



City of Pflugerville

Minutes - Final - Draft

City Council

Tuesday, November 17, 2020

6:00 PM

100 East Main Street, Suite 500

Special Meeting (Telephone/Video Conference)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN in accordance with order of the Office of the Governor issued March 16, 2020, the City Council will conduct this Special Meeting by telephone/video conference in order to advance the public health goal of limiting face-to-face meetings to slow the spread of the COVID-19. There will be no public access to the location described above.

This Special Meeting Agenda, and the Agenda Packet, are posted online at <https://pflugerville.legistar.com>

This telephonic/video meeting will be hosted through WebEx.
Meeting Link: <https://pflugervilletx.webex.com/pflugervilletx/onstage/g.php?MTID=e61e91da78adad0501167d1d9c20e0554>

Meeting Code/Number: 146 553 1311

Dial-in number: (US toll): = 1-408-418-9388

Public comment will be allowed via telephone/video conference at the Special Meeting scheduled to begin at 6:00 p.m. All speakers must register to speak at least 2 hours in advance of the Special Meeting. Public comment will occur under the Public Comment item. Speakers must call in at least 15 minutes prior to the start of the Special Meeting in order to speak. Written comments may also be submitted 2 hours in advance of the meeting.

To register to speak or to submit written comments, please email citysecretary@pflugervilletx.gov at least 2 hours in advance of the Special Meeting. Name and address must be included. Written comments are limited to 250 words.

A recording of the telephone/video meeting will be made, and will be available to the public upon written request.

The meeting will be available live for viewing on PfTV on the City website:
<https://www.pflugervilletx.gov/city-government/communications/pftv>

1. Call to order

Mayor Victor Gonzales called the special meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. The meeting was held by telephone/video conference. Mayor Pro Tem Omar Peña

and Councilmembers Doug Weiss, Jeff Marsh, and Rudy Metayer were in attendance. Councilmember Jim McDonald joined the meeting at 6:01 p.m. Councilmember Mike Heath was absent. City employees attending: Sereniah Breland, City Manager; Charlie Zech, City Attorney; Trey Fletcher, Deputy City Manager; Amy Giannini, Assistant City Manager; James Hartshorn, Assistant City Manager; Karen Thompson, City Secretary; Terri Toledo, Communications Director; Maggie Holman, Public Information Officer; Gwen Holford, Application and Web Developer; Wade Maness, Videography Multimedia Specialist; Richard Donoghue, Bond Counsel.

2. Public Comment

Mayor Gonzales stated that registration for public comment was taken until 4:00 p.m. today and there were no written comments and two requests to speak from Trevor Stokes and Joshua Stubblefield. Trevor Stokes, Representative for Pflugerville Professional Firefighters Association L4137, spoke to his concerns for the condition of emergency services with the Travis County Emergency Services District (ESD) No. 2. He stated that the ESD funding model is flawed and not sustainable. He asked who will provide the services if the ESD does not. He stated that the goal is to allow the citizens to decide the level of service to be provided. Joshua Stubblefield, President Pflugerville Professional Firefighters, stated that a petition was submitted on October 7, 2020 for the Travis County ESD No. 17. He stated that the ESD No. 2 had over 10,000 calls last year and is currently running 5 ambulances. He stated that not allowing the citizens to vote on this takes their voice away. He stated that the Council received a letter earlier this week from the ESD No. 2 and they will be forced to withdraw ambulance service in the city limits. He asked what the plan is for that.

3. Resolutions

3A. [RES-0781](#)

Discuss and consider action to approve a resolution canvassing the votes of the November 3, 2020 General Election.

Mayor Gonzales opened the item for consideration. He stated that for the position of Councilmember Place 2, Ceasar Ruiz received 14,078 votes and Victor To received 9,624 votes; for the position of Councilmember Place 4, Bob Reichenbach received 7,722 votes and Rudy Metayer received 15,857 votes; and for the position of Councilmember Place 6, David Rogers received 11,948 votes and Jim McDonald received 11,066 votes. He announced that Ceasar Ruiz was elected to Place 2, Rudy Metayer was elected to Place 4 and David Rogers was elected to Place 6.

Mayor Pro Tem Peña made a motion to approve the resolution canvassing the votes as presented. Mr. Metayer seconded the motion. All voted in favor. The motion carried.

3B. [RES-0782](#)

Discuss and consider action to approve a resolution canvassing the votes of the November 3, 2020 Special Bond Election.

Mayor Gonzales opened the item for consideration. He stated that Proposition A received 18,058 votes for the Proposition and there were 8,423 votes against; Proposition B received 17,393 votes for the Proposition and there were 8,986 votes against; and Proposition C received 14,831 votes for the Proposition and

there were 11,101 votes against. He announced that Propositions A, B and C were approved by the voters.

Mr. McDonald made a motion to approve the resolution canvassing the votes as presented. Mayor Gonzales seconded the motion. All voted in favor. The motion carried.

4. Adjourn

Mayor Gonzales adjourned the meeting at 6:12 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Karen Thompson
City Secretary

Approved as _____ on December 8, 2020.