SPECIAL MEETING OF THE TERRE HAUTE CITY COUNCIL 5:30 PM, TUESDAY, JANUARY 26, 2016 <u>CITY HALL COURTROOM</u> <u>AGENDA</u>

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- 1. Welcome and Roll Call
- 2. Public Comment
 - a. Elaine Lee commented about her concerns on City finances, new fees, sewage billing and if the Council and administration has reduced expenditures as much as possible.
 - b. Jack Meany commented on the need for a Food and Beverage tax. Mr. Meany also commented on future trash fees and LOIT taxes.
 - c. Mayor Duke Bennett responded to Ms. Lee's comments and Mr. Meany's comments. Mayor Bennett also commented on a proposed solid waste fee and storm water fee.
 - d. John Kite commented on new fees placing burden on poor citizens. Mr. Kite also commented the additional burden of fees should be placed on business owners and the wealthy.
- 3. Setting Cash Balance Targets and Related Timelines
- 4. Reducing Expenses vs. Increasing Revenues
 - a. Reducing Expenses: The Process
 - b. Increasing Revenues: The Process
- 5. Public Comment
 - a. Jake Chalos with Fire Department Union commented on the proposed solid waste fee and LOIT public safety fee. Mr. Chalos also commented on the Fire Department's overtime, ISU, Rose Hulman and Union Hospital's use of Fire Department.
 - b. Jack Meany urged everyone to contact their legislators about the Food and Beverage tax. Mr. Meany also commented that additional expenditure reductions should be found.
- 6. What's Next
- 7. Adjournment

Charles P. Hanley, City Clerk

ATTENDANCE		
	Present	Absent
Auler	Х	
Azar		Х
Crossen	Х	
DeBaun	Х	
Elliot (arrived 6:25)	Х	
Garrison	Х	
Morris		Х
Nasser	Х	
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