

CITY OF ROCKPORT

MINUTES

CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING 6:30 p.m., Tuesday, February 28, 2023 Rockport Service Center, 2751 State Highway 35 Bypass

Members of the public could view the meeting via live stream. Public participation is valued and citizens wishing to express their views on any topic or agenda item could electronically submit a Citizen Participation Form in order to register to speak by going to <https://rockport.seamlessdocs.com/f/CouncilCitizenParticipation> or scanning the QR code provided on the Agenda, or if attending the meeting in person register before the meeting begins. Using the same form, citizens could also provide written comments to the City Secretary by 4:00 p.m. on the day of the meeting. The comments were read and summarized in the minutes of the meeting.

On the 28th day of February 2023, the City Council of the City of Rockport, Aransas County, Texas, convened in a Regular Meeting at 6:30 p.m., at the Training Room of the Rockport Service Center and notice of meeting giving time, place, date, and subject was posted as described in V.T.C.A., Government Code § 551.041.

CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT

Mayor Pro-Tem Andrea Hattman, Ward 4
Council Member Katy Jackson, Ward 1
Council Member Danielle Hale, Ward 2
Council Member Brad Brundrett, Ward 3

CITY COUNCIL MEMBER(S) ABSENT

Mayor Tim Jayroe

STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT

City Manager Vanessa Shrauner
Assistant to City Manager Kimberly Henry
City Secretary Teresa Valdez
Director of Public Works and Building & Development Services Mike Donoho
Chief of Police Greg Stevens
Information Technology Director Bob Argetsinger

ELECTED OFFICIALS PRESENT

Opening Agenda

1. Call meeting to order.

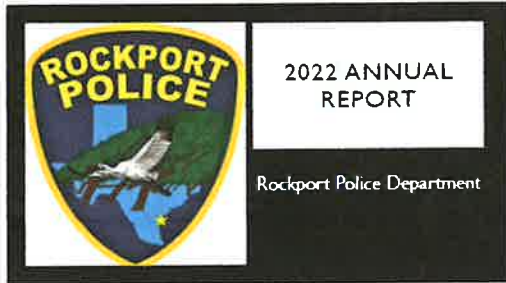
With a quorum of the Council Members present, the Regular Meeting of the Rockport City Council was called to order by Mayor Pro-Tem Hattman at 6:32 p.m. on Tuesday, February 28, 2023, in the Training Room of the Rockport Service Center, 2751 State Highway 35 Bypass, Rockport, Texas.

2. Pledge of Allegiance.

Council Member Brundrett led the Pledge of Allegiance to the U.S. flag.

3. Presentation: Rockport Police Department 2022 Annual Report.

Chief of Police Greg Stevens gave a PowerPoint presentation (below) on the 2022 Police Department Annual Report.

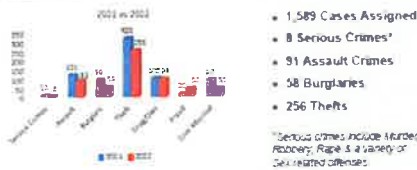


CALLS FOR SERVICE

- 8,889 Calls for Service
- 4,937 Calls required 2 or more officers
- Average of 24 calls per day
- 924 Alarm Calls
 - Approximately 99% were false alarms
- 690 Burglary & Theft Calls
 - 314 Offense reports generated
- 1,589 Offense Reports Generated



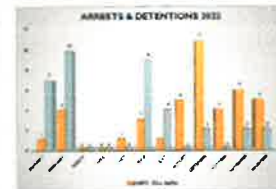
CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION



- 1,589 Cases Assigned
 - 8 Serious Crimes*
 - 51 Assault Crimes
 - 58 Burglaries
 - 256 Thefts
- *Serious crimes include: Murder, Recovery, Rape & a variety of Sex-related offenses.

GRANT SUMMARY

- 2022 Grant hours funded by 2020 & 2021 grant awards
- 2,805 Hours worked in 2022
- 2,031 Vehicles stopped
- 36 Persons detained for immigration law violations



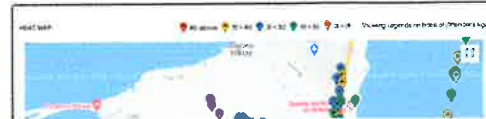
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Officer 3	12	15	18	20	22	25	28	30	32	35	38	40	305
Officer 4	18	20	22	25	28	30	32	35	38	40	42	45	365
Officer 5	10	12	15	18	20	22	25	28	30	32	35	38	275
Officer 6	15	18	20	22	25	28	30	32	35	38	40	42	335
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Brief discussion was held between Chief Stevens and Council Member Brundrett regarding the petty crimes in Rockport and the clearance rate, which is a very high rate.

4. Presentation: Rockport Police Department New In Blue program.

Chief of Police Greg Stevens gave a PowerPoint presentation (below) on the Police Department New In Blue program.



{Below is a sample of comments received from the public after interaction with a Police Officer.}

The image shows three screenshots of a survey data table. Each screenshot displays a grid with columns for question numbers, question text, and rating values. The data is organized into rows, with some rows highlighted in blue. The text is small and difficult to read, but the structure is consistent across all three screenshots.

Sp. No.	Question	Rating Value
1	I feel safe in my Rockport home or while visiting Rockport	5
2	The Rockport Police Officers treat people with respect	5
3	The police presence in my neighborhood is appropriate for the need	5
4	Traffic enforcement meets the needs of the community	5
5	I feel safe shopping in Rockport	5
6	I feel safe walking or shopping after dark	3
7	The officer showed compassion or concern.	5
8	The officer had a friendly attitude towards me.	5

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7	The officer showed compassion or concern.	5
8	The officer had a friendly attitude towards me.	5
9	The officer was not intimidating.	5
10	I feel that Police Officers are overall needed.	5
11	The officer's tone was polite.	5
12	I feel that Police Officers maintain Law and Order	5
13	The officer offered solutions.	5
14	The officer did their job well.	5
15	The officer was respectful towards me.	5
16	The officer was very friendly and helpful.	5
17	The officer gave a valid reason for stopping me.	5

5. Citizens to be heard.

At this time, comments limited to three (3) minutes will be taken from the audience from persons who have signed the speaker's card located on the table in the back of the Training Room of the Service Center and delivered to the City Secretary before the meeting begins, or written comments received by 4:00 p.m. on the day of the meeting, on any Agenda item or any subject matter, will be read and summarized in the minutes of the meeting. Persons wishing to address the Council and who have registered using the Citizen Participation Form will have up to three minutes to speak. In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, Council may not

discuss or take action on any item that has not been posted on the agenda. While civil public criticism is not prohibited, disorderly conduct or disturbance of the peace as prohibited by law shall be cause for the chair to terminate the offender's time to speak.

Jeff Hutt, 2201 Prairie Road, addressed the Council and commented: I have some questions of inquiry. Mr. Jayroe is our Mayor and we cannot see his information on the tax rolls and I believe this was because he was in law enforcement and I think its only fair that he allow the taxpayers to see what his appraised value is and what he has been paying in taxes considering he raises our taxes. Last week at the 100 Club meeting, Chief Stevens pontificated a long time on the need for cameras and also sent out a petition asking members to sign up supporting cameras, and I want to know if this was approved by Council or the City Manager. The whole idea of a tax incentive and the promise that we've been sold with these types of initiatives, they have never worked out. If you would make an ordinance that says the only tax incentives or financing would have to be approved by the voters at an election; we all have to suffer the consequences, we all pay in the short term. Right now, we are into Day 7 or Day 8 of the siege of the Alamo and as good Texans we should remember that and those people decided they were not going to allow tyranny or people running their lives. I see this as a tyrannist government we have, and we're looking for you guys to be that person for us.

Kristie Rutledge, 1411 Dana Drive addressed the Council and commented: There has been quite a bit of debate about the elimination of citizens to be heard on agenda items. There was an amendment proposed by the Charter Review Commission to guarantee the citizens right to speak on each agenda item. Over the last three Council meetings this has been the topic on Citizens to be Heard. On January 31, 2023, Mr. Brundrett asked about it and the City Attorney gave incorrect information and he was asked to look it up and was interrupted so you did not get a complete answer from your City Attorney. Last week it was put through under the Consent Agenda and I don't know why we're going backwards on this. You have a Code of Ordinances Section 2.31; you are in violation of it. I'm asking you to pull from the Consent Agenda the Minutes of the February 14, 2023, City Council meeting because Patrick Kane came and explained clearly, and I followed up with a handout and also explained how the Code of Ordinances is being violated. The Minutes do not reflect any concern from citizens whatsoever, and I'm asking you to amend them to reflect our statements.

Consent Agenda

All consent agenda items listed are considered to be routine by the City Council and will be enacted by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a Council Member so requests, in which event the item will be removed from the Consent Agenda and considered in its normal sequence on the agenda.

- 6. Deliberate and act on approval of City Council Meeting Minutes of February 14, 2023.**
- 7. Deliberate and act on a Resolution of the City of Rockport, Texas, authorizing the Rockport Police Department to apply for and operate a Local Border Security Program (Border Star) administered by the Office of the Governor for Fiscal Year 2023; and authorizing the Mayor to act as the Executive Officer and authorized representative in all matters pertaining to the participation in this grant program.**
- 8. Deliberate and act on a Resolution authorizing the Rockport Police Department to apply for and operate a Bullet-Resistant Shield Grant Program administered by the**

Office of the Governor, Criminal Justice grants division for Fiscal Year 2023; and authorizing the Mayor to act as the Executive Officer and authorized representative in all matters pertaining to the participation in this grant program.

- 9. Deliberate and act on second & final reading of a proposed Ordinance authorizing a pro-rata reimbursement to Eric & Janet Prim, Michael E. & Cynthia S. Glick, Gary & Lydia A. Newman, Ebbitt I. Thomas, and Scott Johnson for development of a sanitary sewer main utility line affecting the property and property owners along Ocean Drive, known as Aransas County Appraisal District Property ID numbers; 64666, 64667, and 65356, Rockport, Aransas County, Texas; providing for pro-rata payments from benefited property owners who request to connect to the sewer utilities during the reimbursement period; providing for developer to be reimbursed from pro-rata funds received and providing an effective date and a termination date.**
- 10. Deliberate and act on 1st quarter report from the Rockport-Fulton Chamber of Commerce for Fiscal Year 2022-2023 marketing expenditures.**
- 11. Deliberate and act on 1st quarter report from the Rockport Cultural Arts District for Fiscal Year 2022-2023 marketing expenditures.**

Mayor Pro-Tem Hattman read the caption of the Ordinance on the Consent Agenda as Item 9.

Mayor Pro-Tem Hattman called for requests to remove any item from the Consent Agenda for separate discussion.

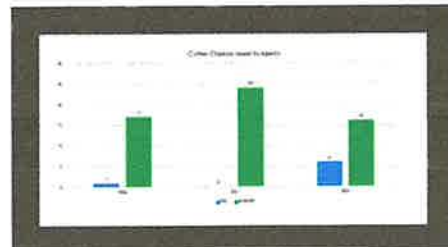
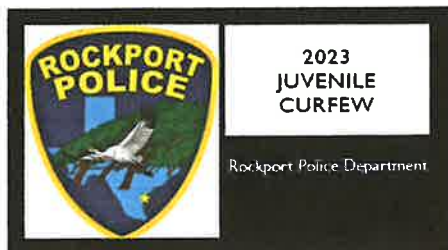
MOTION: Council Member Jackson moved to approve the Consent Agenda Items, as presented. Council Member Hale seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

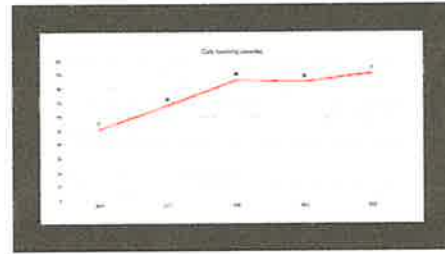
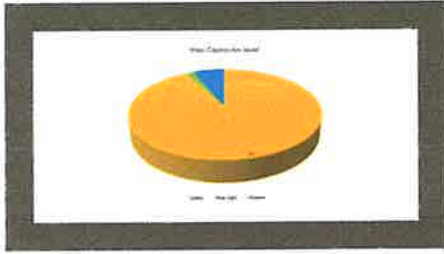
Public Hearing

- 12. Conduct a Public Hearing for the purpose of considering abolishing, continuance, or modification of the Juvenile Curfew Ordinance.**

Mayor Pro-Tem Hattman opened the Public Hearing at 7:09 p.m.

Chief of Police Greg Stevens addressed the Council. Chief Stevens gave a PowerPoint presentation (below) on the City of Rockport Juvenile Curfew Ordinance. Chief Stevens explained the Local Government Code requires the City Council to conduct public hearings and review the Juvenile Curfew Ordinance every three years.





Chief Stevens said it was his recommendation to continue the Juvenile Curfew Ordinance as it is currently written.

Jeff Hutt, 2201 Prairie Road, addressed the Council and commented: I grew up in Rockport, and so did Council Members Brundrett and Hale, without a Juvenile Curfew Ordinance and didn't see it was a problem. Seems to me over the last five years this Ordinance has not decreased the amount of juveniles issued tickets, if anything it's accelerating. Why don't we have some faith in our parents and our kids and why don't we just abolish this and give it two years to see if the school shows a higher amount absenteeism since their the only ones doing it and they are not even here telling you to do it. Please vote against it.

Mayor Pro-Tem Hattman closed the Public Hearing at 7:13 p.m.

Regular Agenda

13. Deliberate and act on first reading of an Ordinance continuing the City of Rockport Code of Ordinances Chapter 66 "Offenses and Miscellaneous Provisions" Article II . "Minors Curfew" setting curfew hours for minors; repealing all Sections in conflict herewith; providing a severability clause; and providing an effective date.

Chief Stevens said this is an Ordinance and does require two readings. Chief Stevens stated that typically when this Ordinance is used it is because parents have failed, they are not parenting them. Chief Stevens said that is when the Police step in and use this Ordinance, and this Ordinance is not used every time they come across a juvenile that is outside of curfew.

Council Member Hale asked if we had visited with the Police Chief of the School District, and does he support this as well?

Chief Stevens answered he talks with the Police Chief of the School District on a regular basis and he does support this. Chief Stevens explained it is the City Police Department that presents this to Council because it is a City Ordinance and the Council is the elected body that enacts it. Chief Stevens said if the Council would like the Police Chief of the School District to come here and look at this before the second reading, he didn't think they would mind at all coming and presenting to you.

Council Member Hale said she didn't think a presentation was necessary, she just wanted to make sure Chief Stevens had communicated with the Police Chief of the School District. Council Member Hale stated she sits on the School Safety & Security Committee and we have a meeting coming up and she did not know if that would align before the Council's second reading of the

Ordinance. Council Member Hale expressed she was good with the Ordinance, and she sees in Agenda Packet that the original Ordinance was passed in 2001, but she suspects there was an Ordinance that preceded that as well because she remembers a curfew when she was a youngster. Council Member Hale said 2001 is probably for this version but she believes there has been a long-standing version or similar type ordinance in this community for as long as she can remember.

Chief Stevens stated the kids are not afraid of the Ordinance, it's the parents who are afraid of getting a curfew ticket, and that is what propels the parent to tell the child it's time to come in; that's where it has the most impact.

Council Member Hale said it is a tool; it is one of the tools available and clearly the School District is utilizing it as the statistics show.

Council Member Brundrett said if he remembered correctly, our issues were during the daytime. Council Member Brundrett stated there clearly was a curfew ordinance when he was young.

MOTION: Council Member Jackson moved to approve the first reading of an Ordinance continuing the City of Rockport Code of Ordinances Chapter 66 "Offenses and Miscellaneous Provisions" Article II. "Minors Curfew" setting curfew hours for minors; repealing all Sections in conflict herewith; providing a severability clause; and providing an effective date. Council Member Hale seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

14. Hear and deliberate on presentation from Travis James of TXP on Downtown Tax Increment Reinvestment Zone.

Kristie Rutledge, 1411 Dana Drive, addressed the Council and commented: There was nothing in the Agenda Packet so she does not know what is going to be in the presentation. I have followed the tax incentive policies since they were announced and developed by the Economic Development Corporation. I read all of them and especially studied the TIRZ policy, so I am especially interested. I've also studied the American Planning Association Downtown Resiliency and all of the objectives. The TIRZ could have a very negative effect on the affordability and rents; there was a note in the American Planning Association document that said the rents for the small arts in downtown could be negatively affected and really hurt those properties. My encouragement to City Council is to adopt an open policy with everyone because you have taken on a lot of debt in the last few years, and in this case it would capture increased property values, increased taxation and hold it into that zone. We need to know how much the cost is to taxpayers and what the effect is. We have no idea who would manage the TIRZ. Transparency, transparency, transparency. You might be surprised, we might agree with what you propose but we won't know if you don't tell us.

City Manager Vanessa Shrauner said she asked Travis James with TXP to do a presentation to Council to explain how a TIRZ works. Ms. Shrauner stated she thought the Downtown might be a good area for this. Ms. Shrauner added this is basically TIRZ 101.

Travis James with TXP gave a PowerPoint (below) presentation on what a Tax Increment Reinvestment Zone (TIRZ) is and how it is established. Mr. James expressed a TIRZ is not a tax

increase.

Tax Increment Reinvestment Zone

City of Rockport, Texas

February 28, 2023



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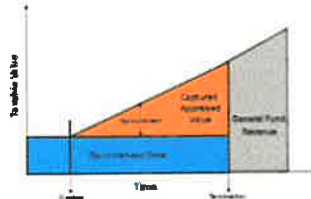
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What Are TIRZs/TIFs?

- A tool local governments use to finance public improvements and infrastructure within a defined area
- Future tax revenues from each participating taxing unit can be used to pay for improvements
- The additional tax revenue that is received from the properties is referred to as the "tax increment"
- Each taxing unit can choose to dedicate all, a portion of, or none of the tax increment
- Cities or counties initiate tax increment financing

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What Are TIRZs/TIFs?



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Local Taxing Jurisdictions

Entity	Tax Rate per \$100
CITY OF ROCKPORT	0.378149
ARKANSAS COUNTY	0.299972
COUNTY ROAD & FLOOD	0.028540
NAVIGATION DIST	0.040434
ARKANSAS CO SD	0.299980
Total w/o SD	0.747095
\$1.0 million generates	\$7,370

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TIRZ/TIF Characteristics

- No increase in tax rate, – dedication of the incremental tax revenues
- Creation initiated by governing body or property owner petition
- Cities can allocate sales tax increment
- Provide additional funds for identified projects
- Aligns benefits and resources
- Keeps pace with rising construction costs
- Reduce need for other tax borrowings
- Off-balance sheet funding

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Eligible Capital Costs

- Acquisition and construction of public works, public improvements new buildings, structures, fixtures, and parking
- Acquisition, demolition, alteration, remodeling, repair or reconstruction of existing buildings, structures, and fixtures
- Remediation of conditions that contaminate public or private land or building;
- Preservation of the facade of a public or private building
- Demolition of public or private buildings
- Acquisition of land and equipment and the clearing and grading of land

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Other Eligible Project Costs

- Financing cost
- Real property assembly cost
- Professional service cost
- Imputed administrative cost
- Relocation cost
- Organizational cost
- Interest before and during construction and for one year after completion of construction, whether or not capitalized
- Cost of operating the reinvestment zone and project facilities

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Example TIRZs

- New Large Master Planned Development
 - Significant greenfield acreage
 - Multiple landowners
 - More than one taxing entity participating
 - Complex infrastructure needs
 - Ex. Las Colinas (trving)
- Corridor Development/Redevelopment
 - Multiple landowners
 - Focused on redevelopment and underutilized parcels
 - Typically just city or county participating
 - Ex. Broadway Corridor (San Antonio)

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Example TIRZs

- Site Specific
 - Land owned by one developer
 - Large catalytic tenant (ex. destination big box retailer)
 - Heavy retail focus (often to fill local gap)
 - Better upfront idea of TIRZ costs
 - Common in suburban cities
- Downtowns
 - Older and inadequate infrastructure big impediment
 - Multiple landowners
 - Focused on redevelopment and underutilized parcels
 - Ex. Downtown Brownsville

Two Key TIRZ Rules

A reinvestment zone for tax increment financing may not be created if:

1. More than 30% of the property in the proposed reinvestment zone (excluding publicly-owned property) is used for residential purposes; or
2. The total appraised value of taxable real property in the proposed reinvestment zone and in the existing reinvestment zones exceed either:
 - For cities with a population of 100,000 or more: 25% of the total appraised value of taxable real property within the city and its industrial districts; or
 - For cities with a population of less than 100,000: 30% of the total appraised value of taxable real property within the city and its industrial districts.

Steps to Creating a TIRZ/TIF

1. Prepare a preliminary reinvestment zone financing plan
2. Publish the hearing notice at least 7 days before hearing
3. Hold a public hearing
4. Governing body designates zone by ordinance or order
 - Create Board of Directors (Minimum 5 and Max 15)
 - Participating taxing entities are represented on Board
5. Prepare project plan and financing plan
6. Collect the tax increment
7. **Board of Directors** makes recommendations to the **governing body**

Downtown Heritage District

Tax Increment Reinvestment Zone

City of Rockport, Texas

February 28, 2023



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Brief discussion was held among Council and Mr. James.

15. Deliberate and act on approval of Request for Qualifications for City Attorney Services.

Kristie Rutledge, 1411 Dana Drive addressed the Council and commented: My concerns are that there is nothing in the Agenda Packet or the City Manager notes, so we don't know why this is happening. I thought we had a City Attorney firm that was used during the Charter Review Commission. I would encourage the City Council to get your own staff attorney; someone who would have the best interest of the citizens of Rockport, and lives locally. Think that would be a lot less expensive than hiring out contract firms. Have one that is accountable to everyone. I've been disappointed with the attorney we had especially with the Charter Review and if that attorney comes forward you should disapprove of that one.

City Manager Vanessa Shrauner said Council had asked her to put together a Request for Proposals (RFP) for a new attorney or a re-submittal of the existing one, if they so choose. Ms. Shrauner stated she had laid on the dais the response from our current attorney to the news that we were putting out a new RFP, so they are effectively no longer our attorney. Ms. Shrauner said if Council approves the RFP she will put it out with the Texas Municipal League. Ms. Shrauner added that we probably all agreed that we would love to have an in-house attorney, but we can't afford it at this point, so this is our next best option.

Council Member Jackson said that she knew Council had discussed the attorney we hire having in-house time. Council Member Jackson asked if she did not see that in the RFP.

Ms. Shrauner stated she did put that in the RFP that they would have to spend a certain number of days in Rockport, and they needed to include a specific amount in the RFP. Ms. Shrauner added for clarification that the City Attorney is appointed by City Council. Ms. Shrauner explained the process: will put the RFP out with TML and on City website, City Council will review proposals,

City Council chose who they want to talk to, weed out and then chose a City Attorney.

Discussion was held among Council and Ms. Shrauner.

Council Member Hale asked for clarification that this is separate from Special Counsel and if we have the need for Special Counsel we can still do that. Council Member Hale said the value of this is that a lot of these firms are going to come with a lot of depth within their organization and have municipal experience. Council Member Hale expressed she would love to see a local attorney but as a general statement she is going to be looking for a firm that has the depth and can provide the experience and level of services we need.

Ms. Shrauner stated even though our Attorney has submitted his resignation, we are still retaining two attorneys from that firm; one that is doing the GLO Concho Street drainage project and one who is doing the Building & Standards Commission demolition issues.

MOTION: Council Member Brundrett moved to approve the Request for Qualifications for City Attorney Services. Council Member Jackson seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

16. City Manager Report:
A. Projects.

City Manager Shrauner called the Council's attention to the sheet she had distributed listing the various City projects. Ms. Shrauner said this is a working draft and she will provide additional information if the Council is interested in seeing this information.

Council Member Jackson stated she like it and would like to know the location of the projects.

Council Member Hale said she also has been trying to figure out which projects are in her Ward and this would be very helpful.

Mayor Pro-Tem Hattman said she also liked the information.

17. Reports from Council.

At this time, the City Council will report/update on activities in respective Wards, and all committee assignments, which may include the following: Aransas County Alliance Local Government Corporation; Aransas Pathways Steering Committee; Building and Standards Commission; Coastal Bend Bays and Estuaries Program; Coastal Bend Council of Government; Coastal Bend Mayors Group; Park & Leisure Services Advisory Board; Planning & Zoning Commission; Rockport-Fulton Chamber of Commerce; Aransas County Storm Water Management Advisory Committee; Swimming Pool Operations Advisory Committee; Tourism Development Council; Tree & Landscape Committee; YMCA Development Committee; Texas Maritime Museum, Fulton Mansion, Rockport Center for the Arts, Aransas County, Aransas County Independent School District, Aransas County Navigation District, Town of Fulton, and Texas Municipal League. No formal action can be taken on these items at this time.

Council Member Hale said she had the opportunity to attend the Maritime Museum Gala and it was a phenomenal event and the Museum has a lot to be proud of. Council Member Hale stated she is looking forward to Oysterfest, and encouraged everyone to attend and support the Fulton

Volunteer Fire Department.

Council Member Brundrett said he attended the Clean Coast Texas meeting last week and it was very productive. Council Member Brundrett stated all the governmental entities are excited about the opportunities and are agreeing on things. Council Member Brundrett said he also is looking forward to Oysterfest and asked everyone to be safe.

Mayor Pro-Tem Hattman said she also attended the Clean Coast Texas meeting and the biggest interest to her was the discussion about Tule Creek. Mayor Pro-Tem Hattman stated she attended the Stormwater drainage meeting and it was nice to see entities coming together. Mayor Pro-Tem Hattman asked Public Works Director Mike Donoho to report on the Rockport Country Club drainage project.

Public Works Director Mike Donoho said the Rockport County Club drainage project is moving along. Mr. Donoho stated there had been a TCEQ issue and that was addressed and cleaned up; the engineer is going to talk with the contractor. Mr. Donoho added the project is on schedule.

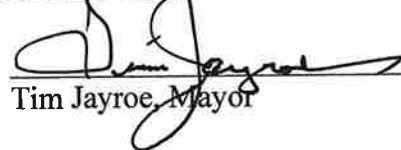
City Manager Vanessa Shrauner announced the Whooping Crane Strut is Saturday at 8:00 a.m. at the Beach Park.

18. Adjournment.

At 7:53 p.m., Council Member Brundrett moved to adjourn. Motion was seconded by Council Member Jackson. Motion carried unanimously.



APPROVED:


Tim Jayroe, Mayor

ATTEST:


Teresa Valdez, City Secretary