

**NOTICE OF THE MEETING OF THE  
GOVERNING BOARD OF THE  
CITY OF HOWE**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF HOWE, TEXAS WILL BE HELD ON THE 18th day of April 2017 AT 6:00 P.M., AT 700 W HANING, HOWE, TEXAS AT WHICH TIME THE FOLLOWING SUBJECTS WILL BE DISCUSSED, TO WIT:**

**CALL TO ORDER**

**INVOCATION**

**PLEDGE TO FLAGS**

"I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."

"Honor the Texas flag; I pledge allegiance to thee, Texas, one state under God, one and indivisible."

**PUBLIC REQUEST** – At this time comments will be taken from the audience on any subject whether or not that item is on the agenda. All comments are limited to a maximum of three minutes. In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, Council may not discuss or act on any of the items not posted on the agenda.

**CONSENT AGENDA**

Consider/approve consent items which are marked by an \*.

- \* Minutes of February 21, 2017 meeting
- \* Finance statements – February 2017 and March 2017.
- \* Street Closures for Founder's Day, May 6, 2017. The request is to close the 100 Blocks of East Haning (downtown area) and Davis Street.

1. Discuss, consider and act upon consent agenda.

**CURRENT BUSINESS**

2. Discuss, consider and act upon approving the name of the First Christian Church to Summit Gardens.
3. Discuss, consider and act upon Proclamation- Motorcycle Safety and Awareness month, May 2017.
4. Discuss, consider and act upon Resolution 2017-0001, City of Howe's suspension of Oncor's April 21, 2017 effective date of the Company's rate increase.

5. Discuss, consider and act to appoint Harvey Morris to the Planning & Zoning Commission.
6. Departmental Reports:
  - a. Police Department.
  - b. Utility Department.
  - c. Code Enforcement.
  - d. Municipal Court.
  - e. Administration.
  - f. Fire Department.
  - g. Economic Development.

**ADJOURN**

Notes to agenda:

The Council may vote and/or act upon each of the items listed in the Agenda.

The Council reserves the right to retire into executive session concerning any of the items listed on this Agenda, whenever it is considered necessary and legally justified under the Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551, Government Code Vernon's Texas Codes Annotated in accordance with the authority contained in Section 551.071 – Consultation with attorney, Section 551.072 – Deliberation regarding real property, Section 551.073 – Deliberation regarding prospective gift, Section 551.074 – Personnel, Section 551.076 – Deliberation regarding security devices, and Section 551.087 – Deliberation regarding economic development negotiations.

**DATED THIS THE 14<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2017.**

By \_\_\_\_\_

This is to certify that I, Joy Stevens, posted this agenda in the outside display at 3:30 p.m. on April 14, 2017 at the City Hall of the City of Howe, Texas, a place convenient and readily accessible to the public at all times, and said Notice was posted continuously for at least 72 hours preceding the scheduled time of said Meeting.

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Joy Stevens, City Secretary

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Removed on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2017 at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock a. m.