



Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors

City of Texarkana, Arkansas

216 Walnut Street

Agenda - Monday, October 03, 2022 - 6:00 PM

Call to Order

Roll Call

Invocation given by Director Terry Roberts

Pledge of Allegiance led by Texarkana Water Utilities Executive Director Gary Smith

CITIZEN COMMUNICATION

Please fill out a Citizen Communication Card with your name and contact information for the City Clerk's records.

A limit of five (5) minutes per person is allotted for citizens to express their concerns to the Board of Directors, with a maximum of fifty (50) minutes reserved for Citizens Communication. The Board of Directors cannot respond to citizens' concerns during this time.

Be respectful of the Board of Directors, city staff, and the public by refraining from abusive conduct, personal charges, or verbal attacks.

PROCLAMATION(S)

1. Proclamation declaring October 9 – 15, 2022, as Texarkana Black Restaurant Week. (BOD)
(This proclamation added at the request of Director Harris)

PRESENTATION(S)

2. Presentation of the City of Texarkana, Arkansas Employee Service Awards. (ADMIN) City Manager E. Jay Ellington

CONSENT

3. Approval of the minutes of the regular meeting September 19, 2022. (CCD) City Clerk Heather Soyars

REGULAR

4. Adopt an Ordinance to rezone a tract of land located at 7410 Sanderson Lane from R-1 Rural residential to A-1 Mixed use rural zoning in order to operate a plant nursery. (Ward 6) (PWD-Planning) City Planner Mary Beck

5. Adopt an Ordinance to rezone a tract of land located at 8039 Old Post Road from R-1 Rural residential to R-4 Medium density residential zoning in order to divide the land. (Ward 6) (PWD-Planning) City Planner Mary Beck

BOARD OF DIRECTORS' COMMENTARY

CITY MANAGER REPORT

EXECUTIVE SESSION

NEXT MEETING DATE: Monday, October 17, 2022

ADJOURN

City Calendar

National Night Out - Tuesday, October 4th - 6PM - 9PM

Texarkana Down Syndrome Society Awareness Walk & Fun Day - Front Street - Saturday, October 8th - 8AM - 4PM

Al Fresco Concert – 1894 Gallery – Friday, October 14th – 5:30PM – 6:30PM

Food Festival - Bobby Ferguson Park - Saturday, October 15th - 6AM - 10PM

Dine the Line/Octoberfest - Saturday, October 15th - 10AM - 10PM

Universal Vibes - Crossties & Front Street - Saturday, October 15th - 10AM - 11PM

Veterans Day Parade - Saturday, November 12th - 11AM - 1:30PM

Main Street Christmas Parade - Monday, December 5th - 7PM - 9PM

Partnership for the Pathway - Sunday, February 19th - 7AM - 12:30PM

Texarkana Rec Center Calendar

Ageless Grace - Mondays – 2PM – 3PM

Gym Open - Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays – 8AM - 7PM & Saturdays - 8AM – Noon

Life Skills & Risk Avoidance

GIRLS

October 10th – 5PM – 6PM

October 17th – 5PM – 6PM

October 24th – 5PM – 6PM

October 31st – 5PM – 6PM

BOYS

October 10th – 6PM – 7PM

October 17th – 6PM – 7PM

October 24th – 6PM – 7PM

October 31st – 6PM – 7PM