

CITY COUNCIL AGENDA MEETING LOCATION: ALEDO COMMUNITY CENTER 104 ROBINSON COURT ALEDO, TEXAS 76008 THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 21, 2023 6:00 P.M.

CALL REGULAR MEETING TO ORDER

- 1. CALL TO ORDER
- 2. INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- 3. CITIZEN APPEARANCES: This is an opportunity for citizens to address the City Council on any agenda item not listed for public hearing or any matter not posted on the agenda. This is the citizens' only opportunity to address the City Council on agenda items not listed for public hearing. Individual citizen comments are normally limited to three (3) minutes; however, time limits can be adjusted by the presiding officer. Time is not transferable. The presiding officer may ask the citizen to hold their comment on an agenda item if the item is posted as a Public Hearing. The City Council cannot by law take any action nor have any discussion or deliberations on any presentation made at this time concerning an item not listed on the agenda. The City Council will receive the information, and ask the City Manager to review the matter, or an item may be noticed on a future agenda for deliberation or action. Please sign in before the start of the meeting and provide the paper to the City Secretary.

4. PRESENTATIONS AND PROCLAMATIONS:

- 5. CONSENT AGENDA: All items listed below are considered routine by the City Council and will be enacted with one motion. There will be no separate discussion of items unless a Council Member requests, in which event the item will be removed from the general order of business and considered in its normal sequence. Approval of the Consent Agenda authorizes the City Manager to implement each item in accordance with the staff recommendation.
- **6. REPORTS:** Reports are prepared for informational purposes and will be accepted as presented (there will be no presentations associated with the report items). There will be no separate discussion unless a City Council Member requests that the report be removed and considered separately.

7. PUBLIC HEARINGS AND CITY COUNCIL ACTION ITEMS:

The following items are the regular business of the City Council. If any item requires a public hearing, it will be noted in the caption of the item.

- a. Conduct a Public Hearing to consider the proposed Fiscal Year 2023 2024 City of Aledo Annual Budget.
- b. Discuss and consider approval of Ordinance 2023-187, adopting the Fiscal Year 2023 2024 City of Aledo Annual Budget.
- c. Conduct a Public Hearing to consider the proposed Ad Valorem Property Tax rate for the City of Aledo of \$0.383113 per \$100 taxable value for Fiscal Year 2023 2024.
- d. Discuss and consider approval of Ordinance 2023-188 setting the Ad Valorem Tax Rate of \$0.383113 per \$100 taxable value for Fiscal Year 2023 2024.
- e. Discuss and consider action to ratify the property tax revenue increase reflected in the Fiscal Year 2023 2024 City of Aledo Annual Budget.
- f. Consider approval of Ordinance 2023-189 amending and updating the City of Aledo's Fee Schedule Ordinance for Fiscal Year 2023 2024.

8. BOARDS/COMMISSIONS/COMMITTEES

- a. Appointment/Reappointment to Boards/Commissions/Committees Consider approval regarding appointments to Boards/Commissions/Committees.
- **9. EXECUTIVE SESSION**: Pursuant to the Texas Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code, the City Council may convene in executive session to deliberate regarding the following matters:
 - a. § 551.071. Consultation with Attorney to conduct a private consultation with the City Attorney on any legally posted agenda item, when the City Council seeks the advice of its attorney about pending or contemplated litigation, a settlement offer, or on a matter in which the duty of the attorney to the governmental body under the Texas Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct of the State Bar of Texas clearly conflicts with the provisions of Chapter 551, including the following items:
 - None.
 - b. § 551.087. <u>Deliberation regarding Economic Development Negotiations</u>. The City Council may convene in executive session to discuss or deliberate regarding commercial or financial information that the City has received from a business prospect that the City seeks to have locate, stay, or expand in or near the City and with which the City is conducting economic development

negotiations; or to deliberate the offer of a financial or other incentive to a business prospect described above, including the following items:

None.

10. ADJOURN EXECUTIVE SESSION AND RECONVENE INTO OPEN SESSION

11. TAKE ANY ACTION, IF NEEDED, FROM EXECUTIVE SESSION

- a. Take any action, if needed, on other matters from executive session.
- 12. COUNCIL RECAP/STAFF COMMENTS DIRECTION: (In compliance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Council members may comment on routine city matters, may ask questions of staff that require only responses of factual information or statements of existing City policy, or may request that non-routine matters of public concern be placed on a future agenda. Council members may not discuss non-agenda items among themselves. In compliance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, staff members may comment on routine City operations and projects. Staff members may respond to questions from others only with statements of factual information or existing City policy.)

13. ADJOURN

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HALL BUILD TO BOARD AND THE CITY WEBSITE.

Deana Wickfullen, City Secretary

Date Poster

Date Removed

Time

By

NOTE: THIS FACILITY IS WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE AND ACCESSIBLE PARKING SPACES ARE AVAILABLE. REQUESTS FOR OTHER ACCOMMODATIONS MUST BE MADE 48 HOURS PRIOR TO THIS MEETING. PLEASE CONTACT THE CITY SECRETARY'S OFFICE AT 817-441-7016 OR FAX 817-441-7520.