

AGENDA

City of West Orange
Monday, April 10, 2017
Regular Session

West Orange Community Center
2700 Western Avenue (rear entrance)
West Orange, Texas
5:00 P.M.

A. Call to Order

1. Announce Quorum is Present
2. Invocation
3. Pledges of Allegiance

B. Consent Agenda

Discussion and Possible Action on approval of the minutes of the March 13, 2017 Council Meeting

C. Public Comments

*At this time comments will be taken from the audience on any subject matter, whether or not that item is on the agenda. All comments are limited to a **maximum of three minutes** for each speaker. If more than one person wishes to address the same subject, a spokesperson must be selected, who will be recognized to represent the group. Your comments are appreciated. **The Texas Open Meetings Act does not allow the Council to discuss items not listed on the agenda, however, if possible, your questions may be answered with statement of policy; statement of fact or it may be placed on a future agenda for attention by Council. You also may be directed to the appropriate department head to address your questions or problems.***

D. Regular Session

1. Discussion and Possible Action on a Resolution opposing Senate Bill 715
2. Discussion and Possible Action on awarding contract for 2016 Street Improvements Project, GLO Grant #13-133-0007195 (DRS#220215)
3. Discussion and Possible Action on the FY 2016 Audit Report as prepared and presented by Sandersen & Sheffer, PLLC

E. Convene Public Hearing

Conduct a Public Hearing to solicit input from the community concerning awareness for the support of fair housing, as well as to address concerns of residents as they may relate to fair housing

F. Adjourn Public Hearing and Reconvene Regular Session

G. Closed Session

Pursuant to §551.071 of the Open Meetings Act, Council may enter into executive session to seek advice from City Attorney regarding contemplated litigation

H. Reconvene Regular Session

I. Discussion and Possible Action resulting from Closed Session

J. Announcements

1. City of West Orange Clean-Up event – Friday & Saturday, April 21-22, 2017
2. Household Hazardous Waste & Scrap Tire Collection Event – Saturday, April 29, 2017; Vidor High School parking lot; 500 Orange Street in Vidor
3. Next Council meeting – Monday, May 15, 2017; 5:00 p.m. (Council members beginning their 2017-2019 term will be sworn in at this meeting.)

K. Adjourn


Roy McDonald, Mayor

ATTEST:


Theresa Van Meter, City Secretary



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Theresa Van Meter, City Secretary