

CITY OF GROVES

Notice of Regular Meeting of the City Council

City Council Chamber
August 28, 2023

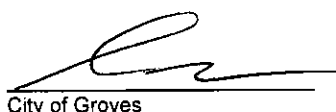
Groves City Hall
5:00 p.m.

AGENDA

- I. Call meeting to order - prayer.
- II. Roll Call.
- III. Welcome and recognize guests and news media.
- IV. Approve the minutes of the August 14, 2023 City Council Meeting and Joint Public Hearing.
- V. Receive the minutes of the August 21, 2023 Planning and Zoning Meeting.
- VI. Reports/Citizen Comments:
 - a. Report from the City Manager regarding Health Insurance.
 - b. Report from the Groves Chamber of Commerce regarding Small Business Wednesdays.
- VII. Mayor:
 - a. Consider approval to allow the Groves Chamber of Commerce to operate a Beer Garden during the Groves Pecan Festival.
 - b. Consider approval to allow the Paws of Hope to have an artist donate a painting on the side of the animal shelter building.
 - c. Consider setting a date for a Joint Public Hearing on a request for a Specific Use Permit for Gaming Machines and Game Rooms at 2600 Main Ave. and 2610 Main Ave.
 - d. Consider approval of the Collective Bargaining Agreement between the City of Groves, Texas and the Groves Firefighters Association for 10/1/2023 – 09/30/2024.
 - e. Discuss and approve the contract proposed by Soutex for engineering service for the installation of a new mechanical bar screen and a new grit classifier at the City of Groves Wastewater Treatment Facility.
 - f. Consider approval to award lease of copiers for use at City Hall, Public Works and Library.
 - g. Receive "Certification of Unopposed Candidates" for the City of Groves General Election previously ordered for November 7, 2023.
 - h. Consider approval to hold a vote for purpose to adopt the City of Groves' proposed FY 2023-2024 Budget at the regularly scheduled City Council Meeting on September 11, 2023.
 - i. Consider approval of the Proposed Tax Increase and Rate of \$0.609690 / \$100 for the 2023-2024 Budget via record vote.
 - j. Consider approval to hold a Public Hearing at Groves City Hall on September 11, 2023 at 5:00 p.m. for the purpose to review the City of Groves' proposed FY 2023-2024 Tax Rate and Increase.
- VIII. City Attorney:
 - a. Consider approval of Ordinance 2023-12 canceling the City of Groves General Election previously ordered for November 7, 2023.
- IX. City Manager:
 - a. Invoices
- X. Councilmember Comments:
- XI. Adjourn.

I certify that the above notice of meeting was posted on the bulletin board and front door of City Hall, 3947 Lincoln Avenue, on August 25, 2023 at

11:15 AM/PM.



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