



AUSTIN CITY COUNCIL BUDGET WORK SESSION

Wednesday, August 03, 2016

The Austin City Council will convene at 9:00 AM on
Wednesday, August 03, 2016 at Austin City Hall
301 W. Second Street, Austin, TX



Mayor Steve Adler
Mayor Pro Tem Kathie Tovo, District 9
Council Member Ora Houston, District 1
Council Member Delia Garza, District 2
Council Member Sabino “Pio” Renteria, District 3
Council Member Gregorio Casar, District 4
Council Member Ann Kitchen, District 5
Council Member Don Zimmerman, District 6
Council Member Leslie Pool, District 7
Council Member Ellen Troxclair, District 8
Council Member Sheri Gallo, District 10

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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

Morning Briefings

1. Briefing and discussion on fiscal year 2016-2017 proposed budgets for city departments.

Budget

2. Approve an ordinance adopting a process for discussing and voting on council budget concepts to be included in the draft Fiscal Year 2016-2017 budget; waiving the requirements of City Code Chapter 2-5 relating to citizen participation in items to be voted on in work session; and declaring an emergency.
(Notes: SPONSOR: Mayor Steve Adler, CO 1: Council Member Sabino "Pio" Renteria, CO 2: Mayor Pro Tem Kathie Tovo, CO 3: Council Member Ann Kitchen)
3. Discussion and possible action on the Council Budget Concept Menu.
4. Set public hearings on the proposed property (ad valorem) tax rate for Fiscal Year 2016-2017 (Suggested dates and times: August 18, 2016 at 4:00 p.m. and September 1 at 4:00 p.m., Austin City Hall, 301 West Second Street, Austin, TX). (Public comment will be allowed on this item).
5. Approve a resolution adopting a maximum proposed property (ad valorem) tax rate of 44.11 cents per \$100 taxable value that the City Council will consider for Fiscal Year 2016-2017; and setting the date that the Council will adopt the Fiscal Year 2016-2017 property (ad valorem) tax rate (Suggested date and time: September 12, 2016 at 9:30 a.m. Austin City Hall, 301 West Second Street, Austin TX). (Public comment will be allowed on this item.)

Adjourn



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