



# CITY OF JAMAICA BEACH

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## CITY COUNCIL PUBLIC HEARING MINUTES

SEPTEMBER 7, 2021  
6:00 P.M.

### ROLL CALL OF ALDERMEN

*The following Councilmember's were present:*

Mayor Clay Morris  
MPT Russell Rupertus  
Alderman Sherwood Green  
Alderman Gil Madray  
Alderwoman Taz Jones  
Alderwoman Marci Kurtz-Hoffman

*The following staff was present:*

Interim City Administrator Brad Heiman  
Interim Chief of Police John Aucoin  
City Secretary Debbie C. Nesbitt

### CALL TO ORDER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE U.S. AND TEXAS FLAGS

With a quorum of the Council Members present, Mayor Morris called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. followed by the pledge of allegiance to the U.S. and Texas flags.

### PUBLIC COMMENTS (LIMITED TO THREE (3) MINUTES PER PERSON)

No Public in Attendance

**Andrea Spiering**, 16617 Jamaica Beach, voiced her concerns about the FY budget 2021/2022 and wanted to know where all the Hotel Motel Funds are being spent on, salaries, security cameras, tourism, and would it be possible to have trash picked up on the beach, for holidays.

**Deborah Talbert**, 4606 Jamaica Cove, concerned about the drainage issues within the City of Jamaica Beach and on Beachcomer. We need to budget for drainage issues that have needed to be fixed for the last 13 years.

### THE SUBJECT OF THE PUBLIC HEARING IS AS FOLLOWS:

THE CITY COUNCIL OF JAMAICA BEACH WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2021/2022 AT 6:00 P.M. ON TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 7, 2021, AT CITY HALL IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 16628 SAN LUIS PASS ROAD, JAMAICA BEACH, TEXAS. ANY PERSON MAY ATTEND AND PARTICIPATE IN THE PUBLIC HEARING. COPIES OF THE BUDGET ARE AVAILABLE BY REQUEST. THE BUDGET WILL RAISE THE SAME AMOUNT OF REVENUE FROM PROPERTY TAXES AS LAST YEAR'S BUDGET. THE PROPERTY TAX REVENUE TO BE RAISED FROM NEW PROPERTY ADDED TO THE TAX ROLL THIS YEAR IS \$ 43,610.60.

Alderwoman Hoffman asked about funds for the Park.

Alderwoman Jones asked several questions concerning the budget and line items, Hotel Motel Expenses and tourism; City Secretary Nesbitt answered her questions, and would e-mail a list of items in question the next day.

Interim City Administrator Brad Heiman thanked the Mayor and Council for all the support in this budget process.

**ADJOURN:**

*Adjourned at 6:19 pm.*