

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT WORTH, TEXAS, CANCELLING THE DECEMBER 8, 2020, WORK SESSION AND CITY COUNCIL MEETING, SETTING THE REGULARLY SCHEDULED CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSIONS AND CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS FOR THE MONTHS OF JANUARY 2021 THROUGH DECEMBER 2021 AND AMENDING THE CITY COUNCIL RULES OF PROCEDURE AS IT RELATES TO SETTING THE DATES AND TIMES OF MEETINGS

WHEREAS, Chapter III, Section 5 of the Fort Worth City Charter requires the City Council to meet at such time and place as may be prescribed by ordinance or resolution, but not less than forty-four (44) regular and special meetings shall be held each calendar year; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Sections 3.2 and 3.3 of the current City Council Rules of Procedure, unless otherwise officially changed by the City Council, the Council meets on Tuesday of each week at 3:00 p.m. for the City Council Work Session and at 7:00 p.m. for the City Council Meeting; and that for the third meeting of each month, if not otherwise cancelled or changed by official action, the City Council Work Session shall begin at 8:30 a.m. and a City Council Meeting shall begin at 10:00 a.m.; and

WHEREAS, it is proposed that the Council Rules of Procedure be amended to set the date and time of the City Council Work Session and Council Meetings by resolution rather than list specific dates and times in the Rules; and

WHEREAS, adoption of this resolution serves as official action by the City Council in accordance with the City Charter, cancelling the December 8, 2020, regular City Council and Work Session Meetings and setting the regular Work Session and City Council Meetings for the months of January 2021 through December 2021, with meetings to occur at the starting time indicated, with all meetings taking place at City Hall located at 200 Texas Street unless subsequently cancelled or changed by official City Council action.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT WORTH, TEXAS, THAT:

1. The City Council will cancel the City Council Work Session and City Council Meeting scheduled for December 8, 2020.
2. The City Council will hold City Council Work Sessions during the months of January 2021 through December 2021 on each of the following Tuesdays at 3:00 p.m.:

January 12, and 26, 2021

February 2, and 16, 2021

March 2, and 9, 2021

April 6, and 13, 2021

May 4, and 11, 2021

June 8, 15, and 22, 2021
August 3, 10, and 24, 2021
September 14, and 21, 2021
October 12, and 19, 2021
November 2, and 9, 2021
December 7, and 14, 2021

3. The City Council will hold City Council Meetings during the months of January 2021 through December 2021 on each of the following Tuesdays at 7:00 p.m.:

January 12, and 26, 2021
February 2, and 16, 2021
March 2, and 9, 2021
April 6, and 13, 2021
May 4, and 11, 2021
June 8, 15, and 22, 2021
August 3, 10, and 24, 2021
September 14, and 21, 2021
October 12, and 19, 2021
November 2, and 9, 2021
December 7, and 14, 2021

4. The City Council will hold City Council Work Sessions during the months of January 2021 through December 2021 on each of the following Tuesdays at 8:30 a.m.:

March 23, 2021
April 20, 2021
May 18, 2021
August 17, 2021
September 28, 2021
November 16, 2021

5. The City Council will hold City Council Meetings during the months of January 2021 through December 2021 on each of the following Tuesdays at 10:00 a.m.:

March 23, 2021

April 20, 2021

May 18, 2021

August 17, 2021

September 28, 2021

November 16, 2021

6. A calendar indicating the above dates and times is attached to this Resolution as Exhibit A.
7. City Council Work session meetings and City Council Meetings shall be held at City Hall located at 200 Texas Street unless otherwise changed by Ordinance or Resolution.
8. The City Secretary and the City Attorney are directed to update the Council Rules of procedure as follows:
 - a. Section 3.2 shall be amended to read as follows:
City Council Work Sessions and City Council Meetings: Unless otherwise officially changed by the City Council ~~or City Manager~~, the Council shall meet in the City Council Conference Room and Council Chamber respectively at the City Hall on Tuesday of each week at times set by the City Council by Resolution ~~of each week at 3:00 p.m.~~ in order to be briefed on matters of interest to the city, to consider and vote on agenda items and conduct other city business.
 - b. Section 3.3 will be deleted in its entirety and the remainder of the sections will be renumbered.
~~Unless otherwise officially changed by the City Council, the Council shall meet in the Council Chambers at the City Hall on Tuesday of each week at 7:00 p.m. for the City Council Meeting in order to consider and vote on agenda items and conduct other city business.~~
 - c. The City Secretary and the City Attorney will prepare a new printing of the Rules of Procedure, as amended, and distribute the same to the City Council, the City Manager and other city staff as deemed appropriate and make said amended rules available to the public.

ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2020.

ATTEST:

Mary J. Kayser, City Secretary

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NOTES
Day meeting (d)
January 1: New Year's Day City Hall Closed
January 5: Council Meeting Cancelled
January 18: MLK Jr.'s Birthday
January 19: Council Meeting Cancelled
February 9: Council Planning Retreat (no Work Session or Council meeting)
February 23: Council Meeting Cancelled (4 th Tuesday and Tarrant County Days in Austin)
March 7-11 NLC (Washington)
March 14-19 FWISD Spring Break
March 16 Council Meeting Cancelled Spring Break)
March 30: Council Meeting Cancelled (5 th Tuesday)
April 27: Council Meeting Cancelled (4 th Tuesday)
May 1: Election Day
May 11: Council Meeting/Canvass Election Returns
May 25: Council Meeting Cancelled (4 th Tuesday)
May 31 Memorial Day Holiday
June 1: Council Meeting Cancelled (Memorial Day)
June 22: 2 nd Zoning docket
June 29: Council Meeting Cancelled (5 th Tuesday)

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NOTES
Day meeting (d)
July 4: 4 th of July Holiday (City Hall closed July 5)
July 6-27: Council Meeting Cancelled – Summer break
August 3 – Capital Budget Presentation
August 10 – Operating Budget Presentation
August 19-20 – Budget Wksn.
August 31 – Council Meeting Cancelled 5 th Tuesday
September 6 : Labor Day Holiday
September 7: Council Meeting Cancelled
September 9-10 Budget Wksn.
October 5 National Night Out(meeting cancelled)
October 6-8 - TML – Houston
October 12: Zoning meeting
October 26: 4 th Tuesday
November 17-20: NLC – Salt Lake City
November 23: Council Meeting Cancelled (4 th Tuesday and Thanksgiving week)
November 30: Council Meeting Cancelled (5 th Tuesday)
November 25&26: Thanksgiving Holiday
December 21: Christmas Week (meeting cancelled)
December 24: Christmas Holiday
December 28: New Year’s Eve week (meeting cancelled)
December 31: New Year’s Day observed

2021 CITY COUNCIL EVENT SCHEDULE PLANNER
 JULY – DECEMBER ADOPTED BY: RESOLUTION