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LANCASTER CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF JUNE 25 & JUNE 26, 2021

The City Council of the City of Lancaster, Texas, met on June 25, 2020 in a Special Session for the first day of strategic planning at the James R. Williams Pump Station, 1999 W. Jefferson Street, Lancaster, Texas at 8:00 a.m. with a quorum present to-wit:

Councilmembers Present:

Mayor Clyde C. Hairston
Carol Strain-Burk
Deputy Mayor Pro-Tem Stanley M. Jaglowski
Marco Mejia
Keithsha C. Wheaton
Mayor Pro-Tem Racheal Hill
Betty Gooden-Davis

City Staff Present:

Opal Mauldin-Jones, City Manager
Sorangel O. Arenas, City Secretary

Call to Order:

Mayor Hairston called the meeting to order at 8:45 a.m. on June 25, 2021. The City Council met on the first of a two-day strategic planning session.

Facilitator David Eisenlohr, The Azimuth Group, and Mike Conduff, The Elim Group, welcomed everyone and reviewed the agenda for the two day strategic planning session. They provided an overview and ground rules of the expectations set for the meeting.

Facilitator Conduff asked participants to share their expectations for the planning session.

City Council recessed for a break at 10:00 a.m.

Facilitator Eisenlohr asked participants to share moments in History that were successful for Lancaster.

City Council recessed for lunch at 11:45 p.m.

Facilitator Conduff led a discussion on practical teamwork, shared behaviors of a cohesive team, improving communication, teamwork, and collaborative decision making.

City Council recessed for a break at 2:30 p.m.

Facilitator Conduff led discussion on how to continue building a stronger Council and staff organization. As well, he provided an understanding and application of the DiSC profile results to support effective governance.

Facilitators Eisenlohr and Conduff provided a recap on the first day of a two day strategic planning session.

Mayor Hairston recessed the meeting at 4:31 p.m.

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The City Council of the City of Lancaster, Texas, met on June 26, 2021 in a Special Session for the second day of strategic planning at the James R. Williams Pump Station, 1999 W. Jefferson Street, Lancaster, Texas at 8:00 a.m. with a quorum present to-wit:

Councilmembers Present:

Mayor Clyde C. Hairston
Carol Strain-Burk
Deputy Mayor Pro-Tem Stanley M. Jaglowski
Marco Mejia
Keithsha C. Wheaton
Mayor Pro-Tem Racheal Hill (arrived during lunch)
Betty Gooden-Davis

City Staff Present:

Opal Mauldin-Jones, City Manager
Sorangel O. Arenas, City Secretary
David T. Ritter, City Attorney (arrived during lunch)

Mayor Hairston reconvened at 8:37 a.m.

Facilitators Eisenlohr and Conduff opened the second day of the planning session and reflected on day one results.

Facilitator Eisenlohr and Conduff led the discussion for Strategic Goal and Objectives. Based on staff updates and Council picture presentation, participant shared what needed to be added.

City Council recessed for a break at 10:30 a.m.

Facilitator Conduff led the discussion to prioritize the Goals and Objectives using online polling.

City Council recessed for lunch at 11:45 a.m.

City Council reviewed and discussed Councils' Rules and Procedures. City Council provided revisions to City Attorney Ritter.

Facilitators Eisenlohr and Conduff opened dialog and shared the availability to facilitate any discussion on additional topics of interest.

MOTION: Councilmember Strain-Burk made a motion, seconded by Councilmember Gooden-Davis to adjourn. The vote was cast 7 for, 0 against.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:03 p.m.

ATTEST:



Sorangel O. Arenas, City Secretary

APPROVED:



Clyde C. Hairston, Mayor