# **AGENDA REGULAR MEETING** FREEPORT CITY COUNCIL MONDAY, JULY 15, 2019 at 6:00 P.M.

Mayor:

## **Council Members:**

City Manager: Timothy Kelty

Troy Brimage

Ken Green **Brooks Bass** Sandra Loeza Roy Yates

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FREEPORT, TEXAS, WILL MEET ON MONDAY, THE 15th DAY OF JULY 2019, AT 6:00 P.M., AT THE FREEPORT POLICE DEPARTMENT, MUNICIPAL COURT ROOM, 430 NORTH BRAZOSPORT BOULEVARD, FREEPORT TEXAS FOR THE FOLLOWING PURPOSES:

**CALL TO ORDER**: The Mayor will call the meeting to order, declare a quorum if present, and declare notices legally posted pursuant to Open Meetings Act.

**INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**: (Council Member)

#### **CITIZENS' COMMENTS:**

Members of the public are allowed to address the City Council at this time. Note, specific factual information or a recitation of existing policy may be furnished in response to an inquiry made, but any deliberation, discussion, or decision with respect to any subject about which the inquiry was made shall be limited to a proposal to place such subject on the agenda for a subsequent meeting for which notice is provided in compliance with the Texas Open meetings Act unless said notice appears herein. The public is reminded that there is a (4) minute time limit as approved by City Council on June 21, 2010.

PRESENTATIONS/ANNOUNCEMENTS: Announcements by Mayor, City Council and/or Staff

- 1. Certificate presentation to Ray Garivey for the TPCA Best Practices Program
- 2. Employee of the Month.
- 3. Presentation of second quarter financials.

#### **CONSENT AGENDA:**

Consent Agenda items are considered to be routine in nature and may be acted upon in one motion. Any item requiring additional discussion may be withdrawn from the Consent Agenda by the Mayor, Councilmember or City Manager, and acted upon separately.

- 4. Consideration and possible action on the approval of City Council meeting minutes from July 1, 2019. (**Tolar**)
- 5. Consider and approving Resolution No. 2019-2599 adopting the actions of the City of Freeport Employee Benefit Trust (**Russell**)

#### **COUNCIL BUSINESS – REGULAR SESSION:**

- 6. Consideration of approving Ordinance No. 2019-2577 amending Chapter 153, Flood Damage Prevention, of the Code of Ordinances adopting a new article regulating levees and the levee system. (Shoemaker)
- 7. Consideration of approving Resolution No. 2019-2600 regarding the City's pay policy for employees during emergencies. (Motley)
- 8. Discuss and consider approving the cost of proposed repairs to the Mystery Boat. (Townsend)
- 9. Consideration of approving Resolution No. 2019-2601 requesting the City to participate in the Texas Interlocal Purchasing System (TIPS) and naming the City Manager as the Authorized Person. (Russell)
- 10. Discuss and consider approving the cost to reroof the Freeport Historical Museum/Brazosport College and Hickey House located at 212 West Park. (**Strahan**)
- 11. Discuss and consider authorizing the city to conduct a water/sewer rate study. (Russell)
- 12. Consideration and possible action on approval of proposal for preparation of a Feasibility Study for relocation and consolidation of most City Services to O.A. Fleming Campus. (Kelty)

## **WORK SESSION:**

- 13. The City Council may deliberate and make inquiry into any item listed in the Work Session.
  - A. Mayor Troy T. Brimage announcements and comments.
  - B. Councilman Green Ward A announcements and comments.
  - C. Councilman Bass Ward B announcements and comments.
  - D. Councilwoman Loeza Ward C announcements and comments.
  - E. Councilman Yates Ward D announcements and comments.
  - F. City Manager Tim Kelty announcement and comments
  - G. Updates on current infrastructure.
  - H. Update on reports / concerns from Department heads.

## **CLOSED SESSION:**

14. Executive Session regarding economic development (Projects 2019-2 and 2019-3) in accordance with Vernon's Texas Government Code Annotated, Chapter 551, 551.087

## **COUNCIL BUSINESS - REGULAR SESSION:**

15. Consideration in open session of taking action on any matter discussed in closed executive session. (Kelty)

### **ADJOURNMENT:**

16. Adjourn.

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. This notice is posted pursuant to the Texas Open Meeting Act. (Chapter 551, Government Code).

The City Council reserves the right to adjourn into executive session at any time during the course of this meeting to discuss any of the matters listed above, as authorized by Texas Government Code Sections 551.071 (Consultation with Attorney), 551.072 (Deliberations about Real Property), 551.073 (Deliberations about Gifts and Donations), 551.074 (Personnel Matters), 551.076 (Deliberations about Security Devices) and 551.087 (Economic Development).

ACCESSIBILITY STATEMENT This facility is wheelchair accessible and accessible parking spaces are available. Requests for accommodations or interpretive services must be made 48 hours prior to this meeting. Please contact the City Secretary's Office at (979) 233-3526.

CERTIFICATE I certify the foregoing notice was posted in the official glass case at the rear door of the City Hall, with 24 hours a day public access, 200 West 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, Freeport Texas, before 6:00 p.m. on this the 12<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2019.

Laura Tolar, Interim City Secretary City of Freeport, Texas