



# TOWN OF LOWELL

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## LOWELL TOWN COUNCIL

### AGENDA

Monday, August 25, 2025

WORK SESSION – 5:30 pm

EXECUTIVE SESSION 6:00 pm

REGULAR MEETING – 7:00 pm

I. CALL TO ORDER – 7:00 pm

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE/MOMENT OF SILENCE

III. ROLL CALL – Michael Gruszka, Todd Angerman, John Alessia, Shane Tucker, John Yelkich

IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES – August 11, 2025 – Work Session and Regular Meeting

V. APPROVAL OF TREASURER’S REPORT – July 2025

VI. APPROVAL OF VOUCHERS

White	#13960 – 14022	\$ 995,164.26
White – Police	# 1505 – 1512	\$ 886.91
Wastewater	# 8189 – 8223	\$ 449,432.46
Stormwater Utility	# 6562 – 6568	\$ 17,454.09

VII. PETITIONS, COMMUNICATIONS, REMONSTRANCES, PROCLAMATIONS

VIII. ORDINANCES & RESOLUTIONS

1. Resolution No. 2025-06 – A Resolution articulating the “Sense of the Town Council” vehemently opposing the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission’s approval of NIPSCO’s increase to residential electrical rates of approximately sixteen and three quarters percent (16.75%). Cause No. 45160

2. Resolution No. 2025-07 – Appropriation Transfers

XI. NEW BUSINESS

1. Approval of Grimmer Construction, Inc, PR#3 – WWTP EQ Basin, voucher #8222 - \$283,482.00
2. Approval of R&R Sewer, Inc, PR#6 – West Side Sewer Extension, white voucher #14022 - \$548,476.25 and wastewater voucher # - \$71,052.70 for a total of \$619,528.95
3. Approval of R&R Sewer Change Order #2
4. Award McConnell Pond Reconstruction Project
5. Authorization to proceed with cleaning and/or repairs to aerators and chemical feed tank at Wastewater Treatment Plant
6. Approval of Town Pub Special Event Permits
7. Approval of Baird Engagement Letter – Underwriting and placement agent for the Maintenance Facility Project Bonds and Training Facility Bonds

XII. ANNOUNCEMENTS

Next regular meeting – Monday, September 8, 2025, at 7:00 pm

XIII. MEDIA QUESTIONS/PUBLIC COMMENTS

Public Comment is limited to three minutes per person. Please keep your comments directed to the Town Council, respectful and constructive to public policy issues. The Chair, at its sole discretion, may recognize individuals wishing to speak on different topics at any time and may end the Public Comment session. All speakers will be timed by the Clerk-Treasurer. This portion of the meeting shall not exceed 20 minutes. Public Comments may be submitted electronically. If you have a question or comment about an item on the agenda, you may email the question or comment to the Clerk-Treasurer at [Clerktreasurer@lowell.net](mailto:Clerktreasurer@lowell.net). The Clerk-Treasurer will ensure that all submissions are shared with the elected officials of the Town and that the submission is entered into the minutes of the meeting.

XIV. ADJOURNMENT

Join Lowell Town Council Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5335310327?pwd=b3ZnQnV3UGtvOTltQkpKRURNQWVrQT09&omn=88177716701>

Meeting ID: 533 531 0327

Passcode: 000000

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**Lowell Town Council Members**

Todd Angerman, *Council President*: Ward 2 1/1/2023-12/31/2026  
Mike Gruszka *Council Vice-President*: Ward 1 1/1/2024-12/31/2027  
John Alessia: Ward 3 1/1/2024-12/31/2027  
Shane Tucker: Ward 4 1/1/2023 -12/31/2026  
John Yelkich: Ward 5 1/1/2024-12/31/2027

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