

A U S T I N C I T Y C O U N C I L

# AGENDA



**Wednesday, September 12, 2012**

The Austin City Council will convene at 9:00 AM on  
Wednesday, September 12, 2012 at Austin City Hall  
301 W. Second Street, Austin, TX



**Mayor Lee Leffingwell**  
**Mayor Pro Tem Sheryl Cole**  
**Council Member Chris Riley, Place 1**  
**Council Member Mike Martinez, Place 2**  
**Council Member Kathie Tovo, Place 3**  
**Council Member Laura Morrison, Place 4**  
**Council Member William Spelman, Place 5**

For meeting information, contact the City Clerk, 974-2210

*The City Council will go into a closed session under Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code to receive advice from legal counsel, to discuss matters of land acquisition, to discuss personnel matters, to discuss or take action on a "competitive matter" of Austin Energy as provided for under Section 551.086, or for other reasons permitted by law as specifically listed on this agenda. If necessary, the City Council may go into a closed session as permitted by law regarding any item on this agenda.*

**All of the following items may be acted upon by one motion. No separate discussion or action on any of the items is necessary unless desired by a Council Member.**

## **9:00 AM – City Council Convenes**

### **Consent**

#### **Budget**

1. Approve an ordinance adopting the Operating Budget for Fiscal Year 2012-2013, beginning on October 1, 2012, and ending on September 30, 2013.
2. Approve an ordinance adopting the Capital Budget for Fiscal Year 2012-2013, beginning on October 1, 2012, and ending on September 30, 2013.
3. Approve an ordinance authorizing fees, fines, and other charges to be set or charged by the City for Fiscal Year 2012-2013, beginning on October 1, 2012, and ending on September 30, 2013.
4. Approve an ordinance establishing classifications and positions in the classified service of the Fire Department; creating positions in certain ranks; establishing pay rates; and repealing Ordinance No. 20110912-009 relating to the Fire Department classifications and positions.
5. Approve an ordinance establishing classifications and positions in the classified service of the Austin Police Department, creating certain positions, establishing pay rates and repealing Ordinance No. 20120308-014 relating to police department classifications and positions.
6. Approve a resolution declaring the City of Austin's official intent to reimburse itself from: November 2006 Proposition 1 General Obligation bonds in the amount of \$1,100,000 related to sidewalk reconstruction and improvements and traffic signals; November 2006 Proposition 2 General Obligation bonds in the amount of \$3,700,000 related to watershed protection master plan projects; November 2006 Proposition 3 General Obligation bonds in the amount of \$2,400,000 related to parks facilities improvements and renovations, parkland acquisition, playscapes, pool improvements and renovations, and trails; November 2006 Proposition 4 General Obligation

bonds in the amount of \$2,000,000 related to community and cultural facilities; November 2006 Proposition 6 General Obligation bonds in the amount of \$5,000,000 related to a new central library; Certificates of Obligation in the amount of \$7,125,000 for the Waller Creek Tunnel and Building Renovations and Improvements; and Contractual Obligations in the amount of \$46,615,000 for City of Austin Telecommunications Network Upgrade; the Greater Austin-Travis County Regional Radio System, and Austin Fire Department Vehicles.

7. Approve a resolution declaring the City of Austin's official intent to reimburse itself from the proceeds of tax-exempt obligations in an aggregate maximum principle amount of \$131,000,000 for expenditures related to the acquisition and construction of electric utility capital improvement projects.
8. Approve a resolution declaring the City of Austin's official intent to reimburse itself from the proceeds of tax-exempt obligations to be issued through October 2013 for acquisition and construction costs in an aggregate maximum principal amount of \$244,372,000 related to Fiscal Year 2012-2013 Austin Water Utility Capital Improvement Projects.
9. Ratify the property tax increase reflected in the Budget for Fiscal Year 2012-2013.
10. Approve an ordinance adopting and levying a property (ad valorem) tax rate for the City of Austin for Fiscal Year 2012-2013.

## **Non-Consent**

### **Executive Session**

11. Discuss legal issues related to Open Government matters (Private consultation with legal counsel pursuant to Section 551.071 of the Government Code).
12. Discuss legal issues related to prevailing wage matters on City construction contracts (Private consultation with legal counsel pursuant to Section 551.071 of the Government Code).


### **9:15 AM - Austin Housing and Finance Corporation Meeting**


13. The Mayor will recess the City Council meeting to conduct a Board of Directors' Meeting of the Austin Housing Finance Corporation. Following adjournment of the AHFC Board meeting the City Council will reconvene. (The AHFC agenda is temporarily located at <https://austin.siretechnologies.com/sirepub/mtgviewer.aspx?meetid=295&doctype=AGENDA>)

## 9:15 AM - Mueller Local Government Corporation Meeting

- 14 The Mayor will recess the City Council meeting to conduct a Board of Directors' meeting of the Mueller Local Government Corporation. Following adjournment of the MLGC Board meeting the City Council will re-convene. (The MLGC agenda is temporarily located at <https://austin.siretechnologies.com/sirepub/mtgviewer.aspx?meetid=308&doctype=AGENDA>)

## Adjourn

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