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The Porter County Council will meet on Tuesday, April 27, 2021 at 5:30 p.m., in the County Administration Center, located at 155 Indiana Avenue - Room 205, Valparaiso, Indiana.

AGENDA

Pledge of Allegiance & Roll Call

Minutes

Approval of Regular Council Meeting March 30, 2021.

First Reading

Commissioners

LOIT Special Distribution Fund 1229-000-0000	Additional Reason	\$1,331,387.69 to 61000 Interfund Transfer To fund the Community Crossing Matching (CCM) Grant
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Highway – Supervisor Rich Sexton

Local Roads & Bridges (LRB) Matching Grant Fund 9400-000-0530	Additional Reason	\$1,331,387.69 to 23620 Bituminous To fund the Community Crossing Matching (CCM) Grant
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Parks and Recreation – Superintendent Walter Lenckos and Park Board President Craig Kenworthy

Parks Operating Fund 1179-000-0803	Additional Reason	\$1,971 to 45400 Other Equipment Replacement of playground equipment that was damaged last year this amount not covered by insurance.
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15.944 Park - Natural Resource Stewardship Grant Fund 8164-000-0803	Additional Reason	\$10,371.96 to 43300 Landscape/Botanical Restoration Site preparation, seed purchase and seeding for pollinator habitat restoration project.
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Development & Storm Water Management - Director Robert Thompson

Storm Water Fund 1182-000-0079	Additional Reason	\$750,000 to 39500 Contractual Services To Continue with storm water projects: Shorewood Forest \$200,000; Ludington Ditch \$200,000; Saddlebrooke Subdivision \$150,000; Direct payment to Kankakee River Basin & Yellow River Basin Development Commission \$200,000.
	Transfer Reason	\$50,000 from 23610 Culverts to 23600 Aggregates To pay for general repairs for County's storm water infrastructures.
Plan Commission Fund 1180-000-0079	Form 144 Reason	up to \$30 per hour Part-time Inspector Change from \$18 to \$30 per hour for Part-time Inspector
Cumulative Bridge Fund 1135-000-0079	Additional Reason	\$20,000 to 11200 Hourly \$1,600 to 12100 FICA Hourly Pay and FICA for summer interns.
	Form 144 Reason	up to \$15 per hour Hourly (Summer Interns) Additional for Summer Interns \$0 to \$15 per hour

Porter County Sheriff, Jail & Federal DOC Prisoners - Sheriff David Reynolds

Sheriff

Sheriff Donations Fund 4108-000-0005	Additional Reason	\$13,000 to 45400 Other Equipment To cover the cost of the 2 smart boards for the Therapeutic Communities program for educational tools. This is a donation from the Porter County Substance Abuse Council.
Sheriff Overweight Vehicles Fund 4201-000-0005	Additional Reason	\$30,570 to 45400 Other Equipment To cover the cost of new Wheel Load Weighing Devices for the patrol officer's vehicles.

Jail

Public Safety Data Tech Fund 4907-000-0380	Additional Reason	\$58,500 to 37100 Equipment Rentals To cover the cost of the 4 th installment for the body cameras for patrol officers.
Adult Community Corrections Fund 9162-000-0380	Reduction Reason	(-\$20,534.88) to 12200 Medical/Life Insurance Reduction due to grant fund not providing the full amount that was requested.

ITS – Director Eric Serrano

ITS General Fund
1000-000-0106

Transfer	\$320 from 45400 Other Equipment to 39400 County Memberships
Reason	Indiana Government Technology Leaders Association (IGTLA) moved to Government Management Information Services (GMIS) which caused the membership fees to increase.

Council

Council General Fund
1000-000-0061

Additional Reason	\$50,000 to 39500 Contractual Services Consulting Services for Baker Tilly (Municipal Advisory Firm).
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Second Reading

Attorney’s Report

Any other matter that may come properly before the Council

Meeting Adjourned