



## **CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING**

**Monday, March 09, 2026 – 6:00 PM**

109 North Kaufman Street, Mount Vernon, Texas 75457

*Our mission: to provide effective and fiscally responsible municipal services in a manner which promotes our high standard of community life.*

*Vision Statement Mount Vernon is a caring community committed to excellence and quality of life, aspiring to be the community of choice for ourselves, our children, and future generations – beautiful, clean, vibrant, and safe. We will strive to preserve our heritage, our friendly hometown atmosphere, and celebrate the diversity of all our citizens.*

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### **AGENDA**

#### **Call to Order**

The Mayor will determine that a quorum of Councilpersons is present and Call the meeting to order.

#### **Invocation and Pledges**

#### **Consent Agenda**

Items on the Consent Agenda are approved by a single action of the Council, with such approval applicable to all items appearing on the Consent Agenda. A Council Member may request any item to be removed from the Consent Agenda and considered as a separate item.

1. Minutes - 02/09/2026
2. Minutes - 02/13/2026

#### **Report on Items of Community Interest**

The City Council will have an opportunity to address items of community interest.

3. 2026 Texas CenterPoint GRIP Customer Notice

#### **Citizen Participation (3 minutes)**

The Texas Open Meetings Act prohibits the Council from responding to any comments other than to refer the matter to a future agenda, to an existing policy, or to a staff person with specific information. Claims against the City, Council Members, or employees, as well as individual personnel appeals are not appropriate for citizens' forum.

#### **Public Hearing**

4. The purpose of this hearing is to hear evidence for or against a request made by Tony Fountain for an exemption to City of Mount Vernon, Ordinance, Chapter 13, Section 102, regarding sex offender residency restrictions for 110 Church Street, Mount Vernon, Texas 75457

#### **Items to be Considered**

5. Consider a request by Tony Fountain for an exemption to Ordinance Chapter 13, Section 102 regarding residency restrictions for sex offenders for 110 Church Street, Mount Vernon, Texas, 75457
6. Consider and act upon Resolution No. 26-05, appointing a City Secretary

#### **Discussion Items and Mayor/Council/City Administrator Reports**

Consider options on IT provider services

#### **Presiding Officer to Adjourn the City Council Meeting**

**Notes to the Agenda**

The Council reserves the right to retire into executive session under Sections 551.071/551.074 – of the Texas Open Meetings Act concerning any of the items listed on this Agenda, whenever it is considered necessary and legally justified under the Open Meetings Act.

Persons with disabilities who plan to attend this meeting and who may need assistance should contact the City Secretary at 903-537-2252 two working days prior to the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

The City of Mount Vernon regular meeting is the second Monday of each month at 6:00 pm in Council Chambers. Any individual desiring official action from the Council should submit a request to the office of the City Administrator not later than fifteen (15) days prior to the Council meeting.

**CERTIFICATION**

I do hereby certify that this Public Meeting Notice was posted at the front entrance of City Hall located at 109 N Kaufman St., Mount Vernon, Texas, a place convenient and readily accessible to the general public at all times, and said Notice was posted on:

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_

Angie Pike,  
Interim City Secretary