

Notice is hereby given that a regular meeting of the governing body of the City of Columbus, Texas will be held on

Thursday, January 28, 2010 at 6:30 p.m.

in the Council Chambers at the, 605 Spring Street, Columbus, Texas,  
at which time the following subjects will be discussed, to wit:

1. Call to Order.
2. Pledge of Allegiance and Invocation.
3. Consent Agenda:
  - a. Approval of Invoices.
  - b. Approval of Minutes of January 14, 2010 Regular Meeting.
  - c. Approval of November Financial Statement.
4. Citizen's Presentations and Comments. [\[1\]](#)
5. City Manager Report including City Hall Construction, City Gas System, Charter Street Water Improvements, Quarterly Revenue Update and Economic Indicators, TXDOT Area Changes, EECBG Grant Applications, Flood Plain Map Changes, City Hall Open House.
6. Consideration and Action to Award Hotel Occupancy Tax Grants.
7. Public Hearing: Zoning Change for Section 14.02.732 (17).
8. Consideration and Action to Approve Ordinance 102-10, Zoning Change of Section 14.02.732 (17)
9. Discussion and Action Regarding Railroad Crossing at Austin Street. (Schonenberg)
10. Discussion and Action Regarding Thru-Truck Traffic Within the City of Columbus. (Tesch).
11. Discussion and Action to Authorize Advertisement for Bids for 2010 Water Improvements as presented by John D. Mercer and Associates. (Warschak)
12. Consideration and Action to Provide Authorization to Survey Great Southern Wood Property for the Colorado County Central Appraisal District. (Warschak)
13. Discussion and Action Regarding Assisting other Entities with City Equipment. (Wagner)
14. Consideration and Action to Order Election for a General Municipal Election on Saturday, May 8, 2010 to Fill the Alderman Positions of 3, 4 and 5. (Glaeser)
15. Discussion of December Police Report. (Jackson)
16. Discussion and Action Regarding Open Meetings Training. (Tesch)
17. Items from Councilmembers.<sup>2</sup>
18. Announcements.
19. Adjournment.

"The City Council for the City of Columbus reserves the right to adjourn into executive session at any time during the course of this meeting to discuss any of the matters listed above, as authorized by Texas Government Code Sections 551.071 (Consultation with Attorney), 551.072 (Deliberations about Real Property), 551.073 (Deliberations about Gifts and Donations), 551.074 (Personnel Matters), 551.076 (Deliberations about Security Devices) and 551.086 (Economic Development)."

I, the undersigned authority, do hereby certify that the above Notice of Meeting of the governing body of the City of Columbus, Texas is a true and correct copy of said Notice and that I posted said Notice on the glass window of the City Hall entrance at 605 Spring Street and drive-up window on January 25, 2010 before 6:30 p.m., place convenient and readily accessible to the general public at all times; to remain so posted continuously for at least 72 hours preceding the scheduled time of said Meeting.

DATED THIS 25<sup>th</sup> Day of January, 2010

COLUMBUS, TEXAS

Donald Warschak, City Manager

BY: \_\_\_\_\_

Requests for accommodations or interpretive services must be made at least 48 hours prior to the meeting. Please contact City Secretary Patti Glaeser 979.732.2366 or fax 979.732.8213 for additional information.

<sup>1</sup>During this agenda item, citizens may comment for the record on items which are not on the agenda. However, the Council may not participate in discussion or deliberation on any item that is not on the agenda. Citizens may request that a topic be added to a future agenda.

Citizens who wish to comment on a posted agenda item may do so when that item is addressed by the Mayor. Citizen's comments are limited to five minutes.

<sup>2</sup>Limited to statements. Issues raised by councilmembers under this item cannot be deliberated by Council. The Open Meetings Act does not allow Council to deliberate items that don't appear on the agenda.

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