

Notice of Meeting  
May 09, 2023

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Alderman of the City of Iola, Grimes County, Texas will meet in regular session on Tuesday, May 09, 2023 at 7:00 p.m. in the Iola Community Center Building in Iola, Texas.

1. Call to order
  - A. Invocation
  - B. Pledge to the United States Flag
  - C. Pledge to the Texas Flag – Honor the Texas Flag. I pledge allegiance to thee Texas, one state under God, one and indivisible.
2. Read/consider approval of the minutes of the regular meeting held on April 11, 2023.
3. New business
  - A. Consider/discuss/possibly take action on an invoice to Texas Municipal League for more than \$200.00 for the Town's share of the cost of League Services for the period 7/1/2023-06/30/2024. This is a \$41.00 increase from the previous year's billing.
  - B. Discussion only regarding the Chief Appraiser's Preliminary Estimate of Taxable Value for Tax Year 2023 for City of Iola.
  - C. Discuss/consider/possible action regarding attorney's fees related to a petition submitted by Leona Bess and Iola Missionary Baptist Church to vacate a Right of Way, specifically determining responsibility for those fees.
  - D. Discuss/Consider/take action to pay an invoice from Bovey and Cochran, City Attorney, for more than \$200.00.
  - E. Discussion and possible action regarding petition submitted by Leona Bess and Russell Fox (Iola Missionary Baptist Church) and related Ordinance No.81 to close, vacate, and abandon a certain public street right-of-way, being the alleyway between the lots in Block 28 of the Iola Townsite; and authorization for the Mayor to execute any necessary documentation.
  - F. Discuss/review audit results from Davis Heinemann & Company.
  - G. Discuss/consider/take action to pay an invoice # 31772 to the Davis Heinemann & Company in the amount of \$7700.00 for completing the FY 2022-2023 audit for the City of Iola.
  - H. Discuss the closing of the First State Bank of Bédias, City of Iola/ARP Account# ending \*5697
  - I. Discuss/consider/possible action to purchase CD from the First State Bank of Bédias, City of Iola/Sales Tax Account # ending \*5269
  - J. Consider/Authorize the Mayor to submit an Amendment to the Texas General Land Office for modifications to its Texas CDBG-DR Harvey Contract (#20-065-052-C162) to include the Harvey Reallocation Funds, including executing all necessary documents required for the amendment.
  - K. Discussion only regarding CDBG TDA 23-24 grant application.
  - L. Discussion only regarding Wastewater Treatment Plant Project.
4. Finance reports
5. Citizen's comments
6. Adjourn

This is to certify that I, Donna Ray, posted this agenda on three public bulletin boards in the City of Iola on or before Saturday, May 6, 2023 at 7:00 P.M.

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Donna Ray, Secretary