March 23, 2021 at 6:00 P.M.

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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 MARCH 23, 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. EXECUTIVE SESSION

2A. 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.

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

4. CALL TO ORDER – REGULAR SESSION – 6:30 P.M.
5. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

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

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

7. PRESENTATIONS

7A. Mayor’s Report
7D. Council Members’ Report
7C. City Manager’s Report
7D. Proclamation of the City Council of the City of Bastrop, Texas recognizing the month of April as National Child Abuse Prevention Month for the City of Bastrop.
7E. Proclamation of the City Council of the City of Bastrop, Texas recognizing the month of April as National Sexual Assault Awareness Month for the City of Bastrop.
7F. Proclamation of the City Council of the City of Bastrop, Texas recognizing April 4-10 as National Library Week.

8. WORK SESSION/BRIEFINGS - NONE

9. STAFF AND BOARD REPORTS


10. 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.cityofbastian.org/citizencommentform before 5:00 p.m. on March 23, 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.
11. 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.

11A. Consider action to approve City Council minutes from the March 9, 2021 Regular meeting. (Submitted by: Ann Franklin, City Secretary)

11B. Consider action to approve Resolution No. R-2021-33 by the City Council of the City of Bastrop, Texas ("City") regarding the application of CenterPoint Energy Resources Corp., South Texas Division, to increase rates under the gas reliability infrastructure program; suspending the effective date of this rate application for forty-five days; authorizing the city to continue to participate in a coalition of cities known as the "Alliance of CenterPoint Municipalities;" determining that the meeting at which the resolution was adopted complied with the Texas Open Meetings Act; making such other findings and provisions related to the subject; and declaring an effective date. (Submitted by: Paul A. Hofmann, City Manager)

11C. Consider action to approve Resolution No. R-2021-23 of the City Council of the City of Bastrop, Texas approving a Public Improvement Plan Agreement with Ranch Road Development LLC for Pecan Park Section 1B, as attached in Exhibit A; authorizing the City Manager to execute all necessary documents; providing for a repealing clause; and establishing an effective date. (Submitted by: Jennifer Bills, Assistant Director of Planning and Zoning)

12. ITEMS FOR INDIVIDUAL CONSIDERATION

12A. Consider and adopt on first and final reading Ordinance No. 2021-04 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.

12B. Consider action to approve Resolution No. R-2021-20 of the City Council of the City of Bastrop, Texas, approving a Professional Service Agreement between the City of Bastrop and ASAS, LLC for professional services related to the ASAS Project Development Agreement negotiations, as 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 for Community Development)

12C. Consider action to approve Resolution No. R-2021-27 of the City Council of the City of Bastrop, Texas, approving a contract with Archer Western Construction, LLC to provide Construction Manager at Risk services for a not to exceed amount of Three hundred seventy-eight thousand dollars and zero cents ($378,000.00) as defined in exhibit A, authorizing the City Manager to execute all necessary documents; providing for a repealing clause; and establishing an effective date. (Submitted by: Trey Job, Assistant City Manager for Community Development)
12D. Consider action to approve Resolution No. R-2021-32 of the City Council of the City of Bastrop, Texas to award an Engineering Service contract to TRC Engineering, Inc. to provide engineering services for the City's 2021-2022 Texas Community Development Block Grant (TxCDBG) application and project-related engineering services if funded: authorizing the City Manager to execute all necessary documents; providing for a repealing clause; and establishing an effective date. (Submitted by: Tracy Waldron, Chief Financial Officer)

12E. Consider action to approve Resolution No. R-2021-30 of the City Council of the City of Bastrop, Texas awarding a contract for the City of Bastrop Streets, Pavement and Preventative Maintenance Project to F.N. Ploch Construction Company, Inc. in the amount of Four Hundred Eight Thousand Six Hundred Eighty-Four Dollars and Forty-Five Cents ($408,684.45) authorizing the City Manager to execute all necessary documents; providing for a repealing clause; and establishing an effective date. (Submitted by: Curtis Hancock, Director of Public Works)

13. 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.cityofbastian.org and said Notice was posted on the following date and time: Thursday, March 18, 2021 at 2:00 p.m. and remained posted for at least two hours after said meeting was convened.

Ann Franklin, City Secretary