

**CITY COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA
CITY OF BRIDGE CITY**



**TUESDAY, AUGUST 1, 2017
6:00 PM
City Hall Council Chambers
260 Rachal
Bridge City TX 77611**

- 1. CALL TO ORDER**
- 2. INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
- 3. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA**

4. REPORTS & COMMENTS FROM:

- (a) City Manager
- (b) City Council
- (c) City Staff
- (d) Mayor

5. CITIZEN COMMENTS

At this time comments will be taken from citizens on subject matters not on the agenda. All comments are limited to a maximum of three minutes for each speaker as adopted in the City of Bridge City Council Decorum and Procedures Policy. As noted in the Texas Open Meetings Act no deliberation of or decision about a subject not included on the current meeting notice shall be allowed by Council. Your comments are appreciated and will be forwarded to staff.

**6. BRIDGE CITY VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT RECOGNITION OF LARRY SCOTT,
WITH BRIDGE CITY WRECKER, FOR OUTSTANDING ACTION IN HELPING
ANOTHER CITIZEN**

7. RESOLUTION

- (a) Consideration and possible action to approve Resolution No. 2017-14(R) adopting the Orange County Hazard Mitigation Action Plan
- (b) Consideration and possible action to approve Resolution No. 2017-15(R) confirming the appointment of Bill Dixon, Jr. to fill the vacancy of the Municipal Judge position

8. CONDUCT SWEARING IN CEREMONY OF BILL DIXON, JR. TO THE POSITION OF MUNICIPAL JUDGE

9. ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION & POSSIBLE ACTION

- (a) Consideration and possible action to approve the July 18, 2017 City Council meeting minutes
- (b) Consideration and possible action to approve request by Van Roy Morgan to tie on to City water at his residence, located at 250 Suncrest, which is located in the extraterritorial jurisdiction of the City of Bridge City
- (c) Consideration and possible action to approve an Emergency Notification System Interlocal Agreement between the South East Texas Regional Planning Commission (SETRPC) and the City of Bridge City
- (d) Consideration and possible action authorizing the City of Bridge City to enter into a contract with the Bridge City Police Association for the period effective October 1, 2017 through September 30, 2018
- (e) Consideration and possible action to place a proposal to adopt an ad valorem tax rate on Tuesday, September 19, 2017, for the 2017 tax year of \$0.52000 per \$100.00 valuation for the City of Bridge City, Texas (total tax rate consists of \$0.20391 for Interest and Sinking Fund and \$0.31609 for Maintenance and Operations Fund)
- (f) Consideration and possible action to schedule **one (1) Public Hearing for Tuesday, August 15, 2017, at 6:00 p.m.** at the City Hall of Bridge City to hear and consider public comments **regarding the proposed 2017-2018 Budget** for the City of Bridge City, Texas
- (g) Consideration and possible action to schedule **two (2) Public Hearings for Tuesday, August 15, 2017, at 6:00 p.m. and Tuesday, September 5, 2017, at 6:00 p.m.** at the City Hall of Bridge City to hear and consider public comments **regarding the proposed ad valorem tax rate for the 2017 tax year** of \$0.52000 per \$100.00 valuation for the City of Bridge City, Texas (total tax rate consists of \$0.20391 for Interest and Sinking Fund and \$0.31609 for Maintenance and Operations Fund)

10. ADJOURN

AGENDA POSTING CERTIFICATION: I, the undersigned authority, do hereby certify that the August 1, 2017 Agenda of items to be considered by the City Council of Bridge City was posted on the City of Bridge City Bulletin Board located at City Hall, 260 Rachal, at 2:30 p.m. on Friday, July 28, 2017.

/s/ Sherry Tisdale

SHERRY TISDALE, CITY SECRETARY

EXECUTIVE SESSION STATEMENT: The City Council of Bridge City reserves the right to adjourn into a Closed Executive Session at any time during the course of this meeting to discuss any of the matters listed above, as authorized by Chapter 551 of the TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE, Section 551.071 (Consultation with Attorney), Section 551.072 (Deliberations about Real Property), Section 551.073 (Deliberations Regarding Gifts and Donations), Section 551.074 (Personnel Matters), Section 551.076 (Deliberations about Security Devices) and Section 551.087 (Deliberation Regarding Economic Development Negotiations).

NOTICE OF ASSISTANCE: Persons with disabilities who plan to attend this meeting are requested to contact the City Secretary's office 48 hours in advance of the meeting at 409.735.6801 and reasonable accommodations will be made for assistance.