

# Porter County American Rescue Plan Steering Committee

## Nonprofits and Employers Subcommittee

*"Focusing on non-profits and small businesses that have faced significant challenges due to the pandemic as well as impacted industries including hospitality, tourism, and travel."*

**May 16, 2022**

**5 p.m.**

Commissioners' Meeting Room Chambers  
Porter County Administration Center  
155 Indiana Ave., Valparaiso IN 46383

### AGENDA

- I. Roll Call
- II. Applicant Presentations:
  - Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater NWI
  - Neighbors' Educational Opportunities
  - Porter County Project Kids
  - Shirley Heinze Land Trust
- III. Public Comment
- IV. Adjourn

### *Steering Committee*

Commissioner:  
Laura Blaney

Porter County Council:  
Andy Bozak, Jeremy Rivas

*Non-voting:*  
Porter County Auditor/Chair  
Vicki Urbanik  
County Attorney/Advisor  
Scott McClure

### *Subcommittees*

*Behavioral Health &  
Social Services*

Commissioner: Jim Biggs  
County Council:

Mike Brickner, Greg Simms  
Citizen appointees: Robyn  
Lane, Mitch Peters

*Non-voting:*  
Township Trustees Brendan  
Clancy, Jesse Harper, Edward  
Morales, George Topoll

*Nonprofits & Employers*  
Commissioner: Jim Biggs  
County Council:

Mike Brickner, Erik Wagner  
Citizen appointees: Ruth  
Vance, Rebecca Tomerlin

*Infrastructure & Facilities*  
Commissioner Jeff Good

County Council:  
Sylvia Graham, Mike Jessen  
Citizen appointees: James  
Hazzard, Curtiss Streitelmeyer

*Non-voting:*  
Co Engineer Mike Novotney

*County Government COVID  
Health Response*

Commissioner:  
Laura Blaney  
County Council:

Sylvia Graham, Mike Jessen  
Citizen appointees: Patrice  
Mullen, Karen Nelson

*Non-voting:*  
HR Director Rhonda Young,  
Nursing Supervisor Connie  
Rudd