

City of Bloomington – Bloomington Digital Underground (BDU) Advisory Committee

Public Notice & Agenda
May 1, 2025, 4:00 PM

This meeting will be conducted in a hybrid format and be held both in the McCloskey Conference Room, located in Room 135, at 401 N. Morton Street, City Hall Bloomington, IN, and also remotely, which may be accessed at the following link: <https://bloomington.zoom.us/j/93947788266?pwd=ZmZ4eklyWEVJZ0dnV1pOZnlvbWlJQT09>

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- 1) Convene / Attendance
- 2) Staff Reports
 - a) Administrative Business & Updates
 - b) ITS Department Updates
 - i) Current Fiber Projects (Parks DE WiFi, WinstonThomas)
 - ii) Other topics (IU Datacenter, etc)
- 3) New and Regular Business
 - a) Digital Equity Initiatives (Survey, Strategic Plan, Grants)
 - i) DE Position - Hired
 - ii) 2025 Digital Equity Strategic Plan / Survey
 - iii) NTIA/NIST Competitive Digital Equity Grant, IN State Grant
 - b) City/Meridiam Fiber Proj: HoosierFiberNetworks Progress Report
- 4) Continuing Business
 - a) ITS Special Projects and Initiatives (Website, Open Data, Process Improvement)
 - b) IT Operations, Challenges, and Opportunities
 - c) General Discussion (Topics of Interest to Members)
- 5) Member Reports (Items not on the agenda)
- 6) Adjourn

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