

City Business
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The agenda for the September 12th Regular Council Meeting, subject to change between now and when posted on Friday, is expected to include discussion and action on the following:

1. The 2011/2012 Budget (The City's fiscal year begins October 1st.)
2. The backhoe and skid steer loader bids. (Bids were opened on August 22nd. Action was deferred to allow time for a thorough review.)
3. Proposal to convey the real property used by the Hico Emergency Services District (HESD) to the same provided, however, that should the property cease to be used by HESD in providing emergency medical services it would revert back to the City. (A similar conveyance was made to the predecessor of the HESD.)
4. Bid opening on the Old Waterworks Property at Pecan and College.
5. Administrative matters regarding the new 2011 CDBG Water Main Project including, among other things, the selection of a project engineer and grant administrator.
6. Making appointments to the EDC seats for which the terms have expired.
7. Making appointments to the P&Z seats for which the terms have expired.
8. Beautification Board Fall Clean-up Proposal.
9. Administrative matters regarding a USDA Rural Development Water and Wastewater Infrastructure Improvement Grant Application.
10. Year end (housekeeping) amendments to the 2010/2011 Budget.
11. Location for the cavalry exercises associated with the November 5th Veteran's Day Parade.

Prior to Monday's meeting, at 5:05 and 5:15 p.m. respectively, Public Hearings will be conducted regarding both the conclusion of the 2010 CDBG Wastewater Main Project which eliminated the lift station on East Highway 6 and the proposed 2011/2012 Budget.

As always, should you have questions or concerns regarding the agenda items or matters concerning the City, you are encouraged to contact your elected officials and/or attend the Council Meeting.

May God bless the City of Hico.