

CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING CITY OF BAY CITY

Tuesday, July 11, 2023 at 6:00 PM COUNCIL CHAMBERS | 1901 5th Street

COUNCIL MEMBERS

Mayor: Robert K Nelson Mayor Pro Tem: Jim Folse

Council Members: Benjamin Flores, Bradley Westmoreland, Becca Sitz, Blayne Finlay

Vision Statement

Through a united and collaborative effort, we seek to grow the City of Bay City with a diverse culture that is proud to call Bay City home. We envision a thriving family-centered community where citizens are involved in the future development of our city. We desire our citizens to work, play, worship and shop in the community in which we live. Visitors are welcomed and encouraged to enjoy the friendly environment and amenities the citizens and business owners have created together.

AGENDA

THE FOLLOWING ITEM WILL BE ADDRESSED AT THIS OR ANY OTHER MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL UPON THE REQUEST OF THE MAYOR, ANY MEMBER(S) OF COUNCIL AND/OR THE CITY ATTORNEY:

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE MAYOR THAT COUNCIL WILL RETIRE INTO CLOSED SESSION FOR CONSULTATION WITH CITY ATTORNEY ON MATTERS IN WHICH THE DUTY OF THE ATTORNEY TO THE CITY COUNCIL UNDER THE TEXAS DISCIPLINARY RULES OF PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT OF THE STATE BAR OF TEXAS CLEARLY CONFLICTS WITH THE OPEN MEETINGS ACT (TITLE 5, CHAPTER 551, SECTION 551.071(2) OF THE TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE).

CALL TO ORDER AND CERTIFICATION OF QUORUM

INVOCATION & PLEDGE

Texas State Flag Pledge: "Honor The Texas Flag; I Pledge Allegiance To Thee, Texas, One State Under God, One And Indivisible."

Mayor Pro Tem Jim Folse

MISSION STATEMENT

The City of Bay City is committed to fostering future economic growth by collaborating with our citizens, employers, current and future businesses, as well as the Community and Economic Development Centers. We strive to deliver superior municipal services and to invest in quality-of-life initiatives such as housing, businesses, jobs and activities for all citizens. We make a concerted effort to respond to resident's concerns in a timely and professional manner in order to achieve customer satisfaction.

Mayor Pro Tem Jim Folse

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

PUBLIC COMMENTS

State Law prohibits any deliberation of or decisions regarding items presented in public comments. City Council may only make a statement of specific factual information given in response to the inquiry; recite an existing policy; or request staff places the item on an agenda for a subsequent meeting.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FROM CITY MANAGER

ITEMS / COMMENTS FROM THE MAYOR, COUNCIL MEMBERS AND CITY MANAGER CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION AND/OR APPROVAL

- 1. City Council Regular Meeting minutes of June 13, 2023.
- 2. City Council Workshop Meeting minutes of June 13, 2023.
- 3. City Council Workshop Meeting minutes of June 15, 2023.
- 4. City Council Regular Meeting minutes of June 27, 2023.

REGULAR ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION AND/OR APPROVAL

- 5. Award ~ Recognition of Angel Lee Chavez and his courage to take life saving action. Christella Rodriguez, Chief of Police
- 6. Public Works~ Discuss CWSRF and DWSRF loan. Dan Olsen, Garver
- 7. Grant ~ Discuss, consider, and/or approve the Fire Marshall to apply for an LCRA Community Development grant seeking funding for pagers for use by all county Volunteer Fire Departments. Dan Shook, Fire Marshall
- 8. Resolution ~ Discuss, consider, and/or approve resolution granting execution of an advance funding agreement with the state to replace or rehabilitate Sixth St & Ave I Bridge over Cottonwood Creek. Gabriel Lopez, Engineering Tech
- 9. Appointment ~ Discuss, consider, and/or approve the appointment of Jonathon Hewitt to the Bay City Community Development Board. Robert Nelson, Mayor
- 10. Appointment ~ Discuss, consider, and/or approve the election of Mayor Pro Tem. Robert K. Nelson
- 11. Districts ~ Discussions regarding the formation of an Emergency Services District. Councilwoman Becca Sitz

CLOSED / EXECUTIVE SESSION

12. Executive Session pursuant to Texas Government Code Section 551.072 (Deliberation regarding Real Property).

RECONVENE AND ACTION

ADJOURNMENT

AGENDA NOTICES:

Attendance By Other Elected or Appointed Officials: It is anticipated that members of other city board, commissions and/or committees may attend the meeting in numbers that may constitute a quorum of the other city boards, commissions and/or committees. Notice is hereby given that the meeting, to the extent required by law, is also noticed as a meeting of the other boards, commissions and/or committees of the City, whose members may be in attendance. The members of the boards, commissions and/or committees may participate in discussions on the same items listed on the agenda, which occur at the meeting, but no action will be taken by such in attendance unless such item and action is specifically provided for on an agenda for that board, commission or committee subject to the Texas Open Meetings Act.

CERTIFICATION OF POSTING

This is to certify that the above notice of a Regular Called Council Meeting was posted on the front window of the City Hall of the City of Bay City, Texas on **Friday, July 7th, 2023 before 6:00 p.m.** Any questions concerning the above items, please contact the Mayor and City Manager's office at (979) 245-2137.