

**ROBIN J. ELACKATT**  
Mayor

**VASHAUNDRA EDWARDS**  
Councilmember at Large Position No. 1

**LYNN CLOUSER**  
Councilmember at Large Position No. 2



**CHERYL STERLING**  
Councilmember District A

**JEFFREY L. BONEY**  
Councilmember District B

**ANTHONY G. MAROULIS**  
Mayor Pro Tem  
Councilmember District C

**FLOYD EMERY**  
Councilmember District D

## CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES

The City Council of the City of Missouri City, Texas, met in special session on **Wednesday, July 28, 2021**, at the Missouri City Community Center, 1522 Texas Parkway, Missouri City, Texas, 77489, at **5:30 p.m.** to consider the following:

### 1. ROLL CALL

Mayor Pro Tem Maroulis called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

Those also present: Councilmembers Clouser, Sterling, Boney, and Emery; Interim City Manager Atkinson, City Attorney Iyamu, City Secretary Jackson, Assistant City Manager Martel, Director of Public Works Kumar, Director of Communications Walker, and Assistant Director of Public Works Hoover. Councilmember Edwards arrived at 5:39 p.m. Absent: Mayor Elackatt.

Councilmember Clouser moved to consider agenda item 2c before item 2b. Councilmember Emery seconded. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.**

Mayor Pro Tem Maroulis announced that City Council would move to the Planning Conference Room to interview candidates for City boards and commissions for item 2a. The meeting would continue to be open to the public for item 2a and City Council would return to the Community Center after item 2a to take up the remaining agenda items.

### 2. DISCUSSION/POSSIBLE ACTION

- (a) Interview, discuss and consider candidates to serve various city boards, committees and commissions.

City Council interviewed Adrienne Barker, Buddy Snyder, Eunice Reiter, Vondel Smith-Sloan, Lillie M. McIntyre, Angela Lee, and Brianna Kyles for the Arts & Culture Commission; Pearlie Bryd and Sheryl L Orloff for the Community Development Advisory Committee; Bill Cronin and LarKaya D Gant for the Zoning Board of Adjustments and Appeals; and, LarKaya D Gant for the Missouri City Parks Foundation.

Councilmember Boney moved to appoint Adrienne Barker, Buddy Snyder, Eunice Reiter, Vondel Smith-Sloan, Lillie M. McIntyre, Angela Lee, and Brianna Kyles to the Arts & Culture Commission; Bill Cronin to the Zoning Board of Adjustments and Appeals; and, Pearlie Byrd to the Community Development Advisory Committee. Councilmember Sterling seconded. **MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.**

- (c) Safety measures and protocols while traveling to hotspots/ high level areas.

Dr. Anzaldua presented an update of the COVID-19 Delta Variant and revised CDC guidelines.

Councilmember Clouser asked if there was one vaccine that was more favored for the breakthrough infections. Dr. Anzaldua responded that most of the studies have been with Pfizer or Moderna and he does not believe one was favored over another as both were about the same. Councilmember Clouser stated that with the resurgence of COVID cases in the county and with Dr. Anzaldua being the primary physician in the

Fort Bend area, does he believe testing sites would increase. Dr. Anzaldua stated that he believes the county would be doing their metrics to determine if testing sites would increase.

Dr. Anzaldua stated that with hot spots, it was a moving target and what was a hot spot this week, may not be a hot spot next week. He adds that the CDC has a website with a travel guidance and you could insert the county you were planning to visit and it would tell you what the COVID situation was there.

Councilmember Edwards asked if Dr. Anzaldua had any new recommendations for city operations. Dr. Anzaldua stated no, that city operations would remain as they were unless the governor changes his executive order he would recommend that the city remain its status quo. Councilmember Edwards asked if the county provided any recommendations or updates. Dr. Anzaldua stated no and it would not surprise him if they increased their community risk level as Harris County did.

(b) Presentation of the Bond Exploratory Committee.

Chairman Everett Land, Vice-Chair Vickie McBride, and Vice-Chair Jonathan Winfile presented the Bond Exploratory Committee process and communication outreach, bond financing scenarios, originally proposed transportation projects overview, originally proposed parks projects overview, originally proposed facility projects overview, and the open houses and public feedback.

Interim City Manager Atkinson stated that on August 2, 2021, City Council would be presented with the final list of projects to take action. He adds that if City Council was not ready, Council could have a meeting on August 16, 2021 to consider further action. City Attorney Iyamu added that August 16, 2021 was the last day to order a general election or a special election on a measure.

**3. ADJOURN**

The special City Council meeting adjourned at 8:35 p.m.

Minutes PASSED AND APPROVED this the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of August 2021.

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Maria Jackson, City Secretary