



Thursday, July 22, 2021

The City Council will convene at 4:00 PM on
Thursday, July 22, 2021 at Austin City Hall, 301 W.
Second Street, Austin, TX.

<http://www.austintexas.gov/page/watch-atxn-live>



Mayor Steve Adler

Mayor Pro Tem Natasha Harper-Madison, District 1

Council Member Vanessa Fuentes, District 2

Council Member Sabino "Pio" Renteria, District 3

Council Member Gregorio Casar, District 4

Council Member Ann Kitchen, District 5

Council Member Mackenzie Kelly, District 6

Council Member Leslie Pool, District 7

Council Member Paige Ellis, District 8

Council Member Kathie Tovo, District 9

Council Member Alison Alter, District 10

Public comment will be allowed in person and via telephone. In-person speakers will be taken in blocks. All speakers must register in advance (Wednesday, July 21, 2021 by Noon).

To speak in-person at a City Council or Council Committee Meeting:

- Speakers must submit the online registration form in advance. The form can be found at: https://cityofaustin.formstack.com/forms/austin_city_council_speaker_signup. Speakers will have the option to select in-person or remote testimony. Registration must be received by 12 p.m. on Wednesday, July 21, 2021.
- Registration must be received by 12 p.m. the day before the meeting. Advanced registration allows staff to manage the number of speakers in chambers to accommodate social distancing requirements.
- Once the registration form is received, residents will receive either an email or phone call providing instructions on speaking at the meeting following the close of the registration period.
- Handouts or other documents that speakers wish to have provided to Council must be emailed to City.Clerk@austintexas.gov by 12 p.m. the day before the meeting. This information will be provided to Mayor and Council in advance of the meeting.
- Speakers may not donate time to other speakers.
- The allotted time provided to speakers may vary as determined by Council.
- Requests for language translation/interpretation services or sign language services must be emailed to City.Clerk@austintexas.gov 48 hours in advance of the meeting.

Remote (Telephone) Public Comment will occur as follows:

Remote speakers will be taken in a maximum of a two-hour time block(s) based when the registration was received. The number and start time of the block(s) will be determined based on the number of registrations received. To speak remotely at a City Council or Council Committee Meeting:

- Speakers must submit the online registration form in advance. The form can be found at: https://cityofaustin.formstack.com/forms/austin_city_council_speaker_signup. Speakers will have the option to select in-person or remote testimony.
- Registration must be received by 12 p.m. the day before the meeting. Advanced registration allows staff to determine the number of speaker blocks needed and assists with managing the number of speakers in the speaker queue.
- Speakers will be grouped in blocks of time based on when the registration was received. The number of blocks will be determined by the number of registered speakers.

- Speakers will receive either an email or phone call providing instructions on the assigned speaking time slot and additional information on speaking at the meeting following the close of the registration period.
- Handouts or other documents that speakers wish to have provided to Council must be emailed to City.Clerk@austintexas.gov by 12 p.m. the day before the meeting. This information will be provided to Mayor and Council in advance of the meeting.
- On the day of the meeting you will receive a call to the number listed on the registration form from the City of Austin (512-974-2000) to join the speaker queue at your assigned time slot. Please refer to the emailed instructions provided by staff prior to the meeting for specific instructions for the meeting and instructions on how to reconnect if your call is dropped.
- Speakers may not donate time to other speakers.
- The allotted time provided to speakers may vary as determined by Council.
- Requests for language translation/interpretation services or sign language services must be emailed to City.Clerk@austintexas.gov 48 hours in advance of the meeting.
- If you are calling using a cell phone, please ensure you are in a location with good reception. If you are using a wireless connection, please note your call may drop depending on the service.
- The Council agenda may be accessed at:
https://www.austintexas.gov/department/city-council/council/council_meeting_info_center.htm.
- The public may watch the Council Meeting online at:
<http://www.austintexas.gov/page/watch-atxn-live>

The City Council may go into a closed session as permitted by the Texas Open Meetings Act, (Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code) regarding any item on this agenda.

All of the following items may be acted upon by one motion. No separate discussion or action on any of the items is necessary unless desired by a Council Member.

Consent Agenda

Item(s) to Set Public Hearing(s)

1. Set a public hearing to receive public comment on the growth-related projects within the Drinking Water Protection Zone to be included in the Fiscal Year 2021-2022 Capital Budget. (Suggested date and time: July 29, 2021, at Austin City Hall, 301 W. Second Street, Austin, TX).
Strategic Outcome(s): Government that Works for All.
2. Set a public hearing to receive public comment on the proposed rate and fee changes for Austin Energy as part of the Fiscal Year 2021-2022 proposed budget. (Suggested date: July 29, 2021 at Austin City Hall, 301 W. Second Street, Austin, TX.).
Strategic Outcome(s): Government That Works for All
3. Set a public hearing to consider and receive public comment on the proposed rate and fee changes for Austin Resource Recovery as part of the Fiscal Year 2021-2022 Proposed Budget. (Suggested date: July 29, 2021 at Austin City Hall, 301 W. Second Street, Austin, TX.)

Non-Consent

Public Hearings and Possible Actions

4. Conduct a community input session to receive public comment on the City of Austin Fiscal Year 2021-2022 Proposed Budget.

Adjourn

The City of Austin is committed to compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act. Reasonable modifications and equal access to communications will be provided upon request.

For assistance, please call 512-974-2210 or TTY users route through 711.

A person may request a Spanish language interpreter be made available by contacting the Office of the City Clerk not later than twenty-four hours before the scheduled time of the item on which the person wishes to speak. Please call (512) 974-2210 in advance or inform the City Clerk's staff present at the council meeting.

Cualquier persona puede solicitar servicios de intérprete en español comunicándose con la oficina del Secretario/a Municipal a no más tardar de veinte y cuatro horas antes de la hora determinada para el asunto sobre el cual la persona desea comentar. Por favor llame al (512) 974-2210 con anticipo o informe al personal del Secretario/a Municipal presente en la sesión del Consejo.