



**TREE BOARD MEETING (CITY HALL)**  
**June 12, 2023; 4:30 PM**  
**Woodcreek, Texas**

IN THE MIDST OF THE TEXAS HILL COUNTRY

**MEETING NOTICE**

The Tree Board of the City of Woodcreek, Texas will conduct a meeting at Woodcreek City Hall, 41 Champions Circle, Woodcreek, Texas. The meeting will be held on Monday, June 12, 2023 at 4:30 PM.

All attendees are encouraged to wear face coverings when a minimum of six-foot social distancing cannot be maintained. Smoking is not allowed anywhere on the property of City Hall.

The public may watch this meeting live at the following link:

<https://zoom.us/j/97458515439?pwd=QVNxbkIUMlJ5QUUpUdDgxeG9wcElQUT09>

Meeting ID: 974 5851 5439; Passcode: 833499

A recording of the meeting will be made and will be available to the public in accordance with the Texas Public Information Act upon written request. This notice, as amended, is posted pursuant to the Texas Open Meetings Act (Vernon's Texas Codes Ann. Gov. Code Chapter 551).

The City of Woodcreek is committed to compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act. Reasonable modifications and equal access to communications will be provided upon request. Please call the City Secretary's Office at 512-847-9390 for information. Hearing-impaired or speech disabled persons equipped with telecommunications devices for the deaf may call 7-1-1 or may utilize the statewide Relay Texas program at 1-800-735-2988.

Pursuant to Section 30.07, Penal Code (trespass by license holder with an openly carried handgun), a person licensed under Subchapter H, Chapter 411, Government Code (handgun licensing law), may not enter this property with a handgun that is carried openly.

It is anticipated that members of other City Boards, Commissions, Panels and/or Committees may attend the meeting in numbers that may constitute a quorum of the other City Boards, Commissions, Panels and/or Committees. Notice is hereby given that this meeting, to the extent required by law, is also noticed as a meeting of the other City Boards, Commissions, Panels and/or Committees of the City, whose members may be in attendance. The members of the City Boards, Commissions, Panels and/or Committees may participate in discussions on the items listed on this agenda, which occur at this meeting, but no action will be taken by those in attendance unless such action item is specifically listed on an agenda during a regular or special meeting for the respective Board, Commission, Panel and/or Committee subject to the Texas Open Meetings Act.

The City Council may retire to Executive Session any time during this meeting, under Texas Government Code, Subchapter D. Action, if any, will be taken in open session.

This agenda has been reviewed and approved by the City's legal counsel and the presence of any subject in any Executive Session portion of the agenda constitutes a written interpretation of Texas Government Code Chapter 551 by legal counsel for the governmental body and constitutes an opinion by the attorney that the items discussed therein may be legally discussed in the closed portion of the meeting considering available opinions of a court of record and opinions of the Texas Attorney General known to the attorney. This provision has been added to this agenda with the intent to meet all elements necessary to satisfy Texas Government Code Chapter 551.144(c) and the meeting is conducted by all participants in reliance on this opinion.

Any citizen shall have a reasonable opportunity to be heard at any and all meetings of the Governing Body in regard to: (1) any and all matters to be considered at any such meeting, or (2) any matter a citizen may wish to bring to the Governing Body's attention. No member of the Governing Body may discuss or comment on any citizen public comment, except to make: (1) a statement of specific, factual information given in response to the inquiry, or (2) a recitation of existing policy in response to the inquiry. Any deliberation of or decision about the subject of the inquiry shall be limited to a proposal to place the subject on the agenda for a subsequent meeting per Texas Local Government code Sec. 551.042

Citizen comments will be allowed at the beginning of every meeting, or alternatively, before an item on the agenda upon which the citizen wishes to speak is to be considered. All citizens will be allowed to comment for **three (3) minutes** per person and shall be allowed more time at the Mayor or Chair's discretion. In addition, citizens may pool their allotted speaking time. To pool time, a speaker must present the names individuals present in the audience who wish to yield their three(3) minutes. Citizens may present materials regarding any agenda item to the City Secretary at or before a meeting, citizens attending any meeting are requested to complete a form providing their name, address, and agenda item/concern, but are not required to do so before speaking and presenting it to the City Secretary prior to the beginning of such meeting. Comments may only be disallowed and/or limited as per Government Code § 551.007(e).

Submit written comments by email to woodcreek@woodcreektx.gov by **NOON**, the day prior to the meeting. Please include your full name, home or work address, and the agenda item number. Written comments will be part of the official written record only.

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# AGENDA

## CALL TO ORDER

## ROLL CALL and ESTABLISH QUORUM

## PUBLIC COMMENTS

## CONSENT CALENDAR

1. Approval of Regular Meeting Minutes from May 8, 2023.

## REPORTS FROM OFFICERS AND COUNCIL LIAISONS

Report by Tree Board Liaison.

Report by City Manager.

## SPECIAL ORDERS

## UNFINISHED BUSINESS AND GENERAL ORDERS

2. Discuss and Take Possible Action Regarding Arbor Day Celebration Venue and Activities.
3. Discuss and Take Possible Action On Tree Survey Update.

## NEW BUSINESS

4. Discuss and Take Possible Action Regarding Interview Process by the Tree Board of City Arborist Applications.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

5. Next Meeting Date: July 10, 2023 at 4:30P.
6. Please bring personal copy of the agenda, or your laptop, to all meetings.

## ADJOURN

## POSTING CERTIFICATION

I certify that the above notice was posted on the **9th day of June, 2023 at 1:00PM**

By: 

**Suzanne J. MacKenzie, City Secretary**

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**May 08, 2023; 4:30 PM**  
**Woodcreek, Texas**

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**MINUTES**

**CALL TO ORDER**

Chair Ramos Called the Meeting to Order at 4:32P.

**ROLL CALL and ESTABLISH QUORUM**

PRESENT

Chairperson Iris Ramos  
Board Member Terri Burney-Bisett  
Board Member Nanci Coddington  
Board Member Dorothy Tasian  
Council Liaison Brent H. Pulley

ABSENT

Board Member Jacob McElroy  
Alt. Board Member Nan Simpson

STAFF PRESENT

City Manager, Kevin Rule  
City Secretary, Suzanne Mac Kenzie

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

No Public Comments were offered.

**CONSENT CALENDAR**

**1. Approval of Regular Meeting Minutes from April 10, 2023.**

Motion was made by Member Tasian to approve the minutes. Motion was seconded by Member Burney-Bisett.

A roll call vote was held.

Voting Yea: Member Burney-Bisett, Member Coddington, Member Tasian, Chair Ramos

Motion Passed: 4-0-0

## REPORTS FROM OFFICERS AND COUNCIL LIAISONS

*Report by Tree Board Liaison.*

No report offered.

*Report by City Manager.*

RFP is on the City Website and an ad was placed in the Wimberley View.

Staff will also send out letters/email to tree vendors who have previously worked in the City. The deadline for applications of May 24<sup>th</sup> will probably be extended.

*Report by City Secretary.*

No report offered.

## UNFINISHED BUSINESS AND GENERAL ORDERS

2. **Discuss and Take Possible Action On A City-Wide Meeting with Karl Flocke, as Guest Speaker and Oak Wilt Specialist.**

Mr. Flocke will be available on November 4<sup>th</sup>. Discussion continued in Workshop.

No action was taken.

3. **Review of the Tree Board Involvement in The Earth Day Celebration on April 22, 2023.**  
(Ramos)

Discussion was held. Members felt event went well. Maybe next year advertise or invite newspaper to the event or get sponsors. Members want to keep event activities separate for each City of Woodcreek Committee.

No action was taken.

## NEW BUSINESS

4. **Workshop to Discuss Woodcreek Arbor Day Celebration Participation.**

Workshop Opened at 5:01P.

Discussion to combine several activities into one event, maybe at CYJ, Nov. 4<sup>th</sup> 10a-2p:

- a. 9:45A - Vendor and Booth set-up deadline;
- b. 11:00A- "Walk" with Karl Flocke to visit resident property near CYJ, with oak wilt (permission granted). Member Tasian will continue to work with Mr. Flocke on details.

Workshop Closed at 5:16P.

5. **Discuss and Take Possible Action on Woodcreek Arbor Day Celebration Activities.**

Discussion was held during the workshop and under this item. No action was taken.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Next Meeting is Monday, June 12, 2023.

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**ADJOURN**

Chair Ramos Adjourned the Meeting at 5:51P.

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**Iris Ramos, Chairperson**

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**Suzanne Mac Kenzie, City Secretary**