



**CITY OF ITALY
AGENDA
CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING
APRIL 12, 2021, 6:00 P.M.
ITALY, TEXAS**

Pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 551 VTCA Government Code, notice is hereby given of a Regular Meeting of the Italy City Council to be held April 12, 2021 at 6:00 p.m. in the Italy City Hall, located at 161 W. Main Street, Italy, Texas. The City Council reserves the right to meet in closed session on any agenda item pursuant to authorization by Title 5, Chapter 551, of the Texas Government Code.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: Due to the COVID-19 (coronavirus) state of emergency and consistent with the Governor's Order regarding modifications to the Texas Open Meetings Act and to reduce the spread of the virus, the April 12, 2021 City Council meeting, will also be conducted via telephone conference. To participate in the telephone conference call, dial:

**346-248-7799
877-853-5257 (Toll-Free)**

**Enter Meeting ID: 846 529 8340
Enter Meeting Password: 76651**

To request to speak during citizen comments or on an agenda item, wait for the item to be announced and enter *9. The meeting moderator will acknowledge your request in turn and allow you to speak.

Bryant Cockran, Mayor
Randy Boyd, Mayor Pro Tem

Luin McConnell
Vincent Fleming

Elmerine Allen Bell
Raymond Mosley

1. CALL TO ORDER:

Roll Call
Pledge of Allegiance and
Pledge to the Texas Flag: "Honor the Texas flag; I pledge allegiance to thee, Texas, one state under God, one and indivisible."
Invocation

2. PUBLIC HEARING:

Public Hearing to receive comments for or against a request for a final plat of tract 2 on property described as a .5772 acre (Property ID 194821) tract of land in the Ellis County School Land Survey, Abstract No. 330, City of Italy, Ellis County, Texas, more commonly known as State Highway 34.

3. CITIZENS COMMENTS:

4. CONSENT ITEMS:

- A. APPROVAL OF CITY COUNCIL MINUTES:
 - 1. March 8, 2021 Regular Meeting
- B. APPROVAL OF PAYMENT OF BILLS
- C. APPROVAL OF EARNED COMPENSATORY TIME

5. DEPARTMENT REPORTS:

- D. Police Department, Animal Control and Code Enforcement Reports: Discussion by Scott McAuley of the items listed in the report.
- E. Public Works Department: Discussion by Shawn Holden of the items listed in the report.
- F. Municipal Court and Administration: Discussion by Amber Cunningham of the items listed in the report.

6. REGULAR SESSION:

- G. Discuss and consider necessary action(s) regarding a request from Bill Bratcher with EMEX to inform the City Council about future electricity rates for the renewal period starting in 2025.
- H. Discuss and consider necessary action(s) regarding a request from Terry Adams, with the Italy Cemetery Association, to discuss off road vehicles in the cemetery.
- I. Discuss and consider necessary action(s) regarding Ordinance No. 2021-0412-01, an Ordinance of the City Council of the City of Italy, Texas, regulating the use of utility vehicles, dirt bikes, all-terrain vehicles and golf carts operated on streets located in Italy, Texas, providing savings, repealing, and severability clauses; and providing an effective date.
- J. Discuss and consider necessary action(s) regarding a request for a final plat of tract 2 on property described as a .5772 acre (Property ID 194821) tract of land in the Ellis County School Land Survey, Abstract No. 330, City of Italy, Ellis County, Texas, more commonly known as State Highway 34.
- K. Discuss and consider necessary action(s) regarding an Interlocal Cooperation Contract between County of Ellis and City of Italy.
- L. Discuss and consider necessary action(s) regarding the maximum amount of distance that will be required to connect to the city sewer.
- M. Clarification of code enforcement issues from the March 8, 2021 meeting.
- N. Discuss and consider necessary action(s) regarding waiving fees for a community wide garage sale.
- O. Discuss and consider necessary action(s) regarding opening an account for the Police Department LEOSE fund.

7. COUNCIL MEMBER COMMENTS:

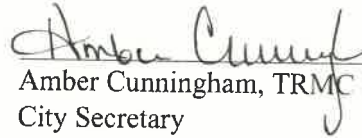
Council Member comments on any agenda line items.

8. MAYOR COMMENTS:

9. ADJOURNMENT:



Bryant Cockran
Mayor



Amber Cunningham, TRMC
City Secretary

CERTIFICATION

I, Amber Cunningham, certify that the above notice was posted at Italy City Hall, 161 W. Main Street, Italy, Texas on or before Friday, April 9, 2021 before 6:00 P. M. in accordance with Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code.

This facility is wheelchair accessible and accessible parking places are available, requests for reasonable accommodations must be made 48 hours prior to this meeting. Please contact City Hall at 972-483-7329 ext.103.