

City of Freeport

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING
THE FREEPORT CITY COUNCIL
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2006, 6:00 P.M.
MUNICIPAL COURT ROOM
FREEPORT POLICE DEPARTMENT, 430 N. BRAZOSPORT BLVD.

AGENDA FORMAL SESSION

1. Call to Order.
2. Invocation by Jody Jones, Pastor from the West End Baptist Church.
3. Pledge of Allegiance.
4. Approval of the September 11, City Council Minutes.
5. Attending Citizens and Their Business.
6. **Public Hearing:** Consideration of the second public hearing to set a tax rate in excess of the effective tax rate for the 2006 tax year.
7. **Public Hearing:** On the proposed budget for the fiscal year 2006-2007.
8. Consideration of the approval of Ordinance No. 2006-2135 adopting a budget for fiscal year 2006-2007 for the City of Freeport.
9. Consideration of the approval of Ordinance No. 2006-2136, enacting and adopting a supplement to the Code of Ordinances of the City of Freeport.
10. Consideration of the approval of Ordinance No. 2006-2137 amending the budget for the fiscal year 2005-2006.
11. Consideration of a request by the First Freeport/Velasco Baptist Church to close the street between Hopper Field and Kroger for the 2nd Annual Brazosport Exporters Tailgate Party on October 13, 2006 from 5:00 p.m. to game time.
12. Consideration of the approval of designating a city representative and an alternative to the Houston Galveston Area Council 2007 General Assembly.

13. Consideration of the approval of accepting a petition calling for a referendum within the city limits of the City of Freeport, Texas on the repeal of Ordinance No. 2006-2132 prohibiting the use or authorization of loans involving public funds to a private business, that are authorized by the Texas State Constitution and Texas State Law; and supporting Economic Development of a Marina in in Downtown Freeport.

Elected Official Report

Work Session

- A. Discussion concerning the sale of property on 1108 Riverview Drive.
- B. Update from Michael O' Brien on the Texas Star Casino.

Executive Session

- A. Section 551.071 Government Code
Consultation with City Attorney concerning pending or contemplated litigation settlement offers or other matter in which his duty to the City Council under the Texas Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct of the State Bar of Texas clearly conflicts with Chapter 551, Government Code, to wit:

- (l) Marina

Adjourn

NOTE: ITEMS NOT NECESSARILY DISCUSSED IN THE ORDER THEY APPEAR ON THE AGENDA. THE COUNCIL, AT ITS DISCRETION, MAY TAKE ACTION ON ANY OR ALL OF THE ITEMS AS LISTED.

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Delia Muñoz, City Secretary
City of Freeport, Texas