

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF
THE CITY OF BLANCO

April 14, 2020
6:00 pm

308 Pecan Street, Byars Building, Blanco, Texas

PURSUANT TO THE MAYORAL DECLARATION OF LOCAL DISASTER AND THE CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION ADOPTING AND EXTENDING THE DECLARATION OF LOCAL DISASTER OF MARCH 17, 2020, THE BLANCO COUNTY DECLARATIONS OF LOCAL DISASTER OF MARCH 18, 19, 20 and 24, 2020, AS AND THE GOVERNOR'S EMERGENCY DECLARATION OF MARCH 19, 2020 THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF BLANCO ASKS ANY CITIZENS ATTENDING THE REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING ON APRIL 14, 2020 TO OBSERVE COUNTY AND CDC GUIDELINES RELATING TO MAINTAINING GOOD HYGIENE AND SOCIAL DISTANCING AND TO MAINTAIN A SIX-FOOT SEPARATION BETWEEN INDIVIDUALS AT ALL TIMES AS MUCH AS REASONABLY PRACTICABLE SO AS TO AVOID POSSIBLE SPREAD OF COVID-19.

PURSUANT TO THE BLANCO COUNTY DECLARATION OF LOCAL DISASTER OF MARCH 18, 2020, THE CITY WILL ENFORCE THE 10-PERSON LIMIT ON GATHERINGS AS DEFINED BY THE COUNTY'S ORDER, WHICH INCLUDES THIS GENERAL MEETING OF THE CITY OF BLANCO.

PURSUANT TO THE REQUEST BY THE TEXAS ATTORNEY GENERAL, AS REFLECTED IN GOVERNOR ABBOTT'S EMERGENCY DECLARATION(S), MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC WISHING TO REMOTELY ATTEND AND PARTICIPATE IN THIS REGULAR MEETING MAY DO SO BY THE FOLLOWING MEANS:

Please join my meeting from your computer, tablet or smartphone.

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This Meeting will be streamed live via the City of Blanco Facebook page.

Notice is hereby given that a Regular meeting of the governing body of the City of Blanco will be held on April 14, 2020 at 6:00 pm at the Byars Building 308 Pecan Street, Blanco, Texas

CALL REGULAR MEETING TO ORDER:

1. Roll Call/Establish a quorum:
Mayor Herden (Present/Absent)
Mayor ProTem Saucedo (Present/Absent)
Councilmember Vela (Present/Absent)
Councilmember Lewis (Present/Absent)
Councilmember McClellan (Present/Absent)
Councilmember Gosnell (Present/Absent)
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Call meeting to order
4. Announcements (No Action May Be Taken)
5. Presentation by Chief Ritchey – Award to Officer
6. Public Comments: The City Council welcomes public comments at this point. Speakers must sign up before the meeting begins and indicate the subject the speaker wishes to address. Speakers are limited to three (3) minutes each, which cannot be donated from one speaker to another. The Council cannot respond to matters not listed on the agenda until a future meeting.

Consent Agenda: The following items may be acted upon in one motion. No separate discussion or action is necessary unless requested by the Mayor or a Councilmember, in which those items will be pulled for separate consideration.

Business: Consider, discuss and take appropriate action on the following:

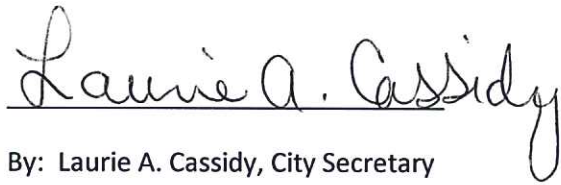
1. Discuss and Consider Action on: COVID-19 Update
2. Consider and action with respect to “ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$3,400,000 CITY OF BLANCO, TEXAS COMBINATION TAX AND REVENUE CERTIFICATES OF OBLIGATION, SERIES 2020; AND OTHER RELATED MATTERS”
3. Discuss and Consider Action on: Notice to Proceed with Rehabilitation Project – Water Treatment Plant
4. Discussion (No Action) related to: Water Rates – Public Hearing
5. Discuss and Consider Action on: Special Use Permit – Majestic Hills
6. Discuss and Consider Action on: Abandonment of Easement – Pittsburgh Subdivision
7. Discuss and Consider Action on Los Altos Subdivision Preliminary Plan
8. Discuss and Consider Action on: New Task Order – Turk – Water Treatment Plant
9. Discuss and Consider Action on: TxDOT Speed Limit Reduction
10. Discuss and Consider Action on: Purchase of Canine Officer Cage
11. Discuss and Consider Action on: Policy Amendment Related to Location of Canine Officer Vehicle
12. Discuss and Consider Action on: Annual Racial Profiling Report by Chief Ritchey

13. Discuss and Consider Action on an Ordinance with respect to an "ELECTION CANCELLATION ORDER AND ORDINANCE AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF BLANCO, TEXAS ISSUING AN ORDER CANCELING THE MAY 2, 2020 REGULAR ELECTION; DECLARING UNOPPOSED CANDIDATES ELECTED TO OFFICE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE."
14. Discuss and Consider Action on: Acceptance of Mayor's Resignation

Executive Session in accordance with Texas Government Code: in accordance with the authority contained in the Texas Government Code, Sections 551.071 & 551.072.

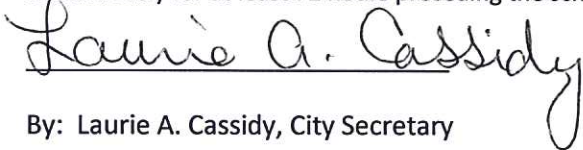
1. Brief Council about WWTP Discharge Permit Application and Contested Case Hearing Issues by Attorney
2. Texas Government Code Section 551.072 (Real Estate) and 551.071 (Consultation with Attorney). Legal Consultation on real property matters and pending litigation: Pharr Paradise Property, and Utility Easement: Pharr Paradise Park LLC vs City of Blanco-Settlement Agreement.

The Council may vote and/or act upon each of the items set out in this agenda. The City Council for the City of Blanco has the right to adjourn into executive session at any time during the course of this meeting to discuss any matter authorized by Texas Government Code Sections 551.071 (consultation with Attorney) and Texas Government Code Sections 551.072 (Deliberation regarding Real Property). The City Council for the City of Blanco may act on any item listed in Executive Session in Open Session or move any item from Executive Session to Open Session for action.



By: Laurie A. Cassidy, City Secretary

I, the undersigned authority, do hereby certify that the above Notice of Meeting of the Governing Body of the City of Blanco is a true and correct copy of said Notice and that I posted a true and correct copy of said Notice in the window in the City Hall of said City of Blanco, Texas at a place convenient and readily accessible to the general public at all times and said Notice was posted on the 10th day of April, 2020 before 5:00pm and remained so posted continuously for at least 72 hours preceding the scheduled time of the meeting.



By: Laurie A. Cassidy, City Secretary
