



CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING

February 3, 2025, at 7:00 PM

Hewitt City Hall, 200 Patriot Court, Hewitt, TX 76643

AGENDA

Steve Fortenberry, Mayor: Ward 3, – **Erica Bruce**, Mayor Pro Tem: Ward 3

Michael S. Bancale, Council Member: At-Large – **Johnny Stephens**, Council Member: Ward 1

Bob Potter, Council Member: Ward 2 – **Brad Turner**, Council Member: Ward 1

Vacant Seat, Council Member: Ward 2

The meeting will be streamed live on the city's website at www.cityofhewitt.com/790/Hewitt-TX-TV.

Under Texas Government Code Sec. 551.127, members may attend and participate in the meeting remotely by video conference on a regular, non-emergency basis. Should that occur, a quorum of the members will be physically present at the location noted above on this agenda.

REGULAR MEETING - 7:00 PM

DECLARATION OF A QUORUM AND CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

SPECIAL PRESENTATION(S) AND RECOGNITION(S)

1. Swearing-in and pinning ceremony of newly hired and promoted firefighters.
2. Presentation of Hewitt's 2024 Racial Profiling Report.

PUBLIC HEARING(S) AND RELATED ACTION

3. Public hearing on Storm Water Mitigation as required by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ).

PUBLIC COMMENTS

The City Council invites citizens to speak on any topic not already scheduled for a public hearing. The Texas Open Meetings Act prohibits the Council from discussing, responding to, or acting on any comments or items not posted on the agenda. (Note: Citizens who wish to speak must complete a "Public Comment Form" and present it to the City Secretary before the meeting.)

REGULAR AGENDA ITEMS

4. Approve minutes of the January 21, 2025, City Council Special Meeting.
5. Presentation of the report from the City Engineer Miles Whitney, P.E.
 - Update on pending utility projects.
 - Update on pending street projects.
 - Update on pending drainage projects.
6. Discussion and possible action on rescheduling the City Council meeting scheduled for February 17, 2025.
7. Discussion and possible action on **Ordinance No. 2025-03**, ordering a Special Election, authorizing the City Manager to execute an Election Services Contract with the McLennan County Elections Administrator, and establishing Early Voting and Election Day Vote Centers and dates/times of operation.
8. Discussion and possible action on **Ordinance No. 2025-04**, ordering a Joint General Election, authorizing the City Manager to execute an Election Services Contract with the McLennan County Elections Administrator, and establishing Early Voting and Election Day Vote Centers and dates/times of operation.

RECESS REGULAR SESSION TO CONVENE EXECUTIVE SESSION

EXECUTIVE SESSION: Notice is given that a closed meeting will be held under Section 551.074 of the Texas Government Code (V.T.C.A.) so that the Council may discuss personnel matters regarding the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of a public officer or employee (**City Manager's evaluation**).

RECONVENE REGULAR MEETING

9. Discussion and possible action on evaluation/employment of City Manager (if needed).

ADJOURNMENT

I certify that the above notice of meeting was posted on the Public Notice Board in front of City Hall on **January 29, 2025**, by 5:00 PM.

CITY OF HEWITT

Lydia Lopez

Lydia Lopez, TRMC/CMC

City Secretary

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