



CITY OF GAINESVILLE
NOTICE OF REGULAR CALLED CITY COUNCIL MEETING
Tuesday, February 1, 2011, 6:30 P.M.
MUNICIPAL BUILDING, 200 SOUTH RUSK, GAINESVILLE, TEXAS

Glenn Loch, Mayor

Carolyn Hendricks, Councilmember, Ward 1
Beverly Snuggs, Councilmember, Ward 2
Philip Neelley, Councilmember, Ward 3

Jim Goldsworthy, Mayor Pro Tem
Ray Nichols, Councilmember, Ward 5
Vince Rippy, Councilmember, Ward 6

AGENDA

- 1. CALL TO ORDERMayor Glenn Loch**
- 2. INVOCATIONReverend Hollis Parsons, Tabernacle Baptist Church**
- 3. PLEDGE TO THE FLAG**
- 4. RECOGNITIONS**
- 5. REPORTS.....Progress on Pecan Creek and the Street Utility Maintenance Program, Ron Sellman**
- 6. CITIZEN COMMENTS**
- 7. CONSENT AGENDA**
 - A. Minutes of January 18, 2011 Regular City Council Meeting**

ITEMS TO BE CONSIDERED

- 8.** Consideration of and action on a Resolution of the City of Gainesville suspending the February 14, 2011, effective date of Oncor Electric Delivery Company's requested rate change to permit the City time to study the request and to establish reasonable rates; approving cooperation with the steering committee of cities served by Oncor to hire legal and consulting services and to negotiate with the company and direct any necessary litigation and appeals; finding that the meeting at which this resolution is passed is open to the public as required by law; requiring notice of this resolution to the company and legal counsel for the steering committee.
- 9.** Consideration of and action on a Resolution calling for the General Municipal Election and a Special Municipal Election to be held by the City of Gainesville, Texas on May 14, 2011; providing for the General Election of Councilpersons for Ward 1, Ward 2, Ward 4 and Mayor, and the Special Election of a Councilperson for Ward 3; adopting a voting system as approved by Secretary of State; and designating polling locations for early voting and election day.

**EXECUTIVE SESSION
RECONVENE INTO OPEN SESSION**

Consideration of and action on item(s) discussed in Executive Session.

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At any time during the meeting and in compliance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551, Government Code, Vernon's Texas Codes, Annotated, the City Council may meet in executive session on any of the above agenda items for consultation concerning attorney-client matters (§551.071); deliberation regarding real property (§551.072); deliberation regarding prospective gift (§551.073); personnel matters (§551.074); deliberation regarding security devices (§551.076); and deliberation regarding economic development negotiations (§551.087). Any subject discussed in executive session may be subject to action during the open meeting.

- i. Citizen comments will be limited to persons who have registered with the City Secretary in advance, except by majority vote of the City Council. In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, the Council will bear comments of public interest, but any discussion shall be limited to placing the item on a future agenda for consideration.*
- ii. Items on the Consent Agenda will be voted on in one motion unless request is made for separate discussion and approved by the City Council.*
- iii. In order to be fair to all persons who have items on the agenda or interest in one or more of the items, the Council may impose time limitations on speakers in Public Hearings. Applicants must limit presentations to 5 minutes. The Mayor may impose other time constraints at his discretion, depending on other prevailing factors. Speakers will be notified by the Mayor Pro Tem when their time has expired.*
- iv. The Council reserves the right to retire into executive session concerning any of the items listed on this Agenda, whenever it is considered necessary and legally justified under the Open Meetings Act.*
- v. The Council reserves the right to suspend the Charter and adopt any ordinance without three readings.*
- vi. Persons with disabilities who plan to attend this meeting and who may need assistance should contact the City Secretary at (940) 668-4500 two working days prior to the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made.*

I, Kay Lunnon, City Secretary, posted this Agenda on the official City of Gainesville bulletin board in the Municipal Building, 200 S. Rusk Street, Gainesville, Texas 76240, which is accessible to the public twenty-four hours each day at _____ a.m./p.m. on _____, 2011.

Kay Lunnon
Sworn to and subscribed before me on this the _____ day of _____, 2011.

Notary Public, State of Texas
My Commission expires: _____