

NOTICE TO PUBLIC

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Athens, Texas will meet in Special Session on Tuesday, August 2, 2022, at 5:30 p.m. in the Civic Hall, Room 216 of the Cain Center 915 S. Palestine Street, Athens, Texas and immediately following convene in a Budget Work Session to consider the following:

- 1) Invocation
- 2) Pledge of Allegiance
- 3) Declaration of Conflict of Interest
- 4) Public Communications

"Pursuant to Texas Government Code section 551.007, members of the public may speak on an agenda item during the public communication section of the meeting, or at the time the agenda item is called for discussion by the Mayor. Speakers shall be given three (3) minutes to speak. A speaker needing a translator and/or interpreter may be given six (6) minutes to speak. Members of the public wishing to address the Council on non-agenda items may do so pursuant to the same time constraints as agenda items. The Council will not comment on items not on the agenda; however, the Council may refer the item to City Staff for research, resolution or referral of the matter to the Council as a future agenda item."

- Mayor, City Council and/or City Manager updates involving Community Events and issues of Public Safety
- 6) Consent Agenda

(All matters listed are considered to be routine by the City Council and will be enacted by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless requested by a member of the City Council. The item may subsequently be removed from the Consent Agenda to be considered separately.)

- a) Consider approving minutes of the July 22, 2022, Budget Work Session
- b) Consider approving minutes of the July 25, 2022, Regular Session
- c) Consider confirming the reappointment of John Trent to the Civil Service Commission

- 7) Resolutions
 - a) Discuss, consider, and take action, as necessary, concerning the approval of a Resolution selecting the next step as outlined in the Charter with regards to Citizen's Initiative by Petition outlawing abortion declaring Athens a Sanctuary City for the Unborn [E. Borstad]
 - b) Discuss, consider, and take action, as necessary, concerning the approval of a Resolution authorizing the City Manager to execute the renewal of the Interlocal Agreement between the City and Athens Independent School District for the School Resource Officer Program – [E. Borstad and J. Densmore]
- B) Discuss, consider, and take action, as necessary, concerning the approval of a Resolution establishing the date, time, and location for Budget and Tax Rate Hearings and placing proposed specific tax rate, tax rate adoption, and all related matters on future City Council agenda
- 9) Enter into Budget Work Session
- 10) Discussed Fiscal Year 2023 City Manager's Proposed Budget [E. Borstad and M. Quigg]
- 11) Adjourn

Executive Session (Closed Meeting): Pursuant to the Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551, Texas Government Code, Sections 551.071, 551.072, 551.073, 551.074, 551.076, 551.087, 418.183(f), and 418.106(d) & (e). Refer to posted list attached hereto and incorporated herein.

If during the course of the meeting covered by this notice, the City Council should determine that a closed or executive meeting or session of the City Council or a consultation with the attorney for the City should be held or is required, then such closed or executive meeting or session or consultation with attorney as authorized by the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code § 551.001 et. seq., will be held by the City Council at the date, hour and place given in this notice as the City Council may conveniently meet in such closed or executive meeting or session or consult with the attorney for the City concerning any and all subjects and for any and all purposes permitted by the Act, including, but not limited to, the following sanctions and purposes:

Texas Government Code Section:

- § 551.071 Private consultation with the attorney for the City.
- § 551.072 Discussing purchase, exchange, lease or value of real property.
- § 551.074 Discussing personnel or to hear complaints or charges against personnel or officials.

"PURSUANT TO SECTION 30.06, PENAL CODE (TRESPASS BY LICENSE HOLDER WITH A CONCEALED HANDGUN), A PERSON LICENSED UNDER SUBCHAPTER H, CHAPTER 411, GOVERNMENT CODE (HANDGUN LICENSING LAW), MAY NOT ENTER THIS PROPERTY WITH A CONCEALED HANDGUN."

"DE CONFORMIDAD CON LA SECCIÓN 30.06, CÓDIGO PENAL (ESTAR EN ESTA PROPIEDAD POR TITULAR DE LA LICENCIA CON UNA PISTOLA OCULTA), UNA PERSONA CON LICENCIA BAJO EL SUBCAPÍTULO H, CAPÍTULO 411, CÓDIGO DE GOBIERNO (LEY DE LICENCIAS ARMA DE FUEGO), NO PUEDE ENTRAR EN ESTA PROPIEDAD CON UNA PISTOLA OCULTA."

"PURSUANT TO SECTION 30.07, PENAL CODE (TRESPASS BY LICENSE HOLDER WITH AN OPENLY CARRIED HANDGUN), A PERSON LICENSED UNDER SUBCHAPTER H, CHAPTER 411, GOVERNMENT CODE (HANDGUN LICENSING LAW), MAY NOT ENTER THIS PROPERTY WITH A HANDGUN THAT IS CARRIED OPENLY"

"DE CONFORMIDAD CON LA SECCIÓN 30.07, CÓDIGO PENAL (ESTAR EN ESTA PROPIEDAD POR TITULAR DE LA LICENCIA CON UNA PISTOLA EN PLENO VISTA), UNA PERSONA CON LICENCIA BAJO EL SUBCAPÍTULO H, CAPÍTULO 411, CÓDIGO DE GOBIERNO (LEY DE LICENCIAS ARMA DE FUEGO), NO PUEDE ENTRAR EN ESTA PROPIEDAD CON UNA PISTOLA EN PLENO VISTA"

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