CITY OF SWEETWATER, TEXAS CITY COMMISSION MEETING AGENDA

The City Commission of the City of Sweetwater, Texas, will meet in regular session on Tuesday September 25, 2018, at 9:00 a.m. in the City Commission Room of the City Hall, 200 E. 4th Street, Sweetwater, TX.

- 1. Call to order.
- 2. Invocation.
- 3. Pledges of Allegiance to the Flags of the United States of America and the State of Texas.
- 4. Action Items.
 - A. City Commission to discuss, consider and set a tax rate of \$0.497423 (cents) per \$100 valuation. Adoption of this tax rate is effectively a 1.31 percent increase in the tax rate. This tax rate will raise more taxes for maintenance and operations than last year's tax rate.
 - B. Ordinance: (Second and Final Reading): City Commission to discuss, consider and act upon approval of Ordinance fixing and levying a tax rate for the tax year 2018 upon all taxable city property within the corporate city limits of the City of Sweetwater, Texas. This tax rate will raise more taxes for maintenance and operations than last year's tax rate. The Tax Rate will effectively be raised by 1.00 percent and will raise taxes for maintenance and operations on a \$100,000 home by approximately \$0.00.
 - C. City Commission to discuss, consider and act upon ratifying vote on tax rate reflected in the 2018-2019 Annual Budget of the City of Sweetwater.
 - D. City Commission to discuss, consider and act upon reappointments of Mr. Lloyd Harris, Mr. Domingo Castillo and Mrs. JoAnn French as alternate, whose terms expire September 30, 2018, as members of the Planning and Zoning Commission with new terms expiring September 30, 2020.
 - E. City Commission to discuss, consider and act upon reappointments of Ms. Terry Blankenship, Mr. Joe Marlett and Mr. John McPherson, whose terms expire September 30, 2018 and a new appointment of Doug Alexander as alternate; as a member of the Board of Adjustments with new terms expiring September 30, 2020.
- 5. <u>Public Comments and Receipt of Petitions</u>: [At this time, anyone will be allowed to speak on any matter, other than personnel matters or matters under litigation, for length of time not to exceed three minutes. No Commission/Board discussion or action may take place on a matter until such matter has been placed on an agenda and posted in accordance with law GC, 551.042.}

6. Adjournment.

In accordance with Texas Government Code Chapter 551.041, the regular City Commission meeting agenda was prepared and posted on the 21st day of September, 2018, at 5:00 P.M.

Patty forres, City Secretary

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