. Adjourn

- Shea Hooten made the motion to adjourn,
- Judy Carlisle seconded the motion,
- **All votes were in favor, No One opposed, Meeting Adjourned, Passed**

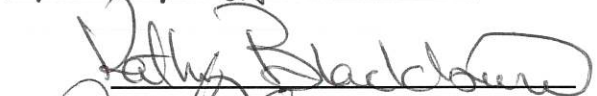
The Redevelopment Commission 2025

- Samuel J. Craig, Mayor
- Craig Turpen, President
- Judy Carlisle, Vice-President
- Shea Hooten, Secretary
- Kathy Blackburn, Member
- Ryan Griffith, Member











Attest:

Secretary, Redevelopment Commission 

