



**CITY OF LA MARQUE
CITY COUNCIL
REGULAR AGENDA
of
July 28, 2025**

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of La Marque, Texas will conduct a **Regular Meeting** on **July 28, 2025**, beginning at **6:00 PM** in the **Council Chambers** at **1109-B Bayou Road La Marque, Texas as well as via video-conference hosted through Zoom** (**councilzoom.cityoflamarque.org**). In accordance with Section 551.127(b) of the Texas Government Code the presiding officer and a quorum of the La Marque City Council intend to be and will be physically present at 1109-B Bayou Road, La Marque, Texas. This location will be open to the public and the meeting will be broadcast at this location, on Channel 16, and via YouTube (**<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=L6G8ypjyEDo>**).

The Council will meet for the purpose of considering the following agenda:

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER
2. ROLL CALL
3. INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
4. AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS
 - 4.I. Certificate of Commendation- Jennifer Johnson
 - 4.II. Certificate of Appreciation - Queen of Peace
5. CITIZENS PARTICIPATION
LIMITED TO THREE MINUTES PER PERSON

Comments from the public will be heard at this time. Any person with city-related business who has signed up may speak to Council (limited to three (3) minutes). If wishing to speak give the Mayor or presiding officer your full legal name and the item you wish to speak about. In compliance with Texas Open Meeting Act, the City may not deliberate on comments. Personal attacks will not be allowed, and personnel matters should be addressed to the City Manager during normal business hours. *Press *6 to mute or unmute if you are participating by telephone, press the unmute button if attending via zoom on a smartphone, tablet or computer, or stand if attending in person, and the mayor will call on you in turn.*

6. PRESENTATIONS
 - 6.I. Presentation - nVent
 - 6.II. Presentation- Collaborate : Vision 2050

7. MINUTES

7.I. Council Retreat 07.22.2025

7.II. Regular City Council Minutes 12.09.2024

7.III. Special City Council Minutes 11.18.2024

8. OLD BUSINESS

Items presented to the Council for discussion and possible action:

8.I. Vision 2050

Accepting the Vision 2050 plan as presented by Collaborate - *Administration*

8.II. Ordinance No. O-2025-0014

Approving the Project Plan and Reinvestment Zone Financing Plan for Tax Increment Reinvestment Zone Number 2 in the City of La Marque, Texas, providing an effective date, and making other provisions related to the subject **THIS IS THE FIRST READING** - *City Clerk / TIRZ Board #2*

9. NEW BUSINESS

Items presented to the Council for discussion and possible action:

9.I. Awarding RFQ - Financial Consultancy Services

Approving contract with Stifel Public Finance for RFQ for Financial Consultancy Services - *City Clerk*

9.II. Budget Workshop Presentations

Considering boards, commissions, committees, business, and community partners the City Council requests to present at the 2025-2026 Budget Workshop series -*City Clerk*

9.III. Public Safety Building

Considering proposals for a Public Safety Building - *City Clerk / Public Safety Building Committee*

9.IV. Coastal Community Federal Credit Union (CCFCU) Back-to-School Bash 2025

Requesting a waiver of permit fees for the Coastal Community Federal Credit Union annual Back-to-School Bash - *Administration / Development Services*

9.V. Purchasing

Authorizing the purchase of a Utility Terrain Vehicle (UTV) Polaris Direct, FY25 SB224 Catalytic Converter Grant - *Police*

9.VI. Purchasing

Authorizing a Sole Source Purchase - Axon Drone as First Responder (DFR) System under FY24 SB224 Catalytic Converter Grant - *Police*

9.VII. Purchasing

Authorizing the purchase of a Mobile Surveillance Trailer from Wireless CCTV, LLC (WCCTV) under FY24 SB224 Catalytic Converter Grant - *Police*

9.VIII. Employee Handbook

Reviewing the current Employee Handbook that is utilized by the City of La Marque - *Human Resources*

9.IX. Citizen's Participation

Considering the parameters and establishing guidelines for citizen's participation at city meetings -*Council*

9.X. Ex-Officio Positions

Determining Ex-Officio positions for boards, commissions, and committees -*Council*

9.XI. Discretionary Spending

Considering a request from Council District C to utilize discretionary funds -
District C/ District B

9.XII. Drainage District # 2

Making recommendations for Memorandum of Understanding with Drainage District # 2 - *District D / District C*

9.XIII. Unified Town Hall

Considering a request to host a unified town hall for all districts - *District D/ District C*

10. CITY MANAGER REPORT

A submitted report to update Council and Community on the standard operations of the City. Report can be acknowledged as whole or discussed at the pleasure of Council.

10.I. June 2025 Municipal Court Stats

10.II. July 2025 Sales Tax Revenue

10.III. Texas H.B. 1522 New Legislation for Agenda Postings

10.IV. Items for the Good of the Order

11. EXECUTIVE SESSION

The City Council for the City of La Marque, Texas reserves the right to adjourn into executive session at any time during this meeting to discuss any of the matters listed above, as authorized by the Texas Government Code Section 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 551.087 (Economic Development)

11.I. Section 551.076 (Deliberations about Security Devices)

Reviewing the City of La Marque's Cybersecurity infrastructure

11.II. Section 551.074 (Personnel Matters)

To deliberate the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of a public officer or employee: City Manager

11.III. Section 551.074 (Personnel Matters)

To deliberate the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of a public officer or employee: Interim City Manager

12. ACTIONS TAKEN FROM EXECUTIVE SESSION

12.I. Section 551.076 (Deliberations about Security Devices)

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13. REQUESTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Requests by Mayor and Council Members of items to be placed on future City Council agendas and announcements on city events/community interests TEX. GOV'T CODE §551.415. (b), "items of community interest" include: (1) expressions of thanks, congratulations, or condolence; (2) information regarding holiday schedules; (3) an honorary or salutary recognition of a public official, public employee, or other citizen, except that a discussion regarding a change in the status of a person's public office or public employment is not an honorary or salutary recognition for purposes of this subdivision; (4) a reminder about an upcoming event organized or sponsored by the governing body (5) 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 (6) announcements involving an imminent threat to the public health and safety of people in the municipality or county that has arisen after the posting of the agenda

14. ADJOURNMENT

CERTIFICATION:

I hereby certify that the above notice of meeting was posted at 1109-B Bayou Road, La Marque, Texas on or before July 25, 2025, at 12:00 p.m.

Kierra K. Nance, TRMC
City Clerk