

NOTICE OF REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING CITY OF TOMBALL, TEXAS



**MONDAY, MARCH 19, 2012
6:00 P.M.**

Notice is hereby given of a Regular meeting of the Tomball City Council, to be held on Monday, March 19, 2012 at 6:00 p.m., City Hall, 401 Market Street, Tomball, Texas 77375, for the purpose of considering the following agenda items. All agenda items are subject to action. The Tomball City Council reserves the right to meet in a closed session for consultation with attorney on any agenda item should the need arise and if applicable pursuant to authorization by Title 5, Chapter 551, of the Texas Government Code.

- 1.0 Call to Order
- 2.0 Invocation
 - Led by Dean Unsicker, Rosehill Christian School
- 3.0 Pledges to U. S. and Texas Flags
 - Led by Members of the Tomball High School Student Council
- 4.0 Public Comments and Receipt of Petitions *(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 Council/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.)*
- 5.0 Presentations:
 - Random Drawing to Award Participants in the “**Tomball Mascot Name**” Contest
- 6.0 Reports and Announcements:
 - March 20, 2012 – **SH 249 Partnership Meeting** – Magnolia City Hall – 6:30 p.m.
 - March 24, 2012 – **Tomball Honky Tonk Music Festival** – Depot Plaza – 11:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.

- March 30-April 1, 2012 – **Tomball German Heritage Festival** in the Depot/Downtown Tomball Area
- March 31, 2012 – **NO Farmers Market**
- April 4, 2012 – **City of Tomball Youth Opportunity Fair – Beckendorf Conference Center – LoneStar College**, 2:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m.
- April 14, 2012 – **4th Annual City of Tomball Bunny Run 5K and Kids 1K**
- April 14, 2012 – **2nd Day of Healthy Living in Tomball Expo – Texas Sports Medicine Center**, 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.
- April 14, 2012 – **2nd Saturday at the Depot – 5:30 p.m.**
- April 21, 2012 – **Art Walk Tomball!** – 11:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.
- April 23-28, 2012 – **Annual Tomball Clean-up Week – 8:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m. daily**
- April 28, 2012 – **Annual Tomball Clean-up Recycling Day – E-Waste and Drug Take-Back Program – Tuesday Morning/Old Kroger Center Parking Lot**
- May 5-6, 2012 – **Rails and Tails Mudbug Festival at the Depot – 11:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.**
- **Early Voting** for May 12, 2012 General Election – April 30 through May 8, 2012 at City Hall (Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday – 7:45 a.m.-5:00 p.m.) (Tuesday – 7:45 a.m.-7:45 p.m.) and (Friday – 7:45 a.m.-4:00 p.m.)
- May 26 – **Memorial Day Weekend Chili Challenge - TBA**
- Official Harris County Primary Election Date is May 29; Runoff Date is July 31, 2012
- **Walk Tomball!** (every Saturday at 9:00 a.m. at the Depot)
- Reports by City staff and members of council about items of community interest on which no action will be taken

7.0 Approve the Minutes of the March 5, 2012 Regular City Council Meeting

8.0 Old Business:

- 8.1 Consideration and Possible Action Regarding Request from Jacqueline Angelo for the City of Tomball to Apply for Grant Assistance for 13142 Holderrieth Road.

9.0 New Business:

- 9.1 Approve and Authorize the Mayor to Issue a Letter of Support to the Houston-Galveston Area Council (H-GAC) for the 2013-2016 Transportation Improvement Program
- 9.2 Approve Request from Howard Katz, Attorney for Harris County Emergency Services District No. 8 (ESD No. 8), to Share Election Facilities with the City of Tomball, to Facilitate the Harris County Emergency Services District ESD No. 8's Called May 12, 2012 District Commissioners and Tax Rate Election for ESD No. 8
- 9.3 Approve Purchase by the City of Tomball of Three (3) Tax Forfeiture Lots, Lot 4, Block 6, Lot 6, Block 6, and Lot 11, Block 6, for Total Bid Price of \$13,200.00.

- 9.4 Adopt, on First Reading, Ordinance No. 2012-03, an Ordinance of the City Council of the City of Tomball, Texas, amending Subsection (b)(1) of Section 30-159 of Article IV, Nuisances, of Chapter 30, Environment, of the City's Code of Ordinances relating to the Prohibition of Weeds; Providing a New Definition of "Weeds"; Providing a Penalty of Up to \$2,000.00 for Violations with Each Day Constituting a Separate Violation; Providing for the Publication of This Ordinance; and Making Other Findings and Provisions related Thereto

10.0 Adjournment

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the above notice of meeting was posted on the bulletin board of City Hall, City of Tomball, Texas, a place readily accessible to the general public at all times, on the 15th day of March 2012 by 6:00 p.m., and remained posted for at least 72 continuous hours preceding the scheduled time of said meeting.

Doris Speer
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City Secretary, TRMC, CMC

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