

City Hall Council Chamber
March 31, 2026 - April 1, 2026
5:00 p.m.

A regular meeting of the Houston City Council was held at 5:00 p.m., Tuesday, March 31, 2026, Mayor John Whitmire presiding with Council Members Amy Peck, Tarsha Jackson, Abbie Kamin, Carolyn Evans-Shabazz, Mary Nan Huffman, Mario Castillo, Edward Pollard, Martha Castex-Tatum, Julian Ramirez, Willie Davis, Twila Carter, Alejandra Salinas and Sallie Alcorn; Randy Zamora, First Assistant City Attorney, Marta Crinejo, Agenda Director, and Troy D. Lemon, City Secretary, present. Council Member Fred Flickinger absent on City business. Council Members Tiffany D. Thomas and Joaquin Martinez absent on personal business.

At 5:04 p.m., Mayor Whitmire called the meeting to order and recognized Council Member Pollard for the Invocation after which he led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Minutes

Council Member Castex-Tatum moved to adopt the minutes of March 24 - 25, 2026 and seconded by Council Member Peck, all voting aye, nays none. Council Members Kamin, Evans-Shabazz and Huffman absent. **MOTION ADOPTED**

Mayor Whitmire recognized Council Member Castillo for a procedural motion. Council Member Castillo moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of adding Gloria Flores de Guardado and Jahred Dobranic to the bottom of the one (1) minute Non-Agenda List of Speakers and seconded by Council Member Ramirez, all voting aye, nays none. Council Members Kamin, Evans-Shabazz and Huffman absent. **MOTION 2026-0153 ADOPTED**

Mayor Whitmire stated that there is a large group of speakers that exceeds the 150-minute rule. The rules require members of Council and speakers to hold to the one-minute rule.

At 5:07 p.m., Council Member Evans-Shabazz came into the meeting.

At 5:07 p.m., Mayor Whitmire requested the City Secretary to call the List of Speakers.

ANDREA GUERRERO - Flood infrastructure funding. **Not Present**

1 - KATHY FLETCHER - Immigration ordinance.

AMERIC PAQUETTE - Immigration. **Not Present**

2 - PATRICIA CHEN - Community safety.

3 - FELIPE DIAS - Community safety.

HADLEY HOLLINGSWORTH - ICE collaboration. **Not Present**

4 - ANNA STONE - HPD collaboration with ICE.

At 5:12 p.m., Council Member Huffman came into the meeting.

5 - CLARKE FOSTER - ICE/HPD collaboration.

6 - KIM SAUKE - HPD collaboration with ICE.

At 5:15 p.m., Council Member Kamin came into the meeting.

7 - DALE STORY - HPD collaboration with ICE.

8 - U.A. LEWIS - ICE.

9 - HANY KHALIL - Proposition A.

10 - ELISSA CUELLAR - Proposition A.

11 - TANA PRADIA - Non safety traffic stops.

SIRTONIE CURRY - Non-payment from Next Generation Staffing (Aramark). **Not Present**

12 - ROBERT STUBBLEFIELD - Council Member Salinas' proposed ordinance.

13 - IAN HLAVACEK - Council Member Salinas' proposed ordinance.

14 - SARAH HIRSCH - Council Member Salinas' proposed ordinance.

Mayor Whitmire recognized Council Member Pollard for a procedural motion. Council Member Pollard moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of adding Cesar Espinosa to the bottom of the three (3) minute Non-Agenda List of Speakers and seconded by Council Member Kamin, all voting aye, nays none. Council Members Peck and Castex-Tatum absent. **MOTION 2026-0154 ADOPTED**

Mayor Whitmire recognized Council Member Salinas for a procedural motion. Council Member Salinas moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of adding Leticia Gutierrez to the bottom of the one (1) minute Previous List of Speakers and seconded by Council Member Huffman, all voting aye, nays none. Council Member Peck absent. **MOTION 2026-0155 ADOPTED**

15 - AMANDA MORENO - Proposition A.

NICHOLAS HUGHES - Proposition A. **Not Present**

16 - ESMERELDA LEDEZMA - Proposition A.

17 - LETTY ORTEGA - Proposition A.

18 - HAYLEY RODGERS - Community safety in Houston.

19 - KYLE ROGERS - ICE and/or Polk St closure.

20 - GLORIA FLORES DE GUARDADO - Concerns.

RUTH HOFFMAN-LACH - HPD collaboration with ICE. **Not Present**

- 21 - COLIN BOSSEN - HPD collaboration with ICE.
- AMY CARL - HPD collaboration with ICE. **Not Present**
- 22 - ROY HIRSCH - HPD collaboration with ICE.
- ALEXANDRIA O'NEAL - ICE/HPD collaboration. **Not Present**
- 23 - TIMOTHY TAFT - HPD ICE alerts.
- STEPHANIE WILKINS - Traffic stops. **Not Present**
- JOY DAVIS - Traffic stops. **Not Present**
- 24 - KARLA WEST - Traffic stops.
- 25 - URSULA SEREAL - Traffic stops.
- MONIQUE JACKSON - Traffic stops. **Not Present**
- 26 - JAHRED DOBRANIC - Community safety.
- 27 - QUINN DUFURRENA - Community safety.
- 28 - CHRISTINE VO - Community safety.
- 29 - SYLVESTER VREDENBURG - Community safety.
- 30 - GRIFFIN WALKER - Community safety.
- KEVIN JOACHIN - HPD. **Not Present**
- 31 - ROBERT GALLEGOS - Council Member Salinas' proposed ordinance.
- AJ GOMEZ-STONE - HPD collaboration with ICE. **Not Present**
- JENNIFER REICHEK - HPD collaboration with ICE. **Not Present**
- 32 - STEVEN WU - HPD collaboration with ICE.
- 33 - RANDALL BAXLEY - HPD collaboration with ICE.
- GERARD LYNCH - HPD collaboration with ICE. **Not Present**
- 34 - NORA PIERCE - HPD collaboration with ICE.
- 35 - ISAIAH LOPEZ - HPD collaboration with ICE.
- JULIE NGUYEN - HPD collaboration with ICE. **Not Present**

36 - ELIZABETH GUIDE - Immigration/ICE enforcement.

37 - JAMES CONLEY - Immigrant justice.

SARA LOPEZ - Community safety. **Not Present**

38 - SUSANA DURAN - Community safety.

39 - LAURA PEREZ-BOSTON - Community safety.

40 - TEODORO AGUILUZ - Community safety.

41 - DARLEN DE LEON - Community safety.

VY PHAM - Community safety. **Not Present**

42 - TERRI CHEN - Community safety.

43 - MARK WADDELL - Public safety.

44 - ROSHAWN EVANS - Community concerns.

LAURA CASTANEDA - Policing and safety issues. **Not Present**

LARKIN BLACKWELL - Traffic stops. **Not Present**

45 - GION THOMAS - Non safety traffic stops.

46 - CECELIA FONTENOT - Non safety traffic stops.

47 - KENNETH RODGERS - Non safety traffic stops.

LYNITA ROBINSON - Non safety traffic stops. **Not Present**

48 - JOHN CREAR - Non safety traffic stops.

49 - ELIZABETH ORTIZ - HPD.

REBECCA SELLE - Ditch reestablishment/Prop A. **Not Present**

50 - DANIE HERNANDEZ - Council Member Salinas' proposed ordinance.

Mayor Whitmire recognized Council Member Pollard for a procedural motion. Council Member Pollard moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of allowing Tangi Smith to be the next speaker and seconded by Council Member Huffman, all voting aye, nays none. Council Member Kamin absent.

MOTION 2026-0156 ADOPTED

51 - JOCELYNE SOTO - Proposition A.

52 - TANGI SMITH - Non safety traffic stops.

53 - JAN SOUTHERN - Proposition A.

54 - CARLOS REBOLLAR - Proposition A.

55 - ZOBAYDA CASANOVA - Proposition A.

56 - MAIRA HERRERA - Proposition A.

57 - THUAN NGUYEN - Proposition A.

58 - SCOTT SINGLETON - Proposition A.

OSVALDO LOPEZ - Proposition A. **Not Present**

59 - DAVIS DARUSMAN - Proposition A.

NORMA GONZALEZ - Proposition A. **Not Present**

SANDRA PEETERS - Proposition A. **Not Present**

60 - SALEMU ALIMASI - Proposition A.

61 - GILDA BAYEGAN - Proposition A.

BARRETT McNABB - Proposition A. **Not Present**

62 - PENGCHAO WANG - Flood and contamination issues in disadvantaged neighborhoods.

SHONZA BRANCH - Flooding infrastructure funding. **Not Present**

63 - MITCHELL COLLINS - Drainage and flooding funding.

64 - ERIC GONZALES - Flooding and infrastructure funding.

Mayor Whitmire recognized Council Member Salinas for a procedural motion. Council Member Salinas moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of adding Nick Vaughn to the bottom of the one (1) minute Previous List of Speakers and seconded by Council Member Huffman, all voting aye, nays none.

MOTION 2026-0157 ADOPTED

65 - MADISON HESSER - Flooding infrastructure.

66 - MAI HOAN - Flooding issues in the City.

67 - DANA JONES - Drainage.

68 - JAMES JONES - City clean up.

69 - TRACY HAMBLIN - City budget.

ALI KHAN - City of Houston Investment Portfolio. **Not Present**

70 - STEVEN VARGAS - HIV funding.

71 - CRYSTAL TOWNSEND - Services for people living with HIV.

72 - ELENA FERGUSON - HIV prevention and funding.

73 - EVELIO ESCAMILLA - Public health.

Mayor Whitmire recognized Council Member Castillo for a procedural motion. Council Member Castillo moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of adding Jacob Klementich to the bottom of the one (1) minute Previous List of Speakers and seconded by Council Member Huffman, all voting aye, nays none. Council Members Castex-Tatum and Carter absent. **MOTION 2026-0158 ADOPTED**

74 - MEREDITH MOORE - Public education.

DARRELL HARPER - Ineffective council under no zoning laws. **Not Present**

RYAN SCHARNBERG - Corruption. **Not Present**

75 - RACHEL REYNOLDS - Changing the approved tree/shrub list to reflect native plants.

BRIDGETT LAND - Update on overgrown lots. **Not Present**

76 - LLOYD FORD - New Ordinance.

77 - LINDSAY WILLIAMS - City Ordinance.

PAULINE CHEATHAM - Street junk and illegal parking. **Not Present**

78 - THEODORE CARRERO - Public restrooms.

RICHARD SCHWAGER - Security. **Not Present**

STEVE WILLIAMS - Mexican serial killer of black females. **Not Present**

79 - CESAR ESPINOSA – HPD/ICE collaboration.

80 - MARIAN WRIGHT - Proposition A.

81 - LISA HUNT - Proposition A.

82 - SARAH SYED - Proposition A.

RAIN EATMON - Non-safety traffic stops. **Not Present**

RANDALL KALLINEN - HPD Community Affairs Division. **Not Present**

HAI BUI - HPD Community Affairs Division. **Not Present**

83 - LYNDSEY BURROWS - Public safety.

84 - THOMAS SUTHERLAND - Community safety.

85 - CAROLINA MARTINEZ - Community safety.

86 - JASMINE KHADEMAKBARI - Community safety.

87 - ANTHONY HUBBARD -ICE.

88 - MICHELLE BOUCHARD - Communication with HPD and ICE.

JEFF REESE - HPD collaboration with ICE. **Not Present**

89 - SAMUEL JESSE - HPD collaboration with ICE.

CLAIRE JOHNSON - City collaboration with ICE. **Not Present**

ANDREA RAPIER - HPD collaboration with ICE. **Not Present**

90 - JAY BUSTOS - Whitemore | request to kick ICE out of Houston.

91 - MAXIMILIANO DIAZ - Optimizing police operations.

92 - JEREMY PEEL - Constitutional concerns involving HPD's cooperation with ICE.

93 - MICHELLE IGUNBOR - Observed patterns of inappropriate surveillance associated with joint terrorism.

94 - BERNADETTE KEKE - Jesus is coming Houston, repent.

STEPHANIE WILKINS - Traffic stops. **Not Present**

95 - JOETTA STEVENSON - Traffic stop.

96 - FELIX KAPOOR - City budget/traffic safety stops.

97 - JOSEPH OMO OMAURI - Ben Franklin, we the people love in God we trust.

LETICIA GUTIERREZ - **Not Present**

98 - NICK VAUGHN - Proposition A.

Mayor Whitmire recognized Council Member Jackson for a procedural motion. Council Member Jackson moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of adding Janell Robles to the bottom of the one (1) minute Previous List of Speakers and seconded by Council Member Castex-Tatum, all voting aye, nays none. Council Member Kamin absent. **MOTION 2026-0159 ADOPTED**

99 - JACOB KLEMENTICH.

100 - JANELL ROBLES - Concerns.

101 - KORETTA BROWN - Non safety traffic stops.

At 7:47 p.m., City Council was recessed until 9:00 a.m., Wednesday, April 1, 2026.

For more information and details from the list of speakers, please click here. www.houstontx.new.swagit.com/videos/380885

Troy D. Lemon, City Secretary, read the description or captions of the Items on the Agenda.

The Houston City Council reconvened at 9:00 a.m., Wednesday, March 25, 2026, Mayor John Whitmire presiding with Council Members Amy Peck, Tarsha Jackson, Abbie Kamin, Carolyn Evans-Shabazz, Tiffany D. Thomas, Mary Nan Huffman, Mario Castillo, Joaquin Martinez, Edward Pollard, Martha Castex-Tatum, Julian Ramirez, Twila Carter, Alejandra Salinas and Sallie Alcorn; Arturo Michel, City Attorney, Marta Crinejo, Agenda Director, and Troy D. Lemon, City Secretary, present. Council Member Fred Flickinger absent on City business. Council Member Willie Davis absent on personal business.

At 9:07 a.m., Mayor Whitmire called the meeting of the Houston City Council to order and moved to the Mayor's Report.

MAYOR'S REPORT

Mayor Whitmire reminded everyone about Fleet Week which begins April 15th. There'll be a gradual buildup of events. Make plans and invite friends, family and constituents to enjoy the presence of the U.S. Navy. This follows the best March the City has had for hotel occupancy revenue and it's continuing to build.

Mayor Whitmire invited Congresswoman Sylvia Garcia and congratulated her for her impressive primary victory. She was the first person he spoke to when the allegations of Cesar Chavez surfaced and the terrible discovery that made the news. She advised Mayor Whitmire that "they must do something to remove his name." He spoke to members of Council last week about it and has heard from Council Members and the community. Mayor Whitmire stated that the action will be expedited after input from businesses and the community during the next thirty (30) days. Congresswoman Garcia acknowledged the process and gave her input to members of Council about the name change.

Members of Council commented and questioned the Mayor's Report.

At 9:25 a.m., Mayor Whitmire moved to the Monthly Financial Report

REPORT FROM CITY CONTROLLER AND THE CITY ADMINISTRATION REGARDING THE CURRENT FINANCIAL STATUS OF THE CITY including but not limited to, a revenue, expenditure and encumbrance report for the General Fund, all special revenue funds and all enterprise funds - was presented, City Controller, Chris Hollins, and Director of Finance Department, Melissa Dubowski, reviewed the Monthly Operation and Financial Report, copies of which are on file in the City Secretary's Office for review. Council Member Alcorn moved to accept the Monthly Financial Report and seconded by Council Member Castillo, all voting aye, nays none. **MOTION 2026-0160 ADOPTED**

At 10:06 a.m., Mayor Whitmire requested the City Secretary to call the Consent Agenda.

CONSENT AGENDA

ACCEPT WORK

2. RECOMMENDATION from Director Houston Public Works that Houston City Council accept the work and authorize final payment, if any, of the contract with **INSITUFORM TECHNOLOGIES, LLC** for Sanitary Sewer Rehabilitation by Cured-In-Place Pipe Method (LDS) - **DISTRICT B - JACKSON** - was presented, moved by Council Member Castex-Tatum and seconded by Council Member Peck, all voting aye, nays none. **MOTION 2026-0161 ADOPTED**
4. RECOMMENDATION from Director Houston Public Works that Houston City Council accept the work and authorize final payment, if any, of the contract with **SERVOX, LLC** for Rehabilitation of John F. Kennedy Lift Station and Abandonment and Flow Diversion of John F. Kennedy No. 2 Lift Station - **DISTRICT B - JACKSON** - was presented, moved by Council Member Castex-Tatum and seconded by Council Member Peck, all voting aye, nays none. **MOTION 2026-0162 ADOPTED**

PROPERTY

5. RECOMMENDATION from City Attorney, to deposit the amount of the Award of Special Commissioners into the Registry of the Court to pay all Costs of Court in connection with eminent domain proceeding styled City of Houston v. PHCG Investments, et al, Cause No. 1254390 for **36-INCH WATERLINE ALONG MEDICAL CENTER BOULEVARD, CHANNEL A111-00-00 AND BAY AREA BOULEVARD PROJECT, Parcels KY23-164 and TCY23-055** - was presented, moved by Council Member Castex-Tatum and seconded by Council Member Peck, all voting aye, nays none. **MOTION 2026-0163 ADOPTED**

PURCHASING AND TABULATION OF BIDS

6. **STRYKER SALES, LLC** for Purchase of Twelve (12) Medical Stretchers and Accessories for the Houston Fire Department - \$390,141.24 - Fire Consolidated Construction Fund - was presented, moved by Council Member Castex-Tatum and seconded by Council Member Peck, all voting aye, nays none. **MOTION 2026-0164 ADOPTED**
7. APPROVE spending authority in the amount of \$84,696.00 for One-Time Purchase of Mobile System Reconfiguration Services for the Mayor's Office of Public Safety and Homeland Security, awarded to **BUBBLE TECHNOLOGY INDUSTRIES, INC** - Grant Fund - was presented, moved by Council Member Castex-Tatum and seconded by Council Member Peck, all voting aye, nays none. **MOTION 2026-0165 ADOPTED**

8. ORDINANCE appropriating \$79,370,419.60 out of Water & Sewer System Consolidated Construction Fund to Construction Services Cooperative Agreement with **BOYER, INC**, through the Texas Local Government Purchasing Cooperative (Buyboard), for Water Distribution System and Wastewater Collection System Rehabilitation and Renewal; providing funding for materials and engineering testing - was presented, all voting aye, nays none. **ORDINANCE 2026-0261 ADOPTED**
9. **AMEND MOTION #2025-513, 07/16/2025, TO INCREASE** spending authority by \$104,045,419.60 on award to **BOYER, INC** for Water and Wastewater Equipment, Material, Repair and Maintenance Services for Houston Public Works - Enterprise Funds
This item should only be considered after passage of Item 8 above
- was presented, moved by Council Member Castex-Tatum and seconded by Council Member Peck, all voting aye, nays none. **MOTION 2026-0166 ADOPTED**
10. APPROVE spending authority in the amount of \$9,480,250.00 for Roof Replacement and Repair Services through the Choice Partners Cooperative Purchasing Agreement for Various Departments, awarded to **D7 ROOFING & METAL, LLC** - 17 Months - Enterprise and Other Funds - was presented, moved by Council Member Castex-Tatum and seconded by Council Member Peck, all voting aye, nays none. **MOTION 2026-0167 ADOPTED**

ORDINANCES

12. ORDINANCE approving and authorizing third amendment to Subrecipient Agreement between City of Houston and **COVENANT HOUSE TEXAS** to provide Emergency Solutions Grant, Homeless Housing and Services Program Youth Set-Aside Funds, and Community Development Block Grant Funds for continued administration and operation of Emergency Shelter for individual youth experiencing homelessness - Through March 31, 2027 - \$545,534.00 - Grant Fund - was presented, all voting aye, nays none. **ORDINANCE 2026-0262 ADOPTED**
14. ORDINANCE appropriating \$726,866.00 out of Airports Improvement Fund; approving and authorizing Purchase and Sale Agreement between **ROTOR AIR TECHNOLOGY, INC**, Seller, and City of Houston, Texas, Buyer, for sale of property located at 8131 Lockheed, Houston, Tx 77061 and adjacent vacant lot, for use by the Houston Airport System - **DISTRICT I - MARTINEZ** - was presented, all voting aye, nays none. **ORDINANCE 2026-0263 ADOPTED**
15. ORDINANCE appropriating \$3,825,224.56 out of Airports Improvement Fund; approving and authorizing first amendment to contract with **FLATIRON DRAGADOS CONSTRUCTORS, INC** to provide Construction Services for FAA Non-Standard Taxiways Project at HOU - **DISTRICT I - MARTINEZ** - was presented, all voting aye, nays none. **ORDINANCE 2026-0264 ADOPTED**
16. ORDINANCE appropriating \$450,000.00 out of Equipment Acquisition Consolidated Fund to provide the HTV Network Integration Project - was presented, all voting aye, nays none.
ORDINANCE 2026-0265 ADOPTED
17. ORDINANCE appropriating \$512,000.00 out of Equipment Acquisition Consolidated Fund for Planned Network Refresh Public Safety Project - was presented, all voting aye, nays none.
ORDINANCE 2026-0266 ADOPTED

18. ORDINANCE appropriating \$1,352,100.00 out of Fire Consolidated Construction Fund; approving and authorizing contract with **BROWN REYNOLDS WATFORD ARCHITECTS, INC**, to provide Professional Architectural Services for new Fire Station 40; providing funding for Contract Services and Civic Art - **DISTRICT D - EVANS-SHABAZZ** - was presented, all voting aye, nays none. **ORDINANCE 2026-0267 ADOPTED**

21. ORDINANCE authorizing and approving Form of Master Contractor Agreement for City of Houston Home Repair Program to be executed by City of Houston, Texas, and **BRIZO CONSTRUCTION, LLC; DRC CONSTRUCTION, LLC; DUCKY RECOVERY, LLC; GALVESTON PILING, LLC; JAMES W. TURNER CONSTRUCTION, LTD; PMG CONSTRUCTION, INC; RM QUALITY CONSTRUCTION, LLC and SLSCO, LTD**; and authorizing and approving Form of Home Repair Program Tri-Party Agreement, Deed of Trust and Promissory Note for use in Home Repair Program; authorizing Mayor to execute Master Contractor Agreement with each contractor and Tri-Party Agreements with contractor and owner or occupant of single-family structure who qualifies for participation in program; allocating \$3,000,000.00 out of Community Development Block Grant Funds to aforementioned agreements - 3 Years with 2 one-year options - **The City Secretary advised that Item 21 has been pulled by the Administration and will not be considered.**

22. ORDINANCE approving and authorizing contracts with **FARALI AUTOMOTIVE, INC. dba COLLISION KING AUTO, FIVE K HOLDINGS, dba NELBERT KRAUSE'S COLLISION, WESTSIDE CHEVROLET, INC, and THE CAR NUTS LLC** For Light-Duty Vehicle Automotive Body Collision Parts and Repair Services for Light-Duty Vehicles; providing a maximum contract amount - 3 Years with 2 one-year options - \$36,548,117.99 - Fleet Management Fund - was presented, all voting aye, nays none. **ORDINANCE 2026-0268 ADOPTED**

23. ORDINANCE approving and authorizing contracts with **(1) CEC FACILITIES, LLC, (2) POWERSECURE, INC, and (3) TYTON POWER** for Electricity Reliability Services; providing a maximum contract amount - 8 Years with 3 one-year options - was presented, all voting aye, nays none. **ORDINANCE 2026-0269 ADOPTED**

24. ORDINANCE finding and determining that public convenience and necessity no longer requires the continued use of overlapping 6 foot-wide utility easement and 10 foot-wide utility easement, being within Lots 1 through 6, and Lots 11 through 18, Block 12 of the Windermere Subdivision, out of the A.C. Reynolds Survey, Abstract 61, Harris County, Texas; abandoning the easements to Chaucer East, LLC and William Marsh Rice University, the underlying property owners, in consideration of their cash payment to the City of \$16,895.00 and conveyance to the City of a 10 foot-wide sanitary sewer easement and 25 foot-wide sanitary sewer easement, being within Lot 6, Block 12 of the Windermere Subdivision and/or the Unrestricted Reserve "A" Block 1, Christ the King Evangelical Lutheran Church, Replat Number 1 and Extension, out of the A.C. Reynolds Abstract 61, Harris County, Texas, and other good and valuable consideration - **DISTRICT C - KAMIN** - was presented, all voting aye, nays none. **ORDINANCE 2026-0270 ADOPTED**

25. ORDINANCE approving and authorizing the sale of a ±0.0163-acre (710 sq. ft) easement, being out of a City fee owned portion of Lot 4, Block 4, C. W. Hall Company's Subdivision of Blocks 3, 4, and 5 of the F C. Tricky Subdivision, in the Thomas A. Manefee Survey, Abstract No. 565, Harris County, Texas; conveying the easement to the County of Harris, a Body Corporate and Politic under the laws of the State of Texas, for \$4,260.00, and other good and valuable consideration - **DISTRICT H - CASTILLO** - was presented, all voting aye, nays none. **ORDINANCE 2026-0271 ADOPTED**
26. ORDINANCE finding and determining public convenience and necessity for the acquisition of real property interests in connection with the public improvement project known as the Clinton Drive Lift Station Emergency Generator Expansion Project; authorizing the acquisition of fee simple or easement interest to two parcels of land required for the project situated in the Darius Gregg Survey, Abstract 283, and William P. Harris and Robert Wilson Survey, Abstract 32, in Harris County, Texas, by gift, dedication, purchase and the use of eminent domain and further authorizing payment of the costs of such purchases and/or eminent domain proceedings and associated costs for Relocation Assistance, Appraisal Fees, Title Policies/Services, Recording Fees, Court Costs, and Expert Witness Fees in connection with the acquisition of fee simple or easement interests to the two parcels of land required for the project - **DISTRICT B - JACKSON** - was presented, all voting aye, nays none. **ORDINANCE 2026-0272 ADOPTED**
27. ORDINANCE finding and determining public convenience and necessity for the acquisition of real property interests in connection with the public improvement project known as Lift Station Rehabilitation and Reconstruction Design FEMA- CD (Kingwood Place South Ls, Golden Bear LS, Deer Springs LS, Ag Farm LS, Golf Course LS) Project; authorizing the acquisition of fee simple or easement interest to two parcels of land required for the project situated in the Elijah Votaw Survey, Abstract No. 823 and the Mary Owens Survey, Abstract No. 611, in Harris County, Texas, by gift, dedication, purchase and the use of eminent domain and further authorizing payment of the costs of such purchases and/or eminent domain proceedings and associated costs for Relocation Assistance, Appraisal Fees, Title Policies/Services, Recording Fees, Court Costs, and Expert Witness Fees in connection with the acquisition of fee simple or easement interests to the two parcels of land required for the project - **DISTRICT E - FLICKINGER** - was presented, all voting aye, nays none. **ORDINANCE 2026-0273 ADOPTED**
28. ORDINANCE finding and determining public convenience and necessity for the acquisition of real property interests in connection with the public improvement project known as the Northpark Drive Overpass Project and the Northpark Drive Overpass Project-Phase II; authorizing the acquisition, by gift, dedication, purchase, or eminent domain proceedings, of fee simple title or easements in and to forty (40) parcels of land required for the project and situated in (I) the H.T. & B.R.R. Co. Survey No. 3, Abstract No. 283, Montgomery County, Texas, (II) the H.T. & B.R.R. Co. Survey No. 3, Abstract No. 1719, Harris County, Texas, (III) the H.T. & B.R.R. Co. Survey No. 3, Abstract No. 422, Harris County, Texas, and (IV) the Mary Owens Survey, Abstract No. 405, Montgomery County, Texas, said parcels of land being located along the north and south lines of Northpark Drive in Houston, Montgomery County, Texas, and Houston, Harris County, Texas; authorizing payment of the costs of such acquisitions, including the purchase prices for the property interests and costs associated with Relocation Assistance, Appraisals, Title Policies/Services, Recordation of Instruments, and Eminent Domain Proceedings; ratifying a Public Improvement Development Agreement among the City of Houston, Texas, the Lake Houston Redevelopment Authority, and Reinvestment Zone Number Ten, City of Houston, Texas - **DISTRICT E - FLICKINGER** - was presented, all voting aye, nays none. **ORDINANCE 2026-0274 ADOPTED**

29. ORDINANCE approving and authorizing Interlocal Agreement for Construction of Safe Routes to School Project by and between City of Houston, Texas and **GULFGATE REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY** Revenue - **DISTRICTS D - EVANS-SHABAZZ and I - MARTINEZ** - was presented, all voting aye, nays none. **ORDINANCE 2026-0275 ADOPTED**
30. ORDINANCE approving and authorizing Interlocal Agreement with **GREATER SOUTHEAST MANAGEMENT DISTRICT** for Construction of Highway Safety Improvement Project - Revenue - **DISTRICT D - EVANS-SHABAZZ** - was presented, all voting aye, nays none. **ORDINANCE 2026-0276 ADOPTED**
31. ORDINANCE appropriating \$614,109.38 out of Contribution for Capital Projects Fund; approving and authorizing Interlocal Cooperation Agreement with **NEAR NORTHWEST MANAGEMENT DISTRICT** for Improvements to Antoine Drive from US 290 to West Mount Houston - Contribution for Capital Projects - **DISTRICTS A - PECK and C - KAMIN** - **The City Secretary advised that Item 31 has been pulled by the Administration and will not be considered.**
32. ORDINANCE appropriating \$5,730,000.00 out of Water & Sewer System Consolidated Construction Fund; approving and authorizing contract with **RELIANCE CONSTRUCTION SERVICES, L.P.** to provide Construction Service for Small Diameter Waterlines Work Order Contract; setting a deadline for bidder to submit post-bid documents and holding the bidder in default if it fails to meet the deadline; providing funding for CIP Cost Recovery relating to construction of facilities financed by the Water & Sewer System Consolidated Construction Fund, contingency, testing services - was presented, all voting aye, nays none. **ORDINANCE 2026-0277 ADOPTED**
34. ORDINANCE appropriating \$732,294.00 out of Federal State Local - Houston Public Works Pass Thru Dedicated Drainage and Street Renewal Capital Fund, \$108,659.37 out of Contribution for Capital Projects; approving and authorizing contract with **BRIZO CONSTRUCTION, LLC** to provide Construction Services for City of Houston System Safety Project; setting a deadline for bidder to submit post-bid documents and holding the bidder in default if it fails to meet the deadline; providing funding for Testing Services, CIP Cost Recovery and Contingencies relating to the construction of facilities financed by Federal State Local - Houston Public Works Pass Thru Dedicated Drainage and Street Renewal Capital Fund, and the Contribution for Capital Projects - was presented, all voting aye, nays none. **ORDINANCE 2026-0278 ADOPTED**
35. ORDINANCE granting to **AAA ACTION SEPTIC SERVICE LLC**, a Texas Limited Liability Company, the right, privilege, and franchise to collect, haul, and transport solid waste and industrial waste from commercial properties located within the City of Houston, Texas, pursuant to Chapter 39, Code of Ordinances, Houston, Texas; providing for related terms and conditions; and making certain findings related thereto - **THIRD AND FINAL READING** - was presented, all voting aye, nays none. **ORDINANCE 2026-0211 THIRD AND FINAL READING IN FULL**
36. ORDINANCE granting to **J. S. SEPTIC SERVICES CORP.**, a Texas Corporation, the right, privilege, and franchise to collect, haul, and transport solid waste and industrial waste from commercial properties located within the City of Houston, Texas, pursuant to Chapter 39, Code of Ordinances, Houston, Texas; providing for related terms and conditions; and making certain findings related thereto - **THIRD AND FINAL READING** - was presented, all voting aye, nays none. **ORDINANCE 2026-0212 THIRD AND FINAL READING IN FULL**

37. ORDINANCE granting to **MASTERS ADVANCED REMEDIATION SERVICES, LLC**, a Texas Limited Liability Company, the right, privilege, and franchise to collect, haul, and transport solid waste and industrial waste from commercial properties located within the City of Houston, Texas, pursuant to Chapter 39, Code of Ordinances, Houston, Texas; providing for related terms and conditions; and making certain findings related thereto - **THIRD AND FINAL READING** - was presented, all voting aye, nays none. **ORDINANCE 2026-0213 THIRD AND FINAL READING IN FULL**
38. ORDINANCE granting to **REDZONE ROBOTICS, INC**, a foreign corporation, the right, privilege, and franchise to collect, haul, and transport solid waste and industrial waste from commercial properties located within the City of Houston, Texas, pursuant to Chapter 39, Code of Ordinances, Houston, Texas; providing for related terms and conditions; and making certain findings related thereto - **THIRD AND FINAL READING** - was presented, all voting aye, nays none. **ORDINANCE 2026-0214 THIRD AND FINAL READING IN FULL**
39. ORDINANCE granting to **REFRESHTHREADS CLEANERS, LLC**, a Texas Limited Liability Company, the right, privilege, and franchise to collect, haul, and transport solid waste and industrial waste from commercial properties located within the City of Houston, Texas, pursuant to Chapter 39, Code of Ordinances, Houston, Texas; providing for related terms and conditions; and making certain findings related thereto - **THIRD AND FINAL READING** - was presented, all voting aye, nays none. **ORDINANCE 2026-0215 THIRD AND FINAL READING IN FULL**
40. ORDINANCE granting to **SESCO, LLC**, a Texas Limited Liability Company, the right, privilege, and franchise to collect, haul, and transport solid waste and industrial waste from commercial properties located within the City of Houston, Texas, pursuant to Chapter 39, Code of Ordinances, Houston, Texas; providing for related terms and conditions; and making certain findings related thereto - **THIRD AND FINAL READING** - was presented, all voting aye, nays none. **ORDINANCE 2026-0216 THIRD AND FINAL READING IN FULL**
41. ORDINANCE granting to **TEXAS MINT COMMERCIAL WASHING LLC**, a Texas Limited Liability Company, the right, privilege, and franchise to collect, haul, and transport solid waste and industrial waste from commercial properties located within the City of Houston, Texas, pursuant to Chapter 39, Code of Ordinances, Houston, Texas; providing for related terms and conditions; and making certain findings related thereto - **THIRD AND FINAL READING** - was presented, all voting aye, nays none. **ORDINANCE 2026-0217 THIRD AND FINAL READING IN FULL**

END OF CONSENT AGENDA

CONSIDERATION OF MATTERS REMOVED FROM THE CONSENT AGENDA

1. RECOMMENDATION from Director Houston Public Works that Houston City Council accept the work and authorize final payment, if any, of the contract with **BOYER, INC** for Westridge Regional Lift station Construction and Abandonment of Kirby No. 1, Westridge and Main Street Lift Stations - **DISTRICT K - CASTEX-TATUM** - was presented, moved by Council Member Castex-Tatum and seconded by Council Member Peck, all voting aye, nays none. **MOTION 2026-0168 ADOPTED**

3. RECOMMENDATION from Director Houston Public Works that Houston City Council accept the work and authorize final payment, if any, of the contract with **JFT CONSTRUCTION, INC** for FY2025 Citywide Concrete Panel Replacement Project #1 - **DISTRICTS A - PECK; D - EVANS-SHABAZZ; G - HUFFMAN and K - CASTEX-TATUM** - was presented, moved by Council Member Castex-Tatum and seconded by Council Member Peck, all voting aye, nays none. **MOTION 2026-0169 ADOPTED**

11. **AMEND MOTION #2024-103, 02/07/2024, TO EXTEND** award through September 30, 2032 and **TO INCREASE** spending authority by \$30,100,000.00 on award to **SAFEWARE INC** for Public Safety and Emergency Preparedness Equipment and Supplies for Various Departments - General and Enterprise Funds - was presented, moved by Council Member Castex-Tatum and seconded by Council Member Peck, all voting aye, nays none. **MOTION 2026-0170 ADOPTED**

13. ORDINANCE approving and authorizing submission of Substantial Amendment to 2021 Annual Action Plan, 2022 Annual Action Plan and 2023 Annual Action Plan to the **UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT**, including Revised Budgets for the Community Development Block Grant Program - was presented, Council Member Thomas moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of postponing Item 13 to the Agenda of April 15, 2026 and seconded by Council Member Ramirez, all voting aye, nays none.
MOTION 2026-0171 ADOPTED

19. ORDINANCE appropriating \$2,000,000.00 out of Police Consolidated Construction Fund; approving and authorizing Interlocal Agreement with **MEMORIAL CITY REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY** to Design and Construct a new Northwest Houston Police Department Houston Fire Department Public Safety Complex Project - **DISTRICT A - PECK** - was presented, all voting aye, nays none.
ORDINANCE 2026-0279 ADOPTED

20. ORDINANCE approving and authorizing contracts with **SLICK RESPONSE SERVICES, LTD** and **SET ENVIRONMENTAL, INC** for Hazardous Materials Clean-Up and Disposal Services; providing a maximum contract amount - \$3,798,124.96 - 3 Years with 2 one-year options - General and Other Funds - was presented, all voting aye, nays none. **ORDINANCE 2026-0280 ADOPTED**

33. ORDINANCE appropriating \$48,816,735.37 out of Dedicated Drainage and Street Renewal Capital Fund-Ad Valorem Tax; approving and authorizing contract with **SER CONSTRUCTION PARTNERS** to provide Construction Services for FY26 Asphalt Overlay Work Order Contract No.2; setting a deadline for bidder to submit post-bid documents and holding the bidder in default if it fails to meet the deadline; providing funding for Construction, Materials and Engineering Testing, Construction Management, and CIP Cost Recovery - was presented, all voting aye, nays none.
ORDINANCE 2026-0281 ADOPTED

NON CONSENT AGENDA

MISCELLANEOUS

42. **MOTION TO SET A PUBLIC HEARING DATE** to provide a Resolution of No Objection for applicants seeking 4% Housing Tax Credits (HTCs) for the following multifamily developments:

Sterlingshire Apartments	9002 Sterlingshire Street	District B
Mariposa at Reed Road	2889 Reed Road	District D

HEARING DATE - 9:00 A. M. - WEDNESDAY - APRIL 8, 2026

- was presented, Council Member Castex-Tatum moved to set a public hearing date to April 8, 2026 and seconded by Council Member Peck, all voting aye, nays none.

MOTION 2026-0172 ADOPTED

43. **MOTION TO SET A PUBLIC HEARING DATE** to provide a Resolution of No Objection for applicants seeking 4% Housing Tax Credits (HTCs) for the following multifamily development in the City's Extraterritorial Jurisdiction:

Mariposa at Ella Boulevard 16354 Ella Boulevard

HEARING DATE - 9:00 A. M. - WEDNESDAY - APRIL 8, 2026

- was presented, Council Member Castex-Tatum moved to set a public hearing date to April 8, 2026 and seconded by Council Member Peck, all voting aye, nays none.

MOTION 2026-0173 ADOPTED

44. **MOTION TO SET A PUBLIC HEARING DATE** on recommendation from Director of Houston Parks and Recreation Department regarding an authorization to use a portion of Dwight Eisenhower Park for non-park purposes - **DISTRICT E - FLICKINGER**

SUGGESTED HEARING DATE - 9:00 A.M. - WEDNESDAY - MAY 5, 2026

- was presented, Council Member Castex-Tatum moved to set a public hearing date to May 5, 2026 and seconded by Council Member Peck, all voting aye, nays none.

MOTION 2026-0174 ADOPTED

MATTERS HELD

45. ORDINANCE relating to Fiscal Affairs of **REINVESTMENT ZONE NUMBER TWENTY-SEVEN, CITY OF HOUSTON, TEXAS**; approving Fiscal Year 2026 Operating Budget and Fiscal Years 2026-2030 Capital Improvements Budget for the Zone - **DISTRICT C - KAMIN**

TAGGED BY COUNCIL MEMBER KAMIN

This was Item 32 on Agenda of March 25, 2026

- was presented and Council Member Pollard moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of postponing Item 45 to the Agenda of April 15, 2026 and seconded by Council Member Kamin, all voting aye, nays none. **MOTION 2026-0175 ADOPTED**

46. ORDINANCE approving and authorizing submission of Electronic Application for Grant Assistance to the **OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR** for **FY27 Northeast and Westside Houston Violent Gang Crime Suppression Grant**, declaring the City's eligibility for such Grant; authorizing the Chief of the Houston Police Department to act as the City's representative in the application process, to apply for and accept the Grant Funds, and expend the Grant Funds, as awarded, and to apply for and accept all subsequent awards, if any, pertaining to the Grant

TAGGED BY COUNCIL MEMBER THOMAS

This was Item 52 on Agenda of March 25, 2026

- was presented, all voting aye, nays none. **ORDINANCE 2026-0282 ADOPTED**

MATTERS TO BE PRESENTED BY COUNCIL MEMBERS - Council Member Castex-Tatum first.

Mayor Whitmire recognized Council Member Castex-Tatum for a procedural motion. Council Member Castex-Tatum moved that the rules be suspended for the purpose of reconsidering Item 44 to correct the hearing date to reflect May 6, 2026 and seconded by Council Member Kamin, all voting aye, nays none. Council Members Jackson and Alcorn absent. **MOTION 2026-0176 ADOPTED**

44. **MOTION TO SET A PUBLIC HEARING DATE** on recommendation from Director of Houston Parks and Recreation Department regarding an authorization to use a portion of Dwight Eisenhower Park for non-park purposes - **DISTRICT E - FLICKINGER**
SUGGESTED HEARING DATE - 9:00 A.M. - WEDNESDAY - MAY 6, 2026
- was presented, Council Member Castex-Tatum moved to set a public hearing to May 6, 2026 and seconded by Council Member Peck, all voting aye, nays none. Council Members Jackson and Alcorn absent.

Mayor Whitmire recognized Council Member Thomas for a procedural motion. Council Member Thomas moved that the rules be suspended to rescind Motion 2026-0171 and to reconsider Item 13 and seconded by Council Member Kamin, all voting aye, nays none. Council Members Jackson, Martinez, Castex-Tatum and Alcorn absent. **MOTION 2026-0178 ADOPTED**

13. ORDINANCE approving and authorizing submission of Substantial Amendment to 2021 Annual Action Plan, 2022 Annual Action Plan and 2023 Annual Action Plan to the **UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT**, including Revised Budgets for the Community Development Block Grant Program - was presented, all voting aye, nays none. Council Members Jackson, Martinez, Castex-Tatum and Alcorn absent. **ORDINANCE 2026-0283 ADOPTED**

There being no further business before Council, City Council adjourned at 10:53 a.m.

DETAILED INFORMATION ON FILE IN THE OFFICE OF THE CITY SECRETARY MINUTES READ AND APPROVED

Troy D. Lemon
City Secretary