SPECIAL BUDGET WORKSHOP MEETING LONE STAR CITY COUNCIL FIRE HALL – 201 WEST INDUSTRIAL July 18, 2017 at 6:00 PM

We reserve the right to enter into Executive Session on any Agenda item pertaining to Sections 551.071, 551.072, 551.073, 551.074, 551.075, 551.076, 551.077

In compliance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551, of the Texas Government Code, the City of Lone Star issues this public notice. If, during the course of the meeting, any discussion of any item on the agenda should be held in executive or closed session, the board will convene in such executive or closed session in accordance with Section 551 of the Texas Government Code, Et Seq. The City Council will consider and act on the following items:

The subjects to be discussed or considered or upon which any formal action may be taken are listed below. Items do not have to be taken in the same order as shown on the meeting notice.

MINUTES

Present were Mayor Randy Hodges, Mayor Pro Tem Jerri Chism, Aldermen Mona Brown, Lynn Cox, Ryan Harte and Keith Reiter and City Secretary Devon Whatley.

1. CALL TO ORDER by Mayor Randy Hodges.

2. ACTION ITEMS:

Review and discussion of the 2017-2018 Budgets and proposed property tax rate for 2017.

The Council discussed the need of a backhoe. Mr. Harte stated he would look at auction to see what is available and what the cost would be. The Council also reviewed the payment schedule on the USDA loan. No action was taken.

3. ADJOURN

A motion to adjourn was made by Lynn Cox and second by Jerri Chism. All present voted aye.

<u>/s/ Devon N. Whatley</u> Devon N. Whatley, City Secretary <u>/s/ Randy Hodges</u> Randy Hodges, Mayor