



The City of Liberty
City Council
Emergency Meeting
~ Agenda ~

1829 Sam Houston
Liberty, TX 77575
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Dianne Tidwell
City Secretary
(936) 336-3684

Friday, September 19, 2008

5:00 PM

City Council Chambers

The City Council of Liberty, Texas reserves the right to meet in 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.

I. CALL TO ORDER

This meeting will be called to order on September 19, 2008 at the City Council Chambers, 1829 Sam Houston, Liberty, TX.

THIS MEETING IS POSTED BASED ON THE DISASTER RELATED TO THE DEVASTATION OF HURRICANE IKE.

Attendee Name	Present	Absent	Late	Arrival
Mayor Carl Pickett	..	..	..	
Councilperson Dennis Beasley	..	..	..	
Councilperson Diane Huddleston	..	..	..	
Mayor Pro-Tem Mike McCarty	..	..	..	
Councilperson Al Simonson	..	..	..	
Councilperson Louie Potetz	..	..	..	
Councilperson Frank Jordan	..	..	..	

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF GUESTS AND VISITORS / PUBLIC COMMENT

II. REGULAR AGENDA

A. Regular Session

1. Ordinance 2008-17

Consider Adoption of an Ordinance Extending the Declaration of Disaster Proclaimed by the Mayor on September 14, 2008.

III. ADJOURNMENT

Motion To: Adjourn

Vendor and Employee Meal

City Council will be serving a meal to City employees and contracted vendors at the City Hall.
No City business will be conducted.

I certify that the attached Notice of Meeting was posted on the bulletin board and in the Message Centers located on the east and west sides of the City Hall Administration Building, located at 1829 Sam Houston on the 19th day of September, 2008 at 1:00 p.m. This notice will remain so posted continuously for at least 72 hours preceding the scheduled time of said meeting in accordance with Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code.

Dianne Tidwell, City Secretary

Notice given to The Vindicator, Liberty Gazette, and KSHN Radio.

NOTICE

In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, the City of Liberty will provide reasonable accommodation for persons attending and/or participating in this Council Meeting. To better serve you, requests must be made at least 24 hours prior to the meeting. Contact the City at (936) 336-3684 or by Fax at (936) 336-9846. The building is wheelchair accessible, with parking available, on the west side of the building.

I certify that the attached Notice and Agenda of items to be considered by the City Council was removed by me from the bulletin board at the City Hall on the _____ day of _____, 2008.

**The City of Liberty**

City Council
1829 Sam Houston
Liberty, TX 77575

Meeting: 09/19/08 05:00 PM

Department: Administration
Category: Disaster Documents

ORDINANCE 2008-17

DOC ID: 1196

**Consider Adoption of an Ordinance Extending the
Declaration of Disaster Proclaimed by the Mayor on
September 14, 2008.**

EXTENSION OF DISASTER DECLARATION

WHEREAS, on September 14, 2008 the Mayor issued a proclamation declaring a state of disaster for the City of Liberty resulting from

HURRICANE IKE;

WHEREAS, the conditions necessitating declaration of a state of disaster continue to exist; and

WHEREAS, §418.108(B) OF THE Texas Government code provides that a local state of disaster may not be continued for a period in excess of seven days without the consent of the governing body of the political subdivision;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LIBERTY, TEXAS:

1. That the state of disaster proclaimed for the City of Liberty by the Mayor on September 14, 2008 shall continue until terminated by order of the City Council.
2. This ordinance is passed as an emergency measure and pursuant to the City of Liberty's Home Rule Charter and home rule status, as well as its Council adopted Emergency Management Plan; and shall become effective on the 19th day of September, 2008.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 19th day of September, 2008.

Carl Pickett, Mayor

ATTEST:

Dianne Tidwell, City Secretary