

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF HIGHLAND PARK, TEXAS, HELD AT THE TOWN HALL, 4700 DREXEL DRIVE, HIGHLAND PARK, TX, 75205, AT 8:00 A.M. ON TUESDAY, APRIL 4, 2023.

Present at the meeting were Mayor Will C. Beecherl, Mayor Pro Tem Craig Penfold, and Town Council Members Marc Myers, Lydia Novakov, and Leland White. Absent from the meeting was Council Member Don Snell.

Mayor Beecherl introduced himself and called the meeting to order at 8:00 a.m.

Council Member Lydia Novakov gave the Invocation.

Mayor Beecherl asked if anyone wished to address the Town Council and explained that the Town Council may not discuss or make decisions on items not listed on the agenda. Issues raised may be referred to staff for research and possible future action.

Sam Tamborello, 4637 Southern Avenue, described reporting an incident with a resident to the Department of Public Safety that occurred on September 6, 2022. Mr. Tamborello disagreed with the incident report's account of events that took place in the video recording he had shared with the officer taking the report. He described the report and the incident with the neighbor to the Town Council. Mr. Tamborello provided paper copies of a still image from the video recording to the Town Council as well as a formal complaint to the Town Secretary. Mr. Tamborello accused the officer of open records fraud and requested the officer be fired immediately. He stated his displeasure with the Chief, Town Administrator, and Mayor.

PROCLAMATION

Mayor Beecherl read and presented a proclamation to the Library Department recognizing April 23 - 29, 2023, as National Library Week in the Town of Highland Park. Mayor Beecherl thanked the Library staff for all their hard work. Kortney Nelson, Town Librarian, thanked the Town staff and Town Council for their support.

CONSENT AGENDA

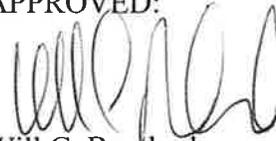
On a motion by Council Member Marc Myers, seconded by Council Member Lydia Novakov, the Town Council voted unanimously to approve Items A. through B. on the Consent Agenda. Prior to the vote, Mayor Beecherl explained that the Town Council reviewed these items prior to the meeting.

- A. Consider approval of the minutes of the Town Council meeting held on March 21, 2023.*
- B. Consider approval of the minutes of the Town Council study session held on March 21, 2023.*

Mayor Beecherl adjourned the Town Council meeting at 8:17 a.m.

Approved on this the 18th day of April 2023.

APPROVED:



Will C. Beecher
Mayor

ATTEST:



Joanna Mekeal
Town Secretary