



**CITY OF  
IOWA  
COLONY**

**CITY COUNCIL WORKSESSION  
MINUTES**

**Tuesday, June 27, 2023  
5:30 PM**

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STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF BRAZORIA  
CITY OF IOWA COLONY

BE IT REMEMBERED ON THIS, the 27th day of June 2023, the City Council of the City of Iowa Colony, Texas, held a Council Meeting at 5:30 P.M. at Iowa Colony City Hall, there being present and in attendance the following members to wit:

Mayor Wil Kennedy  
Councilmember Arnetta Murray  
Councilmember McLean Barnett  
Mayor Pro Tem Marquette Greene-Scott  
Councilmember Tim Varlack  
Councilmember Steven Byrum-Bratsen  
Councilmember Sydney Hargroder

And none being absent, constituting a quorum at which time the following business was transacted.

**CALL TO ORDER**

Mayor Kennedy called the budget work session to order at 5:30 P.M.

**CITIZEN COMMENTS**

There were no comments from the public.

**ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION**

1. Discussion on FY 23-24 City Budget, tax rate, and related matters.

Robert Hemminger, City Manager presented a budget overview power point presentation. The Council provided the Staff with their top priorities for the budget, including health insurance and more police protection. Mayor Pro Tem Greene-Scott asked if maybe we should hold off on the Municipal Government Center Phase 1 or with the cost of goods going up, or if we should continue Phase 1 for this upcoming year. Councilmember Varlack asked each staff member to state what their top priority for this upcoming budget year is. Each staff member stated their top priorities. It was stated by Councilmember Varlack that there seems to be a consensus on training/travel.

**ADJOURNMENT**

The work session was adjourned at 6:52 P.M.

APPROVED THIS 17<sup>th</sup> DAY OF JULY 2023

*Kayleen Rosser*  
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Kayleen Rosser, City Secretary

*W. Kennedy*  
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Wil Kennedy, Mayor

