
CITY COUNCIL AGENDA

Notice is hereby given that the Rockport City Council will hold a regular meeting on Tuesday, August 25, 2015, at 6:30 p.m. The meeting will be held at Rockport City Hall, 622 E. Market, Rockport, Texas. The matters to be discussed and acted upon are as follows:

Opening Agenda

1. Call meeting to order.
2. Pledge of Allegiance.
3. Citizens to be heard.

At this time, comments will be taken from the audience on any subject matter that is not on the agenda. To address the Council, please sign the speaker's card located on the table outside the Council Chamber and deliver to the City Secretary before the meeting begins. Please limit comments to three (3) minutes. In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, Council may not discuss or take action on any item that has not been posted on the agenda.

Consent Agenda

All consent agenda items listed are considered to be routine by the City Council and will be enacted by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a Council Member so requests, in which event the item will be removed from the Consent Agenda and considered in its normal sequence on the agenda.

4. Deliberate and act on approval of City Council Regular Meeting Minutes of August 11, 2015.
5. Deliberate and act on request for closure of certain sections of E. North Street, S. Ann Street, E. Market Street, S. Magnolia Street, E. Concho Drive, Broadway Drive, and Austin Street for the 11th Annual Tropical Christmas Festival and parade on December 5, 2015, as well as approval for use of the Festival Grounds and temporary signage at various locations, including a street banner at the Walmart entryway on Highway 35 N.
6. Deliberate and act on report from the Aquarium at Rockport Harbor for 2015 Aquafest marketing expenditures and authorize disbursement of Hotel Occupancy Tax funds.
7. Deliberate and act on request for use of the Festival Grounds and closure of certain sections of S. Ann Street, E. Market Street, and S. Magnolia Street, for the Seafair Festival and parade as well as approval for temporary signage at various locations for the Seafair Festival and Hummer Bird Celebration, including a street banner at the Walmart entryway on Highway 35 N. and various off-street directional signs.
8. Deliberate and act on Resolution authorizing publication of delinquent taxpayers' names.
9. Deliberate and act on cancellation of November 24, 2015, and December 22, 2015, Workshop and Regular City Council Meetings.

Public Hearing

10. Conduct a Public Hearing on City of Rockport Fiscal Year 2015-2016 budget.

Regular Agenda

11. Hear and deliberate on progress report on delinquent tax collections.
12. Deliberate and act on second reading of a proposed Ordinance amending the City of Rockport Code of Ordinances Chapter 102 "Utilities," Article II, "Water Service," Division 3, "Service Charges" by amending water rates for all customers; providing for the validity of said Ordinance; repealing all prior ordinances in conflict herewith; and providing for an effective date.
13. Deliberate and act on second reading of a proposed Ordinance amending the City of Rockport Code of Ordinances Chapter 102 "Utilities," Article III, "Wastewater Service," Division 4, "Service Charges" by amending wastewater rates for all customers; providing for the validity of said Ordinance; repealing all prior ordinances in conflict herewith; and providing for an effective date.
14. Deliberate and act on second reading of a proposed Ordinance amending the City of Rockport Code of Ordinances Chapter 102 "Utilities," Chapter 82 "Solid Waste," Article II, "Refuse Collection," Section 82.39 "Fee Schedule"; repealing all prior ordinances in conflict herewith; and providing for publication and an effective date.
15. Deliberate and act to authorize the City Manager to negotiate and execute all necessary documents for the purchase of up to two compressed natural gas trolley buses.
16. Reports from Council.
At this time, the City Council will report/update on all committee assignments, which may include the following: Aransas Pathways Steering Committee; Building and Standards Commission; Coastal Bend Bays and Estuaries Program; Coastal Bend Council of Government; Environmental Committee for Water Issues; Keep Rockport Beautiful Advisory Board; Parks & Leisure Services Advisory Board; Planning & Zoning Commission; Rockport Heritage District Board; Rockport-Fulton Chamber of Commerce; Aransas County Storm Water Management Advisory Committee; Swimming Pool Operations Advisory Committee; Tourism Development Council; Tree & Landscape Committee; YMCA Project Committee; Texas Maritime Museum, Fulton Mansion, Rockport Center for the Arts, Aransas County, Aransas County Independent School District, Aransas County Navigation District, Town of Fulton, and Texas Municipal League. No formal action can be taken on these items at this time.

Executive Session

City Council will hold an executive session pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code, in accordance with the authority contained in:

17. Section 551.071(1)(A) and Section 551.071(2) Consultation with Attorney: Pending or contemplated litigation: 1) Templeton, 2) Petty, 3) Aumada, and 4) Bay Education Center.
18. Section 551.074 Personnel Matters – Finance Director.
19. Section 551.087 Deliberation Regarding Economic Development Negotiations: Project Cardinal.

Open Session

20. City Council will reconvene into open session pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 551 of the

Texas Government Code to take any actions necessary related to the executive sessions noted herein, or regular agenda items, noted above, and/or related items.

21. Adjournment.

Special Accommodations

This facility is wheelchair accessible and accessible parking spaces are available. Requests for accommodations or interpretive services must be made 48 hours prior to this meeting. Please contact the City Secretary's office at (361) 729-2213, ext. 225 or FAX (361) 790-5966 or email citysec@cityofrockport.com for further information. Braille is not available. The City of Rockport reserves the right to convene into executive session under Government Code §§ 551.071-551.074 and 551.086.

Certification

I certify that the above notice of meeting was posted on the bulletin board at City Hall, 622 E. Market Street, Rockport, Texas on Friday, August 21, 2015, by 5:00 p.m. and on the City's website at www.cityofrockport.com. I further certify that the following News Media were properly notified of this meeting as stated above: *The Rockport Pilot, Coastal Bend Herald, and Corpus Christi Caller Times.*


Teresa Valdez, City Secretary