

RICHARDSON CITY COUNCIL
MONDAY, AUGUST 23, 2021
COUNCIL MEETING AT 6:00 P.M.
CIVIC CENTER/CITY HALL, 411 W. ARAPAHO, RICHARDSON, TX

As authorized by Section 551.071 (2) of the Texas Government Code, this meeting may be convened into closed Executive Session for the purpose of seeking confidential legal advice from the City Attorney on any agenda item listed herein.

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COUNCIL MEETING – 6:00 PM, COUNCIL CHAMBERS

• **CALL TO ORDER**

1. **INVOCATION – AREFIN SHAMSUL**
2. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: U.S. AND TEXAS FLAGS – AREFIN SHAMSUL**
3. **MINUTES OF THE AUGUST 16, 2021 MEETING**

4. **VISITORS/ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF PUBLIC COMMENT CARDS**

Visitors may address the Council on any topic that is not already scheduled for Public Hearing. Speakers should complete a Public Comment Card and present it to the City Secretary before the meeting. Speakers are limited to 5 minutes. Comments should be directed to the Mayor and City Council. The Texas Open Meetings Act prohibits the City Council from discussing or taking action on items that are not posted on the agenda. The Mayor or City Manager may provide specific factual information, recite an existing policy, or schedule the item for discussion on a future agenda in response to the public comments.

APPOINTMENT:

5. **CONSIDER ORDINANCE NO. 4394, APPOINTING THOMAS D'AMORE TO SERVE AS PRESIDING MUNICIPAL COURT JUDGE OF THE MUNICIPAL COURT OF RECORD NO. 1 OF THE CITY OF RICHARDSON, TEXAS, TO FILL THE UNEXPIRED TERM OF CHRISSI W. GUMBERT, THE CURRENT PRESIDING MUNICIPAL COURT JUDGE; AND APPOINTING CHRISSI W. GUMBERT TO SERVE AS AN ASSISTANT**

MUNICIPAL COURT JUDGE OF THE MUNICIPAL COURT OF RECORD NO. 1 OF THE CITY OF RICHARDSON, TEXAS.

PUBLIC HEARING ITEM:

6. PUBLIC HEARING ON THE FY 2021-2022 PROPOSED BUDGET.
Citizens wishing to address the City Council can submit comments electronically by 5:00 p.m. by utilizing the Public Comment Card found here: www.cor.net/PublicCommentForm.

BUDGET ACTION ITEMS:

7. CONSIDER ORDINANCE NO. 4395, APPROVING AND ADOPTING A BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2021 AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2022.
8. CONSIDER ORDINANCE NO. 4396, LEVYING THE AD VALOREM TAXES FOR THE YEAR 2021 (FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022) AT A RATE OF \$0.61516 PER ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100) ASSESSED VALUATION ON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF RICHARDSON AS OF JANUARY 1, 2021.
9. CONSIDER RATIFYING THE PROPERTY TAX INCREASE REFLECTED IN THE ADOPTED BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2021 AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2022.
10. CONSIDER RESOLUTION NO. 21-18, ADOPTING AMENDED FINANCIAL POLICIES.

11. BUDGET CONSENT AGENDA:

All items listed under the Budget Consent Agenda are considered to be routine by the City Council and will be enacted by one motion with no individual consideration. If individual consideration of an item is requested, it will be removed from the Budget Consent Agenda and discussed separately.

A. CONSIDER ADOPTION OF ORDINANCE NO. 4397, AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES BY AMENDING CHAPTER 23, "WATER, SEWERS AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL", BY AMENDING SECTION 23-98 TO ESTABLISH RATES TO BE CHARGED FOR WATER SERVICES FURNISHED BY THE CITY; AND BY AMENDING SECTION 23-168 TO ESTABLISH RATES TO BE CHARGED FOR SEWER SERVICES FURNISHED BY THE CITY.

B. CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTIONS:

a.A.1. RESOLUTION NO. 21-19, ESTABLISHING REVISED FEES AND CHARGES FOR THE REMOVAL OF GARBAGE AND REFUSE WITHIN THE CITY.

a.A.2. RESOLUTION NO. 21-20, PROVIDING AN AMENDED FEE SCHEDULE FOR BUILDING INSPECTION FEES AND PERMITS.

a.A.3. RESOLUTION NO. 21-21, ESTABLISHING FIRE PERMIT PLAN REVIEW FEES.

a.A.4. RESOLUTION NO. 21-22, ESTABLISHING SENIOR CENTER RENTAL FEES FOR CITY RESIDENT USE; ESTABLISHING GYM RENTAL FEES FOR CITY RESIDENT USE AND PARK PAVILION RESERVATION FEES FOR NON-RESIDENT USE; ESTABLISHING HEIGHTS AQUATIC CENTER PAVILION TABLE RENTAL FEES AND PRIVATE PARTY RENTAL FEES FOR HEIGHTS AQUATIC CENTER AND NEIGHBORHOOD POOLS FOR CITY RESIDENTS.

12. REPORT ON ITEMS OF COMMUNITY INTEREST

The City Council will have an opportunity to address items of community interest, including: expressions of thanks, congratulations, or condolence; information regarding holiday schedules; an honorary or salutary recognition of a public official, public employee, or other citizen; a reminder about an upcoming event organized or sponsored by the City of Richardson; information regarding a social, ceremonial, or community event organized or sponsored by an entity other than the City of Richardson that was attended or is scheduled to be attended by a member of the City Council or an official or employee of the City of Richardson; and announcements involving an imminent threat to the public health and safety of people in the City of Richardson that has arisen after posting the agenda.

- **ADJOURN**

