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**AMENDED
PLEASE SILENCE ALL DEVICES
REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING
April 9, 2026
6:00 PM**

1. Call to Order and Roll Call

2. Invocation and Pledges

3. Presentations & Proclamations

A. Presentation of the Employee of the Month - April. (Employee Engagement Committee)

4. Citizen Comments

Texas Government Code, Sec. 551.007 requires that a governmental body must allow each member of the public who desires to address the body regarding an item on the agenda the opportunity to do so before or during the body's consideration of the item. The "Citizens Comments" portion of the meeting meets the requirements of this law and is the public's opportunity to speak on any item on the agenda. Those who wish to speak are requested to fill out a public comment form and will have three (3) minutes to speak unless additional time has been requested.

5. Items to be Withdrawn From Consent Agenda

6. Consent Agenda

The items on the Consent Agenda require little or no deliberation by the Council. Approval of the Consent Agenda authorizes the City Manager or his designee to proceed with conclusion of each in accordance with staff recommendations, a copy of which is filed with the minutes of the meeting. A Councilmember may remove items from the Consent Agenda by making such request prior to a motion and vote on the Consent Agenda.

- A. Consider approval of the minutes from the February 27, 2026, Special-Called City Council Work Session. (City Secretary)
- B. Consider approval of the minutes from the March 23, 2026, Special-Called City Council Meeting. (City Secretary)
- C. Consider approval of the minutes from the March 26, 2026, Regular City Council Meeting. (City Secretary)
- D. Consider approval of the Hwy. 80 Cave-In Project Acceptance and Release of Contractor's Retainage \$45,061.30. (Public Works)
- E. Consider approval of the final payment, release of retainage and accepting project – Police Department Corrective Measures. (Support Services)

7. Consideration of Items Withdrawn From the Consent Agenda

8. Ordinance

- A. Consider approval of an ordinance amending the FY25 annual budget. (Finance)
- B. Consider approval of an ordinance amending the FY26 annual budget. (Finance)
- C. Consider and approve the Update to the current City of Marshall "No Parking Ordinance". (Public Works)

9. Action Items for City Council Consideration

- A. Discussion with Possible Action regarding the Replacement of all Non-functioning Street Lights on U.S. Hwy. 59 (Karnack Hwy. to I-20) at a cost not to exceed \$131,305. (Public Works)
- B. Consideration and Award of Contract for ERP Software. (Council IT Committee / Support Services / Mike Searight, Consultant)
- C. Consider approval of the WWTP Water Line Project Engineering Services (\$40,000). (Public Works)
- D. Consider approval of the proposal to relocate a 16 inch cast at highway 59 at a cost not to exceed \$345,520. (Public Works)

10. Discussion and Reports for City Council Consideration and Direction

- A. Review of the FY27 Budget Calendar.

11. Executive Session

- A. An executive session pursuant to Texas Government Code 551.072, permitting a governmental body to conduct a closed meeting to deliberate the purchase, exchange, lease, or value of real property if deliberation in an open meeting would have a detrimental effect on the position of the governmental body in negotiations with a third person; to wit, exchange of properties located within the 200-300 blocks of N. Wellington and N. Washington.
- B. An Executive Session pursuant to the Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code under Section 551.074 Personnel Matters: City Manager Recruitment.

12. Adjournment

Posted: April 2, 2026 5:00 PM N. Smith Amended Agenda Posted: April 3, 2026 1:05 PM N. Smith

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**TAXPAYER IMPACT STATEMENT
FOR THE CITY OF MARSHALL**

Pursuant to §551.043 Texas Government Code

PROPOSED TAX RATE \$0.58151830 per \$100

NO-NEW-REVENUE TAX RATE	<u>\$0.53189530 per \$100</u>
VOTER-APPROVAL TAX RATE	<u>\$0.58151830 per \$100</u>
2025 MEDIAN* TAXABLE HOMESTEAD VALUE	<u>\$113,080</u>
2025 EST OF TAX ON MEDIAN HOMESTEAD @ PROPOSED RATE	<u>\$657.58</u>
2025 EST OF TAX ON MEDIAN HOMESTEAD @ NO-NEW-REVENUE RATE	<u>\$601.47</u>

The Texas Legislature has amended §551.043 of the Texas Government Code to require a Taxpayer Impact Statement to be included with a governing body's notice of meeting to adopt budgets and tax rate.

The tax rate proposed this year by the City Council of the CITY OF MARSHALL is \$0.58151830/ \$100 of value.

The median taxable value of a homesteaded property in the CITY OF MARSHALL for 2025 is \$113,080.

The proposed tax rate would result in an estimated tax on the median homestead of \$657.58.

If the City Council of the CITY OF MARSHALL adopted a tax rate equal to this year's no-new-revenue rate of \$0.53189530/ \$100 of value, the tax on the median homestead property for 2025 would be \$601.47.

**The Texas Legislature has required the use of the median homestead value for this statement. The median taxable value will differ from the average taxable value contained in other statutory tax transparency notices.*