



City Council Meeting Agenda

5:30 p.m.

October 26, 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. Citizen Comment**
- V. Public Safety Update**
 - A. Police
 - B. Fire
- VI. 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 the recurring renewal of Cisco software subscription, licensing and support services using the City's participation in the State of Texas Department of Information Resources (DIR) cooperative purchasing agreement – Joshua Gamble, Director of Information Services.
 - B. Consider an Ordinance amending Chapter 4 of the Longview City Code by adding a new Article II to said chapter adopting rules for the use of digital signatures – Robert Ray, City Attorney.
 - C. Consider a Resolution authorizing the annual contract between the City of Longview and Gregg County for a total of \$35,000 in supplemental funds

from Gregg County to purchase books for the Longview Public Library during the 2023-2024 fiscal year – Jennifer Eldridge, Library Manager.

- D. Consider an Ordinance amending the Fiscal Year 2023-2024 Operating Budget to allocate matching grant funds in the amount of \$26,004.40 for the 2023 Assistance to Firefighter’s Grant for the purchase of physical fitness equipment for all fire stations – J.P. Steelman, Fire Chief.
- E. Consider a Resolution authorizing and directing the disbursement of grants of Hotel/Motel Occupancy Tax monies - Dietrich R. Johnson, Director of Community Services.
- F. Consider a Resolution awarding a contract to and authorizing and directing the City Manager or the City Manager’s designee to execute any necessary documents with Cable One (DBA Sparklight) for trailhead video surveillance installation and leased dark fiber - Joshua Gamble, Director of Information Services.
- G. Consider a Resolution awarding a contract in the amount of \$113,465.00 and authorizing the City Manager or the City Manager’s designee to execute any necessary documents with D&D Pipeline Consultants of Longview, Texas, for the construction of the High Street Overpass Storm Sewer Relocation Project - Dwayne Archer, Director of Public Works.
- H. Consider a Resolution authorizing the application for, acceptance of, and expenditure of up to \$5000.00 in funding in the form of a tobacco compliance grant from Texas State University – Anthony Boone, Police Chief.

VII. Items of Community Interest

VIII. 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.

Persons with disabilities who plan to attend this meeting and who may need auxiliary aid or services are requested to contact the City Secretary’s Office at 903.237.1080 at least two days before this meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made. Para ayuda en español, por favor llame al 903.237.1000.