

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE  
CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARSHALL  
MAY 26, 2022  
6:00 PM

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Mayor Amy Ware called the Regular meeting to order in the Council Chambers, City Hall at 6:00 p.m.

PRESENT:

MAYOR: Amy Ware, District 4

COUNCIL MEMBERS:

Marvin Bonner, District 1  
Jennifer Truelove, District 3  
Amanda Abraham, District 6

Leo Morris, District 2  
Reba Godfrey, District 5  
Micah Fenton, District 7

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF PRESENT:

Terrell Smith, City Manager  
Reggie Cooper, Fire Chief  
Eric Powell, Public Works Director  
Scott Rectenwald, Acting City Attorney  
Daniel Duke, Tourism & Cultural Arts Director  
Nikki Smith, City Secretary/Payroll Accountant  
Randy Pritchard, Support Services Superintendent  
Garnett Johnson, Community Development Director

Christol Hall, HR Manager  
Cliff Carruth, Police Chief

INVOCATION & PLEDGE: Mayor Ware

**OATH OF OFFICE AND BOND APPROVAL**

135. **ISSUE OATH OF OFFICE FOR COUNCILMEMBER REPRESENTING DISTRICT 5.**

Scott Rectenwald, Acting City Attorney, administered the Oath of Office for the Councilmember representing District 5.

136. **CONSIDER APPROVAL OF BOND FOR COUNCILMEMBER REPRESENTING DISTRICT 5.**

Scott Rectenwald asked for approval of a bond for Councilmember representing District 5.

**Councilmember Abraham made a motion to approve the bond for Councilmember representing District 5. Councilmember Truelove seconded the motion, which passed with a vote of 7:0.**

137. **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

A. Pursuant to the Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code, Section 551.074 (Personnel) – Discussion of Chairman, or Mayor, and Acting Chairman, or Mayor Pro-Tem, for the City Council.

**Councilmember Truelove made a motion to convene into Executive Session. Councilmember Godfrey seconded the motion, which passed with a vote of 7:0. The time was 6:06 PM.**

**Councilmember Abraham made a motion to reconvene from Executive Session. Councilmember Truelove seconded the motion, which passed with a vote of 7:0. The time was 6:11 PM.**

**ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN AND ACTING CHAIRMAN**

138. **CONSIDER ELECTION OF THE CHAIR, OR MAYOR, FOR THE CITY COUNCIL.**

**Councilmember Truelove nominated Councilmember Ware for the position of Chair, or Mayor, for the City Council. Councilmember Abraham seconded the nomination, which passed with a vote of 7:0.**

139. **CONSIDER ELECTION OF THE ACTING CHAIR, OR MAYOR PRO-TEM, FOR THE CITY COUNCIL.**

**Councilmember Fenton nominated Councilmember Abraham for the position of Acting Chair, or Mayor Pro-Tem, for the City Council. Councilmember Godfrey seconded the nomination, which passed with a vote of 7:0.**

140. **CITIZEN COMMENTS**

There were no Citizen Comments.

141. **ITEMS TO BE WITHDRAWN FROM CONSENT AGENDA**

There were no items withdrawn from the Consent Agenda.

142. **CONSENT AGENDA**

**Councilmember Fenton made a motion to approve the Consent Agenda. Councilmember Truelove seconded the motion, which passed with a vote of 7:0.**

A. Consider approval of the minutes from the May 12, 2022 Regular meeting and the May 16, 2022 Special-Called meeting.

**CITY MANAGER REPORTS AND REQUESTS FOR CITY COUNCIL CONSIDERATION**

143. **CONSIDER APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS TO MARSHALL DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION.**

Nikki Smith, City Secretary, asked for approval of Jim Davis and Dinora Harris to Marshall Downtown Development Corporation.

**Councilmember Fenton made a motion to approve the recommendation for the appointment of Jim Davis and Dinora Harris to Marshall Downtown Development Corporation. Councilmember Truelove seconded the motion, which passed with a vote of 7:0.**

144. **CONSIDERATION OF ITEMS WITHDRAWN FROM THE CONSENT AGENDA**

There were no items withdrawn from the Consent Agenda.

145. **ADJOURNMENT**

**Councilmember Abraham made a motion for adjournment. Councilmember Godfrey seconded the motion, which passed with a vote of 7:0.**

**APPROVED:**

  
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**Mayor of the City Council  
of the City of Marshall, Texas**

**ATTEST:**

  
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**City Secretary**