

**CITY OF FAIRFIELD  
CITY COUNCIL MEETING  
DECEMBER 8, 2020**

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FAIRFIELD, TEXAS WILL CONVENE INTO A REGULAR SCHEDULED MEETING AT **6:00PM ON TUESDAY, DECEMBER 8, 2020** IN THE CITY OF FAIRFIELD GREEN BARN/CIVIC CENTER, 839 E. COMMERCE ST, FAIRFIELD, TEXAS, 75840 IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE TEXAS OPEN MEETINGS ACT, CHAPTER 551 TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE., AND IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE GUIDANCE AND PROVISIONS PROVIDED BY THE GOVERNOR OF TEXAS IN THE DECLARATION OF DISASTER ENACTED MARCH 13, 2020, MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL MAY BE PARTICIPATING REMOTELY IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE TEXAS OPEN MEETINGS ACT, AS TEMPORARILY MODIFIED BY THE GOVERNOR, AND COUNCIL RULES OF PROCEDURE. MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC MAY PARTICIPATE BY JOINING AT **(844) 854-2222 AND ENTER CODE 693979.**

*NOTICE: AT ANY TIME DURING THE CITY COUNCIL MEETING, THE CITY COUNCIL MAY ADJOURN INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION FOR ANY REASON LISTED ON THIS AGENDA PURSUANT TO ANY APPLICABLE SECTION OF THE TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE, CONSULTATION WITH ATTORNEY – SECTION 551.071, REAL PROPERTY DELIBERATION – SECTION 551.072, DELIBERATION ON GIFTS – SECTION 551.073, PERSONNEL MATTERS – SECTION 551.074, DISCUSSION OF SECURITY MEASURES – SECTION 551.076 AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT – SECTION 551.087.*

*H.B. NO.2840 – Section 551.001(3) (b) and (c). A governmental body shall allow each member of the public who desires to address the body regarding an item on an agenda for an open meeting of the body to address the body regarding the item at the meeting before or during the body's consideration of the item. A governmental body may adopt reasonable rules regarding the public's right to address the body under this section, including rules that limit the total amount of time that a member of the public may address the body on a given item. **CITIZENS WISHING TO SPEAK DURING CITIZEN COMMENTS OR ON A PARTICULAR AGENDA ITEM NEED TO NOTIFY THE CITY SECRETARY AT: (903) 389-2633 BY 9:00 A.M. MONDAY, DECEMBER 7<sup>TH</sup>, 2020.***

1. CALL TO ORDER; PRAYER AND PLEDGE
2. *VISITORS AND CITIZENS FORUM: AT THIS TIME, ANY PERSON WITH BEFORE THE COUNCIL NOT SCHEDULED ON THE AGENDA MAY SPEAK TO THE COUNCIL. NO FORMAL ACTION CAN BE TAKEN ON THESE ITEMS AT THIS TIME.*
3. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO APPROVE MINUTES FROM NOVEMBER 10<sup>TH</sup> AND NOVEMBER 17<sup>TH</sup> 2020 COUNCIL MEETINGS.
4. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO APPROVE BILL REGISTER AS OF NOVEMBER 30, 2020.
5. MAYOR AND DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS
6. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON ACCEPTING THE RESIGNATION OF JULIE LAWRENCE AS POLICE DISPATCH.
7. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON APPROVING A PURCHASE REQUEST OF \$11,378.91 FOR POLICE RIFLES AND SHOTGUNS.
8. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON APPROVING A NONBUDGET REMOTE SOFTWARE, CivicClerk, TO HELP PREVENT THE SPREAD OF COVID-19 AND PROTECT LIFE AND SAFETY WHILE WORKING REMOTELY, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$5,768.00; AND TO BE EXPENDED FROM THE CITY'S CORONA VIRUS RELIEF FUND.
9. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON APPROVING A PURCHASE REQUEST OF \$33,784.85 FOR RADIOS THAT WILL BE REIMBURSED THROUGH A GRANT FROM THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR.

10. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON APPROVING A RESOLUTION DESIGNATING AN ENGINEERING SERVICE PROVIDER FOR THE 2021-2022 TxCDBG COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FUND APPLICATION AND PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION, ADMINISTERED BY THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

11. EXECUTIVE SESSION

A. PERSONNEL MATTERS, SECTION 551.074- DELIBERATION ON THE APPOINTMENT, EMPLOYMENT, EVALUATION, REASSIGNMENT, DISCIPLINE, OR DISMISSAL OF A PUBLIC OFFICER OR EMPLOYEE.

1. ROGER REEVES

12. RECONVENE INTO REGULAR SESSION AND CONSIDER ACTION, IF ANY, ON ITEMS DISCUSSED IN EXECUTIVE SESSION

13. ADJOURN

I CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE NOTICE OF MEETING WAS POSTED BY DECEMBER 4, 2020 At 6:00 P.M. ON THE WINDOW AT THE ADMINISTRATION AND UTILITY BILLING OFFICES LOCATED AT 425 W. COMMERCE ST, FAIRFIELD TEXAS, AND WILL REMAIN POSTED CONTINUOUSLY FOR AT LEAST 72 HOURS PRECEDING SCHEDULED TIME OF THE MEETING, I FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE FOLLOWING NEWS MEDIA AND WEBSITE HOSTING WAS PROPERLY NOTIFIED OF THIS MEETING AS STATED ABOVE: FAIRFIELD RECORDER AND FREESTONE COUNTY TIMES, FAIRFIELD, TX.

  
MISTY RICHARDSON, CITY SECRETARY

**THIS FACILITY IS WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE AND ACCESSIBLE PARKING SPACES ARE AVAILABLE. REQUESTS FOR ACCOMMODATIONS SHOULD BE MADE FORTY-EIGHT (48) HOURS PRIOR TO THIS MEETING. PLEASE CONTACT THE CITY SECRETARY'S OFFICE AT (903)389-2633 FOR FURTHER INFORMATION**