

MINUTES OF THE
SPECIAL MEETING
OF THE
ST. JOSEPH COUNTY COUNCIL
September 24, 2013

The special meeting of the St. Joseph County Council was called to order at 5:00 p.m., on September 24, 2013, by the President, Rafael Morton, in the Council Meeting Room, fourth floor, County-City Building, South Bend, Indiana.

Members in attendance were:

Mr. Mark Catanzarite
Mr. James O'Brien
Mr. Michael J. Hamann
Mr. Daniel G. Herbster
Mrs. Diana Hess
Mr. Robert J. McCahill
Mr. Rafael Morton
Mr. Corey D. Noland
Mr. Mark Root

Present from the Auditor's office was Mr. Peter H. Mullen, Auditor and Ms. Teresa Shuter, Chief Deputy Auditor. Council staff present was Ms. Jennifer M. Prawat, Executive Secretary. Mr. Catanzarite was not present.

Petitions and Communications:

Mr. Morton: Pursuant to I.C. 6-1.1-17-3.5; (09), the St. Joseph County Council shall review any proposed or estimated tax rate or tax levy or proposed budget filed by a civil taxing unit with the county fiscal body under this section; and issue a nonbinding recommendation to a civil taxing unit regarding the civil taxing unit's proposed or estimated tax rate or tax levy or proposed budget.

Non Binding Recommendation Vote

Townships

Centre Township	Liberty Township	Penn Township
Clay Township	Lincoln Township	Portage Township
German Township	Madison Township	Union Township
Greene Township	Olive Township	Warren Township

Cities/Towns

South Bend Civil City	Lakeville Civil City	Osceola Civil City
Mishawaka Civil City	New Carlisle Civil City	Roseland Civil City
Indian Village Civil City	North Liberty Civil City	Walkerton Civil City

School Corporations

John Glen School Corp.	Mishawaka School Corp.
Penn-Harris-Madison School Corp.	South Bend Community School Corp.

Libraries

Mishawaka Public Library
New Carlisle Public Library
St. Joseph County Public Library

A motion was made by Mr. Hamann and was seconded by Mr. McCahill to approve the above non binding reviews. The motion was passed by a voice vote of 8;0. No negatives were heard.

Mr. Morton asked if there were any questions.

As moved and seconded, to pass the Non Binding Recommendations by a vote; 8-0.

Motion to adjourn was heard at 5:10 p.m.

Auditor, St. Joseph County

President, St. Joseph County Council