

0CITY OF GREGORY REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING GREGORY MUNICIPAL COMPLEX COUNCIL CHAMBERS 310 AYERS ST.

September 22, 2025 @ 6:00 P.M.

Notice is hereby given that the governing Body of the City of Gregory, Texas will hold a Regular Meeting in the 22th day of September, 2025, at 6:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers of the Gregory City Hall located at 310 Ayers St., Gregory, Texas. Pursuant to Texas government Code Section 551.127, a member of the City Council intends to participate in this meeting by videoconference call. A quorum of the City Council and the Councilmember presiding over the meeting shall be present at the location stated above, and said location shall be open to the public during all open portions of the meeting. An audio recording will be made of this meeting, and be available to the public.

The public will be permitted to offer public comments as provided by the agenda and as permitted by the presiding officer during the meeting. Should there be more than five (5) persons to speak on a particular issue, they need to select one (1) representative to speak. Your presentation will be limited to three (3) minutes. Written comments may be submitted to City Secretary norma.garcia@gregory-tx.com up to two hours before the meeting. An audio recording of meeting will be made and will be available to the public in accordance with the Texas Public Information Act upon written request.

Please be advised that the open meetings act prohibits the city council from responding and discussing your comments at length. The law only authorizes them to do the following:

- Make a statement of factual information.
- Recite an existing policy in response to the inquiry.
- Advise the citizen that this subject will be placed on an agenda at a later date.

AGENDA

- I. CALL MEETING TO ORDER and ESTABLISH QUORUM
- II. MOMENT OF SILENCE AND PLEDGE ALLEGIANCE
- III. PUBLIC COMMENTS FROM AUDIENCE NONE
- IV. PUBLIC HEARINGS
 - a) PUBLIC HEARING ON THE CITY OF GREGORY PROPOSED BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR OCTOBER 1, 2025 TO SEPTEMBER 30, 2026
 - b) PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED 2025 TAX RATE FOR THE CITY OF GREGORY

V. PRESENTATIONS – NONE

- VI. CONSENT AGENDA (All of the following items are considered to be self-explanatory by the City Council and will be enacted with one motion; there will be no separate discussion of these items unless a Council Member requests)
 - a) Special Workshop 08-30-2025 and Regular Meeting September 8, 2025
- VII. ACTION ITEMS: The following items are for consideration, discussion and action:
 - a) Consideration with action to approve Audit for fiscal year 2023 presentation by Mr. Noel Snedeker, CPA, Governmental Consultant
 - b) Consideration with action to approve ORDINANCE 2025-09-03 ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE ANNUAL BUDGET OF THE CITY OF GREGORY, TEXAS FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2026 ESTIMATING THE REVENUE FOR SAID FISCAL YEAR; APPROPRIATING FOR THE PURPOSES STATING THE SUMS SET FORTH IN SAID BUDGET AND DIRECTING THE MAYOR AND CITY SECRETARY TO MAKE NECESSARY ENTRIES UPON THE BOOKS AND ACCOUNTS OF THEY TO SHOW THE APPROPRIATIONS AND ALLOCATIONS HEREIN PROVIDED
 - c) Consideration with action to Adopt ORDINANCE 2025-09-04 AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR THE LEVY OF TAXES FOR THE YEAR 2025 ON ALL REAL AND PRESONAL PROPERY WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMTS OF THE CITY OF GREGORY, TEXAS AND APPROPRIATING MONIES FOR THE PAYMENT OF EXPENDITURES FOR THE MAINTENANCE AND UPKEEP OF THE CITY OF GREGORY, TEXAS AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

VIII. OLD BUSINESS:

- **IX. CLOSED SESSION**: City Council will recess its open meeting and reconvene in Closed Session:
 - a) Pursuant to Texas Government Code Section 551.071 for consultation with the City Attorney and Special Counsel, to receive legal advice regarding a matter in which the duty of the attorney to the governmental body under the Texas Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct of the State Bar of Texas clearly conflicts with Chapter 551 of the Government Code, to include the following matters:
- X. OPEN SESSION: The City Council will reconvene into Regular Session upon conclusion of the closed session and may recall any item posted for Closed Session for action, as necessary.

XI. OTHER

REPORTS: The following items are for discussion, consideration, and action. A separate discussion or action on items listed below will be held if requested by a council member.

- 1. City Staff
- 2. Volunteer Fire Dept.
- 3. Mayor and Council Members
- 4. City Boards and Commissions (based on availability)
- A. Request from Council Members for Future Agenda Items.

XII. ADJOURNMENT

NOTICE:

I hereby certify that this public meeting agenda was posted in a public place at City Hall in the City of Gregory, Texas, in compliance with the requirements of public law for posting an agenda of all non-emergency meeting at least 72 hours prior to the call to order of said meeting.

POSTED: At 5:00 p.m. September 16, 2025

AGENDA NOTICES:

Decorum Required: Any disruptive behavior, including shouting or derogatory statements or comments may be ruled out of order by the Presiding Officer. Continuation of this type of behavior could result in a request by the Presiding Officer that the individual leave the meeting, and if refused, an order of removal. **Action by Council Authorized:** The Council may vote or act upon any item within this Agenda. The Council reserves the right to adjourn into closed session at any time during the course of this meeting to discuss any of the matters listed above, as authorized by the Texas Open Meeting Act.

Closed Sessions Authorized: This agenda has been reviewed and approved by the City's legal counsel and the presence of any subject in any Closed Session portion of the agenda constitutes a written interpretation of Texas Government 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 Texas Government Code Chapter 551.144(c) and the meeting is conducted by all participants in reliance on this opinion

Attendance by Other Elected or Appointed Officials: It is anticipated that members of the other city boards, 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 City Council, 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 are specifically provided for on an agenda for that board, commission or committee subject to the Texas Open Meetings Act.