

**AGENDA
NOTICE OF MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF
SHAVANO PARK, TEXAS**

This notice is posted pursuant to the Texas Open Meetings Act. Notice hereby given that the City Council of the CoSP, Texas will conduct a Special Meeting on Monday, April 26, 2021 at 4:30 p.m. at 900 Saddletree Court, Shavano Park City Council Chambers for the purpose of considering the following agenda:

SUPPLEMENTAL NOTICE OF MEETING BY LIVESTREAM / TELEPHONE CONFERENCE:

THIS MEETING WILL BE A LIMITED TO APPROXIMATELY 10 IN-PERSON ATTENDEES IN ORDER TO MAINTAIN SOCIAL DISTANCING.

In accordance with Order of the Office of the Governor issued March 16th, 2020, the governor has suspended various provisions of the Open Meetings Act pursuant to his state disaster authority, which now authorize the participation of a meeting by live-video stream or telephone. The City of Shavano Park will conduct the Regular Meeting on Monday, April 26, 2021 at 6:30 p.m. at 900 Saddletree Court, Shavano Park Council Chambers in part by Livestream / telephone conference in order to advance the public health goal of limiting face-to-face meetings (also called “social distancing”) and slow down the spread of the Coronavirus (COVID-19).

Livestream Participation. The livestream available via the YouTube website or app from your computer, tablet or smartphone at: <https://youtu.be/oc89laesRZU>

Telephone Participation. The public toll-free dial-in number to participate in the telephonic meeting is 1-888-788-0099 and requires access code 982-9797-6273. The Livestream / telephone conference will be available to join at 6:00 p.m. (30 minutes prior to the meeting). If you have issues accessing Telephone Participation or Livestream, please call City Secretary 210-581-1116.

The public will be permitted to offer comments telephonically as provided by the agenda during Citizen’s to be Heard. Citizens who want to speak during this period, should sign up to speak prior to the beginning of the meeting by stating their intent and providing Name, Address, and Topic to be addressed. Follow the guidelines under agenda item 3. If unable to participate in the meeting, you may submit public comments by email to citysecretary@shavanopark.org

The meeting agenda and agenda packet are posted online at www.shavanopark.org.

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.

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

2. CITIZENS TO BE HEARD

The City Council welcomes “Citizens to be Heard.” If you wish to speak, you must follow these guidelines. **As a courtesy to your fellow citizens and out of respect to our fellow citizens, we request that if you wish to speak that you follow these guidelines.**

- The Mayor will recognize those citizens who have signed up prior to the start of the meeting.
- Pursuant to Resolution No. R-2019-011 citizens are given three minutes (3:00) to speak during “Citizens to be Heard.”
- Members of the public may only speak once and cannot pass the individual’s time allotment to someone else
- Direct your comments to the entire Council, not to an individual member
- Show the Council members the same respect and courtesy that you expect to be shown to you

The Mayor will rule any disruptive behavior, including shouting or derogatory statements or comments, out of order. Continuation of this type of behavior could result in a request by the Mayor that the individual leave the meeting, and if refused, an order of removal. In compliance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, no member of City Council may deliberate on citizen comments for items not on the agenda. (Attorney General Opinion – JC 0169)

3. CITY COUNCIL COMMENTS

Pursuant to TEX. GOV’T CODE §551.0415(b), the Mayor and each City Council member may announce city events/community interests and request that items be placed on future City Council agendas. “Items of Community Interest” include:

- expressions of thanks, congratulations, or condolences;
- information regarding holiday schedules;
- an honorary or salutary recognition of a public official, public employee, or other citizen, except that a discussion regarding a change in status of a person’s public office or public employment is not honorary or salutary recognition for purposes of this subdivision;
- a reminder about an upcoming event organized or sponsored by the governing body;
- 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 municipality or county; and
- announcements involving an imminent threat to the public health and safety of people in the municipality or county that has arisen after posting of the agenda.

4. REGULAR AGENDA ITEMS

- 4.1. Discussion – Interview and review qualifications for the positions of Municipal Judge and Municipal Prosecutor. Possible Executive Session pursuant to Texas Government Code §551.074, Personnel Matters - City Council**

5. ADJOURNMENT

Executive Sessions Authorized: This agenda has been reviewed and approved by the City's legal counsel and the presence of any subject in any Executive Session portion of the agenda constitutes a written interpretation of TEX. GOV'T CODE CHAPTER 551 by legal counsel for the governmental body and constitutes an opinion by the attorney that the items discussed therein may be legally discussed in the closed portion of the meeting considering available opinions of a court of record and opinions of the Texas Attorney General known to the attorney. This provision has been added to this agenda with the intent to meet all elements necessary to satisfy TEX. GOV'T CODE §551.144(c) and the meeting is conducted by all participants in reliance on this opinion. The Council may vote and/or act upon each of the items set out in this agenda. In addition, the City Council for the City of Shavano Park has the right to adjourn into executive session at any time during the course of this meeting to discuss any matter authorized by Texas Government Code Sections 551.071 (Consultation with Attorney); 551.072 (Deliberations related to Real Property); and Section 551.074 (Personnel Matters).

Attendance by Other Elected or Appointed Officials – NOTICE OF POTENTIAL QUORUM:

It is anticipated that members of City Council or other city board, commissions and/or committees may attend the meeting in numbers that may constitute a quorum of the other city boards, commissions and/or committees. Notice is hereby given that the meeting, to the extent required by law, is also noticed as a meeting of the other boards, commissions and/or committees of the City, whose members may be in attendance. The members of the boards, commissions and/or committees may participate in discussions on the same items listed on the agenda, which occur at the meeting, but no action will be taken by such in attendance unless such item and action is specifically provided for on an agenda for that board, commission or committee subject to the Texas Open Meetings Act.

The facility is wheelchair accessible and accessible parking spaces are also available in the front and sides of the building. The entry ramp is located in the front of the building. Sign interpretative services for meetings must be made 48 hours in advance of the meeting. Call the City Secretary at 210-581-1116 or TDD 1-800-735-2989.

CERTIFICATE:

I hereby certify that the above Notice of Meeting was posted on the City Hall bulletin board on the 21th day of April 2021 at 5:25 p.m. at a place convenient and readily accessible to the general public at all times, and to the City's website, www.shavanopark.org, in compliance with Chapter 551, Texas Government Code.

Trish Nichols
City Secretary