Justin Ray, Mayor Andrew Mitcham, Council Position No. 1 Greg Holden, Council Position No. 2 Bobby Warren, Council Position No. 3 James Singleton, Council Position No. 4 Gary Wubbenhorst, Council Position No. 5



Austin Bleess, City Manager Lorri Coody, City Secretary Scott Bounds, City Attorney

# Jersey Village City Council - Regular Meeting Agenda

Notice is hereby given of a Regular Meeting of the City Council of the City of Jersey Village to be held on Monday, April 15, 2019, at 7:00 p.m. at the Civic Center, 16327 Lakeview Drive, Jersey Village, Texas, for the purpose of considering the following agenda items. All agenda items are subject to action. The City Council reserves the right to meet in closed session on any agenda item should the need arise and if applicable pursuant to authorization by Title 5, Chapter 551, of the Texas Government Code.

# A. CALL TO ORDER AND ANNOUNCE A QUORUM IS PRESENT

# B. INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

- 1. Prayer by: Jeremy E. Ray American Legion Post 324 Chaplain.
- 2. Pledge by: Stefanie Otto, Commander, Jeremy E. Ray American Legion Post 324.

# C. PRESENTATION

**1.** Presentation of Police Department Employee of the First Quarter Award – by Stefanie Otto, Commander of the Jeremy E. Ray American Legion Post 324. *Justin Ray, Mayor* 

# D. SUBSTANDARD STRUCTURE – PUBLIC HEARING AND RELATED ITEM

- 1. Conduct a Public Hearing pursuant to Section 34-253 of the Code, so that the owner or the owner's representatives for the property located at 15421 Leeds Lane, Jersey Village, Texas may appear and show cause 1) why such buildings or structures should not be declared to be substandard and 2) why the owner should not be ordered to repair, vacate or demolish the buildings or structures. *City Council*
- 2. Consider Ordinance No. 2019-08, finding the structures at 15421 Leeds Lane, Jersey Village, Texas 77040, (Lot 1, Block 49, Jersey Village), the "Property", to be substandard and a public nuisance; ordering Ashleigh Nichole Howard or the true owners of the property to abate the substandard and dangerous structures on the property; authorizing the City to demolish the structures on the property if owner fails to abate the substandard and dangerous structures on the property; authorizing the City to assess a lien against the property for the costs of the demolition; and making other findings and provisions related thereto. *Christian Somers, Building Official*

### E. CITIZENS COMMENTS

Citizens who have signed a card and wish to speak to the City Council will be heard at this time. In compliance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, unless the subject matter of the comment is on

the agenda, the City staff and City Council Members are prevented from discussing the subject and may respond only with statements of factual information or existing policy. Citizens are limited to five (5) minutes for their comments to the City Council.

### F. CITY MANAGER'S REPORT

- Monthly Fund Balance Report, Enterprise Funds Report, Governmental Funds Report, Property Tax Collection Report – February 2019, General Fund Budget Projections as of March 2019, Utility Fund Budget Projections – March 2019, and Quarterly Investment Report – March 2019.
- 2. Open Records Requests Non-Police
- 3. Fire Departmental Report and Communication Division's Monthly Report
- **4.** Police Activity Report, Warrant Report, Investigations/Calls for Service Report, Staffing/Recruitment Report, and Police Open Records Requests
- **5.** Municipal Court Collection Report, Municipal Court Activity Report, Municipal Court Courtroom Activity Report, Speeding and Stop Sign Citations within Residential Areas Report, and Court Proceeds Comparison Report.
- 6. Public Works Departmental Report and Construction and Field Projects Update
- Golf Course Monthly Report, Golf Course Financial Statement Report, Golf Course Budget Summary; Golf Course Social Media Summary Report, and Parks and Recreation Departmental Report
- **8.** Report from Code Enforcement
- 9. City Social Media Summary Report

# G. CONSENT AGENDA

The following items are considered routine in nature by the City Council and will be enacted with one motion and vote. There will not be separate discussion on these items unless requested by a Council Member, in which event the item will be removed from the Consent Agenda and considered by separate action.

- 1. Consider approval of the Minutes for the Special Session Meeting held on March 15, 2019, and the Regular Session Meeting held on March 18, 2019. *Lorri Coody, City Secretary*
- **2.** Consider Resolution No. 2019-13, authorizing the City Manager to enter into a contract with Microsoft Corporation to renew the three-year Software Enterprise Agreement. *Bob Blevins, IT Director*

# H. REGULAR SESSION

- 1. Consider Resolution No. 2019-14, suspending the May 27, 2019 effective date of the proposal by CenterPoint Energy Resources Corp., D/B/A CenterPoint Energy Entex and CenterPoint Energy Texas Gas Houston Division to implement interim grip rate adjustments for gas utility investment in 2018 and requiring delivery of this resolution to the company and legal counsel. *Austin Bleess, City Manager*
- 2. Consider Resolution No. 2019-15, suspending the May 10, 2019 effective date of CenterPoint Energy Houston Electric, LLC's requested rate change to permit the City time to study the request and to establish reasonable rates; approving continued cooperation with the Golf Coast Coalition of Cities; hiring Lloyd Gosselink Attorneys and Consulting Services to negotiate with the Company and direct any necessary litigation and appeals;

requiring reimbursement of Cities' rate case expenses; finding that the meeting at which this Resolution is passed is open to the public as required by law; requiring notice of this resolution to the company and legal counsel. Austin Bleess, City Manager

- 3. Consider Resolution No. 2019-16, approving the Assignment of the Purchase Option of approximately 10.56 acres of land Southeast of US 290 on either side of Jones Road in Jersey Village, Texas, to Collaborate Special Projects LLC; and authorizing the City Manager to take all appropriate and necessary steps to complete the assignment. Austin Bleess, City Manager
- 4. Consider Resolution No. 2019-17, authorizing the City Manager to execute an Agreement with Collaborate Architects LLC for architectural and engineering services for Jersey Village City Hall located in the Village Center Development. Austin Bleess, City Manager
- 5. Consider Ordinance No. 2019-09, adopting a Water Conservation Plan for the City of Jersey Village; amending the Code of Ordinances of the City of Jersey Village, Chapter 70, Utilities, by amending Article VI., Water Conservation Plan; providing a severability clause; providing a penalty as provided by Section 1-8 of the Code; and providing an effective date. Kevin Hagerich, Director of Public Works
- **6.** Consider Resolution No. 2019-18, appointing a member to the Board of Adjustment to fill the unexpired term for Place A2. Lorri Coody, City Secretary

#### I. MAYOR AND COUNCIL COMMENTS

Pursuant to Texas Government Code § 551.0415, City Council Members and City staff may make a reports about items of community interest during a meeting of the governing body without having given notice of the report. Items of community interest include:

- Expressions of thanks, congratulations, or condolence;
- Information regarding holiday schedules;
- An honorary or salutary recognition of a public official, public employee, or other citizen, except that a discussion regarding a change in the status of a person's public office or public employment is not an honorary or salutary recognition for purposes of this subdivision;
- A reminder about an upcoming event organized or sponsored by the governing body;
- Information regarding a social, ceremonial, or community event organized or sponsored by an entity other than the governing body that was attended or is scheduled to be attended by a member of the governing body or an official or employee of the municipality; and
- Announcements involving an imminent threat to the public health and safety of people in the municipality that has arisen after the posting of the agenda.

#### J. **ADJOURN**

#### **CERTIFICATION**

I, the undersigned authority, do hereby certify in accordance with the Texas Open Meeting Act, the Agenda is posted for public information, at all times, for at least 72 hours preceding the scheduled time of the meeting on the bulletin board located at City Hall, 16327 Lakeview, Jersey Village, TX 77040, a place convenient and readily accessible to the general public at all times, and said Notice was posted on the following date and time: April 11, 2019 at 3:00 p.m. and remained so posted until said meeting was convened.

Lorri Coody, City Secretary

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