

Bastrop, TX City Council Meeting Agenda
Bastrop City Hall City Council Chambers
1311 Chestnut Street
Bastrop, TX 78602
(512) 332-8800



January 26, 2021 at 6:30 P.M.

City of Bastrop City Council meetings are available to all persons regardless of disability. If you require special assistance, please contact the City Secretary at (512) 332-8800 or write 1311 Chestnut Street, 78602, or by calling through a T.D.D. (Telecommunication Device for the Deaf) to Relay Texas at 1-800-735-2989 at least 48 hours in advance of the meeting.

The City of Bastrop reserves the right to reconvene, recess, or realign the Regular Session or called Executive Session or order of business at any time prior to adjournment.

PLEASE NOTE: ANYONE IN ATTENDANCE WISHING TO ADDRESS THE COUNCIL MUST COMPLETE A CITIZEN COMMENT FORM AND GIVE THE COMPLETED FORM TO THE CITY SECRETARY PRIOR TO THE START OF THE CITY COUNCIL MEETING. ALTERNATELY, IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO ATTEND THE COUNCIL MEETING, YOU MAY COMPLETE A CITIZEN COMMENT FORM WITH YOUR COMMENTS AT WWW.CITYOFBASTROP.ORG/CITIZENCOMMENTFORM BEFORE 5:00 P.M. ON JANUARY 26, 2021. COMMENTS SUBMITTED BY THIS TIME WILL BE DISTRIBUTED TO THE CITY COUNCIL PRIOR TO MEETING COMMENCEMENT, REFERENCED AT THE MEETING, AND INCLUDED WITH THE MEETING MINUTES. COMMENTS FROM EACH INDIVIDUAL WILL BE LIMITED TO THREE (3) MINUTES WHEN READ ALOUD.

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

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Honor the Texas Flag; I pledge allegiance to thee, Texas, one state under God, one and indivisible.

3. INVOCATION – Pastor Phil Woods, Bastrop First Assembly of God

4. PRESENTATIONS

4A. Mayor's Report

4B. Council Members' Report

4C. City Manager's Report

5. WORK SESSION/BRIEFINGS - NONE

6. STAFF AND BOARD REPORTS

- 6A. Receive presentation on the unaudited Monthly Financial Report for the period ending December 31, 2020.
- 6B. Receive Quarterly Report from BEDC. (Submitted by: Cameron Cox, BEDC CEO)
- 6C. Receive Quarterly Report from Visit Bastrop (Submitted by: Tracy Waldron, Chief Financial Officer)
- 6D. Receive Quarterly Report from Lost Pines Art Center. (Submitted by: Tracy Waldron, Chief Financial Officer)
- 6E. Receive Quarterly Report from Bastrop Opera House. (Submitted by: Tracy Waldron, Chief Financial Officer)
- 6F. Receive Quarterly Report from Bastrop Museum and Visitor Center. (Submitted by: Tracy Waldron, Chief Financial Officer)

7. CITIZEN COMMENTS

At this time, three (3) minute comments will be taken from the audience on any topic. Anyone in attendance wishing to address the Council must complete a citizen comment form and give the completed form to the City Secretary prior to the start of the City Council meeting. Alternately, if you are unable to attend the council meeting, you may complete a citizen comment form with your comments at www.cityofbastrop.org/citizencommentform before 5:00 p.m. on January 26, 2021. Comments submitted by this time will be distributed to the city council prior to meeting commencement, referenced at the meeting, and included with the meeting minutes. Comments from each individual will be limited to three (3) minutes when read aloud. In accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, if a citizen discusses any item not on the agenda, City Council cannot discuss issues raised or make any decision at this time. Instead, City Council is limited to making a statement of specific factual information or a recitation of existing policy in response to the inquiry. Issues may be referred to City Manager for research and possible future action.

It is not the intention of the City of Bastrop to provide a public forum for the embarrassment or demeaning of any individual or group. Neither is it the intention of the Council to allow a member of the public to slur the performance, honesty and/or integrity of the Council, as a body, or any member or members of the Council individually or collectively, or members of the City's staff. Accordingly, profane, insulting or threatening language directed toward the Council and/or any person in the Council's presence will not be tolerated.

8. CONSENT AGENDA

The following may be acted upon in one motion. A Council Member or a citizen may request items be removed from the Consent Agenda for individual consideration.

- 8A. Consider action to approve City Council minutes from the January 12, 2020 Regular meeting. (Submitted by: Ann Franklin, City Secretary)

- 8B. Consider action to approve Resolution No. R-2021-09 of the City Council of the City of Bastrop, Texas, approving an Interlocal agreement with Region VII Education Service Center allowing the City of Bastrop to participate in the TIPS Purchasing Cooperative, attached as Exhibit A; authorizing the City Manager to execute all necessary documents; providing for a repealing clause; and establishing for an effective date. (Submitted by: Tracy Waldron, Chief Financial Officer)

9. ITEMS FOR INDIVIDUAL CONSIDERATION

- 9A. Consider and adopt on first and final reading Ordinance No. 2020-29 as an emergency measure ratifying temporary Emergency Orders enacted by the Mayor in her capacity as Emergency Management Director in regards to the current Local State of Disaster, for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health or safety.
- 9B. Consider action to approve Resolution No. R-2021-08 of the City Council of the City of Bastrop, Texas, approving the Bastrop Police Department to apply for a grant from the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program (JAG) Body-Worn Cameras at a total cost of seventy-two thousand, seven hundred and eighty-five dollars (\$72,785.00); with no matching funds from the City of Bastrop; authorizing the Chief of Police as the Grantee's Authorized Official; providing for a severability clause; and establishing an effective date. (Submitted by: Clint Nagy, Chief of Police)
- 9C. Consider action to approve Resolution No. R-2021-11 of the City Council of the City of Bastrop, regarding the implementation of the Cultural Arts Master Plan, creating a cultural Arts Commission, decommissioning the Bastrop Art in Public Places Board, and creating priorities for the Cultural Arts Commission, attached as Exhibit A; providing for a severability and repealing clause; and establishing an effective date. (Submitted by: Colin Guerra, Public Information Manager)
- 9D. Consider and adopt on first reading Ordinance No. 2021-01 of the City Council of the City of Bastrop, Texas, abandoning and vacating A 0.139 acre portion of Church Street Roadway being all of that certain 0.351 acre (15,297 Square Feet) tract of land situated in the Bastrop Town Tract Survey, Abstract Number 11, Bastrop County, Texas, being more particularly described as being a portion of Church Street (55.55' R.O.W.), of the City Of Bastrop, said 0.351 ACRE (15,297 square feet) tract of land be more particularly described by metes and bounds and plat attached hereto as Exhibit "A", which is attached hereto and incorporated herein for all purposes; authorizing the City Manager to execute a deed to convey said right-of-way to adjacent owners; and providing for findings of fact, repealer, and severability; establishing an effective date; proper notice and meeting; and move to include on the February 9, 2021 City Council consent agenda for a second reading. (Submitted by: Trey Job, Assistant City Manager)
- 9E. Consider action to approve Resolution No. R-2021-10 of the City Council of the City of Bastrop, Texas, approving a cost share agreement between the City of Bastrop and West Bastrop Village Municipal Utility District approving an estimated amount to be: One Million Two Hundred, Twenty-Five Thousand, Three Hundred Fifty-Eight a Dollars and 40/100 (\$1,225,358.40) to increase a twelve-inch wastewater trunk main to a twenty-four-inch wastewater trunk main attached in Exhibit A; authorizing the City Manager to execute necessary documents; providing for a repealing clause; and establishing an effective date. (Submitted by: Trey Job, Assistant City Manager)

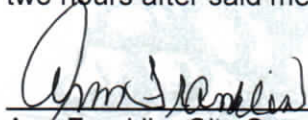
10. EXECUTIVE SESSION

10A. City Council shall convene into closed executive session pursuant to Texas Government Code Sections 551.071 and 551.072, to seek the advice of legal counsel, and to deliberate upon the acquisition of real property interests associated with the construction of Wastewater Treatment Plant #3 at 385 SH 304, Unit B, Bastrop, TX 78602, and its collections systems, including all related agreements, authorizations, easements, resolutions, and associated legal actions.

11. TAKE ANY NECESSARY OR APPROPRIATE ACTION ON MATTERS POSTED FOR CONSIDERATION IN CLOSED/EXECUTIVE SESSION

12. ADJOURNMENT

I, the undersigned authority, do hereby certify that this Notice of Meeting as posted in accordance with the regulations of the Texas Open Meetings Act on the bulletin board located at the entrance to the City of Bastrop City Hall, a place of convenient and readily accessible to the general public, as well as to the City's website, www.cityofbastrop.org and said Notice was posted on the following date and time: Friday, January 22, 2021 at 11:00 a.m. and remained posted for at least two hours after said meeting was convened.



Ann Franklin, City Secretary