



## KENNEDALE CITY COUNCIL MINUTES

SPECIAL MEETING | APRIL 26, 2024 AT 11:00 AM  
CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS | 405 MUNICIPAL DRIVE, KENNEDALE, TX 76060

### I. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Jan Joplin called the meeting to order at 11:00 a.m.

#### A. ROLL CALL

**PRESENT:** David Glover, Kenneth Michels, Bryant Griffith, Jeff Nevarez

**STAFF:** City Manager Darrell Hull, City Attorney Carvan Adkins, Interim Deputy City Secretary Ross Sanchez

#### B. INVOCATION AND PLEDGES OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE U.S. AND TEXAS FLAGS

### II. EXECUTIVE SESSION

The City Council recessed into Executive Session at 11:03 a.m.

A. **PURSUANT TO §551.071** — *Consultation with the City Attorney pertaining to any matter in which the duty of the City Attorney under the Texas Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct may conflict with the Open Meetings Act, including discussion of any item posted on the agenda, legal issues regarding the Open Meetings Act.*

1. Discussion of the ILA with Tarrant County road projects

C. **PURSUANT TO §551.072** — *Deliberation regarding the purchase, exchange, lease, or value of real property.*

D. **PURSUANT TO §551.074** — *Deliberate the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of a public officer or employee; or to hear a complaint or charge against an officer or employee.*

1. Consideration of appointment for City Secretary position

E. **PURSUANT TO §551.087** — *(1) Deliberation regarding commercial or financial information that the governmental body has received from a business prospect that the governmental body seeks to have locate, stay, or expand in or near the territory of the governmental body and with which the governmental body is*



*conducting economic development negotiations; or (2) to deliberate the offer of a financial or other incentive to a business prospect described by Subdivision.*

### **III. RECONVENE INTO OPEN SESSION, AND TAKE ACTION NECESSARY PURSUANT TO EXECUTIVE SESSION, IF NEEDED**

*The City Council reconvened into open session at 12:53 p.m.*

PL1 Glover made a motion to appoint Bobbie Jo Taylor as City Secretary pending background approval.

PL4 Griffith seconded the motion.

No oppositions, No abstentions.

**Vote: The motion to approve carried unanimously: 4-0**

Mayor Joplin made a statement regarding the withheld funding from Tarrant County Precinct 2 Commissioner Alisa Simmons. Mayor Joplin advised that a letter would be sent asking for an explanation as to why the funds were withheld.

### **VII. ADJOURNMENT**

PL4 Griffith motioned to adjourn at 1:05 p.m.

PL2 Glover seconded the motion.

No oppositions, No abstentions.

**Vote: The motion to approve carried unanimously: 4-0**

There being no further business Mayor Joplin adjourned the meeting.



**APPROVED:**

*Brad Horton*  
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MAYOR  
BRAD HORTON

**ATTEST:**

*Bobbie Jo Taylor*  
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CITY SECRETARY  
BOBBIE JO TAYLOR