



**NOTICE OF MEETING OF THE
GOVERNING BODY OF
COLUMBUS, TEXAS**

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

Tuesday, July 24, 2012 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 July 3, 2012 Special Meeting.
 - c. Approval of Minutes of July 12, 2012 Regular Meeting.
4. Citizens' Presentations and Comments.¹
5. City Manager's Report including Cardinal Hill Water Plant Well, 2012 Street Improvements, and Household Hazardous Waste Collection Event.
6. Consideration and Action to Approve Closure of Live Oak Street, from Martin Luther King to Dewees Street from 8:00 a.m. until 4 p.m. Saturday, August 11, 2012 for the 8th Annual St. Paul United Methodist Church Fun Fest.
7. Public Hearing Concerning the Abandonment, Vacation and Closure of the Following Street Segments: Front Street within the Margins of Lot 3, Block 29.
8. Consideration and Action to Approve Ordinance 134-12 an Ordinance Providing for the Abandonment, Vacation, and Closure of Front Street within the Margins of Lot 3, Block 29 of the City of Columbus.
9. Consideration and Action to Approve Hotel Occupancy Tax (HOT) Fund Grant 2011-2012 – Weimar Babe Ruth World Series Sponsored by the Weimar VFW.
10. Consideration and Action to Approve Ordinance 133-12 an Ordinance Annexing 2.066 Acres of Land in the Elizabeth Tumlinson League, Abstract No. 44, Colorado County, Texas.
11. Consideration and Action to Submit a Replat of Tract D of the Texas Crossroads Business Park to the Planning & Zoning Commission.
12. Consideration and Action, if Necessary, on the June 2012 Police Report.
13. Discussion of Budget Workshop.
14. Items from Councilmembers.

15. Announcements.²

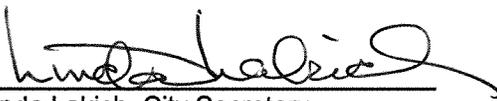
16. Adjournment.

"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 (Consultations with Attorney), 551.072 (Deliberations about Real Property), 551.073 (Deliberations Regarding Gifts and Donations), 551.074 (Personnel Matters), 551.076 (Deliberations about Security Devices) and 551.087 (Economic Development Negotiations)."

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 July 20, 2012 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 20th Day of July, 2012

COLUMBUS, TEXAS

BY: 
Linda Lakich, City Secretary

Requests for accommodations or interpretive services must be made at least 48 hours prior to the meeting. Please contact City Secretary Linda Lakich 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.