

City of Abilene City Council Workshop Agenda

Shane Price, Council Member Joe Spano, Council Member Stormy Higgins, Council Member Larry Gilley, City Manager

Norm Archibald, Mayor

Anthony Williams, Council Member Robert O. Briley, Council Member Laura Moore, Mayor Pro-tem T. Daniel Santee, City Attorney Danette Dunlap, City Secretary

Notice is hereby given of a meeting of the City Council of City of Abilene to be held on Thursday, May 6, 2010 at 8:30 a.m. at City Hall – Council Chambers, Second Floor, 555 Walnut Street, Abilene, 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 a 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.

- 1. CALL TO ORDER
- 2. INVOCATION
- 3. PLEDGE TO THE UNITED STATES FLAG AND THE TEXAS FLAG
- 4. Discussion of Ordinance to Regulate Tow Truck Services

5. EXECUTIVE SESSION

The City Council of the City of Abilene reserves the right to adjourn into executive session at any time during the course of this meeting to discuss any of the matters listed above, as authorized by Texas Government Code Sections 551.071 (Consultation with Attorney) see list below, 551.072 (Deliberations about Real Property), 551.073 (Deliberations about Gifts and Donations), 551.074 (Personnel Matters) see list below, 551.087 (Business Prospect/Economic Development), and 551.076 (Deliberations about Security Devices)

6. RECONVENE

Any action if needed from Executive Session.

7. ADJOURNMENT

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, the City of Abilene will provide for reasonable accommodations for persons attending City Council meetings. To better serve you, requests should be received 24 hours prior to the meetings. Please contact Danette Dunlap, City Secretary, at 325-676-6202.

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the above notice of meeting was posted on the bulletin board at the City Hall of the City of Abilene, Texas, on the 30 day of April 2010, at 3:3000.

Danette Dunlap, TRMC

City Secretary

EXECUTIVE SESSION

(Litigation/Consultation with Attorney) Section 551.071

The following pending litigation subjects which may be discussed are:

- 1) Gabriel Zuniga v. City of Abilene and Homero Torres, Jr; 42nd Judicial District Court, Taylor County, Texas; Filed (5/20/2008)
- 2) Art Castro v. Abilene Police Department; No. 1:08-CV-152-BI; US District Court, Northern District, Abilene Division; received October 27, 2008
- 3) William Boyd v. City of Abilene; No. 47242-A, 42nd District Court; filed April 16, 2009
- 4) Willie Clay Daniels v. City of Abilene, 350th Judicial District Court, Taylor County, Texas, filed May 4, 2009
- 5) Betty Partlow v. City of Abilene (CityLink) and John Doe; 104th District Court, Taylor County, Texas; filed August 7, 2009

- Victoria Carter v. City of Abilene; County Court at Law No. 1, Taylor County, Texas, filed September 25, 2009.
- 7) Celia Arguijo v. City of Abilene; filed February 1, 2010; received February 2, 2010; 104th Judicial District Court, Abilene, Taylor County, Texas. Cause No. 24,781-B

(Personnel) Section 551.074

City Council may consider appointment, employment, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of public officers or employees, City Manager, City Attorney, Municipal Court Judge, City Secretary, and City Board and Commission Members. The following Boards and Commissions may be discussed:

Abilene Economic Development Company, Inc.
Abilene Higher Education Facilities Corporation
Abilene-Taylor County Events Venue District
Board of Building Standards
Civil Service Commission
Friends of Safety City Board
Housing Authority of the City of Abilene
Library Board
Mechanical/Plumbing/Electrical & Swimming Pool Board of Appeals
Mental Health-Mental Retardation Board of Trustees
9-1-1 Emergency Communications District Board of Managers
Planning and Zoning Commission
West Central Texas Municipal Water District

(Real Property) Section 551.072 (Business Prospect/Economic Development) Section 551.087 (Deliberations about Gifts and Donations) Section 551.073 (Deliberations about Security Devices) Section 551.076 Abilene Health Facilities Development Corp. Abilene Public Health Corporation Board of Adjustments Civic Abilene, Inc. Development Corporation of Abilene, Inc. Frontier *Texas!* Board of Directors Landmarks Commission Local Redevelopment Authority

Mixed Use Review Board Parks & Recreation Board Taylor County Appraisal District Municipal Golf Course Advisory Board