



**CITY OF TEXARKANA**  
**CITY COUNCIL**  
**AGENDA • JANUARY 8, 2018**

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**Council Chambers** **Regular Meeting** **6:00 PM**

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**220 TEXAS BLVD.**  
**TEXARKANA, TX 75501**

**Mayor**

Bob Bruggeman

**Ward 1**

Jean H. Matlock

**Ward 3**

Betty Williams

**Ward 5**

Bill Harp

**Ward 2**

Mary Hart

**Ward 4**

Christie Alcorn

**Ward 6**

Josh Davis



For any agenda item, the City Council reserves the right to advance the "Council Vote" date to a hearing or briefing date.

The City Council reserves the right to convene into closed session on any agenda item or issue should the need arise and if applicable pursuant to authorization by the Texas Open Meetings Act (Title 5, Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code).

If the City Council convenes into closed session, they will reconvene in one hour or less to take any final action, decision, or vote on a matter deliberated in closed session.

**I. CALL TO ORDER, ROLL CALL, ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM**

**II. INVOCATION AND PLEDGE BY MAYOR BOB BRUGGEMAN**

**III. MAYOR'S REMARKS AND ITEMS OF COMMUNITY INTEREST**

**Upcoming City Council Meetings:**

Monday, January 22, 2018 at 6:00 p.m.  
Monday, February 12, 2018 at 6:00 p.m.  
Monday, February 26, 2018 at 6:00 p.m.

**Parks & Recreation Events:**

No events are scheduled.

For a complete list of Parks & Recreation activities and information call 903-798-3978 or visit the city website at <http://tx-texarkana.civicplus.com>

***Feature Presentation***

2017 Internship Program Recognition

***Appointments to Boards & Commissions***

**IV. OPEN FORUM: COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC (LIMIT 5 MINUTES EACH)**

Items scheduled for "Public Hearing" or have been heard at a previous "Public Hearing" are not to be addressed at the "Open Forum".

**V. ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION***Consent Items*

1. Consider approval of the minutes of the Regular Meeting of the City Council held on December 11, 2017 at 6:00 PM.

*Action Items*

2. Resolution No. 2018-001 recognizing collective bargaining for the Fire Department.

Public Hearing:

Second Briefing:

Council Vote: January 8, 2018

**VI. FIRST BRIEFINGS**

1. Resolution No. 2018-002 renewing the designation of the portion of West 3rd Street, from Oak Street to Main Street, as "Scott Joplin Way".

Public Hearing:

Second Briefing:

Council Vote: January 8, 2018

**VII. PUBLIC HEARINGS****VIII. SECOND BRIEFING WITH UPDATES****IX. SECOND BRIEFING WITHOUT UPDATES**

1. Ordinance No. 2017-122 granting a specific use permit to allow the location of a tattoo studio in a tenant space (Suite 110A) in Oaklawn Center, located at 2729 New Boston Road (part of a 25.334 acre tract of land in the Eli Moore HRS, A-401). New Boston Retail Group, LLC, applicant. Nathan Biddle, agent.

Public Hearing: December 11, 2017  
Second Briefing: January 8, 2018  
Council Vote: January 22, 2018

## **X. ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION**

Staff Updates

Military Affairs by Jerry Sparks

## **XI. ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS**

1. City Council
2. City Staff

## **XII. CLOSED SESSION**

The City Council will convene into closed session pursuant to Texas Government Code Section 551.071 (consultation with Attorney).

## **XIII. RECONVENE INTO OPEN SESSION**

## **XIV. ADJOURNMENT**



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Jennifer Evans  
City Secretary

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