



Minutes of Regular City Council Meeting

City of Weston Lakes

City Council Meeting

Tuesday

August 26, 2025 at 6:00pm

Present: Mayor Bob Wall, Mayor Pro Tem Linda Harnist, Alderman Rhea Ragle Alderman Justin Burnett

Absent: Alderman Russell Beustring, Alderman Phil Thomas

City Staff Present: City Administrator Erica Molina City Treasurer Donna Rea

- 1. Call to Order. 6:00pm Mayor Bob Wall**
- 2. Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance. Mayor Bob Wall**
- 3. Reading of Public Statement Rules. City Administrator Erica Molina**
- 4. Public Comments (City Administrator will read the public comment policy) None**
- 5. Mayor and Council Comments.**
 - a. Mayor: Meet and Greet will be at club 8/27.**
 - b. Extended offer of new business cards to council for 100 count cards.**
 - c. Fort Bend Mayor and Council Assoc Dinner at the fair on Thursday September 25th.**
 - d. Mayor will be participating in Senior Citizen Day at the Fair to call Bingo Sept 29th.**
 - e. Mayor will be meeting with Commissioner Morales and TxDOT about Westpark Tollroad expansion west and potential plans and impact to Weston Lakes.**
- 6. Budget Hearing on the Proposed Budget for Fiscal Year 2025-2026**
 - a. Open 6:09pm**
 - b. Public Comments/Discussion: No public comments. Discussion to increase budget for swim lessons from \$9,000 to \$11,000 (already reflected in proposed budget) and increase representation and celebration budget from \$15,000 to \$20,000.**

- c. **Motion made to increase representation and celebration budget from \$15,000 to \$20,000 by Alderman Burnett**

2nd Alderman Rhea Ragle

Discussion followed about participating in expenses with the POA for new and expanded Christmas Decorations for the city.

Ayes 2 Nays 1

Motion passed

- d. **Close 6:31pm**

- 7. **Discuss and consider approval of Ordinance 11-2025 adopting the proposed budget for fiscal year 2025-2026**

Motion to approve adoption of ordinance 11-2025 adopting the proposed budget for fiscal year 2025-2026 Mayor Pro Tem Harnist

2nd Alderman Ragle

Roll Call Vote:

Mayor Bob Wall Present but not voting

Mayor Pro Tem Harnist Aye

Alderman Justin Burnett Aye

Alderman Rhea Ragle Aye

Alderman Phil Thomas Absent

Alderman Russell Beustring Absent

Motion Passed

- 8. **Proclamation designating the week of September 17th Constitution Week.**

Mayor presented the members of the Daughters of the American Revolution with Weston Lakes Lapel pins after reading the proclamation

- 9. **Consent agenda**

- a) **Present and consider Minutes of the Regular City Council Meeting on July 22, 2025.**
- b) **Cancellation of Election**
- c) **Certification of Candidates Running Unopposed**
- d) **Resolution 06-2025 to add the city administrator and city treasurer to the bank accounts for the City of Weston Lakes**

Motion to approve consent agenda Mayor Pro Tem Harnist

2nd Alderman Ragle

Ayes 3 Nays 0

Motion Passed

10. Discuss and consider possible action to approve Resolution 05-2025 to institute online banking for the city's general fund bank account at Wallis Bank.

Motion to approve resolution 05-2025 to institute online banking Alderman Ragle

2nd Alderman Burnett

Ayes 3 Nays 0

Motion Passed

11. Discuss and consider possible action to approve policy for user and password management for online banking.

Motion to approve user and password management policy for online banking

Mayor Pro Tem Harnist

2nd Alderman Ragle

Ayes 3 Nays 0

Motion Passed

12. Discuss and consider possible action to approve a resolution to remove the City of Weston Lakes from directors' positions on the 1093 Rails to Trails Committee.

Motion to approve resolution 07-2025 to rescind participation in 1093 Rails to Trails

Alderman Ragle

2nd Alderman Burnett

Ayes 3 Nays 0

Motion Passed

13. Presentation by City Treasurer about possible alternative for current accounting software. **No Action Needed**

14. Discussion and possible action about City Council shirts. **No Action Needed**

15. Discuss and consider possible action to cancel the Regular City Council Meeting for September 23, 2025.

Motion to cancel the Regular City Council Meeting on September 23, 2025

Alderman Ragle

2nd Mayor Pro Tem Harnist

Ayes 3 Nays 0

Motion Passed

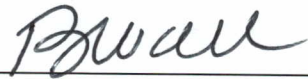
16. Adjournment. 6:52pm

Motion to adjourn at 6:52pm Alderman Burnett

2nd Mayor Pro Tem Harnist

Ayes 3 Nays 0

Motion Passed. Meeting Adjourned.



Mayor Bob Wall

Attest:



City Administrator/City Secretary
Erica Molina