

**NOTICE OF CITY COUNCIL REGULAR
MEETING AGENDA CITY OF AMES, TEXAS
April 13, 2026**

Notice is hereby given of a **Regular Meeting** of the City Council of the City of Ames to be held on **Monday, April 13, 2026**, at **6:00 o'clock P.M.** in the council chambers of the city hall, 304 Martin Drive, for the purpose of considering the following agenda of items. All agenda items are subject to action. The city council reserves the right to meet in a CLOSED SESSION on any agenda item should the need arise and if applicable pursuant to authorization by **Title 5 Chapter 551** of the **Texas Government Code**.

A. ROLL CALL

Council Member	Present	Absent	Late
Mayor Barbara Domain	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Council Member Michael Trahan #1	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Council Member Elizabeth Hardy #2	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Council Member Eddie White #3	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Council Member Alfred Freeman, Jr. #4	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Council Member Tiffany Burgos #5	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

B. INVOCATION

C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

D. CITIZEN APPEARANCE

E. CONSIDER AND TAKE ACTION TO APPROVE THE MINUTES FOR March 09, 2026 REGULAR MEETING.

REGULAR AGENDA ITEMS:

1. DISCUSSION OF THE NOTICE OF CENTERPOINT ENERGY'S 2026 GRIP FILING FOR HOUSTON, TEXAS COAST, SOUTH TEXAS AND BEAUMONT/EAST TEXAS GEOGRAPHIC RATE AREAS.
2. CONSIDER, AND IF APPROPRIATE, TAKE ACTION TO APPROVE THE 2026 ELECTION SERVICES CONTRACT WITH THE COUNTY ELECTIONS OFFICER STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF LIBERTY.
3. CONSIDER, AND IF APPROPRIATE, TAKE ACTION TO APPROVE RESOLUTION NO. 2026-002, A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AMES, TEXAS, APPROVING THE 2026 ELECTION SERVICES CONTRACT WITH THE LIBERTY COUNTY ELECTIONS OFFICER AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE THE AGREEMENT.
4. CONSIDER, AND IF APPROPRIATE, TAKE ACTION TO APPROVE OR DECLINE THE 2026 CONSUMER PRICE INDEX (CPI) ADJUSTMENT TO MUNICIPAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS RIGHT -OF-WAY ACCESS LINE RATES.
5. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE AWARD OF A CONTRACT FOR ENGINEERING SERVICES PERTAINING TO THE APPLICATION AND IMPLEMENTATION, IF AWARDED, OF THE COUNTY'S COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT – DISASTER RECOVERY (CDBG-DR) LOCAL COMMUNITIES PROGRAM (LCP) FUNDING FROM THE TEXAS GENERAL LAND OFFICE (GLO) UNDER THE 2024 DISASTERS DR-4781 TEXAS SEVERE STORMS AND DR-4798 HURRICANE BERYL AND AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A CONTRACT.

6. CONSIDER, AND IF APPROPRIATE, TAKE ACTION TO APPROVE RESOLUTION NO. 2026-003, A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF AMES, TEXAS, AUTHORIZING PROFESSIONAL SERVICE PROVIDER(S) SELECTION FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT - DISASTER RECOVERY (CDBG-DR) LOCAL COMMUNITIES PROGRAM (LCP) FUNDING ADMINISTERED THROUGH THE TEXAS GENERAL LAND OFFICE (GLO) UNDER THE 2024 DISASTERS DR-4781 TEXAS SEVERE STORMS AND DR-4798 HURRICANE BERYL.
7. CONSIDER, AND IF APPROPRIATE, TAKE ACTION TO APPROVE RESOLUTION NO. 2026-004, A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF AMES, TEXAS, AUTHORIZING PROFESSIONAL SERVICE PROVIDER SELECTION FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT – DISASTER RECOVERY (CDBG-DR) LOCAL COMMUNITIES PROGRAM (LCP) FUNDING ADMINISTERED THROUGH THE TEXAS GENERAL LAND OFFICE (GLO) UNDER THE 2024 DISASTERS DR-4781 TEXAS SEVERE STORMS AND DR-4798 HURRIDCANE BERYL
8. EDC REPORT
9. MAYOR’S REPORT.

EXECUTIVE SESSION ITEMS

10. ADJOURNMENT.

ADA COMPLIANCE

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, the City of Ames will provide for reasonable accommodation for person attending city council meeting. To better satisfy your request should be made 24 hours prior to the meeting. Please contact Wellona Godfrey at (936) 336-7278, via Fax (936) 336-8856 or email: secretary@cityofamestexas.com during normal business hours.

CERTIFICATION

I certify that a copy of **April 13, 2026**, regular called city council agenda items to be considered by the council of the City of Ames was posted on the **FRONT DOOR** of the Ames City Hall on **April 07, 2026**, and will remain posted until after said meeting is held.


Wellona Godfrey, City Secretary

CERTIFICATION

I certify that this notice and agenda of items to be considered by the City Council of the City of Ames was removed by me from the front door of the Ames City Hall on this **13th** day of **April 2026** at _____ A.M. / P.M.

Wellona Godfrey, City Secretary