CITY OF SHEPHERD **BOARD OF ALDERMEN**

Regular Called Meeting

28 N. Liberty, Shepherd City Council Chambers Monday, August 11, 2025, 6:30 PM

AGENDA

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Invocation:
- 3. Pledges of Allegiance to the: American Flag and to the Texas Flag:
- 4. Public Input
- 5. Public Input for Items not Listed on Agenda

This time is provided for citizens who are not on the agenda to address the City Council. Citizens should complete a witness form located on the side table. Pursuant to State Open Meetings Law, the City Council is restricted in discussing or taking action on items not posted on the agenda. Action on your statement can be taken only at a future meeting. To expedite the flow of business and to provide all citizens with the opportunity to speak, the City Council has imposed a three-minute limitation on persons addressing the Council.

Reports

7. **Old Business**

- a. Discuss and take action necessary regarding Community Center Rentals.
- Discuss and take action to Adopt Ordinance #353 to regulate Speed Bumps.

New Business

- a. Discuss and take action necessary to grant a Manufactured Home Variance for LeAnne Coleman at 9820 Hwy
- b. Discuss and take action necessary to grant a Manufactured Home variance for Ashley Avery at 100 Martin Drive.
- c. Discuss and take action on request from Brenda Myers to add additional concrete and waive the permitting fees.
- Discuss and take action regarding the Emergency Services District contract with the Shepherd Volunteer Fire Department as well as address items purchased by City tax funds and budgeting future funds to be designated for the Shepherd VFD.
- Discuss and take action to order an election.
- Discuss and take action to spend funds from Park Improvement on purchasing playground equipment for Gazebo f.
- Discuss and take action to schedule a workshop to determine the 25-26 Budget and tax rate.

9. Approve Previous Meeting's Minutes

10. Approve Payment of the Bills

11. Announcements

12. Adjournment

NOTE: Agenda Items do not have to be taken in the same order as shown on the meeting notice. The City Council for the City of Shepherd reserves the right to adjourn into Executive Session ("closed session") at any time during the course of the meeting to discuss any of the matters listed above as authorized by Texas Government Code, Section 551.071 (Consultation with Attorney); 551.072 (Deliberations about Real Property): 551.073 (Deliberations about Gifts & Donations): 551.074 (Deliberations about Personnel Matters): 551.076 (Deliberations about Security Devices); and 551.086 (Economic Development).I, the undersigned authority, do hereby certify that this Notice of Meeting was posted on the bulletin board at the front door of the City Hall, a place convenient and readily accessible to the general public at all times, and said Notice was posted on the following date and time: August 8, 2025 by 5:00 p.m. and remained posted for at least two hours before said meeting.

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Debra Hagler, City Secretary City of Shepherd, Texas