



City of Troup

Post Office Box 637
Troup, Texas 75789-0637

TROUP CITY COUNCIL AGENDA



September 21, 2020

There will be a Regular Meeting of the Troup City Council Monday, September 21, 2020 at 6:30 p.m. at the Cameron-J.Jarvis Troup Municipal Library. Due to COVID 19, this meeting will also be held VIA Teleconference. To join the meeting you can dial 1-877-309-2073 access code 708-066-133, when ask for audio code enter # or *. The meeting can also be accessed at GoToMeeting at <https://www.gotomeet.me/CityofTroup/troup-city-council-budget-and-tax-rate-adoption> Follow this link to have access to the electronic Council Agenda packet: <https://www.dropbox.com/sh/dmo8lj3czsv7n1a/AADhxhK7M2JYmlKPRDnthDxTa?dl=0>

Regular Meeting Agenda

1. Call to Order – Mayor Joe Carlyle
2. Invocation
3. Pledge Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America
4. Citizen Comments- Any Citizen wishing to address the Council on an agenda item may do so during the citizen comment section of the meeting or when the item is being considered by the Council.
5. Discuss and consider approving the minutes for Regular Scheduled meeting of August 17, 2020 and the Special Called meeting of August 31, 2020. **Action or direction as desired**
6. Discuss and Consider the Monthly Financial Report for August 2020 from the City Manager. **Action or Direction as Desired.**
7. Comments, questions or input from City Manager’s written report.
8. Discuss and consider approving Ordinance Number 2020-0921-01 “AN ORDINANCE MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE CITY OF TROUP FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2020 AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2021, APPROPRIATING MONEY TO A SINKING FUND TO PAY INTEREST AND PRINCIPAL DUE ON THE CITY’S INDEBTEDNESS; APPROPRIATING MONEY TO THE GENERAL OPERATING FUND AND ADOPTING THE ANNUAL BUDGET OF THE CITY OF TROUP FOR THE YEAR 2020-2021 FISCAL YEAR.” **Action or direction as desired.**
9. Discuss and consider ratifying the property tax rate reflected in the 2020-2021 fiscal year budget. **Action or direction as desired.**
10. Discuss and consider approving Ordinance Number 2020-0921-02 “AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TROUP, TEXAS; LEVYING AD VALOREM TAXES FOR USE AND SUPPORT OF THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNEMENT OF THE CITY OF TROUP FOR THE 2020-2021 FISCAL YEAR; PROVIDING FOR APPORTIONING EACH LEVY FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES; AND, PROVIDING WHEN TAXES SHALL BECOME DUE AND WHEN SAME SHALL BECOME DELINQUENT IF NOT PAID.” **Action or direction as desired**
11. Discuss and consider approving Ordinance No. 2020-0921-03 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NUMBER 2019-0916-01 “MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE CITY OF TROUP FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2019 AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2020, APPROPRIATING MONEY TO A SINKING FUND TO PAY INTEREST AND PRINCIPAL DUE ON THE CITY’S INDEBTEDNESS; APPROPRIATING MONEY TO THE GENERAL OPERATING FUND AND ADOPTING THE ANNUAL BUDGET OF THE CITY OF TROUP FOR THE 2019-2020 FISCAL YEAR.” **Action or direction as desired.**

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12. Discuss and consider ORDINANCE NO. 2020-0921-04 AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF TROUP, TEXAS DECLARING OFFENSIVE ODORS TO BE A NUISANCE; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING A PENALTY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE. **Action or direction as desired.**
13. Discuss and consider approved a re-plat of McNeel Addition subdivision of 2.679 acres of the E. Gee Survey, A-10 located at 803 E. Duval, Troup, Texas 75789. **Action or direction as desired.**
14. Discuss and consider non-conforming signs in the Historic District. **Action or direction as desired.**
15. Discuss and consider approving a TCDC project to provide a fund amount of \$24,000.00 in grant assistance to historic district businesses to bring their signs into compliance with sign requirements stipulated in the 2010 zoning ordinance. The TCDC will provide each business up to \$1500.00 as a 50/50 match. **Action or direction as desired.**
16. Discuss and consider Library Board Recommendations for appointment of Board Member positions for odd years with terms expiring in 2021 for appointees Carrie Williams, Glenna Searcy, and Melanie Johnson, and terms of service for the Cameron-J. Jarvis Troup Municipal Library. **Action or Direction as desired.**
17. Comments and input from Council, Mayor or City Manager concerning items of interest or items for a future agenda. **Direction as desired.**
18. Adjourn

The City of Troup, Texas does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability, in employment or the provisions of service. For assistance at City Council Meetings for citizens with disabilities, please provide forty-eight (48) hours notice to the City Secretary.

CERTIFICATE

I certify that the above Notice of Meeting was posted on the Bulletin Board of the City Hall and in the window of the main entrance to the City Hall, City of Troup, Texas; a place convenient and readily accessible to the general public at all times, September 18, 2020 at 4:00 p.m. I further certify that the local news media were notified of this meeting.

Buffie Deason – City Secretary