

First Energy Stadium Commission

James Schlegel - Chairman
Gary Yeager, Jr. - Vice Chairman/Secretary
Rick Denunzio - Member
Rick Mountz - Member
Michael Schorn - Member
Carlos Torres - DPW Liaison
Donna Reed - City Council Liaison
Strat Marmarou - Commissioner Emeritus

Stadium Commission Meeting

Date: October 29, 2025
Location: First Energy Stadium, RBI Room
Present: James Schlegel, Gary Yeager, Jr., Rick Denunzio, & Michael Schorn
Absent: Rick Mountz, Strat Marmarou, Donna Reed, & Carlos Torres
Guest: N/A

Order of Business

I. Call to Order

- Meeting called to order at 7:12 p.m. by Chairman James Schlegel.

II. Approval of Minutes

- Minutes of the September 24, 2025 meeting were presented and a motion was made by Rick Denunzio to approve without change and seconded by Michael Schorn; the motion passed. The minutes will be forwarded to the City Clerk.

III. Old Business

- Jim shared that all volunteer hours were submitted and will be included on his annual report to City Council.

IV. New Business

- Meeting dates were set for 2026:
 - #1 = Jan. 28, 2026
 - #2 = Mar. 25, 2026
 - #3 = Apr. 29, 2026
 - #4 = June 24, 2026
 - #5 = Sept. 30, 2026
 - #6 = Oct. 28, 2026

IV. New Business (continued)

- A motion was made by Gary Yeager, Jr. to accept the aforementioned meeting dates for the upcoming calendar year and was seconded by Mike Schorn; the motion passed.
- Jim will send these dates to Linda Kelleher so that she can share with Reading Eagle Advertising Department who will in turn run the annual meeting notices in the paper. The public will also be reminded that our time and place is UNCHANGED = RBI Room @ 7 p.m.
- Members inquired if there were any updates on the eminent domain regarding the bank building, but consensus remains that we're still within the 30-days for the estate to respond to The City Solicitor's formal request.
- The election of officers will occur at our January meeting. Any interested members can come forward and all nominations will be accepted and voted upon accordingly. Any newly appointed position will assume their new responsibilities in February 2026.

A motion was made to adjourn by Michael Schorn, seconded by Rick Denunzio, and the meeting concluded at 7:33 p.m. The next meeting of The Commission is scheduled for January 28, 2026.