## **REVISION**

# NOTICE OF A REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA CITY OF AMES, TEXAS MARCH 14, 2022

Notice is hereby given of a **Public Meeting** of the City Council of the City of Ames to be held on **Monday, March 14, 2022,** at **6:00 o'clock P.M.** in the council chambers of the city hall, 304 Martin Drive, for the purpose of considering the following agenda of items. All agenda items are subject to action. The city council reserve the right to meet in a CLOSED SESSION on any agenda item should the need arise and if applicable pursuant to authorization by **Title 5 Chapter 552** of the Texas **Government Code.** 

#### A. ROLL CALL

Council Member	Present	Absent	Late
Mayor Cornelius Gilmore			
Council Member Michael Trahan #1			
Council Member Carlton Rollins #2			
Council Member Eddie White #3			
Council Member Barbara Domain #4			
Council Member Audrey Harrison #5			

- **B. INVOCATION**
- C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- D. CITIZEN APPEARANCE
- E. MINUTES Approve minutes from the February 14, 2022, Regular City Council Meeting

### **OLD BUSINESS**

None

# **REGULAR SESSION TO BEGIN**

2022-01 – DISCUSS AND TAKE ACTION – ENTERGY TEXAS, INC.'S STATEMENT OF INTENT AND APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF TWO VOLUNTARY RENEWABLE OPTION TARIFFS, RIDER SVRO AND RIDER LVRO.

<u>2022-02 – DISCUSS AND TAKE ACTION – NOTICE OF CENTERPOINT ENERGY'S 2022 GRIP FILING FOR THE BEAUMONT/EAST TEXAS DIVISION.</u>

<u>2022-03 – APPROVE HIRING ANOTHER CITY EMPLOYEE FOR THE MAINTENANCE DEPARTMENT AT \$17.00 PER HOUR TO BE PAID OUT OF THE 2021-2022 BUDGET FROM THE UTILITY ACCOUNT.</u>

<u>2022-04 - TAKE ACTION TO APPROVE THE \$449.00 FOR THE IPAD FOR THE CITY OF AMES TO VIDEORECORD THE MEETINGS TO BE PAID OUT OF THE GOVERNMENT ACCOUNT.</u>

2022-05 – TAKE ACTION AND APPROVE TREY NESLONEY ATTORNEY FEES IN THE AMOUNT OF \$3,801.00 FOR MARCH EXPENSES INCURRED WORKING WITH THE CITY OF LIBERTY LAWSUIT REGARDING THE SEWER SYSTEM TO BE PAID OUT OF THE GOVERNMENT ACCOUNT.

2022-06 - APPROVE MONTHLY BILLS FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH - \$8,058.33 OUT OF THE UTILITY ACCOUNT AND \$11,160.23 OUT OF THE GOVERNMENT ACCOUNT.

2022-07 – APPROVE FINAL PAYMENT TO TEXAS DRAINAGE THE AMOUNT OF \$110,600.00 FOR DIGGING DITCHES AROUND THE CITY OF AMES TO BE PAID OUT OF THE GOVERNMENT ACCOUNT TO BE REIMBURSED FROM THE SECOND DISBURSEMENT OF THE TDEM GRANT.

<u>2022-08 – APPROVE AND PAY THE WATER DEPARTMENT \$204.48 FOR DAMAGE TO WATER LINE ON FRIEND ROAD TO BE PAID OUT OF THE UTILITY ACCOUNT.</u>

<u>2022-09 – APPROVE REIMBURSING WESLEY FREEMAN \$94.00 FOR OVERPAYMENT OF SEWER</u> BILL TO BE PAID OUT OF THE UTILITY ACCOUNT.

2022-10 - APPROVE TO PAY \$100.00 TOTAL FOR FOUR (4) COUNCIL MEMBERS TO ATTEND THE TML QUARTERLY MEETING IN PORT ARTHUR, TEXAS ON 3/31/2022 TO BE PAID OUT OF THE GOVERNMENT ACCOUNT.

2022-11 — APPROVE TO REIMBURSE CORNELIUS GILMORE FOR ONE SECURITY OFFICER SERVICES PROVIDED ON FEBRUARY 14, 2022 MEETING OF \$200.00 AND ON MARCH 14, 2022 MEETING OF \$200.00 TOTALLING \$400.00 TO BE PAID OUT OF THE GOVERNMENT ACCOUNT.

MAYOR'S REPORT

2022-12 - INFORMATION WORKSHOP.

ADJOURNMENT

## **ADA COMPLIANCE**

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, the City of Ames will provide for reasonable accommodation for person attending city council meeting. To better serve you request should be made 24 hours prior to meeting. Please contact Jennifer Purnell at (936) 336-7278, via Fax (936) 336-8856 or email: secretary@cityofamestexas.com during normal business hours.

### **CERTIFICATION**

I certify that a copy of the March 14, 2022, agenda items to be considered by the Council of the City of Ames was posted on the FRONT DOOR of the Ames City Hall on or before 5:00 o'clock P.M. on March 11, 2022, and will remain so posted until after said meeting is held.

Jennifer Purhell

City Secretary

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Jennifer Purne