



City of Troup

Post Office Box 637
Troup, Texas 75789637

TROUP CITY COUNCIL AGENDA



July 27, 2023

There will be a Regular Meeting of the Troup City Council Thursday, July 27, 2023 at 6:30 p.m. at the Cameron-J. Jarvis Troup Municipal Library.

Follow this link to have access to the electronic Council Agenda packet:

<https://www.dropbox.com/scl/fo/6tq7wk6mkvak52ugk3ddv/h?rlkey=b2y90n73b569h3fdvnt2k8cm&dl=0>

Regular Meeting

1. Call to Order – Mayor Jeff Hale
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 the Regular Scheduled meeting of June 26, 2023. **Action or direction as desired.**
6. Discuss and Consider the Monthly Financial Report for June 2023. **Action or Direction as Desired.**
7. Comments, questions or input from the City Manager’s written report.
8. Discuss and approving a Troup Community Development Corporation Project to fund up to \$25,000 for a community Christmas Tree. **Action or direction as desired.**
9. Discuss and consider approval of the Smith County 911 Communications District 2023-2024 Operating Budget. **Action or direction as desired.**
10. Discuss and consider selecting Gollob Morgan Peddy Certified Public Accountants as the audit firm for the 2022-2023 fiscal year and authorize the city manager to execute their engagement. **Action or direction as desired.**
11. Discuss and consider ordinance 2023-0727-01 AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF TROUP, TEXAS REPEALING ARTICLE 8.05 (JUVENILE CURFEW) OF THE TROUP CODE OF ORDINANCES; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE **Action or direction as desired.**
12. Discuss and consider the auction of miscellaneous items in police storage. **Action or direction as desired.**
13. Discuss and consider approving a grant resolution for Patriot Park. **Action or direction as desired.**
14. Discuss and consider a bond reduction request from Sabine Oil and Gas for McGill-Murphy (AW) 1H Bond SUR0058389 and McGill-Waldrop (AW) 1H Bond SUR0058390 from \$50,000 to \$10,000 in accordance with the City of Troup Code of Ordinances, Sect 4.08.016 (b) (3). **Action or direction as desired.**
15. The City of Troup Council will convene into an Executive Session to discuss; Personnel under Government Code § 551.074. Police Chief and City Administrator.
16. Reconvene into Regular Meeting and take action if desired on items discussed in Executive Session. **Action or direction as desired.**
17. Discuss and consider adopting a job description for the Police Chief. **Action or direction as desired.**
18. Discuss and consider an ordinance amending section 9.02.003 (City Administrator Duties) of the City of Troup Code of Ordinances. **Action or direction as desired.**
19. Discuss and consider approving Ordinance No. 2023-0727-03 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NUMBER 2022-0919-01 FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2022 AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2023, 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 2022-2023 FISCAL YEAR.” **Action or direction as desired.**

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20. Discuss and consider the 2023-2024 Proposed Troup City Budget. **Direction as desired.**
21. Discuss and consider the 2023-2024 budget and tax calendar. **Action or direction as desired.**
22. Discuss and consider proposing a tax rate for the City of Troup for budget year 2023-2024 and set a date and time to hold a hearing on the budget in accordance with the Local Government Code 102.006 and a date and time to adopt the budget and set a date and time hold a public hearing on the tax rate and a date and time to adopt the tax rate and authorize the City Manager to execute publish all required notices in accordance with the Texas Tax Code Section 26.061. **Action or direction as desired.**
23. Comments and input from Council, Mayor or City Manager concerning items of interest or items for a future agenda. **Direction as desired.**
24. 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) hour 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, July 24, 2023 at 4:30 p.m. I further certify that the local news media were notified of this meeting.

Gene Cottle – City Manager