

**BRYAN CITY COUNCIL
MINUTES OF WORKSHOP MEETING
OCTOBER 18, 2016**

A workshop meeting of the Bryan City Council was held on Tuesday, October 18, 2016, at the site of new fire station number two, 414 Lawrence Street, Bryan. A notice of the meeting was posted at least 72 hours in advance in accordance with Section 551, Texas Government Code. Mayor Jason Bienski and Councilmembers Al Saenz, Greg Owens and Ben Hardeman were present. Councilmembers Rafael Peña, Mike Southerland and Buppy Simank were absent. City Manager Kean Register, City Attorney Janis Hampton and City Secretary Mary Lynne Stratta were in attendance.

1. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Bienski called the meeting to order at 2:05 p.m.

2. GROUND BREAKING CEREMONY AT SITE OF FUTURE BRYAN FIRE STATION NUMBER TWO – SCOTT DELUCIA, MASTER OF CEREMONIES

The Bryan Fire Department Honor Guard posted the colors. Master of Ceremonies Scott DeLucia welcomed everyone to the groundbreaking and acknowledged dignitaries present. He then introduced Fire Chief Randy McGregor. Chief McGregor shared comments about the new fire station. Mayor Bienski then commented about the excellent service provided by the Bryan Fire Department and expressed pride in being able to oversee the groundbreaking ceremony as Mayor. Mr. Ray Holliday, BRW Architects, and Mr. Lynn Foster, LDF Construction, also spoke about the new facility. Bryan Fire Department Chaplain Ernest Upchurch blessed the site. The Mayor, Councilmembers and several representatives of the Fire Department then participated in the groundbreaking ceremony.

3. ADJOURN

Without objection, the meeting was adjourned at 2:35 p.m.

City Secretary Mary Lynne Stratta

Mayor Jason P. Bienski