



AGENDA
PUBLIC NOTICE
REGULAR CALLED CITY COUNCIL MEETING
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2024 – JASPER CITY HALL
465 SOUTH MAIN STREET
6:00 PM

Call to Order
Prayer
Information for Council Members –SRMPA, SETRPC, and SETEDD
Departmental Reports
Public Comments

Please understand that City Council cannot discuss any presented issue, nor can it take any action on any issue at this time, except that a statement of fact, including policy may be made if responsive to an issue. AG Opinion JC – 0169.

ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION AND/OR ACTION

1. Consider for approval – (4) set of minutes –
 - Special Called City Council Meeting, October 2, 2024.
 - Regular Called City Council Meeting, October 15, 2024.
 - Special Called City Council Meeting, October 21, 2024.
 - Special Called City Council Meeting, October 29, 2024.
2. Consider for approval – -Resolution of the City Council authorizing the submission of a TxCDBG program application and commitment of match funds.
3. Consider for approval- Re-Appoint City Manager Greg Kelley to Southeast Texas Groundwater Conservation District Board of Directors
4. Presentation regarding delinquent property tax collection from James Guest of Linebarger Goggan Blair & Sampson, LLP.
5. Presentation regarding delinquent property tax collections from Keith Treadway of McCreary, Veselka, Bragg & Allen P.C.
6. Consider for approval-Appoint an attorney for delinquent property tax collections (Choose A or B)
 - A.) Resolution to Approve Contract for the Collection of Delinquent Property Taxes and Legal Representation between the City of Jasper and McCreary, Veselka, Bragg & Allen, P.C. (MVBA)
*See the Public Notice of this Agenda as required by Section 2254.1036 of the Texas Government Code.

B.) An agreement with the law firm of Linebarger Goggan Blair & Sampson, LLP as special counsel to perform all legal services necessary to collect delinquent property taxes and authorizing the execution of such agreement, as set out in the Notice of Public Meeting.

7. Consider for approval-Ordinance No. 11-12-24 Update and Amend Chapter 8 Elections Section 8-7(c)
8. Consider for approval- No Fishing in Pond During the Week of January 13-17th for the Annual Trout Derby on January 18, 2025.
9. Consider for approval- 2024 Tax Roll Resolution
10. Consider for approval - discuss and, if appropriate, authorize submission of Scope of Work items in search of bids regarding the previously approved forensic audit. The Scope of Work will be submitted exclusively to the four firms who have answered the RFP as published by the City of Jasper and as received by City Council on October 29, 2024.
11. Consider for approval- Reject all bids on Sandy Creek Bank Rehabilitation Project

12. CLOSED AND OPEN SESSIONS:

• **CLOSED EXECUTIVE SESSION –**

- 1.) Pursuant to Texas Government Code 551 Section 551.074 Personnel Matters; Police Chief Candidates
- 2.) Pursuant to Texas Government Code 551 Section 551.071 Consultation with Attorney; Legal discussions with legal counsel regarding City Council-JEDCO matters

• **RECONVENE OPEN SESSION –** Council will reconvene into open session and take Actions if any from the Closed Executive Session.

13. Council Time Discussion

• **Adjourn.**

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Liz Jarrell, City Secretary