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, October 23, 2023, at 7:00 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 and Pledge by: Stefanie Otto, Commander of the Jeremy E. Ray American Legion Post 324.

#### C. PRESENTATIONS

- 1. Presentation of Police Department Employee of the Third Quarter 2023 by Stefanie Otto, Commander of the Jeremy E. Ray American Legion Post 324. *Bobby Warren, Mayor and Commander Stefanie Otto*
- **2.** Presentation of Employee of the Month Award for October 2023 to Gabriel Colchado. *Austin Bleess, City Manager*

#### D. 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. *Mayor* 

#### E. CITY MANAGER'S REPORT

- Monthly Fund Balance Report, Enterprise Funds Report, Governmental Funds Report, Property Tax Collection Report – August 2023, General Fund Budget Projections as of September 2023, Utility Fund Budget Projections – September 2023, and September 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

# F. 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 Special Session Meetings held on August 17, 2023, and October 11, 2023, and the Regular Session Meeting held on September 18, 2023. *Lorri Coody, City Secretary*
- **2.** Consider Resolution 2023-51, authorizing the City Manager to enter into an agreement with BOK Financial Securities, Inc. (BOKFS) for financial advisory services. *Isabel Kato, Finance Director*
- **3.** Consider Resolution 2023-52, authorizing the City Manager to submit the grant application to FEMA for Back-Up Pump Systems for Lift Stations. *Austin Bleess, City Manager*

# G. REGULAR AGENDA

- 1. Consider Resolution 2023-53, adopting a policy regarding standard regulations for all boards, commissions, and committees to include, but not limited to, term limits, appointment practices, member attendance, and member service. *Lorri Coody, City Secretary*
- **2.** Consider Ordinance 2023-25, amending the Code of Ordinances of the City of Jersey Village at Chapter 14, Article II, Section 14-22, Subsection (a) to correct the appointment month and at Subsection (b) to address the method of the appointment of the board's chair and vice chair; providing for severability; and providing an effective date. *Lorri Coody, City Secretary*
- **3.** Consider Resolution No. 2023-54, appointing members to serve on the Board of Adjustment (BOA) for the term beginning October 1, 2023, and ending September 30, 2025; and appointing a Chair and Vice Chair for the Board of Adjustment (BOA) for the term beginning October 1, 2023, and ending September 30, 2024. *Lorri Coody, City Secretary*
- **4.** Consider Resolution No. 2023-55, appointing a member to serve in vacant Position One of the Planning and Zoning Commission (P&Z) and the Capital Improvements Advisory Committee (CIAC) for the term beginning October 1, 2023, and ending September 30, 2025. *Lorri Coody, City Secretary*
- **5.** Consider Resolution No. 2023-56, designating a city representative and an alternate representative to the Houston-Galveston Area Council's 2024 General Assembly. *Lorri Coody, City Secretary*

## H. 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.

## I. 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.

## J. 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* 

# K. 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.

# L. RECONVENE REGULAR SESSION

1. Discuss and take appropriate action on items discussed in the Executive Session regarding 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* 

## M. 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 October 18, 2023, at 5:00 p.m. and remained so posted until said meeting was convened.

# Lorri Coody, TRMC, City Secretary

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