

**NOTICE OF OPEN DELIBERATIONS**  
**COLLECTIVE BARGAINING**

Pursuant to Section 174.108 of the Texas Local Government Code (“The Fire and Police Employee Relations Act”), this public notice is provided relating to collective bargaining between:

City of Galveston, Texas

and

International Association of Fire Fighters, Local 571,  
as the exclusive bargaining agent on behalf of the  
fire fighters of the City of Galveston Fire Department

**Date/Time:** Thursday July 6, 2023 at 9:30 am

**Location:** **City Hall**  
823 Rosenberg, Room 204  
Galveston, TX 77550

**Subject:** Contract Negotiations Providing for Collective Bargaining between the City of Galveston, Texas (the “City) and the International Association of Fire Fighters Local 571 (the “Association”)

**Public Notice**

Members of the public are encouraged to observe and monitor the deliberation, but active participation in discussions or presentations is expressly prohibited unless permitted by the Ground Rules as executed between the City and Association.

Representatives for either the City or the Association may suspend the meeting at any time during the proceedings for consultation with their attorney(s). Pursuant to Section 551.071 of the Texas Government Code, the City’s deliberations during this period are closed to the public.

The use of cellular phones or sound activated pagers is prohibited while deliberations are being conducted. Please step outside the meeting room should you elect to utilize these devices.

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I hereby certify that the above Notice of Open Deliberations was posted in a place convenient to the public on June 21, 2023 at 3:52 p.m.

  
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Beverly West, Director of Civil Service

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**JUN 21 2023**  
**CITY SECRETARY'S OFFICE**

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT (ADA), ANY PERSONS IN NEED OF SPECIAL ACCOMODATION(S) TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS PROCEEDING SHALL, WITHIN THREE (3) DAYS PRIOR TO ANY PROCEEDING, CONTACT THE CITY SECRETARY’S OFFICE AT CITY HALL, 823 ROSENBERG (25<sup>TH</sup> STREET), SUITE 201, GALVESTON, TEXAS 77550 (409) 797-3510.