

**MARTINSVILLE COMMON COUNCIL
MARTINSVILLE INDIANA
MORGAN COUNTY, INDIANA
MONDAY, MARCH 24, 2025**

CALL TO ORDE, INVOCATION, AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Mayor Costin called the Martinsville Common Council meeting to order on Monday, March 24, 2025. Pastor Nathan Crowe led the prayer for those in attendance. Mayor Costin then led the attendees in the Pledge of Allegiance.

ROLL CALL

Kenny Costin, Mayor - Present
Phil Deckard Sr, District 1 - Present
Ben Mahan, District 2 - Absent
Josh Ferran District 3 - Present
Suzie Lipps, District 4 - Absent
Phil Deckard II, District 5 - Present
Ann Miller, Councilwoman-at-Large - Absent
John Badger XIV, Councilman-at-Large - Present
Dale Coffey, Attorney - Present
Ben Merida, Clerk Treasurer - Present

A quorum was declared present.

MINUTES

Mayor Costin presented the minutes of the March 10, 2025, meeting to the Council. A motion to approve the minutes as presented was made by Councilman John Badger. Councilman Josh Ferran seconded the motion. The minutes were approved 4-0.

NEW BUSINESS

Ordinance 2025-1898 – Amendment to Chapter 94 – Zoning and Subdivisions – Article XVI –
City Attorney Dale Coffey presented the ordinance to the council for their consideration. A motion to approve the ordinance as presented was made by Councilman Phil Deckard II. Councilman John Badger seconded the motion. The motion passed 4-0.

CLAIMS

A motion to approve the claim dockets as presented was made by Councilman Phil Deckard II. Councilman John Badger seconded the motion. The claims were approved 4-0.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned by unanimous consent.

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Name		Signature
Phil R. Deckard II, Member, District 5, President Pro Tempore	Aye <input type="checkbox"/> Nay <input type="checkbox"/> Abstain <input type="checkbox"/>	
Phil R. Deckard Sr, Member, 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"/>	