

John Dowell, Mayor
Frank Castro
Alan Casey



Fred Jones, Mayor Pro Tem
Linda Pruitt
Joel Lopez
Ricky Jorgensen, City Manager

**NOTICE OF A REGULAR MEETING
GIDDINGS CITY COUNCIL
MONDAY, JULY 24, 2017 AT 7:00 P.M.
COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 118 E. RICHMOND, GIDDINGS, TEXAS 78942**

A QUORUM OF THE GIDDINGS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION BOARD OF DIRECTORS MAY BE PRESENT AT THIS MEETING. NO ACTION OF THE GEDC BOARD WILL BE TAKEN AT THIS MEETING.

- 1. CALL TO ORDER**
- 2. PLEDGES TO THE US AND TEXAS FLAGS**
- 3. INVOCATION AND WELCOME**
- 4. ANNOUNCEMENTS**
- 5. PRESENTATIONS AND PROCLAMATIONS**
 - a. Police Department Employee Commendation
- 6. CITIZENS' COMMENTS**
- 7. CONSENT AGENDA** – All of the following items are considered to be self-explanatory by the Council and will be enacted with one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a Council Member so requests.
 - a. Consider approval of Minutes for Regular Meeting held on July 10, 2017.
- 8. NEW BUSINESS**
 - a. Consider approval of Ordinance No. 827 authorizing the issuance of City of Giddings, Texas General Obligation Refunding Bonds, Series 2017; authorizing the levy of an ad valorem tax in support of the Bonds; approving an Official Statement, a Paying Agent/Registrar Agreement, Purchase Agreement and an Escrow Agreement; awarding the sale of the Bonds; calling certain obligations for redemption; and authorizing other matters relating to the issuance of the Bonds.
 - b. Consider approval of Ordinance No. 828 authorizing the issuance of the City of Giddings, Texas Combination Tax and Revenue Certificates of Obligation, Series 2017; levying an ad valorem tax and pledging certain surplus revenues in support of the Certificates; approving an Official Statement, a Paying Agent/Registrar Agreement and other agreements relating to the sale and issuance of the Certificates; and ordaining other matters relating to the issuance of the Certificates.
 - c. Discussion and possible action to authorize the Mayor to execute an amended agreement with Texas Disposal Systems for residential and commercial solid waste collection and recycling services for the City of Giddings.
 - d. Receive first draft of City of Giddings 2017-2018 Proposed Budget

9. CITY MANAGER'S REPORT, AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

10. ADJOURNMENT

If, during the course of the meeting and discussion of any items covered by this notice, City Council determines that a Closed or Executive session of the Council is required, then such closed meeting will be held as authorized by Texas Government Code, Chapter 551. If a Closed or Executive session is held in accordance with the Texas Government Code as set out above, the City Council will reconvene in Open Session in order to take action, if necessary, on the items addressed during Executive Session.

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that a copy of the Notice of the Giddings City Council Meeting for **Monday, July 24, 2017** was posted on the bulletin board at City Hall, 118 E. Richmond St., Giddings, Texas, a place convenient and readily accessible to the general public at all times.

DATE OF POSTING: 7.21.2017 TIME OF POSTING: 9:30 a.m. TAKEN DOWN: _____

Lola Hazel

Lola Hazel, City Secretary