### MINUTES OF

# CITY OF WHARTON SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING JANUARY 25, 2021

Mayor Tim Barker declared a Special Meeting duly open for the transaction of business at 5:00 P.M at City Hall 120 E. Caney Street Wharton, TX. Councilmember Russell Machann led the opening devotion and Mayor Tim Barker led the pledge of allegiance.

Councilmember's present were: Mayor Tim Barker and Councilmembers Terry Freese,

Clifford Jackson (Via Zoom), Russell Machann, Don Mueller, Steve Schneider and Alice Heard-Roberts (Via

Zoom).

Councilmember absent was:

None.

Staff members present were: C

City Manager Andres Garza, Jr., City Attorney Paul Webb, Finance Director Joan Andel, City Secretary Paula Favors, TRMC, CPM, MMC, Community Development Director

Gwyn Teves.

Visitors present were:

None.

#### Roll Call and Excused Absences.

All Councilmembers were present.

#### **Public Comments.**

Mayor Tim Barker called for Public Comments. No comments were given.

#### Wharton Moment.

Mayor Tim Barker called for Wharton Moments. Mayor Barker stated H.E.B. successfully distributed over four hundred and fifty (450) COVID-19 vaccines at the Wharton Civic Center on January 15<sup>th</sup>, 2021.

## **Review and Consider:**

### **Executive Session:**

City Council may adjourn into an Executive Session in accordance with Section 551.074 of the Local Government Code, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas. Final action, decision, or vote, if any with regard to any matter considered in Executive Session shall be made in Open Meeting.

Discussion:

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- A. To deliberate the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of a public officer or employee:
  - 1. New City Manager

Mayor Tim Barker moved the meeting into Closed Session at 5:08 p.m.

## Return to Open Session:

Action on items discussed in Executive Session:

- A. To deliberate the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of a public officer or employee:
  - 1. New City Manager

Mayor Tim Barker returned the meeting to Open Session at 7:20 p.m. Mayor Barker stated information only was received.

**Adjournment.** There being no further discussion, Councilmember Russell Machann moved to adjourn. Councilmember Don Mueller seconded the motion. All voted in favor.

The meeting adjourned at 7:20 p.m.

CITY OF WHARTON, TEXAS

By: <u>fee / S a</u> TIM BARKER

Mayor

**ATTEST:** 

RAULA FAVORS

City Secretary