

**CLARKSVILLE CITY COUNCIL
REGULAR CALLED MEETING
AGENDA**

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Clarksville shall meet in a regularly called meeting at 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, March 16, 2021. The meeting will be held in the Council Chambers of City Hall, 800 West Main Street, Clarksville, Texas. The matters to be discussed and acted upon are as follows:

1. Opening Ceremonies Call to Order..... Mayor Ann Rushing
 Pledge of Allegiance..... Chrissy Witmer
 Invocation..... W.F. Babe Higgins
2. Roll Call
3. City of Clarksville Vision Statement
4. Citizens’ presentation: Any citizen wishing to address the council may do so after rising, giving name and address. The council may not address any issues not listed on the agenda; however, it may receive information.
5. Mayor Comments and Update.
6. City Manager Comments and Update.
7. Discuss and act on the approval of the City Council Minutes for:
 - a. March 1, 2021 Regular Meeting
8. Review Financials and Approve the Payment of Bills
9. Review Department Reports.
10. Discuss, consider and possible action on reading the Racial Profiling Report for 2020 into the meeting minutes.
11. A presentation by Deirdre Neely pertaining to the 501c3 organization Citizens Communities Creating Change (C4).
12. Discuss, consider and possible action on a proclamation declaring April 2021 as Fair Housing Month.
13. Discuss, consider and possible action to award the hiring of an engineer for the 2021-2022 CDBG grant application.
14. Discuss, consider and possible action on setting aside the date of May 1, 2021 for the 2021 Clarksville Citywide Cleanup to coincide with the Great American Cleanup, and Keep Texas Beautiful.
15. Discuss, consider and possible action on the adoption of an Ordinance authorizing publication of notice of intention to issue City of Clarksville, Texas certificates of obligation series 2021.
16. Discuss, consider and approve an Ordinance No. 2021-10 regarding the use of tires as planters or yard ornaments.
17. Discuss, consider and possible action to award the City of Clarksville 2021 Mow Bids.
18. Discuss, consider and possible action on the purchase of a new hose for the sewer machine.
19. EXECUTIVE SESSION: Pursuant to the following designated sections of the Texas Government Code, Annotates, Chapter 551, Subchapter D, the City Council of the City of Clarksville will enter executive session to discuss the following:
 - a. Section 551.074 Personnel. Deliberation regarding the appointment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of public officer or employee
 - City Manager Applications

20. RECONVENE INTO OPEN SESSION to take any action necessary on the following items:

- a. Section 551.074 Personnel. Deliberation regarding the appointment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of public officer or employee
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21. Discuss, consider and possible action on budget amendments and line-item transfers.
22. Mayor and Council comments
23. Adjournment.

The City Council reserves the right to meet in Executive Session closed to the public at any time in the course of this meeting to discuss matters listed on the agenda, as authorized by the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code, Chapter 551, including §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 against personnel); and §551.087 (discussing economic development negotiations). Any decision held on such matters will be taken or conducted in Open Session following the conclusion of the Executive Session.

Pursuant to Section 551.127, Texas Government Code, one or more Councilmembers or employees may attend this meeting remotely using, teleconferencing or videoconferencing technology. The video and audio feed of the videoconferencing equipment can be viewed and heard by the public at the address posted above as the location of the meeting.

Persons with disabilities who plan to attend this meeting and who may need assistance or interpretation should contact the office of the City Secretary at 903-427-3834 Ext. 255, two (2) days prior to the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

Las personas con discapacidad que pretenden asistir a esta reunión y que necesite ayuda o interpretación deben póngase en contacto con la oficina de la Secretaría de la ciudad en 903-427-3834 Ext. 255, 2 dos días antes de la reunión para que se pueden hacer arreglos apropiados.

CERTIFICATION

I certify that the above notice of meeting was posted at the front door of City Hall, 800 W. Main Street, Clarksville, Texas, being a place convenient and readily accessible to the general public at all times and said notice was posted by the following date and time: Friday, March 12, 2021 at 6:00 PM, and remained so posted at least 72 hours preceding the scheduled time of said meeting.


Damien Carrasco, Interim City Manager


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