

CITY OF RISING STAR
AGENDA
REGULAR MEETING
OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
THURSDAY, APRIL 9, 2020
HIGGINBOTHAM BUILDING
110 N MAIN
RISING STAR, TX 76471
6:00 PM

1. CALL TO ORDER
2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE AND INVOCATION
3. CITIZENS INPUT
4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
 - a. REGULAR MEETING, MAR 12, 2020
 - b. EMERGENCY MEETING, MAR 24, 2020
5. DISCUSSION AND APPROVAL OF STAFF REPORTS:
 1. FINANCIAL UPDATES
 2. MONTHLY BILL LIST
 3. UTILITY REPORT
 4. POLICE REPORT/COURT REPORT
6. LEN HOBBS – REQUEST ACTION FROM ITEM TABLED FROM LAST MEETING, MAR 12, 2020 REGARDING SEWER TAP AT 300 SOUTH JOYCE.
7. DISCUSSION WITH POSSIBLE APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION 4-9-2020 OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RISING STAR, TEXAS POSTPONING THE GENERAL ELECTION CALLED FOR MAY 2, 2020, FOR THE OFFICES OF CITY COUNCIL AND MAYOR OR AN EARLIER DATE AS AUTHORIZED BY THE GOVENOR OF THE STATE OF TEXAS ESTABLISHING PROCEDURES FOR THE POSTPONED ELECTION; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.
8. ADMINISTRATOR COMMENTS
9. COUNCIL COMMENTS
10. ADJOURNMENT

The Council may vote and/or act upon each of the items listed in this Agenda. City Council may go into Closed Session to discuss matters pertaining to personnel, pending or anticipated litigation, purchase of real estate acceptance of donations, or employment of security devices when such item is posted above, and authorized under Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code.

I certify that the above notice of meeting was posted at City Hall, 104 N Miller, at 4:00 pm, April 6, 2020.

Notice of Assistance

The Rising Star City Hall and Council Chambers are wheelchair accessible and accessible parking spaces are available. Requests for accommodation must be made 48 hours prior to the meeting. Please contact City Hall at 254-643-4261 for information or assistance.



Jan Clark, City Administrator

**NOTICE OF SUSPENSION OF PUBLIC ATTENDANCE AT
CITY OF RISING STAR COUNCIL MEETING**

In accordance with *Executive Order No. GA-14*, signed by Texas Governor Greg Abbott on March 31, 2020, at 2:00 p.m. relating to COVID-19 preparedness and mitigation, every person in Texas shall avoid social gatherings in groups of more than 10 people. Additionally, on March 16, the Governor granted a request by the Texas Attorney General to waive certain requirements of the Texas Government Code, Governor Abbott has suspended various provisions that require government officials and members of the public to be physically present at a specified meeting location. Therefore, the public will only be able to attend the council meeting virtually. The meeting will be live-streamed on the City's Facebook page found at: [Rising Star City Hall](#). In accordance with the waiver, the public may make comments by calling in to Rising Star City Hall at 254-643-4261, and speak during the citizen input comment portion of the Council meeting. You will be contacted when it is your time to speak. In addition, the meeting may include one or more members of the council that will participate by teleconference. The presiding officer will be physically present and it is their intent to preside over the meeting at the Rising Star Higginbotham Building, Rising Star, Texas.