

## **CITY OF MERKEL**

### **NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MERKEL, TEXAS**

This notice is posted pursuant to the Texas Open Meetings Act, (Vernon's Texas Code Annotated, Government Code, Chapter 551)

**The City Council of the City of Merkel, Texas will hold a Regular City Council Meeting at 7:00 PM, October 9, 2023, at Heritage Hall, which is located at 111 Taylor Street, Merkel, Texas 79536 at which time the following items will be considered:**

#### **OPEN MEETING**

1. ***Call meeting to order*** and announce a quorum is present.
2. ***PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE and TEXAS PLEDGE.***
3. ***Citizens Comments and Receipt of Petitions*** (At this time, anyone may speak on any matter other than personnel matters or matters under litigation for a length of time not to exceed three (3) minutes. ***(No Council/Board discussion or action can take place on any matter until such matter has been placed on an agenda and posted in accordance with the law).***)
4. ***Consider*** approval of the minutes of the September 11, 2023, Regular City Council Meeting.
5. ***Staff Reports.***
6. ***Discuss/Consider*** funding for WWTP Dredging and Disposal project through Government Capitol Securities Corp.
7. ***Discuss/Consider*** Voting Ballot Resolution casting votes for person(s) for a position on the Board of Directors of the Taylor County Appraisal District.
8. ***Discuss*** General 15-year Plan Report.
9. ***Discuss/Consider*** Resolution no. 10092023-1 A Resolution of the City of Merkel, Texas authorizing the Merkel Economic Development Corporation to undertake a project to promote new or expanded business enterprises by providing a grant to Caston Gillit and Tyler McDermott of CT Investments.
10. ***Discuss/Consider*** Resolution No. 10092023-2 A Resolution of the City of Merkel, Texas authorizing the Merkel Economic Development Corporation to undertake a project to

promote new or expanded business enterprises by establishing a property clean-up project to pay for roll-off containers for residents under certain conditions.

11. **Discuss/Consider** Grant Resolution applying for grant assistance under the Rules and Regulations of Rural Housing Service, A department of the United States Department of Agriculture
12. **Discuss/Consider** Mellinger Park project design.
13. **Discuss/Consider** approval of EDC Budget for FY2024.

## ADJOURNMENT

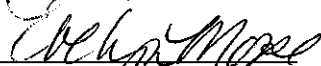
*All items on the agenda are for discussion and possible action.*

*The Merkel City Council reserves the right to adjourn into Executive Session at any time concerning any matters listed above, whenever it is considered necessary by the Council and is legally justified under the Texas Open Meetings Act (Texas Government Code Chapter 551, Subchapter D), 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).*

*The City of Merkel is committed to compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). Reasonable accommodation and equal access to communications will be provided to those who provide notice to the City Secretary, 325-928-4911, at least 48 hours in advance.*

## CERTIFICATION

I certify that the above notice of meeting was posted on the City Posting Board at City Hall, 100 Kent Street, Merkel, Texas, on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of October 2023.

  
Evelyn Morse, City Secretary