

## SPECIAL MEETING OF THE GOVERNING BODY RICE, TEXAS

Tuesday May 13, 2025 6:00 PM Rice City Hall 305 N. Dallas Street Rice, TX 75155

## Minutes

- 1. Call to Order: Mayor Christi Campbell Called meeting to order at 6:02 pm
- 2. Roll Call
  - a. Sheila Teague: Present
  - b. Rosa Vasquez: Present
  - c. Nick White: Present
  - d. Donnie P. Fisher: Absent
  - e. Troy Foreman: Present
  - f. Mayor Christi Campbell: Present
- 3. Pledge of Allegiance: By All
- 4. Texas Pledge of Allegiance: By All
- 5. Prayer: Chief Parson
- 6. **Public Forum**: None
- 7. Alderman Updates: None
- 8. Reports

Motion To Forego the reading of the department reports made by Nick White and seconded by Troy Foreman.

Ayes: Nick White, Troy Foreman, Rosa Vasquez, Sheila Teague

Nays: None Motion Passed

- a. April 2025 Volunteer Fire Department Report
- b. April 2025 Police Department Report
- c. April 2025 Municipal Court Report
- d. April 2025 Administrative Report
- e. April 2025 EDC Report
- f. April 2025 Mayor's Report

## 9. Consent Items

a. Approve Minutes from April 10, 2025, regular city council meeting.

Motion to approve the minutes from April 10, 2025, made by Troy Foreman, and seconded by Rosa Vasquez.

Ayes: Troy Foreman, Rosa Vasquez, Sheila Teague, Nick White

Nay: None

**Motion Passed** 

b. Approval of April 2025 financial report.

The Motion to Approve April 2025 Financial Report made by Rosa Vasquez and seconded by Nick White.

Ayes: Rosa Vasquez, Nick White, Troy Foreman, Sheila Teague.

Nays; none

Motion Passed

## 10. New Business

a. Discuss and Deliberate Canvassing the votes from May 3, 2025, election

The motion to Approve canvas results of May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2025, was made by Nick White and seconded by Troy Forman.

Ayes: Nick White, Troy Foreman, Rosa Vasquez

Nays: None

Motion Passed

b. Discuss and Deliberate approval of Canvas Resolution.

The Motion to approve the Canvas Resolution was made by Rosa Vasquez and seconded by Nick White.

Ayes: Rosa Vasquez, Nick White, Troy Foreman, Sheila Teague

Nays: None

Motion passed

- c. Swearing of Oaths for newly elected officers
  Vicki Fisher, City Administrator, swore in to office, Mayor Christi Campbell
  for her second term.
- d. Discuss and Deliberate voting for Mayor Pro-Tem

Motion to table until June 16<sup>th</sup> meeting when all members of council will by present, made by Troy Foreman and seconded by Rosa Vasquez.

Ayes: Troy Foreman, Rosa Vasquez, Sheila Teague, Nick White

Nays: None

Motion Passed

e. Discuss suggestions to fill vacancy on the Planning and Zoning Board.

Discussed finding candidates to fill the position on the Planning and Zoning Board.

f. Discuss and Deliberate voting to approve a member for EDC.

Motion to table until June meeting made by Troy Foreman and seconded by Nick White.

Ayes: Troy Foreman, Nick White, Sheila Teague, Rosa Vasquez

Nays; None

Motion Passed

g. Discuss and Deliberate approval of Rice becoming a partner with the Red Cross to have warming/cooling/emergency shelter in the gym.

Motion to approve the partnership with Red Cross made by Troy Foreman and seconded by Nick White.

Ayes: Troy Foreman, Nick White

Nays: Sheila Teague, Rosa Vasquez

Tie break aye: Christi Campbell

Motion Passed

h. Discuss and Deliberate approval of replat of Lot 33A-2, Sunrise Addition

Motion to approve replat of Lot 33A-2, Sunrise addition made by Troy Foreman and seconded by Rosa Vasquez.

Ayes: Troy Foreman, Rosa Vasquez, Sheila Teague, Rosa Vasquez

Nays: None

Motion Passed

i. Discuss and Deliberate setting a day/time for workshop.

Motion to approve the time for Special Meeting on Monday, June 16<sup>th</sup>, .2025, and a workshop on Tuesday, June 17<sup>th</sup>, 2025, made by Nick White, and seconded by Troy Foreman.

Ayes: Nick White, Troy Foreman, Sheila Teague, Rosa Vasquez

Nays: None

Motion Passed

11. The Rice City Council may convene and go into Executive Session pursuant to Texas Government Code Section 551.071: Consultation with City Attorney to seek legal advice regarding the following items:

No Executive Session Scheduled

- 12. Reconvene from Executive Session and take any necessary action
- 12. Adjourn:

Mayor Adjourned meeting at 6:51 pm.

Attest:

Vicki Fisher, City Administrator

Date