

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

Thursday, March 11, 2010 at 6:30 p.m.

in the Council Chambers at 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 February 25, 2010 Regular Meeting.
 - c. Approval of January Financial Statements.
4. Consideration and Action to Approve Invoices from Curtiss Automotive.
5. Citizen's Presentations and Comments. [\[1\]](#)
6. City Manager Report including City Gas System, Charter Street Water Improvements, Electrical Rates, EECBG Grant Application, Economic Indicators, Water System Flushing, Swimming Pool Cool Deck, Safe Route to School, Auction Results.
7. Consider and Take Action on Ordinance #104-10 by the City Council of the City of Columbus, Texas, Relating to the "Columbus Community and Industrial Development Corporation Sales Tax Revenue Refunding Bonds, Series 2010"; Approving (1) the Resolution of the Board of Directors of the Columbus Community Industrial Development Corporation Authorizing the Issuance of Such Bonds and (2) the Execution, on behalf of the City of an Amended and Restated Financing/Use Agreement Relating to Such Financing by the Columbus Community and Industrial Development Corporation; Resolving Other Matters Incident and Related to the Issuance of such Bonds; and Providing an Effective Date.
8. Consideration and Action Regarding Garbage Contract Proposals. (Warschak)
9. Discussion and Action to Approve Eagle Scout Project as requested by Jonathan Streckfuss. (Warschak)
10. Discussion and Action Regarding Presentation by Gayle Muensch, President of Texana Pipeline, in Reference to Improvements made at the City's Main Gas Gate and Upstream of the City Gate. (Warschak)
11. Discussion and Action Regarding CCIDC Minutes for November, December and January. (Richardson)
12. Discussion and Action Regarding Columbus Community and Industrial Development Corporation (CCIDC) Funds versus AdValorem Taxes. (Richardson)
13. Discussion and Action regarding Partial Closure of Walnut Street from Bowie Street to Milam Street and Milam Street from Walnut Street to Spring Street on Sunday, April 25, 2010 for Gundelach Benefit from 10:00 am until 2:00 pm. (Warschak)
14. Discussion and Action to Accept Donations of Funds for Police Gear. (Jackson)
15. Consideration and Action to Approve Budget Amendment for Police Gear. (Glaeser)
16. Discussion and Action Regarding Donations of Office Supplies. (Glaeser)
17. Items from Councilmembers.²
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 in the enclosed bulletin board outside City Hall entrance at 605 Spring Street and drive-up window on March 8, 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 8th Day of March, 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.

¹During 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.

²Limited 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.
