

# Wednesday, September 11, 2013

The Austin City Council will convene at 9:00 AM on Wednesday, September 11, 2013 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, (512) 974-2210

The City Council may go into a closed session as permitted by the Texas Open Meetings Act, (Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code) 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

## Budget

- 1. Approve an ordinance adopting the Operating Budget for Fiscal Year 2013-2014, beginning on October 1, 2013 and ending on September 30, 2014.
- 2. Approve an ordinance adopting the Capital Budget for Fiscal Year 2013-2014, beginning on October 1, 2013 and ending on September 30, 2014.
- 3. Approve an ordinance authorizing fees, fines, and other charges to be set or charged by the City for Fiscal Year 2013-2014, beginning on October 1, 2013 and ending on September 30, 2014.
- 4. Approve an ordinance establishing classifications and positions in the classified service of the Austin Fire Department; creating certain positions; and repealing Ordinance No. 20130307-015 relating to 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. 20130328-021 relating to Police Department classifications and positions.
- Approve an ordinance establishing classifications and positions in the classified service of the Emergency Medical Services Department, eliminating and creating certain positions, and repealing Ordinance No. 20130627-032 relating to Emergency Medical Services Department classifications and positions.
- 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 2014 for acquisition and construction costs in an aggregate maximum principal amount of \$260,000,000 related to Fiscal Year 2013-2014 Austin Water 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 in an aggregate maximum principal amount of \$114,000,000 for expenditures related to the acquisition

and construction of electric utility capital improvement projects.

- 9. Approve a resolution declaring the City of Austin's official intent to reimburse itself from: November 2012 Proposition 12 General Obligation bonds in the amount of \$49,265,000 related to transportation and mobility; November 2012 Proposition 13 General Obligation bonds in the amount of \$15,000,000 related to open space and watershed protection; November 2012 Proposition 14 General Obligation bonds in the amount of \$12,900,000 related to parks and recreation; November 2012 Proposition 16 General Obligation bonds in the amount of \$14,745,000 related to public safety; November 2012 Proposition 17 General Obligation bonds in the amount of \$2,545,000 related to health and human services; November 2012 Proposition 18 General Obligation bonds in the amount of \$4,030,000 related to library, museum, and cultural arts; and Certificates of Obligation in the amount of \$2,500,000 for Erosion Control, \$2,500,000 for Lott Avenue Site Improvements, \$2,500,000 for the Remanufacturing Hub project and \$1,350,000 for the Resource Recovery Center project.
- 10. Ratify the property tax increase reflected in the Budget for Fiscal Year 2013-2014.

## 10:00 AM - Tax Rate Adoption

11. Approve an ordinance adopting and levying a property (ad valorem) tax rate for the City of Austin for Fiscal Year 2013-2014.

## **Executive Session**

- 12. Discuss legal issues related to City of Austin 2013 labor negotiations (Private consultation with legal counsel- Section 551.071 of the Government Code).
- 13. Discuss legal issues related to Austin Energy fees, rates, and program offerings proposed for the Fiscal Year 2013-14 Budget.

## 10:15 AM - Austin Housing and Finance Corporation Meeting

14. 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=453&d octype=AGENDA)

# 10:15 AM - Mueller Local Government Corporation Meeting

15. 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=456&d

octype=AGENDA)

# Adjourn

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