Bobby Warren, Mayor Drew Wasson, Council Position No. 1 Sheri Sheppard, Council Position No. 2 Michelle Mitcham, Council Position No. 3 James Singleton, Council Position No. 4 Jennifer McCrea, Council Position No. 5



Austin Bleess, City Manager Lorri Coody, City Secretary Justin Pruitt, City Attorney

Jersey Village City Council - Regular Meeting Agenda

Notice is hereby given of a Regular Meeting of the City Council of the City of Jersey Village to be held on Monday, July 17, 2023, at 6:00 p.m. at the Civic Center Auditorium, 16327 Lakeview Drive, Jersey Village, Texas, for the purpose of considering the following agenda items. All agenda items are subject to action. A quorum of the City Council will be physically present at the meeting; however, some Council Members may participate in the meeting via videoconference call. The City Council reserves the right to meet in closed session on any agenda item should the need arise and if applicable pursuant to authorization by Title 5, Chapter 551, of the Texas Government Code.

A. CALL TO ORDER AND ANNOUNCE A QUORUM IS PRESENT

B. INVOCATION, PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

- 1. Prayer by Jeremy E. Ray American Legion Post 324 Chaplain.
- 2. Pledge by Stefanie Otto, Commander, Jeremy E. Ray American Legion Post 324.

C. PRESENTATIONS

- 1. Presentation of Police Department Employee of the Second Quarter Award by Stefanie Otto, Commander of the Jeremy E. Ray American Legion Post 324. *Bobby Warren, Mayor*
- 2. Presentation of the departmental lifesaving award to Officers Guzman and Garcia. *Kirk Riggs, Chief of Police*

D. CITY OF JERSEY VILLAGE CRIME CONTROL AND PREVENTION DISTRICT

- 1. Receive the adopted fiscal year 2023-2024 budget from the Jersey Village Crime Control and Prevention District (CCPD). *Lorri Coody, City Secretary and CCPD Secretary*
- **2.** Conduct a public hearing on the Jersey Village Crime Control and Prevention District's budget for the fiscal year 2023-2024. *Bobby Warren, Mayor*
- **3.** Consider Resolution No. 2023-34, adopting the Jersey Village Crime Control and Prevention District's Budget for fiscal year 2023-2024. *Bobby Warren, Mayor*

E. CITY OF JERSEY VILLAGE FIRE CONTROL, PREVENTION, AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES DISTRICT

1. Receive the adopted fiscal year 2023-2024 budget from the Jersey Village Fire Control, Prevention, and Emergency Medical Services District (FCPEMSD). *Lorri Coody, City Secretary and CCPD Secretary*

- 2. Conduct a public hearing on the Jersey Village Fire Control, Prevention, and Emergency Medical Services District's budget for the fiscal year 2023-2024. *Bobby Warren, Mayor*
- **3.** Consider Resolution No. 2023-35, adopting the Jersey Village Fire Control, Prevention, and Emergency Medical Services District's Budget for fiscal year 2023-2024. *Bobby Warren, Mayor*

F. FISCAL 2023-2024 MUNICIPAL BUDGET ITEMS

- 1. Conduct a public hearing on the City of Jersey Village municipal budget for fiscal year 2023-2024. *Bobby Warren, Mayor*
- **2.** Consider Resolution No. 2023-36, electing to postpone the final budget vote on the 2023-2024 Municipal Budget until August 21, 2023. *Austin Bleess, City Manager*
- **3.** Consider Resolution No. 2023-37, setting the maximum proposed ad valorem tax rate; setting date for the public hearing on tax increase; and setting the date City Council will adopt the fiscal year 2023-2024 ad valorem tax rate. *Austin Bleess, City Manager*

G. CITIZENS' COMMENTS

Citizens who have signed a card and wish to speak to the City Council will be heard at this time. In compliance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, unless the subject matter of the comment is on the agenda, the City staff and City Council Members are prevented from discussing the subject and may respond only with statements of factual information or existing policy. Citizens are limited to five (5) minutes for their comments to the City Council. *Bobby Warren, Mayor*

H. CITY MANAGER'S REPORT

- 1. Monthly Fund Balance Report, Enterprise Funds Report, Governmental Funds Report, Property Tax Collection Report May 2023, General Fund Budget Projections as of June 2023, Utility Fund Budget Projections June 2023, and June Quarterly Investment Report.
- 2. Fire Departmental Report and Communication Division's Monthly Report
- **3.** Police Department Monthly Activity Report, Staffing/Recruitment Report, and Police Open Records Requests.
- 4. Municipal Court Collection Report, Municipal Court Activity Report, Municipal Court Courtroom Activity Report, Speeding and Stop Sign Citations within Residential Areas Report, and Court Proceeds Comparison Report
- 5. Public Works Departmental Status Report
- **6.** Golf Course Monthly Report, Golf Course Financial Statement Report, Golf Course Budget Summary, and Parks and Recreation Departmental Report
- 7. Code Enforcement Report

I. CONSENT AGENDA

The following items are considered routine in nature by the City Council and will be enacted with one motion and vote. There will not be separate discussion on these items unless requested by a Council Member, in which event the item will be removed from the Consent Agenda and considered by separate action.

1. Consider approval of the Minutes for the Regular Session Meeting held on June 26, 2023. *Lorri Coody, City Secretary*

J. REGULAR AGENDA

- 1. Discuss and take appropriate action concerning a potential Bond Election in November of 2023 for water and sewer improvements, streets improvements, a new pool and bathhouse, and park improvements. *Robert Basford, Assistant City Manager*
- **2.** Consider Ordinance 2023-16, amending the Code of Ordinances of the City of Jersey Village, at Chapter 10, "Animals," Article I. *In General*, by adding a new Section 10-6 "Keeping, harboring and owning chickens"; providing a severability clause; providing for repeal; providing a penalty as provided by section 1-8 of the code; and providing an effective date. *Michelle Mitcham, Mayor Pro tem*

K. MAYOR AND COUNCIL COMMENTS

Pursuant to Texas Government Code § 551.0415, City Council Members and City staff may make a reports about items of community interest during a meeting of the governing body without having given notice of the report. Items of community interest include:

- Expressions of thanks, congratulations, or condolence;
- Information regarding holiday schedules;
- An honorary or salutary recognition of a public official, public employee, or other citizen, except that a discussion regarding a change in the status of a person's public office or public employment is not an honorary or salutary recognition for purposes of this subdivision;
- A reminder about an upcoming event organized or sponsored by the governing body;
- Information regarding a social, ceremonial, or community event organized or sponsored by an entity other than the governing body that was attended or is scheduled to be attended by a member of the governing body or an official or employee of the municipality; and
- Announcements involving an imminent threat to the public health and safety of people in the municipality that has arisen after the posting of the agenda.

L. RECESS THE REGULAR SESSION

Recess the Regular Session to Convene into Executive Session pursuant to the Texas Open Meetings Act, Government Code Section 551.087 Deliberation Regarding Economic Development Negotiations, Sections 551.072 – Deliberations about Real Property and 551.071 – Consultations with Attorney.

M. EXECUTIVE SESSION

1. Pursuant to the Texas Open Meeting Act Section 551.087 Deliberation Regarding Economic Development Negotiations, Section 551.072 Deliberations about Real Property, and Section 551.071 Consultations with Attorney a closed meeting to deliberate information from a business prospect that the City seeks to locate in Jersey Village TIRZ Number 2 and economic development negotiations, including the possible purchase, exchange or value of real property, related thereto. *Austin Bleess, City Manager*

N. ADJOURN EXECUTIVE SESSION AND RECONVENE REGULAR SESSION

Adjourn the Executive Session, stating the date and time the Executive Session ended and Reconvene the Regular Session.

O. ADJOURN

CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned authority, do hereby certify in accordance with the Texas Open Meeting Act, the Agenda is posted for public information, at all times, for at least 72 hours preceding the scheduled time of the meeting on the bulletin board located at City

Hall, 16327 Lakeview, Jersey Village, TX 77040, a place convenient and readily accessible to the general public at all times, and said Notice was posted on July 11, 2023 at 5:00 p.m. and remained so posted until said meeting was convened.

Lorri Coody, TRCM, City Secretary

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