



City Council Meeting Agenda

5:30 p.m.

March 23, 2023

300 West Cotton Street

Jo Ann Metcalf Municipal Building

City Hall Council Chamber

- I. Call to Order**
- II. Invocation**
- III. Pledge of Allegiance**
- IV. Presentation**
 - A.** Presentation of a Proclamation commemorating April 8th as "Autism Awareness Family Fun Day" to Eneatra Anderson & Alice Coleman of the Chrysalis Spectrum Foundation – Dr. Andy Mack, Mayor.
 - B.** Presentation concerning investments of the Longview Fire Fighters' Relief and Retirement Fund - Will Harrell, Vice President of Investments of Robert Harrell, Inc.
- V. Citizen Comment**
- VI. Public Safety Update**
 - A.** Police
 - B.** Fire
- VII. Consent Agenda**
 - A.** Consider a Resolution authorizing and directing the City Manager or the City Manager's designee to execute any necessary documents for the purchase of Clarifloc TX-2303 Polymer on an as-needed basis via the city's purchasing agreement with the local government purchasing cooperative

administered by the Texas Association of School Boards (“TASB Buyboard”). – Dwayne Archer, Director of Public Works.

- B.** Consider a Resolution authorizing the City Manager or the City Manager’s designee to apply for, accept and expend grant funds in an amount not to exceed \$1,266,000.00 from The Department of Health & Human Services, The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), Center for Substance Abuse Prevention (CSAP) for funding for the support of first responders and members of other key community sectors for the administration of a drug or device approved or cleared under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FD&C Act) for emergency reversal of known or suspected opioid overdose – Laura Hill, Director of Grant and Human Services.
- C.** Consider a Resolution authorizing the City Manager or the City Manager’s designee to apply for, accept and expend grant funds in an amount not to exceed \$12,000,000 from the The U.S.Department of Transportation RAISE Grant, to plan and construct the next phase of the Paul Boorman Trail from U.S. Hwy. 80 south to Loop 281 – Laura Hill, Director of Grant and Human Services.
- D.** Consider a Resolution awarding a contract in the amount of \$75,532.15 and authorizing the City Manager or his designee to execute any necessary documents with Allen's Electric Motor Service, Inc., of Vivian, LA, for the reconditioning of a Fairbanks Morse 1000 horsepower motor – Dwayne Archer, Director of Public Works.
- E.** Consider a Resolution awarding a contract in the amount of \$60,000.00 and authorizing the City Manager or his designee to execute any necessary documents with Dynamic Motions, Inc., of Shreveport, LA, for a new 6 million gallon per day pump – Dwayne Archer, Director of Public Works.
- F.** Consider a Resolution authorizing the City Manager or the City Manager’s designee to accept and expend grant funds in the amount of \$42,000 from the Youth Collaboratory Mentoring+ Program to provide mentoring services to 30 youths through the Partners in Prevention Aspire Mentoring Program – Holly Fuller, Partners in Prevention Manager.
- G.** Consider a Resolution suspending for 45 days the effective date proposed by Atmos Energy-Mid-Texas Division (Atmos-MidTex) in its application filed on or about February 24, 2023, pursuant to section 104.301 of the Gas Utility Regulatory Act – Robert Ray, City Attorney.
- H.** Consider a Resolution suspending for 45 days the effective date proposed by CenterPoint Energy Resources Corp., d/b/a CenterPoint Energy Entex and CenterPoint Energy Texas Gas – Beaumont/East Texas Division, in its

application filed on or about March 2, 2023, pursuant to section 104.301 of the Gas Utility Regulatory Act – Robert Ray, City Attorney.

- I. Consider a Resolution authorizing and directing the City Manager or the City Manager's designee to execute any necessary documents for the application, receipt and expenditure of grant funds in the amount of \$7898.86 from the Law Enforcement Officer Standards and Education (LEOSE) fund for the purpose of continuing education and training for law enforcement personnel of the Longview Police Department – Anthony Boone, Police Chief.

VIII. Action Items

A PUBLIC HEARING will be held to consider a Resolution amending the 2021 CDBG/HOME Action Plan and adopting the HOME American Rescue Plan Allocation Plan for submission to HUD – Dakota Brown, Community Development Manager.

IX. Items of Community Interest

X. Executive Session

Personnel Matters – Under Texas Government Code Section 551.074

Consider, discuss, and deliberate matters related to the employment of the City Attorney and the Judge of the City of Longview Municipal Court, including matters related to compensation.

XI. Adjourn

Any final action, decision, or vote on a matter deliberated in a closed meeting will only be taken in an open meeting that is held in compliance with Texas Government Code, Chapter 551. The City Council reserves the right to adjourn into a closed meeting or executive session as authorized by Texas Government Code, Sections 551.001, et seq. (the Texas Open Meetings Act) on any item on its open meeting agenda in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, including, without limitation Sections 551.071-551.088 of the Texas Open Meetings Act. In addition, the City Council may consider a vote to excuse the absence of any City Council Member for absence from this meeting or for absence from any previous City Council meeting.

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