



City of Denton

City Hall
215 E. McKinney St.
Denton, Texas 76201
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Meeting Agenda Public Utilities Board

Monday, June 26, 2023

9:00 AM

Council Work Session Room

REGISTRATION GUIDELINES FOR ADDRESSING THE PUBLIC UTILITIES BOARD

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After determining that a quorum is present, the Public Utilities Board of the City of Denton, Texas will convene in a Regular Meeting on Monday, June 26, 2023, at 9:00 a.m. in the Council Work Session Room at City Hall, 215 E. McKinney Street, Denton, Texas at which the following items will be considered:

REGULAR MEETING

1. PRESENTATIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC

This section of the agenda permits a person to make comments regarding public business on items as listed on the agenda. Each speaker will be allowed a maximum of four (4) minutes. Such person(s) shall have registered under the REGISTRATION GUIDELINES FOR ADDRESSING THE PUBLIC UTILITIES BOARD detailed at the beginning of this agenda. Registration is required prior to the time this agenda item is read into the record.

2. CONSENT AGENDA

Each of the items on the Consent Agenda is recommended by the Staff and approval thereof will be strictly on the basis of the Staff recommendations. Approval of the Consent Agenda authorizes the City Manager or designee to implement each item in accordance with the Staff recommendations. The Public Utilities Board has received background information and has had an opportunity to raise questions regarding these items prior to consideration.

Listed below are bids, purchase orders, contracts, and other items to be approved for payment or other action under the Consent Agenda (Agenda Items A – D). This listing is provided on the Consent Agenda to allow Public Utilities Board Members to discuss or withdraw an item prior to approval of the Consent Agenda. If no items are pulled, the Consent Agenda Items will be approved with one motion. If items are pulled for separate discussion, they may be considered as the first items following approval of the Consent Agenda.

- A. [PUB23-114](#) Consider recommending adoption of an ordinance of the City of Denton, a Texas

home-rule municipal corporation, rejecting any and all competitive proposals under RFP 7678 for Landfill Gas to Energy (LFGE) Project; and providing an effective date (RFP 7678).

Attachments: [Exhibit 1 - Agenda Information Sheet PUB](#)
 [Exhibit 2 - Ordinance](#)

- B. [PUB23-115](#) Consider recommending adoption of an ordinance of the City of Denton, a Texas home-rule municipal corporation, ratifying the expenditure of funds by the City Manager with Turbo Systems US Inc., for the repair and replacement of damaged turbos for the Denton Energy Center; providing for the expenditure of funds therefor; and providing an effective date (File 8199 - awarded to Turbo Systems US Inc., in the not-to-exceed amount of \$1,051,444.84).

Attachments: [Exhibit 1 - Agenda Information Sheet](#)
 [Exhibit 2 - Declaration of Emergency](#)
 [Exhibit 3 - Ordinance](#)

- C. [PUB23-117](#) Consider recommending adoption of an ordinance of the City of Denton, a Texas home-rule municipal corporation, authorizing the City Manager to execute a contract with NaturChem, Inc. dba Opterra Solutions, Inc., to spray twenty-six electric Substation sites for weed control for Denton Municipal Electric; providing for the expenditure of funds therefor; and providing an effective date (IFB 8256 - awarded to NaturChem, Inc. dba Opterra Solutions, Inc., in the five (5) year not to exceed amount of \$185,000).

Attachments: [Exhibit 1 - Agenda Information Sheet](#)
 [Exhibit 2 - Bid Tabulation](#)
 [Exhibit 3 - Ordinance and Contract](#)

- D. [PUB23-118](#) Consider recommending adoption of an ordinance of the City of Denton, a Texas home-rule municipal corporation, authorizing the City Manager to execute a contract with Freeport Welding & Fabricating, Inc., for three (3) 60,000 gallon tanks for the Denton Energy Center's Winterization Project; providing for the expenditure of funds therefor; and providing an effective date (RFP 8220 - awarded to Freeport Welding & Fabricating, Inc., in the not-to-exceed amount of \$1,279,570.00).

Attachments: [Exhibit 1 - Agenda Information Sheet](#)
 [Exhibit 2 - Ordinance and Contract](#)

3. ITEMS FOR INDIVIDUAL CONSIDERATION

- A. [PUB23-112](#) Consider approval of the June 12, 2023 minutes.

Attachments: [6.12.23 PUB Minutes](#)

- B. [PUB23-113](#) Management Reports
 1. Future Agenda Items
 2. New Business Action Items

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4. CONCLUDING ITEMS

A. Under Section 551.042 of the Texas Open Meetings Act, respond to inquiries from the Public Utilities Board or the public with specific factual information or recitation of policy, or accept a proposal to place the matter on the agenda for an upcoming meeting AND Under Section 551.0415 of the Texas Open Meetings Act, provide reports about items of community interest regarding which no action will be taken, to include: expressions of thanks, congratulations, or condolence; information regarding holiday schedules; an honorary or salutary recognition of a public official, public employee, or other citizen; a reminder about an upcoming event organized or sponsored by the governing body; information regarding a social, ceremonial, or community event organized or sponsored by an entity other than the governing body that was attended or is scheduled to be attended by a member of the governing body or an official or employee of the municipality; or an announcement involving an imminent threat to the public health and safety of people in the municipality that has arisen after the posting of the agenda.

Following the completion of the Regular Meeting, the Public Utilities Board will convene in a Work Session at which the following items will be considered:

WORK SESSION

- A. [PUB23-026](#) Receive a report, hold a discussion, and give direction regarding Solid Waste and Recycling and Water FY 2023-24 Preliminary Budgets.

- Attachments: [Exhibit 1 - Agenda Information Sheet](#)
 [Exhibit 2 - Solid Waste & Recycling Presentation](#)
 [Exhibit 3 - Water Presentation](#)
 [Exhibit 4 - Supplemental Request White Papers](#)

CERTIFICATE

I certify that the above notice of meeting was posted on the official website (<https://tx-denton.civicplus.com/242/Public-Meetings-Agendas>) and bulletin board at City Hall, 215 E. McKinney Street, Denton, Texas, on June 22, 2023, in advance of the 72-hour posting deadline, as applicable, and in accordance with Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code.

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