

**HASTINGS CITY COUNCIL
AGENDA**

**Council Chambers – City Hall
220 North Hastings Avenue
August 28, 2017
5:30 PM**

ROLL CALL:

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

MOTION TO ADOPT CURRENT AGENDA for August 28, 2017 Regular Meeting.

PUBLIC NOTICE - Official Notice of the Regular Meeting was published in the Hastings Tribune on Friday, August 25, 2017. Pursuant to Nebraska Revised Statute Section 84-1412, the public is advised that a copy of today's agenda and all reproducible written material which will be discussed at today's meeting is located at the back of the Council Chambers. Also, a current copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act is posted on the south wall of the Council Chambers which is accessible to members of the public.

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION:

Reports of Liaisons.

CITIZEN COMMUNICATIONS: (Only for agenda items not related to a public hearing.)

MAYOR'S COMMUNICATIONS:

CONSENT AGENDA:

1. All Consent Items.
 - (a) Approval of the minutes of the Council Meeting of August 14, 2017
 - (b) Approval of payment of claims for the period of August 15, 2017 through August 28, 2017
 - (c) Approve receiving and placing on file department monthly reports
 - (d) Approval of Work Order EL-398.
 - (e) Approval of Work Order PL-689.

REGULAR AGENDA:

2. Unfinished Business of Preceding Meeting.

3. Public Hearings.

- (a) Public Hearing on 2017-2018 Hastings Utilities Budget.
- (b) Ordinance No. 4515...Establishing fair and equitable rates for the consumption of water from the water distribution system of the City of Hastings.
- (c) Ordinance No. 4516...Establishing fair and equitable rates for sanitary sewer use and for the disposal of special wastewater and grit into the sewer collection and treatment system of the City of Hastings.
- (d) Ordinance No. 4517...Establishing fair and equitable rates for the consumption of natural gas from the gas distribution system of the City of Hastings.
- (e) Resolution No. 2017-24...Authorizing Hastings Utilities of the City of Hastings to expend an amount of \$125,000 for the benefit and support of the Hastings Economic Development Corporation during fiscal year 2017-2018.
- (f) Resolution No. 2017-25...Authorizing Hastings Utilities of the City of Hastings to expend an amount not to exceed \$30,000 for the benefit and support of the Hastings Area Chamber of Commerce during fiscal year 2017-2018.
- (g) Resolution 2017-23 to adopt 2017-2018 Hastings Utilities Budget

4. General Business.

5. Ordinances and Resolutions.

- (a) Resolution No. 2017-27 authorizing a 1% increase in Restricted Funds Budget Authority

6. Final Passage of Ordinances.

7. Appointments.

8. Miscellaneous and Other Business.

9. Possible Closed Session (if necessary or requested).

ADJOURN:

The Mayor and City Council reserve the right to enter into an executive session at any time during the meeting, in accordance with the Nebraska Open Meetings Act, even though the closed session may not be indicated on the agenda.

It is the intention of the Mayor and City Council to take up the items on the agenda in sequential order. However, the Mayor and City Council reserve the right to take up matters in a different order to accommodate the schedules of the city council members, person having items on the agenda, and the public.