

August 4, 2017

COUNTY COUNCIL AGENDA

August 8, 2017

6:00 pm

County Council Chambers, 440 Third St, Columbus, IN 47201

Opening of Meeting - President Laura DeDomenic

Invocation and Pledge

Request for Additional Appropriation/Transfer of Funds

County General/OEM (001-18) Shannan Hinton, Director	\$1,869.54
Telecommunications Fund (530)	\$200,000.00
CEDIT Fund (590) Commissioner's	\$1,300,000.00

Request for 2017 Salary Ordinance Amendment

Brad Barnes, Court Services Director/CPO

Consideration of 2018 Budget Review Schedule

***Non-Binding Review of Estimated Levy Limits and Estimated Circuit Breaker Impacts of the Taxing Units per IC 6-1.1-17-3.6 (a)**

Miscellaneous

County Governmental Office Building
Is Wheelchair Accessible
Please call 812-379-1510 for additional accommodations

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***Non-Binding Review (County Fiscal Body Recommendations) – Starts in 2016**

SEA 321-2016 repeals IC 6-1.1-17-3.5 and thus eliminates the current county council review process. SEA 321-2016 adds IC 6-1.1-17-3.6 to establish a new process for county fiscal body reviews and non-binding recommendations.

Specifically, at the county fiscal body's first meeting in August, the county fiscal body will review estimated levy limits and estimated circuit breaker impacts provided by the Department to the political subdivisions in the county. The county fiscal body may request that representatives from the taxing units attend the meeting, and must allow those who do attend to comment on their proposed budgets, levies, and rates for the ensuing year. Finally, the county fiscal body may issue a written recommendation for taxing units in the county. If the county fiscal body does not issue a recommendation, the auditor must distribute a copy of the minutes from the meeting to the county's taxing units once the minutes are approved. **This change is effective July 1, 2016, and thus impacts budget adoption in 2016 for Pay 2017.**