

CITY OF BAY CITY
MINUTES • SEPTEMBER 26, 2023

**COUNCIL
CHAMBERS | 1901
5th Street**

City Council Workshop

5:00 PM

**1901 5TH STREET
BAY CITY TX, 77414**



Mayor

Robert K. Nelson

Mayor Pro Tem

Blayne Finlay

Councilman

Jim Folse

Councilman

Bradley Westmoreland

Councilwoman

Becca Sitz

Councilman

Benjamin Flores

Through a united and collaborative effort, we seek to grow the City of Bay City with a diverse culture that is proud to call Bay City home. We envision a thriving family-centered community where citizens are involved in the future development of our city. We desire our citizens to work, play, worship and shop in the community in which we live. Visitors are welcomed and encouraged to enjoy the friendly environment and amenities the citizens and business owners have created together.

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Robert K. Nelson at 5:08 p.m.508

CERTIFICATION OF QUORUM

PRESENT

- Mayor Robert K. Nelson
- Mayor Pro Tem Blayne Finlay
- Councilman Benjamin Flores
- Councilman Jim Folse
- Councilman Brad Westmoreland
- Councilwoman Becca Sitz

PUBLIC COMMENTS

There were no public comments.

REGULAR ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION AND / OR APPROVAL

1. **Discuss new well siting study and findings.** Dan Olsen, Garver

Dan Olsen, Garver, provided council with updates on Water System improvements. Shawna Burkhart, City Manager, recommended asset renewal/replacement as a priority, arsenic scrubber because we can not afford a new well, and enlarge the 4th and Ave B well.

2. **Discuss GFL Environmental proposal for the Solid Waste Collection and Disposal and Recycling Services .** Krystal Mason, Assistant Public Works Director

Krystal Mason, Assistant Public Works Director, stated that they compared rates with other cities and theirs's were between \$20 and \$26 per month. Scotty Jones, Finance Director, stated that GFL came back with lower residential rates with year one at \$16.00, year two at \$18.99, and year three at \$20.54. Ms. Jones recommended that Council approve the proposal. Council thanked GFL for working with the city.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion made by Councilman Westmoreland to adjourn, Seconded by Mayor Pro Tem Finlay. Voting Yea: Mayor Nelson, Mayor Pro Tem Finlay, Councilman Flores, Councilman Folse, Councilman Westmoreland, Councilwoman Sitz. Motion carried and the meeting adjourned at 6:03 p.m.

PASSED AND APPROVED, this 10th day of October 2023.

 ROBERT K. NELSON, MAYOR
 CITY OF BAY CITY, TEXAS

 JEANNA THOMPSON
 CITY SECRETARY