



CITY OF RUSK, TEXAS CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA

RUSK COUNCIL CHAMBERS
116 EAST 5TH STREET, SUITE B,
RUSK, TEXAS 75785

NOVEMBER 13, 2025 AT 5:30 PM

RUSK CITY COUNCIL
BEN MIDDLEBROOKS, MAYOR
MARTHA NEELY, MAYOR PRO TEM

JIM BEINDORF, PLACE 1
MAXINE SESSION, PLACE 2
ZACK MCNEW, PLACE 3
MARTHA NEELY, PLACE 4
FRANCES LONG, PLACE 5

RUSK CITY STAFF
BOB GOLDSBERRY, CITY MANAGER
VICTORIA MINTON, CITY SECRETARY
ANTHONY J. KING, CITY ATTORNEY

AGENDA

1. CALL TO ORDER:

- a. Invocation.
- b. Pledge of Allegiance to the United States and Texas Flags.

2. PROCLAMATION(S)/RECOGNITION(S):

- a. Recognition of City Employee(s) for Outstanding Service and Dedication.

3. MAYOR COMMENTS: Comments and updates from Mayor Middlebrooks. **IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE OPEN MEETINGS ACT, THE CITY COUNCIL MAY NOT DISCUSS OR TAKE ACTION ON ANY ITEM WHICH HAS NOT BEEN POSTED ON THE AGENDA.**

4. CITIZENS COMMENTS: At this time, comments will be taken from the audience on any subject matter that is not included on the agenda. **IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE OPEN MEETINGS ACT, THE CITY COUNCIL MAY NOT DISCUSS OR TAKE ACTION ON ANY ITEM WHICH HAS NOT BEEN POSTED ON THE AGENDA.**

5. CONSENT AGENDA:

- a. **Consider approval** of the **Minutes** for the City Council meetings held on October 9, 2025, and October 23, 2025.
- b. **Consider approval** of **Check Register Report** for September 2025, **Account Balances** for September 2025, and **Credit Card Statements** for August 2025.

6. PUBLIC HEARING(S):

- a. None

7. ACTION ITEM(S):

- a. **Discuss and Consider** approval of the Advertisement and Invitation for Bids for the City Depository Contract.
- b. **Discuss and Consider** approval of the Resolution to vote for the Board of Directories for the Cherokee County Appraisal District.

8. EXECUTIVE SESSION(S): The City Council will enter Executive Session to discuss and consider the following:

a. **Government Code Section 551.074** (Personnel Matters)

9. EXECUTIVE SESSION ACTION (S): The City Council will reconvene into Open Session to act, if any, on items discussed in the Executive Session.

a. To take any necessary action.

10. ANNOUNCEMENT(S): Comments may be made by Council or Staff on the following topics without specific notice, including expressions of thanks, congratulations, or condolences; announcements of community events; and recognition of public officials, employees, or citizens. No action may be taken on these items. **NO ACTION MAY BE TAKEN ON THESE ITEMS.**

11. CITY MANAGER'S REPORT(S): Water Projects, Wastewater Projects, Drainage Projects, Road Projects, Capital Improvement Projects, Special Projects and Developments and Departmental Reports. **NO ACTION MAY BE TAKEN ON THESE ITEMS.**

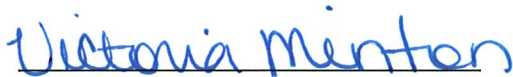
12. EDC Report

ADJOURN

Posted: Thursday, November 6, 2025

City Hall Bulletin Board

By 1:00 P.M.



Victoria Minton, City Secretary

This meeting will be conducted pursuant to the Texas Government Code Section 551.001 et seq. At any time during the meeting, the Council reserves the right to adjourn into executive session on any of the above-posted agenda items in accordance with the sections 551.071 (litigation and certain consultation with attorney), 551.072 (acquisition of interest in real property), 551.073 (contract for gift to City), 551.074 (certain personnel deliberations), or 551.076 (deployment/implementation of security personnel or devices). A quorum of the governmental body will be physically present at the location noticed above. Pursuant to Tex. Gov't Code 551.127, one or more members of the governing body may appear via videoconference call. The City of Rusk is committed to compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act. Reasonable modifications and equal access to communications will be provided upon request.

Please call the City Secretary at **903-683-2213** for information.