



**City of Bloomington
City Council
Special Meeting
August 17, 2026
AMENDED**



Components of the City Council Agenda

Recognition and Proclamation

This portion of the meeting recognizes individuals, groups, or institutions publicly, as well as those receiving a proclamation, or declaring a day or event.

Public Hearing

Items that require receiving public testimony will be placed on the agenda and noticed as a Public Hearing. Individuals have an opportunity to provide public testimony on those items that impact the community and/or residents.

Public Comment

Each City Council meeting shall have a public comment period not to exceed 30 minutes. Every speaker is allotted up to 3 minutes to speak. Individuals wishing to email public comment or speak remotely must email comments and/or register online at least 15 minutes before the start of the meeting. Individuals wishing to speak in-person must register up to 5 minutes before the start of the meeting. Speakers will be selected at random.

Public comment is a time to provide feedback. City Council does not respond to public comment. Speakers who engage in threatening or disorderly behavior will have their time ceased.

Consent Agenda

All items under the Consent Agenda are considered to be routine in nature and will be enacted by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a City Council Member, City Manager, or Corporation Counsel so requests; in which event, the item will be removed from the Consent Agenda and considered in the Regular Agenda.

The City's Boards and Commissions hold Public Hearings prior to some City Council agenda items appearing on the City Council's Meeting Agenda. Persons who wish to address the City Council should provide new information that is pertinent to the issue before them.

Regular Agenda

All items that provide the City Council an opportunity to receive a presentation, ask questions of City Staff, seek additional information, or deliberate prior to making a decision will be placed on the Regular Agenda.

Mayor and Council

Mayor - Dan Brady

City Council Members

Ward 1 - Jenna Kearns
Ward 2 - Micheal Mosley
Ward 3 - Sheila Montney
Ward 4 - John Danenberger
Ward 5 - Michael Straza
Ward 6 - Cody Hendricks
Ward 7 - Mollie Ward
Ward 8 - Kent Lee
Ward 9 - Abby Scott

City Manager - Jeff Jurgens

Sr. Deputy City Manager - Billy Tyus

Deputy City Manager - Sue McLaughlin

City Logo Design Rationale

The **CHEVRON** Represents:
Service, Rank, and Authority
Growth and Diversity, A Friendly and
Safe Community A Positive, Upward
Movement and Commitment to Excellence!

Mission, Vision and Value Statement

Mission

To Lead, Serve and Uplift the City of
Bloomington

Vision

A Jewel of the Midwest Cities

Values

Service-Centered, Results-Driven, Inclusive

Strategic Priorities and Guiding Principles

The following strategic priorities will guide all policy direction, budgetary decisions, and organizational focus:

- Infrastructure
- Housing
- Public Safety
- Economic Vitality
- Core Government Functions

The following strategic priorities will guide all policy direction, budgetary decisions, and organizational focus:

- Fiscal Discipline
- Quality of Life
- Community Engagement



City Council - Special Meeting Agenda - AMENDED
Government Center Boardroom, 4th Floor, Room #400
115 E. Washington Street, Bloomington, IL 61701
Monday, August 17, 2026 - 6:00 PM

1. Call to Order

2. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag

3. Remain Standing for a Moment of Silent Prayer and/or Reflection

4. Roll Call

5. Public Comment

Individuals wishing to provide emailed public comment must email comments to publiccomment@cityblm.org at least 15 minutes before the start of the meeting. Individuals wishing to speak in-person or remotely may register at www.cityblm.org/register at least 5 minutes before the start of the meeting for in-person public comment and at least 15 minutes before the start of the meeting for remote public comment.

6. Consent Agenda

Items listed on the Consent Agenda are approved with one motion; Items pulled by City Council from the Consent Agenda for discussion are listed and voted on separately.

- A. Consideration and Action to Approve the Minutes of the July 20, 2026, Regular Committee of the Whole Meeting, as requested by the City Clerk Department.** (Recommended Motion: The proposed Minutes be approved.)

7. Regular Agenda

- A. Update on Recent Storm Damage and Consideration and Action on (1) a Resolution Approving the Extension of a Declaration of Continued Local Disaster Emergency (Wind Event); and (2) a Resolution Approving the Extension of a Declaration of Continued Local Disaster Emergency (Flood Event), as requested by the City Council Department.** (Recommended Motion: The proposed Resolutions be approved.) (Presentation by Jeff Jurgens, City Manager, 15 minutes; and City Council Discussion, 15 minutes.)
- B. Presentation on the Pavement Programs Five-Year Plan 2028-2032, as requested by the Engineering Department.** (Recommended Motion: None; Presentation Only.) (Presentation by Jim Karch, Engineering Director, 10 minutes; and City Council Discussion, 10 minutes.)
- C. Presentation Providing an Update on Construction, as requested by the Engineering Department.** (Recommended Motion: None; Presentation Only.) (Presentation by Jim Karch, Engineering Director, 10 minutes; and City Council Discussion, 10 minutes.)

8. City Manager's Discussion

9. Council Member Discussion

10. Mayor's Discussion

11. Executive Session

- A. **The City Council will enter into Executive Session per Sections 2(c)(1) Personnel and 2(c)(11) Litigation of 5 ILCS 120. The City Council may also go into Executive Session as needed and allowed by law (5 ILCS 120/2) for additional reasons., as requested by the City Clerk Department. (Recommended Motion: N/A)**

12. Adjournment

Individuals with disabilities planning to attend the meeting who require reasonable accommodations to observe and/or participate, or who have questions about the accessibility of the meeting, should contact the City's ADA Coordinator at 309-434-2468 or mhurt@cityblm.org.



Consent Agenda Item No. 6.A.

For City Council: August 17, 2026

Ward Impacted:

City Wide

Subject: Consideration and Action to Approve the Minutes of the July 20, 2026, Regular Committee of the Whole Meeting, as requested by the City Clerk Department.

Recommended Motion: The proposed Minutes be approved.

Strategic Priorities:

Core Government Function. This item fulfills a statutory, regulatory, fiduciary, or essential operational responsibility necessary to maintain continuity of municipal services and sound governance.

Background: The minutes of the meetings provided have been reviewed and certified as correct and complete by the City Clerk. In compliance with the Open Meetings Act, minutes must be approved 30 days after the meeting or at the second subsequent regular meeting whichever is later. In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, minutes are available for public inspection and posted to the City's website within 10 days after approval.

Community Groups/Interested Persons Contacted: N/A

Community Engagement:

N/A

Financial Impact: N/A

Fiscal Discipline:

N/A

Attachments:

1. DRAFT 07-20-2026 COW Minutes



**Minutes
Committee of the Whole - Regular Session Meeting
Monday, July 20, 2026 - 6:00 PM**

The Committee of the Whole convened in regular session in the Government Center Boardroom. Mayor Dan Brady called the meeting to order and led the Pledge of Allegiance, ending with a moment of silent prayer/reflection.

Roll Call

Present: Council Member Jenna Kearns
Council Member Micheal Mosley
Council Member Sheila Montney
Council Member John Danenberger, Remote
Council Member Michael Straza
Council Member Cody Hendricks
Council Member Mollie Ward
Council Member Kent Lee
Council Member Abby Scott
Mayor Dan Brady

Public Comment

Mayor Brady read a public comment statement of procedure. The following emailed public comments: (1) Elliot Butler; (2) Jaricka Link; (3) Toni and Dan Wudtke; (4) Lauren Helle; and (5) Mary Ellen Schmidt. Donna Boelen and Gary Stevens spoke in person.

Consent Agenda

Council Member Hendricks made a motion, seconded by Council Member Scott, to approve the Consent Agenda, as presented.

Item 6.A. Consideration and Action to Approve the Minutes of the June 15, 2026, Regular Committee of the Whole Meeting, as requested by the City Clerk Department. (Recommended Motion: The proposed Minutes be approved.)

Mayor Brady directed the Clerk to call roll:

Ayes: Kearns, Mosley, Montney, Straza, Hendricks, Ward, Lee, Scott

Motion Carried.

Council Member Danenberger joined the meeting remotely at 6:09 PM. He was on vacation and therefore could listen, but was not approved to vote.

Regular Agenda

Item 7.A. Update and Discussion on Behavioral Health Initiative Questions, as requested by the Administration Department.

Mayor Brady recapped the Item's history and Council Member Scott's request for an update on the Behavioral Health Coordinating Council ("BHCC"). He noted that Behavioral Health Initiative questions were provided to Council in June.

Council Member Montney provided background on the 2016 Intergovernmental Revenue Sharing Agreement ("IGA"). She explained that the City, the Town of Normal ("Town"), and McLean County ("County") each dedicated a portion of local sales tax revenue to address mental health needs that drove justice system involvement. She explained how she believed the IGA lacked clear operational details and success measures. She outlined the evolution and distinct roles of the BHCC, the Criminal Justice Coordinating Council ("CJCC"), and the Mental Health and Public Safety Funding Advisory Committee ("FAC"). She emphasized that the BHCC had developed priorities while the FAC served in an advisory funding role, with final decisions remaining with the County Board. She then noted that accumulated funds and process concerns led to a "pause" in funding discussions and to a jointly supported, third-party audit of roughly \$45 million in transfers since 2016. She shared that the audit had been initiated, but not yet completed. Council Member Montney then discussed her attendance record at meetings and proposed a succession plan for BHCC and FAC representation when she was unable to attend meetings.

Council Member Straza made a motion, seconded by Council Member Lee, to extend Council Discussion by 5 minutes.

Mayor Brady directed the Clerk to call roll:

Ayes: Kearns, Mosley, Montney, Straza, Hendricks, Ward, Lee, Scott

Abstain: Danenberger

Motion Carried.

Council Member Montney stressed that her role on the BHCC was to ensure recommendations aligned with the IGA and the Behavioral Health Action Plan, not to design or promote specific provider programs.

Council Member Mosley, as the City's CJCC representative, reported that, to his knowledge, the CJCC did not receive shared sales tax ("SST") dollars. He noted that its current projects (such as a youth gun violence survey conducted with Illinois State University and Bloomington High School) were operating without SST funding. He stated that while there was some coordination between BHCC, FAC, and CJCC, he had not been involved in those discussions.

Council Member Montney then described her outreach efforts on potential items between the BHCC, FAC, and the City's Commission for Safe Communities. She read and addressed additional written questions she received from Council Members regarding a detailed analysis of the effectiveness and funding levels of behavioral health activities from 2016 – 2025, as well as the plan for the \$19 million in fund balance. She expected the pending audit to provide clarity on the analysis and deferred to staff for the fund balance plan.

Council Member Scott supported a designated substitute for BHCC/FAC meetings and clarified that her concern was ensuring consistent representation. She explained that she wanted Council Member Montney to share information about current and potential programs so Council and partners could proactively pursue opportunities, citing recent outreach to the Safe Communities Commission and YWCA (Young Women's Christian Association) as an example. She discussed the importance of the City's representatives sharing information regarding positions they hold rather than Council having to find information through informal channels. She preferred a more proactive participation approach to assist Council in acting as advocates for programs.

Council Member Montney reiterated that her role was to listen and determine if programs fit within the IGA structure.

Council Members Ward and Montney then discussed former processes and the potential for making recommendations to the FAC.

Council Member Ward made a motion, seconded by Council Member Kearns, to extend Council Discussion by 30 minutes.

Mayor Brady directed the Clerk to call roll:

Ayes: Kearns, Mosley, Montney, Straza, Hendricks, Ward, Lee, Scott

Abstain: Danenberger

Motion Carried.

Council Member Montney informed Council that prior FAC meeting minutes were available on the County's website. She described her expected role going forward as reviewing whatever recommendations County staff brought to FAC to verify that they met the 2016 IGA's funding criteria, aligned with the Behavioral Health Action Plan, and acting within that context.

Council Member Kearns suggested a semi-regular update by Council Member Montney regarding things she could share from the BHCC. Council Members Kearns and Montney discussed potential options.

Council Member Mosley noted that he would be willing to provide CJCC updates as well.

Council Member Ward asked about the amount of funds paused, what would happen to them, and whether any formal monitoring and evaluation existed for BHCC spending outside of an audit. City Manager Jurgens stated that about \$838,000 in payments had been paused, that the paused funds remained set aside under Council control, and the total fund balance was about \$19.4 million as of June 30th. He further explained that the City was not currently conducting formal monitoring and evaluation of program outcomes, that the audit would only provide a historical spending review, and that staff had requested stronger reporting and metrics provisions from the County in the IGA. Council Member Ward then asked for clarification whether the audit would evaluate how money was spent over the last decade, and wanted to know the measures put in place to monitor and evaluate ongoing spending. Council Member Montney reiterated she was unable to discern governance processes.

Point of Order made by Council Member Ward, acknowledged by Mayor Brady, who determined Council Member Ward's question was answered and she could ask an additional question after Council Member Mosley.

Council Member Mosley asked if the previous BHCC representative, who was present in the crowd, could answer Council Member Ward's question. Mayor Brady stated Council could consider setting aside the rules later.

Council Member Ward confirmed with Council Member Montney that per bylaws, the BHCC met quarterly and the FAC met annually, and that additional meetings could be held for both as needed. They then discussed how both groups interacted and how McLean County was responsible for communicating information about the Emergent Needs Funding process.

Council Member Ward made a motion, seconded by Council Member Mosley, to suspend the rules to allow a member of the public to speak.

Council Member Lee confirmed with Angela Fyans-Jimenez, Assistant Corporation Counsel, that Council was able to suspend the rules in this way. Mrs. Fyans-Jimenez stated that, while abnormal, Council had the right to suspend the rules to allow a member of the public to speak for three minutes on the specific topic.

Mayor Brady directed the Clerk to call roll:

Ayes: Kearns, Mosley, Montney, Straza, Hendricks, Ward, Lee, Scott

Abstain: Danenberger

Motion Carried.

Mayor Brady asked Donna Boelen, former Ward 3 Alderman and then Council BHCC Representative, to address the Council on the question for up to three minutes.

Mrs. Boelen explained that it took some time to hire a Grant Processor, the individual who processes the money distributed to the providers, but that she had been responsible from Council's perspective as their representative monitoring the return on investment or whether the program was successful. She explained that the BHCC was like the City's John M. Scott or Community Development Block Grant ("CDBG") programs. She further explained that the BHCC would publish Request for Proposals listing priorities, and then submissions were evaluated by the FAC.

Council Member Ward asked about who made up the FAC. Mrs. Boelen believed it was comprised of community members. Council Member Ward asked staff to confirm.

Council Member Scott expressed concern that a significant amount in behavioral health funding remained unspent and urged for a more proactive approach to putting funds into community programs. She clarified that she was not asking Council Member Montney to defend the County, but to actively share opportunities and engage partners. Council Member Montney responded that the 2016 IGA had a number of restrictions for use of funds and that some of the balance had been described by County officials as 'reserved for larger capital projects.' She added that, given ongoing disagreements among the City, the Town, and the County over use of the funds, the County was best positioned to explain decisions.

Council Member Danenberger appreciated Council allowing Mrs. Boelen to provide additional context.

Item 7.B. Discussion and Direction on the Regulation of Vape Vending Machines, as requested by the Mayor.

City Clerk Yocum reported that several vape vendors and local establishments had inquired about placing vape vending machines in establishments. She informed Council that vape vending machines were currently permissible under State law, but not specifically regulated in the City Code, and because of that, staff relied on State statute for regulation. She explained that under State law, such machines were not allowed to be in areas accessible to people under 21 and when placed in liquor establishments were also required to be under the direct supervision of an owner or manager. She identified taverns, restricted liquor areas in grocery stores, and gaming rooms in restaurants as likely allowable locations within the City. She concluded by asking Council to provide direction on their position on vape vending and whether they would like to regulate it further.

Mayor Brady noted next step options and asked Council to weigh in.

Council Member Lee confirmed with City Clerk Yocum that the City had about 75 tobacco licenses and that there was no limit to the number of licenses allowed.

Council Member Scott asked what “under the direct supervision of the owner or manager” meant in practice for vape vending machines. City Clerk Yocum replied that State statute did not define it further and that currently it was left largely to the establishment. She added that Council could decide to add location requirements should it desire to do so. Council Member Scott supported at least some clarification in local Code.

Council Member Straza requested more clarification on access and supported limiting access as much as possible.

Council Member Hendricks asked whether other communities regulate or prohibit vape vending machines. City Clerk Yocum reported that some municipalities prohibit machines while others restrict their placement. The two discussed how placement restrictions often required machines to be located behind a bar or counter, similar to how tobacco products were handled in grocery stores.

Council offered support for placing the machines behind a bar or counter to ensure control.

Mayor Brady supported the behind-the-bar approach and asked staff to draft language for Council.

City Manager's Discussion

City Manager Jeff Jurgens reported that Illinois State University’s new School of Engineering facility in Bloomington was nearly complete and would open to about 300 students on August 17. He highlighted progress in the 400 block of the Downtown Streetscape Project and noted that crews had uncovered old trolley rails during the work. He closed by inviting the community to the upcoming Light the Ring event Downtown.

Executive Session

Item 9.A. None planned; although the City Council may go into Executive Session as needed and allowed by law (5 ILCS 120/2).

No Executive Session was held.

Adjournment

Council Member Hendricks made a motion, seconded by Council Member Mosley, to adjourn the meeting.

Mayor Brady directed the Clerk to call roll:

Ayes: Kearns, Mosley, Montney, Straza, Hendricks, Ward, Lee, Scott

Motion Carried (viva voce).

The meeting adjourned at 7:39 PM.

CITY OF BLOOMINGTON

ATTEST

Dan Brady, Mayor

Amanda Stutsman, Deputy City Clerk



Regular Agenda Item No. 7.A.

For City Council: August 17, 2026

Ward Impacted:

City Wide

Subject: Update on Recent Storm Damage and Consideration and Action on (1) a Resolution Approving the Extension of a Declaration of Continued Local Disaster Emergency (Wind Event); and (2) a Resolution Approving the Extension of a Declaration of Continued Local Disaster Emergency (Flood Event), as requested by the City Council Department.

Recommended Motion: The proposed Resolutions be approved.

Strategic Priorities:

Goal 4. Strong Neighborhoods

Objective 4a. Residents feeling safe in their homes and neighborhoods

Objective 4e. Strong partnership with residents and neighborhood associations

Goal 5. Great Place - Livable, Sustainable City

Objective 5a. Well-planned City with necessary services and infrastructure

Background: On August 13, 2026, the City of Bloomington was impacted by a severe storm with winds reaching up to 60 miles per hour, resulting in significant damage across the community. Hundreds of trees were downed, widespread power outages occurred, and multiple properties sustained structural damage. In response, a Local Disaster Emergency was declared by Mayor Dan Brady on August 13, 2026, and Mayor Brady extended the Declaration for an additional 48 hours on August 15, 2026, pursuant to Section 11 of the Illinois Emergency Management Agency Act and § 12-111 of the City Code.

On August 15, 2026, the City of Bloomington was impacted by a severe storm with some areas experiencing over 6.7 inches of rain in a 12-hour period resulting in extreme flooding and significant damage across the community. In response, a Local Disaster Emergency was declared by Mayor Dan Brady on August 15, 2026, pursuant to Section 11 of the Illinois Emergency Management Agency Act and § 12-111 of the City Code.

Given the widespread and severe nature of the damage, cleanup, and recovery efforts are expected to continue for several months. The McLean County Emergency Management Agency has recommended, and City staff concur, that the Local Disaster Emergency Declarations each be extended for an additional 30 days to support continued response and recovery operations. Council approval is required for each of the 30-day extensions.

In addition to consideration of the Emergency Declarations, City staff will also give a brief update on recovery and cleanup efforts.

Community Groups/Interested Persons Contacted: McLean County

Community Engagement:

N/A

Financial Impact: N/A

Fiscal Discipline:

N/A

Attachments:

1. Resolution - Wind Event
2. Resolution - Flooding Event

RESOLUTION NO. 2026 - ____

**A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE EXTENSION OF
DECLARATION OF CONTINUED LOCAL DISASTER EMERGENCY**

WHEREAS, on or about August 13, 2026, a severe storm caused significant damage within the City of Bloomington, including downed trees, widespread power outages, and structural damage to multiple properties; and

WHEREAS, these conditions posed a serious threat to public safety and welfare, requiring immediate action to protect life and property; and

WHEREAS, a Local Disaster Emergency was declared by City of Bloomington Mayor Dan Brady on August 13, 2026, and is anticipated to be extended for additional 48-hour periods on August 15th, pursuant to Section 11 of the Illinois Emergency Management Agency Act (20 ILCS 3305/1 et seq.) and § 12-111 of the City Code; and

WHEREAS, additional extensions of the duration of the Local Disaster Emergency is prohibited by the Illinois Emergency Management Agency Act (20 ILCS 3305) and the Bloomington City Code § 12-111 unless authorized by the City Council; and

WHEREAS, while substantial progress has been made in responding to this emergency, the circumstances giving rise to the Declaration remain, and the City continues its activities related to its emergency response and disaster relief efforts, and will continue to do so for the foreseeable future; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interests of the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of the City of Bloomington to authorize the Mayor to extend the Local Disaster Emergency until emergency response and disaster relief efforts resulting from the Disaster Event are complete; and

WHEREAS, City Staff recommend that the City Council approve this Resolution authorizing the Mayor to extend the Declaration of a Local Disaster Emergency until September 16, 2026, or until declared no longer necessary by either the Mayor or Council or, if necessary, further extended by the Council.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLOOMINGTON, MCLEAN COUNTY, ILLINOIS:

SECTION 1. The above recitals are incorporated herein by this reference as if specifically stated in full.

SECTION 2. The Mayor is authorized to execute the Declaration of Continued Local Disaster Emergency (attached hereto as **Exhibit A**) extending the period to September 16, 2026, or until a declaration that the emergency no longer exists.

SECTION 3. This Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and approval according to law.

PASSED this 17th day of August 2026.

APPROVED this ____ day of August 2026.

CITY OF BLOOMINGTON

Dan Brady, Mayor

ATTEST

Leslie Smith-Yocum, City Clerk

EXHIBIT A



DECLARATION OF CONTINUED LOCAL DISASTER EMERGENCY

I, Dan Brady, Mayor of the City of Bloomington, Illinois, pursuant to the approval of the Bloomington City Council, hereby declare, pursuant to that authority granted under the, the continued existence of a Local Disaster Emergency within the City of Bloomington due to the August 13, 2026, weather event.

This declaration continues the activation of the appropriate response and recovery components of all applicable local and inter-jurisdictional disaster emergency plans and authorizes the provision of aid and assistance as necessary.

This declaration shall remain in effect until September 16, 2026, unless terminated sooner by further proclamation. The City will provide prompt public notice of any subsequent actions.

I hereby direct that three copies of this proclamation be posted at the following locations within the City of Bloomington: City Hall, Bloomington Public Library, and the Post Office.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Bloomington to be affixed this August 17, 2026.

CITY OF BLOOMINGTON

Dan Brady, Mayor

RESOLUTION NO. 2026 - ____

**A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE EXTENSION OF
DECLARATION OF CONTINUED LOCAL DISASTER EMERGENCY**

WHEREAS, over the 24-hour period through midday Saturday, August 15, 2026, the City of Bloomington experienced a thunderstorm with torrential rainfall, with some areas experiencing over 6.7 inches of rain in a 12-hour period; and

WHEREAS, this Event occurred while the City was already working to recover from a significant storm on August 13, 2026, an event that produced 60-mile per hour winds, in hundreds of downed trees, widespread power outages, and structural damage to multiple properties: and

WHEREAS, this additional weather Event has further strained the City's resources and further threatens the safety and welfare of the residents of the City; and

WHEREAS, a Local Disaster Emergency was declared by City of Bloomington Mayor Dan Brady on August 15, 2026, and the Illinois Emergency Management Agency Act (20 ILCS 3305) and the Bloomington City Code § 12-111 limit the Mayor's authority to extend this declaration for more than two 48-hour periods; and

WHEREAS, while progress has been made in responding to this Event, the City continues its activities related to its emergency response and disaster relief efforts as a result of this Event, and will continue to do so for the foreseeable future; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interests of the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of the City of Bloomington to authorize the Mayor to extend the Local Disaster Emergency related to this rainfall event until emergency response and disaster relief efforts resulting from the event are complete; and

WHEREAS, City Staff recommend that the City Council approve this Resolution authorizing the Mayor to extend the Declaration of a Local Disaster Emergency until September 16, 2026, or until declared no longer necessary by either the Mayor or Council or, if necessary, further extended by the Council.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLOOMINGTON, MCLEAN COUNTY, ILLINOIS:

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SECTION 3. This Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and approval according to law.

PASSED this 17th day of August 2026.

APPROVED this ____ day of August 2026.

CITY OF BLOOMINGTON

Dan Brady, Mayor

ATTEST

Leslie Smith-Yocum, City Clerk

EXHIBIT A



**DECLARATION OF
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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Bloomington to be affixed this August 17, 2026.

CITY OF BLOOMINGTON

Dan Brady, Mayor



Regular Agenda Item No. 7.B.

For City Council: August 17, 2026

Ward Impacted:
City Wide

Subject: Presentation on the Pavement Programs Five-Year Plan 2028-2032, as requested by the Engineering Department.

Recommended Motion: None; Presentation Only.

Strategic Priorities:

Priority Area 1: Infrastructure. Improving and maintaining the City's infrastructure, including water, sewer, streets, sidewalks, and other physical assets. This priority includes identifying and prioritizing maintenance needs, defining service levels in line with City appropriations, understanding and communicating costs, reducing backlogged maintenance, and ensuring residents can rely on safe, functional infrastructure.

Background: The Engineering Department will present on the implementation of a public-facing Pavement Programs Five-Year Plan. The purpose of the presentation is to show the benefits of having a set and thought-out plan in place for multiple years rather than a yearly plan that limits coordination efforts and transparency with the public. The Engineering Department requests feedback from Council on the implementation of the Pavement Programs Five-Year Plan.

This plan will be implemented similar to how the Illinois Department of Transportation ("IDOT") releases their program out years. While IDOT has a ten-year plan for all projects statewide, the Engineering Department proposes releasing a five-year plan focusing on the Resurfacing and High-Pressure Slurry Seal Programs. Reclamite has not been included in the five-year plan as it will follow the route of the Resurfacing Program. This plan will show the current fiscal year programs, two confirmed fiscal year programs, and three out years that have no confirmed fiscal year. The Pavement Programs Five-Year Plan Map and Street List are attached.

Community Groups/Interested Persons Contacted: N/A

Community Engagement:

- Public notice and transparent communication provided
- Intergovernmental or partner coordination conducted, as applicable

Financial Impact: N/A

Fiscal Discipline:

- Alignment with adopted financial policies, reserves, and long-term financial plan confirmed

Attachments:

1. Pavement Programs Five-Year Plan Street List
2. Pavement Programs Five-Year Plan Map

Five Year Plan Street List			
FY2027			
Road Name	Starting Point	End Point	Ward
Resurfacing Program			
Eastland Dr	Fairway Dr/Regency Dr	Hershey Rd	4,5
Four Seasons Rd	Cul-De-Sac	Oakland Ave	1
Hershey Rd	Lamon Dr	Jumer Dr	5
St Joseph Dr	Washington St	Eastland Dr	4
HP Slurry Program			
Bainbridge Ln	Essington St	Rutherford Dr	2
Crooked Creek Rd	Carrington Ln	Fox Creek Rd	2
Emerald Crest Ct	Crooked Creek Rd	Cul-De-Sac	2
Essington St	Bainbridge Ln	Binghamton Ln	2
Fiddlestix Ct	Crooked Creek Rd	Cul-De-Sac	2
Flag Tree Ct	Crooked Creek Rd	Cul-De-Sac	2
Huff Way	Piney Run	Cul-De-Sac	2
Knollbrook Ct	Cul-De-Sac	Fox Creek Rd	2
Knollbrook Way	Fox Creek Rd	Turtleback Ct	2
Lauderhill Ln	Scarborough St	Essington St	2
Pebblebrook Ct	Cul-De-Sac	Cul-De-Sac	2
Piney Run	Carrington Ln	Fox Creek Rd	2
Piney Ct	Cul-De-Sac	Carrington Ln	2
Rutherford Ct	Bainbridge Ln	Cul-De-Sac	2
Rutherford Dr	Carrington Ln	Bainbridge Ln	2
Scarborough St	Carrington Ln	Binghamton Ln	2
Sunningdale Ln	Pebblebrook Ct	Knollbrook Ct	2
Turtleback Ct	Pebblebrook Ct	Cul-De-Sac	2
FY2028			
Road Name	Starting Point	End Point	Ward
Resurfacing Program			
Baker St	Roosevelt Ave	Madison St	1
Baker St	Wright St	Evans St	1
Berenz Pl	Stewart St	Lafayette St	1
Bissell St	Main St	East St	1
Bissell St	Clayton St	Bunn St	1
Buchanan St	Main St	Wright St	1
Bunn St	MacArthur Ave	Lafayette St	6
Evans St	Stewart St	Lincoln St	1
Hershey Rd	Washington St	North of Castleton Dr	3,5
Koch St	Stewart St	End	1
Lincoln St	Clayton St	Bunn St	1
Miller St	Main St	End	1,6
Oak St	Stewart St	End	1

Stewart St	Oak St	Madison St	1
Stewart St	Center St	Evans St	1
Van Schoick St	Lake Dr	Springfield Rd	1
Wilson St	Stewart St	Lafayette St	1
Wood St	Main St	Gridley St	6
Wright St	Stewart St	Wood St	1
HP Slurry Program			
Aberdeen Way	Mill Creek Rd	Mill Creek Rd	5
Anchor Dr	Ridgeport Ave	Rainbow Ave	5
Arrowhead Dr	Glenwood Rd	Hershey Rd	5
Cheviot Ct	Cul-De-Sac	Mill Creek Rd	5
Dahlia Ln	Start	Tearose Ln	3
Dallas St	Clearwater Ave	Siesta Ct	5
Gina Dr	Janet Dr	Norma Dr	3
Grape Vine Ln	Windham Hill Rd	Cul-De-Sac	3
Helen Dr	Jolene Dr	Norma Dr	3
Janet Dr	Pamela Dr	Gina Dr	3
Jolene Dr	Gina Dr	Helen Dr	3
Kapok Dr	Siesta Ct	Aberdeen Way	5
Mill Creek Rd	Clearwater Ave	Rainbow Ave	5
Pamela Dr	Janet Dr	Ekstam Dr	3
Rainbow Ave	Hershey Rd	End	5,9
Ridgeport Ave	Clearwater Ave	Rainbow Ave	5
Tearose Ln	Wine Way	General Electric Rd	3
Whisper Way	Tearose Ln	Windham Hill Rd	3
Windham Hill Rd	Wine Way	General Electric Rd	3
Wine Way	Tearose Ln	3614 Wine Way	3
FY2029			
Road Name	Starting Point	End Point	Ward
Resurfacing Program			
Allin St	Front St	Market St	7
Blackstone St	Hinshaw Ave	Western Ave	7
Brad St	Truckers Ln	End	7
Brock Dr	Cul-De-Sac	Market St	7
Chestnut St	Hinshaw Ave	Morris Ave	7
Cottage Ave	Blackstone St	Graham St	7
Emerson St	Linden St	Sunset Rd	4
Empire St	Cottage Ave	Morris Ave	7
Front St	Western Ave	Lee St	6,7
Grove St	Euclid Ave	Lumber St	7
Hoyt St	End	Brock Dr	7
Jackson St	Mason St	Lee St	6
Jefferson St	Howard St	Lee St	6,7
Low St	Grove St	Front St	7
Lumber St	Start	Grove St/Trailside Ct	7

Market St	Hinshaw Ave	Western Ave	7
Market St	Morris Ave	Howard St	7
Market St	Roosevelt Ave	Madison St	6
Mason St	Jackson St	Washington St	6,7
Monroe St	Allin St	Madison St	6,7
Morris Ave	Mulberry St	Chestnut St	7
Mulberry St	Hinshaw Ave	Western Ave	7
Mulberry St	Allin St	Oak St	6,7
Oak St	Front St	Monroe St	6
Olive St	Lumber St	Morris Ave	6,7
Washington St	Allin St	Lee St	6,7
Western Ave	Market St	Seminary Ave	7
Western Ave	Washington St	Front St	6,7
HP Slurry Program			
Barker St	Miller St	End	1
Baywood Rd	Woodbine Rd	Towanda Barnes Rd	3
Berry Ln	Monticello Rd	Wisteria Ln	3
Beyer St	Woodbury Pl	End	1
Brennan Ln	Crimson Ln	Redbud Ln	3
Carney Ct	Longwood Ln	Cul-De-Sac	3
Cinnamon Ln	Rusty Ln	Wisteria Ln	3
Crimson Ln	Wisteria Ln	Rusty Ln	3
Currie Ct	Longwood Ln	Cul-De-Sac	3
Derby Way	Baywood Rd	Baywood Rd	3
Lavender Ln	raspberry Rd	Woodbine Rd	3
Leafy Ln	Crimson Ln	Redbud Ln	3
Milton Ln	Rusty Ln	Cul-De-Sac	3
Partner Pl	Miller St	End	7
Raspberry Rd	Cul-De-Sac	Lavender Ln	3
Redbud Ln	Trumpet Ln	Leafy Ln	3
Richwood Trl	Woodbury Pl	Woodbury Pl	1
Ridge Crest Dr	Airport Rd	3102 Ridge Crest Dr	9
Rusty Ln	Cul-De-Sac	Berry Ln	3
Strawberry Rd	Cul-De-Sac	Cul-De-Sac	3
Silverberry Ct	Cul-De-Sac	Cinnamon Ln	3
Trumpet Ln	Crimson Ln	Redbud Ln	3
Weaver Ct	Longwood Ln	Cul-De-Sac	3
Woodbury Pl	Richwood Trl	Miller St	1
FY2030-2032			
Road Name	Starting Point	End Point	Ward
Resurfacing Program			
Allin St	Seminary Ave	Division St	7
Arcadia Dr	Lincoln St	Fairmont Dr	8
Arlene Ct	Cul-De-Sac	Lincoln St	1
Arlene Dr	Lincoln St	Garling Dr	1

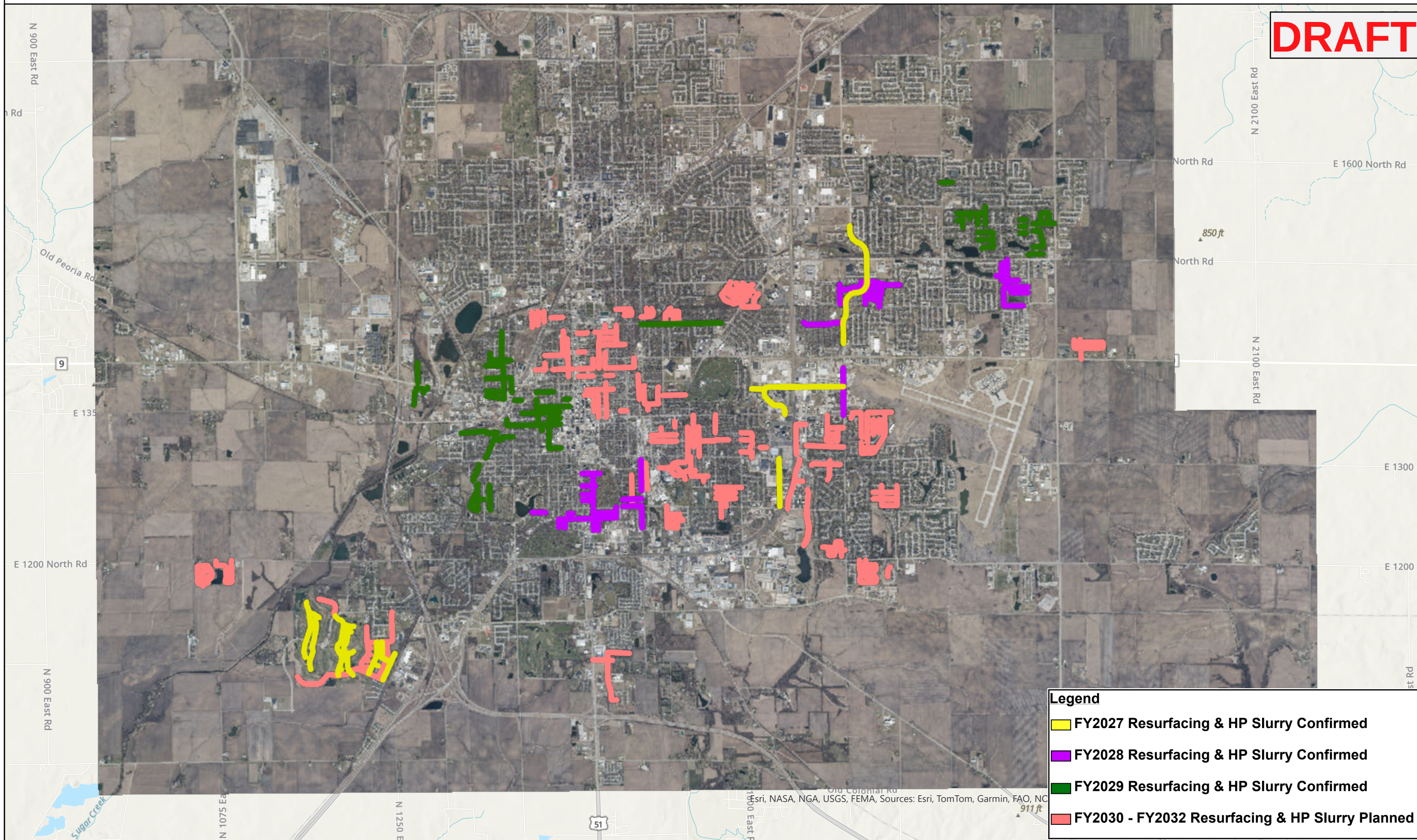
Bayberry Ct	Dartmouth	Brunswick Dr	3
Beecher St	Main St	East St	7
Beecher St	Franklin Ave	Fell Ave	4,7
Bell St	Hannah St	Maizefield Ave	4
Birchwood Ave	Lincoln St	Garling Dr	1
Briarwood Ave	Dawes Pl	End	4
Brunswick Dr	Devonshire Dr	Bayberry Ct	3
Buckeye St	El Dorado Rd	Fairmont Dr	8
Carl Dr	Richard Rd	Wellington Way	3
Charles Pl	Clinton Blvd	James Pl	4
Cherrywood Ln	Towanda Ave	End	4
Chestnut St	Main St	Prairie St	6
Chestnut St	Mclean St	Evans St	6
Cloud St	Mcgregor St	Ryan Dr	4
Continental Ct	Orleans Dr	Towanda Ave	4
Country Ln	Morningside Dr	Oakland Ave	8
Country Ln	Ridge Rd	Hall Ct	5
Coventry Ct	Broadmoor Dr	Cul-De-Sac	8
Croxton Ave	Vale St	Mercer Ave	4
Darmouth Dr	Bayberry Ct	Sesame St	3
Davis Ave	Jefferson St	Monroe Dr	4
Dawes Pl	Linden St	Norbloom Ave	4
Denver St	Olive St	Grove St	4
Devonshire Dr	Washington St	Brunswick Dr	3
Division St	Fell Ave	Broadway Pl	4
Douglas St	East St	Prairie St	6
East Gate Pl	Mercer Ave	Patterson Dr	4
El Dorado Rd	Lincoln St	Oakland Ave	8
El Dorado Rd	El Dorado Rd	Stern Dr	5
Elder St	Walnut St	Empire St	4
Elmwood Rd	Colton Ave	Towanda Ave	4
Ethell Pkwy	Emerson St	End	4
Evergreen Ln	Phillip Pl/Richard Rd	Winchester Dr	3
Fairmont Dr	Arcadia Dr	Arcadia Dr	8
Fell Ave	University Ave	Emerson St	4
Fisher Dr	Riser Ave	Foley Ave	4
Fleetwood Dr	Parkview Dr	Towanda Ave	4
Florence Ave	Oakland Ave	Grove St	4
Foley Ave	Emerson St	Fisher Dr	4
Garling Dr	Vale St	Hastings Ave	1
Ginger Creek Ct	Cul-De-Sac	Washington St	3
Graham St	Main St	East St/Ames Plz	7
Grant Rd	Jackson St	Olive St	4
Greenleaf Dr	Hunter Dr	Washington St	3
Gridley St	Washington St	Douglas St	6
Hall Ct	Country Ln	Hampton Dr	5

Hampton Dr	Hall Ct	Yorktown Dr	5
Hanover Dr	Sesame St	Ginger Creek Ct	3
Harbord Dr	Croxtton Ave	Maizefield Ave	4
Hilltop Rd	Cherrywood Ln	Cul-De-Sac	4
Horenberger Dr	Beecher St	Emerson St	4
Hunter Dr	Greenleaf Dr	Evergreen Ln	3
Imperial Dr	Cul-De-Sac	Towanda Ave	4
Jackson St	Seville Rd	End	4
James Pl	Clinton Blvd	Charles Pl	4
Jefferson St	Clayton St	Clinton St	6
Kelsey St	Oak St	Roosevelt Ave	7
Kreitzer Ave	Jackson St	Washington St	4
Linden St	Monroe Dr	Woodruff Dr	4
Madison St	Chestnut St	Union St	6,7
Maizefield Ave	Kreitzer Ave	Oakland Ave	4
Mason St	Cul-De-Sac	Division St	7
Mason St	Walnut St	Ohara St	7
Mays Dr	Parkview Dr	Towanda Ave	4
Mcgregor St	Cloud St	Oakland Ave	4
Mclean St	Walnut St	Graham St	5
Mclean St	Washington St	Locust St	6
Monroe Dr	Linden St	Walker St	4
Mulberry St	East St	Evans St	6
Newport Dr	Williamsburg Dr	Hampton Dr	5
Norbloom Ave	Dawes Pl	End	4
Olive St	Mclean St	State St	4
Orleans Dr	Cul-De-Sac	Towanda Ave	4
Owens Dr	Vale St	Hastings Ave	1
Park St	Walnut St	Beecher St	4,7
Parkview Dr	Jersey Ave	Fleetwood Dr	4
Patterson Dr	Oakland Ave	East Gate Pl	4
Paul Ct	Ethell Pkwy	Riser Ave	4
Phillip Pl	Carl Dr	Evergreen Ln/Richard Rd	3
Phoenix Ave	Park St	Fell Ave	4
Prairie St	Walnut St	Empire St	7
Prairie St	Jefferson St	Market St	6
Richard Rd	Carl Dr	Evergreen Ln/Phillip Pl	3
Ridge Rd	Prospect Rd	Hershey Rd	5
Robinson St	Market St	Chestnut St	6
Roosevelt Ave	Scott St	Seminary Ave	7
Riser Ave	Emerson St	Fisher Dr	4
Sesame St	Wellington Way	Winchester Dr	3
Scott St	Mason St	Madison St	7
Sherman St	Seminary Ave	Division St	7
State St	Grove St	Front St	4
Stern Dr	El Dorado Rd	Prospect Rd	5

Taylor St	Mclean St	State St	4
Taylor St	Kreitzer Ave	Moore St	4
Taylor St	Mercer Ave	Grant Rd	4
University Ave	Park St	Fell Ave	4
Vale St	Olive St	Washington St	4
Wach Dr	End	Cloud St	4
Walker St	Monroe St	Woodruff Dr	4
Walnut St	Allin St	Mason St	7
Walnut St	Oak St	Center St	7
Walnut St	Main St	Prairie St	7
Walnut St	Mclean St	Elder St	4,6
Willard Ave	Oakland Ave	Grove St	4
Williamsburg Dr	Hall Ct	Washington St	5
Winchester Dr	Sesame St	Cul-De-Sac	3
Yorktown Dr	Williamsburg Dr	Hershey Rd	5
HP Slurry Program			
Altoona Rd	Culpepper Dr	Southlawn Dr	2
Arcadia Dr	Ireland Grove Rd	Lincoln Rd	8
Ashford Ct	Scarborough St	Cul-De-Sac	2
Barley Cir	Brompton Ct	Brompton Ct	8
Beechwood Ave	Maple St	Morrissey Dr	1
Binghamton Ln	Lone Oak Ct/Rd	Danbury Dr	2
Bracebridge Rd	Culpepper Dr	Southlawn Dr	2
Breezewood Blvd	Woodrig Rd	Red Oak Rd	2
Brompton Ct	Cul-De-Sac	Hershey Rd	8
Buckhurst Cir	Brompton Ct	Cul-De-Sac	8
Caladonia Ct	Brookstone Cir	Cul-De-Sac	8
Carrington Ln	End	Rutherford Dr	2
Cashmere Ct	Altoona Rd	Cul-De-Sac	2
Clinton St	Wood St	Lincoln Rd	1,6
Cottonwood St	Lafayette St	Beechwood Ave	1
Crista Ann Ct	Ireland Grove Rd	Ireland Grove Rd	8
Crooked Creek Ct	Fox Creek Rd	Cul-De-Sac	2
Culpepper Dr	Bracebridge Rd	Altoona Rd	2
Danbury Dr	Fox Creek Rd	Binghamton Ln	2
Dorset Ct	Durham Dr	Cul-De-Sac	8
Dry Sage Cir	Harvest Pointe Blvd	Harvest Pointe Blvd	3
Durham Dr	Cumbria Dr	Suffolk Way	8
Eide Rd	Keybridge Way	1732 Eide Rd	8
Fedor Cir	Six Points Rd	Six Points Rd	2
Geneva Blvd	Woodrig Rd	Geneva Ct	2
Geneva Ct	Geneva Blvd	Cul-De-Sac	2
Gravenhurst Dr	Stratmoor Dr	End	2
Harvest Pointe Blvd	End	Empire Rd	3
Homestead Dr	Cul-De-Sac	Pump House Ln	3
Indianapolis St	Croxtan Ave	End	4

Indigo Run	Lone Oak Rd	Cul-De-Sac	2
Keybridge Way	Entrance	1710 Keybridge Way	8
Linnwood St	Lafayette St	Beechwood Ave	1
Lone Oak Ct	Binghamton Ln	Cul-De-Sac	2
Lone Oak Rd	Binghamton Ln	Carrington Ln	2
Maple St	Lafayette St	Lincoln St	1
Matlock Dr	Cumbria Dr	Suffolk Way	8
Pump House Ln	Harvest Pointe Blvd	Homestead Dr	3
Redwood Ave	Maple St	Morrissey Dr	1
Ranney Ct	Lone Oak Rd	Cul-De-Sac	2
Rocksbury Dr	Binghamton Ln	Carrington Ln	2
Shalimar Pt	Lone Oak Rd	Cul-De-Sac	2
Southlawn Dr	Bracebridge Rd	Altoona Rd	2
Stratmoor Dr	Gravenhurst Dr	Altoona Rd	2
Suffolk Way	Durham Dr	Matlock Dr	8
Woodrig Rd	US 51	End	2
Yorkshire Ct	Durham Dr	Cul-De-Sac	8

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Regular Agenda Item No. 7.C.

For City Council: August 17, 2026

Ward Impacted:

City Wide

Subject: Presentation Providing an Update on Construction, as requested by the Engineering Department.

Recommended Motion: None; Presentation Only.

Strategic Priorities:

Priority Area 1: Infrastructure. Improving and maintaining the City's infrastructure, including water, sewer, streets, sidewalks, and other physical assets. This priority includes identifying and prioritizing maintenance needs, defining service levels in line with City appropriations, understanding and communicating costs, reducing backlogged maintenance, and ensuring residents can rely on safe, functional infrastructure.

Background: The Engineering Department will provide the City Council with a high-level update on major construction projects currently underway or being coordinated during the 2026 construction season. The projects highlighted in the presentation represent more than \$125 million in transportation, utility, bridge, roadway, sidewalk, and accessibility improvements throughout Bloomington. The presentation will review the status and anticipated schedules of several major capital projects, the City's annual street resurfacing, pavement preservation, and sidewalk programs, and significant Illinois Department of Transportation projects affecting the community. Staff will also demonstrate the City's public-facing Infrastructure Projects Dashboard, which provides residents with current information regarding project locations, descriptions, schedules, budgets, funding sources, and City contacts. This item is informational, and no Council action is requested.

Community Groups/Interested Persons Contacted: N/A

Community Engagement:

- Public notice and transparent communication provided on each capital project.
- Impacted stakeholder input solicited prior to decision making, as applicable.
- Intergovernmental or partner coordination conducted, as applicable.
- Feedback meaningfully considered and incorporated where feasible.

Financial Impact: N/A

Fiscal Discipline:

- Funding source identified and sustainable within adopted budget
- Ongoing operating impact evaluated, including multi-year effect
- Lifecycle or total cost of ownership considered, including maintenance and replacement
- Alternatives and cost comparisons evaluated to ensure best value.

Attachments:

None