# OUTSTANDING CITY COUNCIL ITEMS

## • Review of the Water Rates

- $\circ$  6/20/2023 Postpone council requested this be a retreat item for 7/22/23.
- Council will be looking at a 1% increase at a future meeting.
- This will be discussed at the Town Hall meeting- on 11/21/2023, the Council decided on a workshop.
- 12/5/2023 City Council reviewed the presentation from Waterworth. The next workshop is scheduled for 2/20/2023 (the date has been moved). We were waiting on the audited numbers. We just received them. We will be setting a new date for review.
- Flooding
  - Was addressed at the following Council Meetings.
    - 08/03/2021 Flood damage prevention Ord. # 21-034.
    - 11/2/2021 To discuss flood mitigation strategies.
    - 12/07/2021 Short-Term options to address flooding.
  - Budget Adjustment For funding floodway monitoring and software upgrades.
    - Upcoming Council presentation 1/18/2022.
  - Budget Adjustment for creek cleanup.
    - Staff is proposing \$150,000 in ARP funds. Upcoming Council meeting TBD.
  - Segment one of Huebner Creek will be presented to the Council on 4/19/2022.
    - Council decided to look at the 50' wide, protected little league, the study will be brought back to the Council before we agree to do it.
  - Budget adjustment for creek cleanup.
    - 6/7/2022
  - o Budget adjustment for flood gates and notification system.
    - 6/7/2022 postponed
- Huebner Creek Channel Improvement presentation 9/20/2022.
  - Council direction to bring back budget adjustment on \$633,000.
    - First Read 10/3/2022.
    - Second Read 10/18/2022.
  - 11/21/2023 PW Director will provide an update and receive direction Council decided to have a field trip to look at the creek layout TBD.
  - The Council decided to conduct a field trip in the Natural Area
  - o 12/6/2023 the Council walked the steaked-out creek realignment
  - 1/16/2023 The Council will revisit the project.
  - o 2/24/2023- the Council will have a workshop to discuss with the engineer.
    - The council directed the engineer to look at a plan that leaves the creek alignment alone, a new tree survey, and build a retaining wall for erosion.

## • Legal review of the Sign Code

- Councilor Orozco and Bradshaw will work on this item.
- Look into sign flippers in the median on Bandera
- The council requested this item go to the Economic Development Advisory Committee. Economic Development Advisory Committee completed its review and a recommended version will come to council in April.

# • Seneca West R6 Zone change

- o **3/7/2023** 
  - Council requested some prices to replat as larger lots, not in favor of R6.
  - Staff will be getting prices to plat larger lots and bring them back to the Council.
  - Staff has received the plans and probable cost and will review them with the Council at the retreat.
- 08/10/2023 Discuss at the retreat. The Council would just like to plat and sell as is.
- 11/7/2023 Executive session on four options.
- 11/21/2023 Executive session on two options.
- This Will be discussed at the town hall meeting.
- Executive session on 2/6/24
- Executive Session 3/19/2024

#### Tiger brush and bulk issues- Contract ends January 1, 2025 (Item <u>Remaining from Retreat</u>)

- Discussed at the following City Council Meetings
  - 02/22/2021
    - Council addressed complaints and Tiger Sanitation responded.
    - 09/7/2021
      - Considered a resolution on how to manage bulk pick-up. Resolution # 21-031-R, the direction was given to CM to come back with a plan.
      - Considered and Ordinance Amending the Ord 14.02 Solid Waste First reading.
  - 11/2/2021
  - Considered and Ordinance Amending the Ord 14.02 Solid Waste Second Reading Passes Ord. # 21-053.
  - 1/11/2022
  - The Council considered two options to manage the overflow of Brush. The Council decided to have PW pick up the overage after Tiger Sanitation picked up their 8 CY.
  - There were 11 homes with oversized brush the City had the item picked on 3/4/22-3/8/22.
- o 05/17/2022 Council meeting discussing rate increase.

- Council allowed the 2.5% increase for July and another in January but did not approve the 7.5% increase.
- Council was willing to renegotiate terms.
  - On 8/23/2022, Council decided to leave terms as is.
- On 9/19/2023 the staff took a draft survey to the Council. Staff will amend it and bring it back to the Council at a later time.
- Will ask for input at the Town Hall meeting. The council decided on the final survey on 12/19/2023.
- The Council presented the Survey at the Town Hall meeting. The majority of Participants are satisfied with their trash service
- o 02/20/2024- The Council will discuss the distribution of the survey.
  - The council decided to mail the survey out to the businesses and residents. The survey was mailed out on 3/19/24. RFP should go out May.

# • Discussion of updating the Strategic Plan, Mission, & Vision Statement

- Will be placed on the Town Hall meeting for discussion decided at the 11/21/23 Council meeting to hold a workshop.
- February 3, 2024, workshop scheduled. At the council chambers. The Council changed the date to 2/24/24 to coincide with another workshop.
- The Council decided to amend the mission and vision statements. Holding another workshop for the goals and objectives and core values.
- $\circ~$  Core values will be discussed at 3/19/2024. Goal will return in May.
- Silo design per request of the adjacent property owner
  - $\circ$  5/2/2023 Moved by CM due to the number of items on the agenda.
  - o 5/16/2023 Scheduled
    - Council Requested outreach to local universities.
    - Melinda is working on quotes.
- Sustainability Overlay
  - o 6/6/2023 Staff is not ready and has been postponed until September.
  - 725/2023 Zoning Commission started to review. The item is with the Attorney.
- Stray Animal Ordinance
  - Currently being reviewed by the City Attorney we cannot require private industry to take in and adopt our stray animals.
  - Looking at a possible interlocal agreement.
  - $\circ$  Staff has met with the county for a long-term solution.
- Neighborhood/Citizen Survey
  - Will be tied to the solid waste survey. The council decided to keep these two separate items.
- Looking at an amendment to Section 15.02 Appendix C (I), D Structural Nonconformity to add a matching percentage from Economic Community Development funds.
  - After the sustainability review.

- Four-way stop at Forest Meadow and Evers.
  - $\circ$  To be evaluated upon the development of the Evers property.
- Interlocal Agreement with the County regarding an Outreach Coordinator.
  - Bexar County is asking the City to sign a separate agreement with Haven for Hope. They will be completing a draft and sending it over for council approval in March 5, 2024.
    - Council approved
    - Budget adjustment 3/19/24
- Speed hump policy changes- (Item Remaining from Retreat)
  - This was added by Mr. Campos who wants to review the policy before adding.
- Review of the Personnel Manual
- Discussion on large capital projects Possible Bond
  - o Public Works Building
  - ADA requirements
  - o Crystal Hills Park
  - o Pool
  - o Dog Park
  - o Library Annex
- City Council Meeting Building Security

# **ITEMS ARE STILL IN THE PIPELINE BUT HAVE BEEN ADDRESSED**

- John Marshall Traffic Plan CR, JH
  - $\circ$   $\;$  Discussed at the following Council meeting.
  - o 12/14/2022 Next steps
  - NISD engineers are still working on the plan, collecting traffic counts, and coordinating with CoSA Traffic Department.
  - Once complete, additional meetings will be held with the City to determine the feasibility and appropriateness.
  - Once plans are final, the proposal will be presented to City Council for approval.
  - $\circ~$  John Marshal Update on 3/15 based on 2/14 meeting.
  - The City received feedback on possible neighborhood suggestions on 5/09/2022. Joint meeting to be determined.
  - Heard by City Council to possible street closures on 8/23/20. Engineers will develop a report, and PD and Fire will review it.
  - Taking to Council on 10/3/2022.
  - $\circ$  2/7/2023 council will review speed pads and school zones.
    - Council decided to move forward with the speed pads and wait on the school zone. The delineators will also be left alone.
  - Speed pads have been installed and school zone on Huebner is being addressed.

- Interlocal agreement with San Antonio is complete. A budget adjustment of \$74,000 was approved by the Council for the mast traffic arms.
- We met with the contractor, The Levy Company, and they informed us that the mast arms will take 16-24 weeks for delivery, so work will not start until December or January.
- o 1/10/2023- installation has begun
- Red-light Cameras first available contract end term is May 2037
  - City Council adopted a Resolution declaring the intent to phase out redlight cameras 4/6/2021 – Resolution # 21-009R.
  - The RLC Contract would be difficult to terminate without financial obligation from the City.
  - City Council supports HB 1209 and physically delivers letters in support to Cortez, Biederman, Canales, Menendez
  - Funds Eligible projects CR
    - Will be discussed at the Town Hall Meeting on January 22, 2022.
  - Discussed at the retreat Council has decided not to spend funds until we know what the legislature is doing.
  - Resolution supporting SB 446-2/21/2023.
  - The item was not approved during the legislation process the Council will try again in 2025.

# • Comprehensive Master Plan

- $\circ$   $\,$  Was addressed at the following Council meetings:
  - 2/2/2021
  - 3/23/2021
  - 06/1/2021
- This item was discussed during the budget process and ultimately, the Council decided not to expend the funds on this project at this time.
- Will be discussed under the Town Hall meeting update to the Council on 4/19/2022.
  - Council would like us to use our future land use map.
- Establish neighborhood boundaries
- Council has opted not to Update Master Plan.
- P & Z Director investigating a university conducting the plan.
- o Boundaries of the neighborhood
- Sewer Service Charge Adjustments
  - Council meeting 2/15/22.
  - Impact Fees Removed.
  - Sewer Charges will be brought back at a later time.
- Apartments Finley And Sierra Royale, Forest Oaks, Vista Del Rey- BM
  - Update on one of the Apartment Complexes at the CC mtg 3/15.
    - Presentation was given on Vista Del Rey.
    - Next apartment review is on 5/3/2022.
      - Staff received legal advice in the executive session.

- Executive session 8/2/2022
  - Council decided to file a Chapter 54 lawsuit against Vista Del Rey, filed on 8/5/2022.
  - TRO was granted on 8/8/2022.
  - Administrative warrant executed on 8/17/2022.
  - Temporary Injunction was granted on 8/22/2022.
    - They have 6 months to comply.
  - 8/31/2022 Vista got new attorneys.
  - 9/9/2022 Vista filed a motion to dissolve the temporary injunction.
  - C of Os issued Shed, Maintenance Shop, Laundry 1-3, Vista, Gym.
  - 9/19/2022 hearing set and canceled.
- Executive Session 9/20/2022
- Vistal Del Rey is 50% compliant. Council agreed to settle on 4/18/2023.
- Vista has completed all inspections and received their C of Os.
- AV equipment for the Conference Center Budget Adjustment from ARP Funds
  - Council meeting 2/1/22 first read.
  - Item amended to get the direction of the scope of work.
  - Will bring the item back after the BID process.
  - Discuss alternatives 5/3/2022.
  - This item could not be purchased out of ARP funds.

# COMPLETED

- Consumer protection mandate on refunds
  - Sent request to attorney. Attorney feels that we have the laws in place.
  - Sent reminders to the animal sales businesses.