

David Allen, Mayor
Brian Rowland, Council Member Position 1
Jonathon Randle, Council Member Position 2



Kendric Jones, Council Member Position 3
Wendy Williams, Council Member Position 4
Xante' Wallace, Council Member Position 5

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In accordance with order of the Office of the Governor issued March 16, 2020, the City Council of the City of Prairie View, Texas will conduct a telephonic meeting in order to advance the public health goal of limiting face-to-face meetings (also called "social distancing") to slow the spread of the Coronavirus (COVID-19).

This City Council Meeting will be held on Monday, April 27, 2020 at 6:00 p.m.

The public may participate in this meeting by dialing in to the following **toll-free number** 1-866-899-4679 Access Code 716-378-693.

Anyone wishing to offer public comments may do so by notifying the City Secretary at least two hour prior to the meeting at abynum@prairieviewtexas.gov.

A recording of the telephonic meeting will be made and will be available to the public in accordance with the Open Meetings Act upon written request.

AGENDA

Call to Order

Roll Call/Certification of Quorum

Invocation and Pledge

Public Comments:

Citizens who have signed up with the City Secretary, Allison Bynum at abynum@prairieviewtexas.gov at least 2 hours **before** the meeting will be recognized. Comments will be limited to three (3) minutes. City Council will listen to the comments but cannot discuss or respond to the comments during the meeting. The matter may be referred to a department head, Mayor or City Council may direct that the matter be placed on the next regular City Council Agenda.

Minutes

1. Discuss and take action on the approval of City Council Meeting Minutes dated February 24, 2020.
2. Discuss and take action on the approval of City Council Meeting Minutes dated March 23, 2020.
3. Discuss and take action on the approval of City Council Meeting Minutes dated April 13, 2020.

Items of Community Interest

4. COVID-19 Report Update. (Mayor Allen, Chief Lopez)

5. Meals delivered to the "Seasoned" and "Homebound" residents. (Mayor Allen)

Presentations and Reports:

City Council Reports

Pursuant to Texas Government Code § 551.0415, City Council Members, without having provided notice, may make reports about items of community interest if no action is taken and possible action is not discussed regarding the information provided in the report. "Items of community interest" includes: (1) expressions of thanks, congratulations, or condolence; (2) information regarding holiday schedules; (3) an honorary or salutary recognition of a public official, public employee, or other citizen, except that a discussion regarding a change in the status of a person's public office or public employment is not an honorary or salutary recognition for purposes of this subdivision; (4) a reminder about an upcoming event organized or sponsored by the governing body; (5) 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 political subdivision; and (6) announcements involving an imminent threat to the public health and safety of people in the political subdivision that has arisen after the posting of the agenda.

Mayor's Report

- **Mayor's Neighborly "Seasoned" (90+) and "Homebound" Meals Project during COVID-19. All Private Donations. Volunteers: CC Wendy Williams, Kathryn Reed, JR Williams, Marie Herndon. Christine & Lucius Wyatt, Klayton Lauder.**
- **As Office of Emergency Management Director working with Chief Lopez, Judge Alexander-Simmons, Asst PVVFD Chief Bordeaux, WC Judge Duhon, WC Emergency Management Director Cantrell, PVAMU PD Chief Jemison re COVID-19. Monitoring news daily locally and nationally via and conference calls regarding COVID-19 issues including potential funding sources.**
- **2020 Census, flyers in city billing, online, social media working with Brianna.**
- **Mellon Foundation Grant City of Prairie View historical project.**

COVID-19 Testing, Waller County Community Center in PV, April 26

Department Reports

6. The February 2020 City of Prairie View Financials were sent to City Council for review and will be discussed at the next City Council Meeting, May 11, 2020.
7. Police Chief Report Update for the last 100 days (Chief Lopez)
8. Report and approval of Emergency COVID-19 Funding Expenditures (Mayor Allen, Chief Lopez, Judge Alexander)

Public Hearings

None at this time

Ordinances

None at this time

Resolutions

None at this time

Other Action

9. Discuss and take action to approve the MBA process with AVR and to amend current contract (USW, AVR, Mayor Allen)
10. Discuss, consider and take action to make City recommendations to follow CDC guidelines on the wearing of face masks. (Mayor Allen)

New Business (Future Agenda Items)

- Requests by Mayor and Councilmembers that items are placed on a future City Council agenda.

Adjournment

I, the undersigned authority do hereby certify that the above Notice and Agenda of the Regular Meeting of the governing body of the City of Prairie View is a true and correct copy of said Notice and said Notice was posted on the City Hall front door, a place convenient and readily accessible to the general public at all times; said Notice was posted on Friday, April 24, 2020 by 5:00 p.m., and remained so posted continuously for at least 72 hours preceding the scheduled time for said meeting. The Notice and Agenda was also posted on the City's website at <http://www.prairieviewtexas.gov>

Dated this the day of April 24th, 2020

By: Allison Bynum

Allison Bynum/City Secretary

This facility is wheelchair accessible and accessible parking spaces are available. Requests for accommodations or interpretive services must be made 48 hours before this meeting. Please contact the City Secretary's Office at (936)857-3603.

The City of Prairie View City Council reserves the right to adjourn into Executive Session at any time during the course of this meeting to discuss, as authorized by Texas Government Code Sections 551.071 (Consultation with Attorney), 551.072 (Deliberations about Real Property), 551.073 (Deliberations about Gifts and Donations), 551.074 (Personnel Matters), 551.076 (Deliberations about security Devices), and 551.086 (Economic Development).