

**CITY-COUNTY OFFICIALS
AND
EXECUTIVE PERSONNEL**

As of December 31, 1981

Office of the Mayor

Mayor	William H. Hudnut, III
Deputy Mayor	David R. Frick
Deputy Mayor	Joseph Slash
Secretary to the Mayor	Marcie Thompson

City-County Council Officers

President	Beurt R. SerVaas
Vice President/Majority Leader	Donald W. Miller
Minority Leader	Rozelle Boyd
City Clerk	Beverly S. Rippy
Deputy City Clerk	Karen E. Hufty
General Counsel	Robert G. Elrod
Research Director	Jennifer B. Hougendobler
Senior Fiscal Analyst	Roy C. Icenogle
Fiscal Analyst	Sharyn Seitz

City-County Council Members

First District	Gordon G. Gilmer
Second District	Beurt R. SerVaas
Third District	William G. Schneider
Fourth District	William A. Dowden
Fifth District	Patricia Nickell
Sixth District	Stephen R. West
Seventh District	Stuart W. Rhodes
Eighth District	Holley M. Holmes
Ninth District	Glenn L. Howard
Tenth District	Lula M. Journey
Eleventh District	Rozelle Boyd
Twelfth District	Betty M. Stewart

Thirteenth District	Richard F. Clark
Fourteenth District	Allen L. Durnil
Fifteenth District	Wayne E. Rader
Sixteenth District	Harold E. Hawkins
Seventeenth District	Michael D. Vollmer
Eighteenth District	Dwight Cottingham
Nineteenth District	David N. Jones
Twentieth District	David P. McGrath
Twenty-first District	David J. Page
Twenty-second District	Edgar Campbell
Twenty-third District	Stanley P. Strader
Twenty-fourth District	Beulah A. Coughenour
Twenty-fifth District	Donald W. Miller
At Large	Joyce Brinkman
At Large	Paula M. Parker
At Large	Philip Borst
At Large	George B. Tintera

**Standing Committees of the
City-County Council, 1981**

Administration

William Dowden, Chairman
Richard Clark
David Jones
Harold Hawkins
David McGrath
George Tintera
Glenn Howard

Parks & Recreation

Gordon Gilmer, Chairman
Richard Clark
Holley Holmes
Patricia Nickell
Wayne Rader
Edgar Campbell
Lula Journey

Community Affairs

Paula Parker, Chairman
William Dowden
Holley Holmes
Betty Stewart
Stanley Strader
Lula Journey
David Page
Philip Borst

Public Safety & Criminal Justice

Stephen West, Chairman
Edgar Campbell
Harold Hawkins
Philip Borst
Holley Holmes
Stuart Rhodes
Patricia Nickell

County & Townships

Joyce Brinkman, Chairman
Dwight Cottingham
Stuart Rhodes
Harold Hawkins
Glenn Howard
William Schneider

Public Works

Beulah Coughenour, Chairman
Donald Miller
Patricia Nickell
Betty Stewart
David Page
Michael Vollmer

Economic Development

George Tintera, Chairman
Rozelle Boyd
Joyce Brinkman
Gordon Gilmer
Stephen West
Stuart Rhodes

Rules & Policy

Dwight Cottingham, Chairman
Rozelle Boyd
Allen Durnil
Donald Miller
Beulah Coughenour
Beurt SerVaas

Metropolitan Development

Allen Durnil, Chairman
Paula Parker
Wayne Rader
William Schneider
Edgar Campbell
Lula Journey
David Jones

Transportation

David McGrath, Chairman
Wayne Rader
Betty Stewart
Michael Vollmer
Glenn Howard
Stanley Strader
David Jones

Municipal Corporations

Richard Clark, Chairman
Philip Borst
Paula Parker
Stanley Strader
Dwight Cottingham
David Page
Michael Vollmer

**Calendar of Sessions of the
City—County Council, 1981**

January 5, 7:48 p.m.	Regular
January 19, 7:20 p.m.	Regular
February 9, 7:00 p.m.	Regular
February 23, 7:25 p.m.	Regular
March 9, 7:15 p.m.	Regular

March 23, 7:10 p.m.	Regular
April 6, 7:15 p.m.	Regular
April 27, 7:07 p.m.	Regular
May 11, 7:17 p.m.	Regular
May 26, 7:31 p.m.	Regular
June 8, 7:11 p.m.	Regular
July 6, 7:25 p.m.	Regular
July 20, 7:30 p.m.	Regular
August 3, 7:24 p.m.	Regular
August 31, 7:29 p.m.	Regular
September 28, 8:05 p.m.	Regular
October 12, 7:10 p.m.	Regular
October 26, 7:17 p.m.	Regular
November 9, 7:17 p.m.	Regular
November 23, 7:42 p.m.	Regular
December 14, 7:25 p.m.	Regular

**Calendar of Sessions of the
Police Special Service District Council, 1981**

January 5, 7:18 p.m.	Special
January 19, 7:03 p.m.	Special
April 27, 10:17 p.m.	Special
May 11, 7:09 p.m.	Regular
May 26, 7:14 p.m.	Special
July 6, 7:13 p.m.	Regular
July 20, 7:14 p.m.	Regular
August 3, 7:15 p.m.	Special
August 31, 7:01 p.m.	Special
September 28, 6:57 p.m.	Special
October 12, 7:03 p.m.	Special
October 26, 7:08 p.m.	Special
November 9, 7:01 p.m.	Special
November 23, 7:22 p.m.	Special
December 14, 7:16 p.m.	Special

**Calendar of Sessions of the
Fire Special Service District Council, 1981**

January 5, 7:23 p.m.	Special
January 19, 7:08 p.m.	Special
May 11, 7:12 p.m.	Regular
May 26, 7:19 p.m.	Special
July 6, 7:19 p.m.	Regular
July 20, 7:20 p.m.	Regular
August 3, 7:16 p.m.	Special
September 28, 7:26 p.m.	Special
October 26, 7:00 p.m.	Special
November 9, 7:04 p.m.	Special
November 23, 7:27 p.m.	Special

**Calendar of Sessions of the
Solid Waste Special Service District Council, 1981**

January 5, 7:44 p.m.	Special
January 29, 7:16 p.m.	Special
May 11, 7:14 p.m.	Regular
May 26, 7:25 p.m.	Special
August 3, 7:17 p.m.	Special
September 28, 7:50 p.m.	Special
October 26, 7:05 p.m.	Special
November 9, 7:06 p.m.	Special
November 23, 7:33 p.m.	Special

CONSOLIDATED CITY DEPARTMENTS

Department of Administration

Director Donald R. McPherson

Finance

City Controller Fred L. Armstrong

Human Rights Commission

Director. Charles Guynn

Legal

Corporation Counsel John P. Ryan
City Prosecutor. James W. Payne

Personnel

Director. Thomas E. Parker

Purchasing

Purchasing Agent. Anita Miller

Records

Director. Willard Heiss

DEPARTMENT OF METROPOLITAN DEVELOPMENT

Director. John Krauss
Deputy Director Eugene Lausch
Deputy Director Robert Cross

Buildings

Administrator. Ted Kaptain
Deputy Administrator Joe Honan
Chief of Operations Larry Aull

Code Enforcement

Administrator. Jon Meeks
Assistant Administrator Chuck Cagann

**Housing
(Indianapolis Housing Authority)**

Executive Director Larry Paul
Director of Administration Larry DePaul
Director of Community Services Security Maureen Prevost
Director of Maintenance Lucian Anderson
Director of Management Pat Barder

Planning & Zoning

Administrator J. Nicholas Shelly
Areawide Planning Wayne C. DePew
Community Services Planning Larry Carroll
Development Programming Wayne C. DePew
Reproduction Phil Pettit
Urban Design Harold Rominger
Zoning and Platting Steven Granner

Urban Renewal

Administrator David Carley
Deputy Administrator Mark DeFabis

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS & RECREATION

Director F. Arthur Strong
Deputy Director Joseph Finnell
Superintendent of Outdoor Recreation Steve Waltz
Superintendent of Parks Mark Shambaugh
Superintendent of Recreation Joe Winns

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Director Richard A. Rippel
Deputy Director/Administration Alan J. Armstrong
Deputy Director/Operations Douglas Poole

Air Pollution

Administrator Stephen Dixon

City Market

Market Master. VACANT

Flood Control

Manager. Allen McFearin

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

Director. Richard Blankenbaker

Animal Shelter

Administrator. Matthew Schneider

Civil Defense

Administrator. Douglas Crichlow

Police Department

Chief. Joseph G. McAtee
Assistant Chief Michael Fogarty
Deputy Chief/Administration James Dabner
Deputy Chief/Investigations Jack Cottey
Deputy Chief/Operations Paul Annee
Deputy Chief/Services Francis Campbell

Fire Department

Chief. Donald Strietelmeier
Assistant Chief Harold Bowers
Deputy Chief Thomas Douglas
Deputy Chief Alonzo Gordon
Executive Secretary William Cloud
Director/Fire Prevention. James Mitchell
Director/Personnel & Public Relations. Ronald Elliott

Weights & Measures

Administrator. Frank Brugh

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Director	Fred Madorin
Deputy Director	Keith Otto
Administrator/Parking Meters	Terrence O'Hara
Administrator/Street Maintenance	Roland Knox
Administrator/Traffic Engineering	James Cox

MEMBERS OF OFFICIAL BOARDS

Capital Improvements Board

President	P. E. MacAllister
Member	Herbert Backer
Member	David Orr
Member	Amanda Strong
Member	James Dora
Member	George Maley
Member	Lawrence O'Conner

Election Board

Secretary	Bernard Gohman
Member	Gordon Durnil
Member	Judson Haggerty

Board of Greater Indianapolis Progress Committee

President	Donald W. Tanselle
Executive Director	Margo A. Lyon

Board of Health & Hospital Corporation

Member	Dr. James Cortese
Member	Dr. H. Sprague Gardiner
Member	Ernest Jones
Member	James Morris
Member	Henry Dein

Indianapolis Airport Authority

President	Milton Slosson
Vice President	Michael Schaefer
Secretary	Robert Dawson
Member	John M. Vaughan

DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION

Human Rights Commission

Chairman	Pamela Bennett
Member	John Schwartz
Member	John Brooks
Member	William Brown
Member	Artricia Chandler
Member	Donald Christensen
Member	Marcia DeMond
Member	Albert Ferguson
Member	Russell Hagerman
Member	John Hall
Member	Rick Eyster
Member	Thomas Krudy
Member	Judy Forbes
Member	Judy Overturf
Member	John Myers
Member	Rebecca Ransburg
Member	Larna Spearman
Member	John Bailey
Member	Jeff Lohman
Member	Columbus Mabry
Member	William Mott
Member	Sheila Shelton
Member	Julius Shan

License Review Board

Chairman	Kent Newton
Member	David Leonard
Member	Dr. Roy Clinthorne

Tax Adjustment Board

Member	Fred Armstrong
Member	Edward Yates
Member	Paul E. Smith
Member	Dwight Cottingham
Member	Dr. James R. Riggs
Member	Kenneth Giffin
Member	Rev. Theodore Lightfoot

DEPARTMENT OF METROPOLITAN DEVELOPMENT

Board of Zoning Appeals, Division I

Chairman	Leland E. Tanner
Vice Chairman	Richard Thomas Hunter
Member	John Hall
Member	Michael J. Fox
Member	JoAnna Walker

Board of Zoning Appeals, Division II

Chairman	Jo Ann Lynch
Member	Fred Imhausen
Member	Robert Hayes
Member	Clarence W. Prentice
Member	Mrs. Hank Chafee

Board of Zoning Appeals, Division III

Chairman	W. James Wood
Vice Chairman	Donald D. Dick
Member	Steve H. Brizendine
Member	Mamie L. Townsend
Member	Mike Young

Indianapolis Housing Authority Board

Chairman	Martha Lamkin
Vice Chairman	Charles Borders
Member	Cecil Ross
Member	Chester Little
Member	F. Edward Butz

Indianapolis Historic Preservation Commission

Member	Sallie Rowland
Member	Helen Small
Member	Bob LaRue
Member	Dallas Daniels
Member	Katie Betley
Member	John Walsh
Member	Judy Winchell

Metropolitan Development Commission

Member	Larry Hannah
Member	George Bixler
Member	Harold C. McCarthy
Member	Robert Eicholtz
Member	Carlyn Johnson
Member	Robert Samuelson
Member	Henry Taylor
Member	Eldon Cox
Member	Eugene B. Hibbs

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS & RECREATION

Board of Parks & Recreation

Chairman	F. Arthur Strong
Vice Chairman	Dave Probst
Member	Richard Lahr
Member	James Shaw
Member	Barbara O'Laughlin

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Air Pollution Control Board

Chairman	Arlie Ullrich, Jr.
Member	Richard Phillips
Member	Walter Abell
Member	Dr. Robert S. Daly
Member	John E. Davis
Member	L. M. Lototzky
Member	Diane Welch
Member	David Rees

Board of Public Works

Chairman	Richard A. Rippel
Member	Thomas O. Hale
Member	Donald R. Hudson
Member	Keith Smith
Member	Oscar C. Smith

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

Police Merit Board

Member	Richard McDonell
Member	John Lauter
Member	William H. Nye
Member	Charles R. Thomas, M.D.
Member	Mary Helen VanBuren

Fire Merit Board

Member	Dr. Paul Benedict
Member	George Geib
Member	Larna Spearman
Member	Linda Spencer
Member	Bruce Cordingly

Board of Public Safety

Chairman	Richard Blankenbaker
Member	Delano Bryant
Member	William Gardiner
Member	Dr. Dwight Schuster
Member	Robert Moorhead

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Chairman	Fred Madorin
Member	Gary Booher
Member	W. Wayne Burking
Member	Carlton Curry
Member	Rita Neal

MARION COUNTY OFFICIALS

County Assessor	Harold E. Bean, Jr.
County Auditor	Harry E. Eakin
County Board of Review	Harold E. Bean, Jr.
County Commissioner	Harold E. Bean, Jr.
County Commissioner	Harry E. Eakin
County Commissioner	Edward Buckley
County Coroner	Karl Manders, M.D.
County Home	Henry Bahner
County Jail Commander	Larry Koch
County Prosecutor	Stephen Goldsmith
County Recorder	Lucille Camp
County Surveyor	Jack A. Irwin, L.S.
County Treasurer	Edward Buckley
County Sheriff	James L. Wells
County Inheritance Tax Department	Beth O'Laughlin
Central Data Processing	Louis Bubala
Central Law Library	Lynn Conner
Cooperative Extension Service	Edward Ragsdale
Center Township Assessor	Henry Bayt
Decatur Township Assessor	Charles L. Coleman
Franklin Township Assessor	Donald Gleason
Lawrence Township Assessor	Lois Ricketts
Perry Township Assessor	Bonnie Stephenson
Pike Township Assessor	Marilyn Smith
Warren Township Assessor	Fredrick Monschein
Washington Township Assessor	Richard Cunningham
Wayne Township Assessor	Phillip D. Hinkle
Clerk of the Circuit Court	Bernard J. Gohman
Circuit Court	Frank P. Huse
Criminal Court 1	John Tranberg
Criminal Court 2	Webster L. Brewer
Criminal Court 3	Charles Daugherty
Criminal Court 4	Patricia J. Gifford
Criminal Court 5	Roy F. Jones
Juvenile Court	Valan Boring
Presiding Judge, Municipal Court	Harold Kohlmeyer
Probate Court	Victor Pfau
Superior Court 1	Charles Applegate
Superior Court 2	Kenneth H. Johnson

Superior Court 3	Betty Barteau
Superior Court 4	Richard L. Milan
Superior Court 5	Michael Dugan
Superior Court 6	Edward Madinger
Superior Court 7	Gerald Zore
Criminal Court Probation	Earl Coleman

History of the Common Council of the City of Indianapolis

Indianapolis was established as a town in 1821. It was at this time that a commission, appointed by the legislature, selected this location as a site for a seat of government of the State of Indiana.

The Town of Indianapolis conducted its affairs pursuant to the general laws of the state until 1832. In this year the town was incorporated and was governed by a board of five trustees.

In 1838, pursuant to a special act of the legislature, Indianapolis was re-incorporated and placed in the hands of its first Town Council composed of a president and six members.

The Common Council continued in a large measure to control the affairs of Indianapolis as a town and as a city under various so-called charters or grants of the legislature until 1891.

Under a special act of the legislature of 1891 for the City of Indianapolis, a somewhat different form of government was established. While the Council continued to exercise broad control over the city's affairs, various executive departments of the city were provided, such as Public Works, Public Safety, Public Parks and Public Health, conducted by boards appointed by the Mayor. These boards were granted specific powers and duties concerning the city's business previously exercised by the Council through committees subject, however, in some cases to approval of the Council in all matters of expenditure of money and appropriation of funds by the Council.

For some time prior to 1891 the City of Indianapolis was divided into 25 wards represented by 25 Ward Councilmen. Their term of office was two years and they were eligible for re-election. At this time there was also a separate body operating in conjunction with the Council called the Board of Aldermen, composed of ten Aldermen, representing five Aldermen districts, two being elected from each district.

Under the 1891 act, the Board of Aldermen was abolished and a Common Council of 21 members was established. Fifteen members were elected to represent 15 wards and six members were elected to represent the city at large.

This form of Council continued to exist in Indianapolis under the general cities and towns act of 1905. The act of 1905, while often referred to as the Indianapolis Charter, is very largely a re-enactment of the 1891 Indianapolis Charter, modified to make the Indianapolis system applicable to all classes of cities of the state. The 1905 law increased the term of Mayor and Councilmen to four years and prohibited re-election.

In 1909 a novel Councilmanic law for Indianapolis alone was passed by the legislature. This law limits the number of Councilmen to nine. The law provides for the nomination by each party of six candidates, one from each of six Councilmanic Districts. In the election all of the voters of the City may vote for any nine candidates and the nine receiving the highest number of votes are elected. This law insures a minority representation in the Council of at least three members. In 1949 the legislature amended the statutes to permit Councilmen to succeed themselves.

History of the City-County Council of the City of Indianapolis

In 1969 the legislature enacted a law, popularly known as the "Unigov Act," which consolidated the City and County into one governmental unit. The act further provided for the creation of an interim City-County Council which served as the legislative body for the City and County until the new Council was selected in November, 1971, and took office in January of 1972.

The act provided for the division of the County into twenty-five single member Councilmanic Districts, each district electing one resident from that district. In addition, there were four At-large Councilmen, elected by voters of the entire County.

Unified Government of Indianapolis-Marion County is an attempt to make metropolitan government simpler, more functional and more responsive to citizens' needs. Under the new structure, six major departments replace the more than sixty which were in existence previously.

**EXECUTIVE HEADS OF THE CITY OF
INDIANAPOLIS UNDER VARIOUS
FORMS OF ORGANIZATION**

PRESIDENTS OF BOARDS OF TRUSTEES

Henderson, Samuel	October 12, 1832 to September 30, 1833
Edgar, James (resigned as Trustee)	September 30 to December 9, 1833
Blythe, Benjamin I.	March 7, 1834 to February 14, 1835
Morrison, Alexander F.	February 14 to October 2, 1835
Palmer, Nathan B.	October 2, 1835 to April 13, 1836
Lockerbie, George	April 13, 1836 to April 4, 1837
Soule, Joshua	April 3, 1837 to April 2, 1838

PRESIDENTS OF TOWN COUNCIL

Morrison, James	1838 to 1839
Palmer, Nathan B.	1839 to 1840
Coburn, Henry P.	1840 to 1841
Sullivan, William (Resigned November 12, 1841).	1841
Culley, David V.	1841 to 1844; 1850 to 1853
Wilson, Lazarus B.	1844 to 1845
Levy, Joseph A.	1845 to 1847
Rooker, Samuel S. (Resigned November 1, 1847)	1847
Cady, Charles W.	1847 to 1848

MAYORS

Henderson, Samuel	1847 to 1849
Newcomb, Horatio C. (Resigned November 7, 1851)	1849 to 1851
Scudder, Caleb	1851 to 1854
McCready, James.	1854 to 1856
West, Henry F. (Died November 8, 1856).	1856
Coulon, Charles (To fill vacancy until November 22, 1856).	1856
Wallace, William John (Resigned May 3, 1858)	1856 to 1858
Maxwell, Samuel D.	1858 to 1863
Caven, John	1863 to 1867; to 1881

Macauley, Daniel	1867 to 1873
Mitchell, James L.	1873 to 1875
Grubbs, Daniel W.	1881 to 1884
McMaster, John L.	1884 to 1886
Denny, Caleb S.	1886 to 1890
Sullivan, Thomas L.	From January 1, 1890 to October 12, 1893
Denny, Caleb S.	From October 12, 1893 to 1895
Taggart, Thomas	From October 10, 1895 to 1901
Bookwalter, Charles A.	From October 10, 1901 to 1903
Holtzman, John W.	From October 15, 1903 to 1905
Bookwalter, Charles A.	1905 to 1909
Shank, Samuel Lewis (Resigned November 28, 1913).	1910 to 1913
Wallace, Harry R.	1913
Bell, Joseph E.	1914 to 1917
Jewett, Charles W.	1918 to 1921
Shank, Samuel Lewis	1922 to 1925
Duvall, John L. (Disqualified September 22, 1927)	1926 to 1927
Slack, L. Ert	1927 to 1929
Sullivan, Reginald H.	1930 to 1934
Kern, John W. (Resigned September 2, 1937)	1935 to 1937
Boetcher, Walter C.	1937 to 1938
Sullivan, Reginald H.	1939 to 1942
Tyndall, Robert H. (Died July 9, 1947)	1943 to 1947
Denny, George L.	1947
Feeney, Al G. (Died November 12, 1950)	1948 to 1950
Bayt, Phillip L. (Resigned effective November 24, 1951).	1950 to 1951
Emhardt, Christian J. (November 24, 1951)	1951
Clark, Alex M.	1952 to 1956
Bayt, Phillip L. (Resigned December 31, 1958)	1956 to 1959
Boswell, Charles H. (Resigned August 6, 1962)	1959 to 1962
Losche, Albert H.	1962 to 1963
Barton, John J.	1964 to 1968
Lugar, Richard G.	1968 to 1975
Hudnut, William H. III	1976 to 1981

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