

**TOWN COUNCIL
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES
MAY 24, 2022**

The Town Council met in special session on Tuesday, May 24, 2022, at 4:30 p.m. at 372 Town Place, Fairview, Texas. Those present were Mayor Henry Lessner; Mayor Pro Tem Ricardo Doi and Councilmembers Rich Connelly, Gregg Custer, Larry Little, Ken Logsdon and John Hubbard. Staff present included Town Manager, Julie Couch; Town Engineer, James Chancellor; Police Chief, Granver Tolliver; Fire Chief, Jeff Bell; CFO, Steven Ventura; Public Works Manager, Aron Holmgren; Assistant Fire Chief, Travis Green; Planning Manager, Israel Roberts; Assistant to the Town Manager, Adam Wilbourn; and Town Secretary, Tenitrus Bethel.

Mayor Lessner called the meeting to order at 4:31 p.m. and declared a quorum was present and invited everyone to stand for the Pledge of Allegiance and the Texas State pledge.

At 4:32p.m., the Council then adjourned into executive session.

Mayor Lessner called the regular session to order at 5:51 p.m.

FY 2022-23 BUDGET PLANNING: Ms. Couch introduced agenda item 6, discuss the 2022-2023 fiscal year budget planning process including budget priorities, budget impacts, long-range planning, capital planning and capital projects, meetings schedule and related items.

Ms. Couch reviewed the requirements and deadlines related to property tax exemptions for residents 65 and over.

The Council and staff had an extended discussion related to this topic.

The Council and staff had an extended discussion related to the following: general fund; appraisals; tax rate; general fund revenues; water & sewer rates; employee retention; council priorities; and capital projects, planning and funding.

Mayor Lessner adjourned the meeting at 7:20 p.m.


Henry Lessner, Mayor


Tenitrus Bethel, Town Secretary

