

City Council Meeting Agenda October 16, 2025 7:00 p.m. Multipurpose Room, 209 Hudson St., Newark, TX 76071

- 1. Call to order and announce quorum is present.
- 2. Pledge of allegiance and invocation.
- 3. Mayor Update.
- 4. **Public Comments:** This portion of the agenda is the public's opportunity to address the Council about any item listed on the agenda, except public hearings. Comments related to public hearings will be heard when the specific hearing begins. Individuals wishing to make public comment shall sign up to speak before the start of the meeting. Public comments are limited to three (3) minutes per speaker, unless otherwise required by law. Per the Texas Open Meetings Act, the Council is not permitted to take action on or discuss any item not listed on the agenda. Items suggested for action may be placed on a future agenda, at the Council's sole discretion.

CONSENT AGENDA (Items listed on the consent agenda allow the Council to approve all items together without discussion or individual motions. Items may be removed from the consent agenda on the request of any one member of the Council. Removed items will be discussed and action taken immediately after the consent agenda.)

- 5. Consider and act on the following items:
 - A. Council Meeting Minutes for September, 2025
 - B. Accounts Payables for September 2025
 - C. Financial Statements for September 2025
 - D. Staff Reports- Municipal Court, Building Permits, Code Enforcement, and Public Works for September 2025

REGULAR AGENDA (NON-CONSENT)

6. Discuss and consider an Ordinance A-575, establishing the zoning designation of Planned Development (PD) with a base zoning of Single-Family Residential District (SF-2) for approximately 18.62 acres of land legally described as being in the C.R. Huff Survey, Abstract No. 448, also described as Wise County Appraisal District Property ID Nos. 780040 and 740208, and generally located immediately south of 802 Rogers Road.

- 7. **Public Hearing:** Receive comments on the proposed Interlocal Cooperation Agreement regarding the creation, operation, and initial funding of the West Fork Public Utility Agency.
- 8. Discuss, consider, and act on Ordinance A-576, approving the creation the West Fork Public Utility Agency.
- Receive, consider, and act on an Interlocal Cooperation Agreement regarding the creation, operation, and initial funding of the West Fork Public Utility Agency.
- 10. Consider and act on appointing a director to the West Fork Public Utility Agency to represent the City of Newark.
- 11. Discuss, consider, and act on selecting a new website service provider and authorizing registration of a .gov domain for the City's official website.
- 12. Discuss, consider, and act on a resolution authorizing the City of Newark to open a new bank account offering higher interest rates, and authorizing the appropriate city officials to execute all necessary documents.
- 13. Meeting adjourn.

CERTIFICATION – I certify that the attached agenda was posted on or before 7:00 pm on Thursday, October 9, 2025.

Jenni More, City Secretary

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NOTE: Pursuant to Chapter 551, Texas Government Code, the Council reserves the right to convene in Executive Session(s), from time to time as deemed necessary during this meeting to receive legal advice from its attorney on any posted agenda item as permitted by law or to discuss the following: A. Consult with attorney on a matter in which the attorney's duty to the governmental body under the Texas Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct conflicts with this chapter and/or consult with attorney about pending or contemplated litigation or contemplated settlement of the same. Section 551.071. B. Discuss the possible purchase, exchange, lease or sell of value of real property and public discussion of such would not be in the best interests of the City's bargaining position. Section 551.072. C. Discuss negotiated gifts or donations to the City and public discussion at this stage would have a detrimental effect on the City's bargaining position. Section 551.073. D. Discuss the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment of duties, discipline, or dismissal of or to hear a complaint against a public officer or employee. Section 551.074. E. Discuss the commercial or financial information received from an existing business or business prospect with which the City is negotiating for the location or retention of a facility, or for incentives the City is willing to extend, or financial information submitted by the same. Section 551.087. F. Discuss the deployment or specific occasions for implementation of security personnel or devices. Section 551.076. G. Deliberations regarding economic development negotiations pursuant to Section 551.087. Following the closed Executive Session, the Council will reconvene in open and public session and take any such action as may be desirable or necessary as a result of the closed deliberations.