

MINUTES OF A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF HIGHLAND PARK, TEXAS, HELD AT 8383 PRESTON CENTER PLAZA SUITE 200, 3RD FLOOR, DALLAS, TX 75225, AT 9:00 A.M. ON WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 16, 2023.

At the meeting, Mayor Will C. Beecherl, Mayor Pro Tem Craig Penfold, and Town Council Members Lydia Novakov and Don Snell were present. Marc Myers and Leland White were absent from the meeting. Members of the City Council of University Park and the Dallas Country Park Cities Municipal Utility District Directors were present.

The meeting was called to order at 9:04 a.m.

MAIN AGENDA

Discuss, consider, and act on ongoing operating, rate, and service issues regarding Park Cities Municipal Utility District, University Park, and the Town of Highland Park. James Cornelius, President, and John Wagner, Director of the Dallas County Park Cities Municipal Utility District (“MUD”), discussed the budget and the reasoning for the water rate increase. Phillip Philbin, University Park Councilmember, explained that previous communication included a lower and more gradual rate increase over the years. The MUD directors and the Councils of University Park and the Town of Highland Park discussed the budget and what could be done about the rate increase. Council Member Don Snell suggested that the City of University Park and the Town of Highland Park discuss an agreed-upon rate increase with the MUD Board next week. All attendees agreed, and the meeting was concluded.

The Special meeting was adjourned at 10:33 a.m.

Approved on this the 5th day of September 2023.

APPROVED:



Will C. Beecherl
Mayor

ATTEST:



Joanna Mekeal
Town Secretary