



Public Hearing
&
Regular Council Meeting
September 16, 2025
6:00 P.M.

PUBLIC HEARING

For the City of New Boston proposed 2024-25 Annual Budget General Fund – FIVE MILLION, SEVEN HUNDRED TWENTY-THREE THOUSAND, FOUR HUNDRED EIGHTEEN DOLLARS (\$5,723,418) Public Works Fund – NINE MILLION, FOUR HUNDRED SEVENTY-EIGHT THOUSAND, FIVE HUNDRED SEVENTY DOLLARS (\$9,478,570)

No public input.

City Secretary, Pollyanna Moore stated that a correction will be noted in the minutes correcting the language in the posting of the agenda to read “proposed 2025-26 Annual Budget.” Moved to the Tax Rate public hearing at 6:02 p.m.

PUBLIC HEARING

For the City of New Boston Proposed Tax Rate of \$.284448 per \$100 value, M&O Rate of .122324 and I&S Rate of .162124

Susan Lindsey asked by what amount is the tax rate lowering and what revenue will it generate for the city? Mayor Humphrey explained the city’s debt had been lowered which contributed to a lower tax rate, decreasing revenue approximately \$500,000 dollars. No other questions were raised. Moved to the regular Council meeting at 6:05 p.m.

MINUTES

1. Call to Order, roll call, establish a quorum.

Mayor Humphrey called the Regular City Council meeting to order at 6:05 p.m. Present were Council members Carr, Bowie, Williams, Foster, and Thompson. A quorum was established.

2. Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance

Invocation led by Council member Foster. Pledge of Allegiance led by Chief McCrary.

3. Public Comments

Pursuant to Government regulations the Mayor and City Council are not permitted to comment or engage in discussions on non-agenda items. For non-agenda items - Each speaker will be given 3 minutes, not to exceed a total allotted time of fifteen minutes. For agenda items - Speakers will be given 3 minutes each.

No public comments.

4. Consent Agenda:
- Minutes for August 19, 2025 Regular Council meeting
 - Minutes for August 28, 2025 Special Council meeting
 - Statement of Revenue and Expenditures for all Funds
 - Check Register for all Funds
 - Police and Fire Department Reports

Motion made by Council member Carr to approve the consent agenda as presented. Motion seconded by Council member Bowie. Mayor Humphrey asked about the Police and Fire Department Reports? City Secretary Pollyanna Moore stated reports had not been submitted as of Council meeting date and it would be reflected in the minutes. All voted in favor of, motion carried.

5. Consider and take official action to approve the NBSIDC 2025-26 annual budget. Presentation given to the City Council by SIDC Director Lee Elliot, discussing SIDC and CDC projects. Motion made by Council member Bowie to accept the NBSIDC 2025-26 Budget. Motion seconded by Council member Carr. All voted in favor of, motion carried.
6. Consider and take official action to approve the CDC 2025-26 annual budget. Motion made by Council member Foster to accept the CDC 2025-26 Budget. Motion seconded by Council member Bowie. All voted in favor of, motion carried.
7. Consider and take official action to adopt Ordinance 25-O-03 – **AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING A BUDGET FOR THE CITY OF NEW BOSTON, FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2025, AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2026; MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR EACH DEPARTMENT, AND ACCOUNT; PROVIDING FOR NECESSARY TRANSFERS OF FUNDS BETWEEN ACCOUNTS AND DEPARTMENTS, IF REQUIRED, PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE, SAVINGS CLAUSE, AND ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.** Motion made by Council member Bowie to adopt Ordinance 25-O-03. Motion seconded by Council member Carr. All voted in favor of, motion carried.
8. Consider and take official action to adopt Ordinance 25-O-04 - **AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF NEW BOSTON, TEXAS ADOPTING AND LEVYING THE MUNICIPAL AD VOLEM TAX FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2025 AND ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2026 ON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF NEW BOSTON, AS OF JANUARY 1, 2026, PROVIDING REVENUES FOR PAYMENT OF CURRENT EXPENSES AND OUTSTANDING DEBTS OF THE CITY; DIRECTING THE ASSESSMENT THEREOF; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

Proposed Tax Rate .284448 per \$100 Value

M&O rate .122324

I&S rate .162124

Motion made by Council member Bowie to adopt Ordinance 25-O-04. Motion seconded by Council member Foster. All voted in favor of, motion carried.

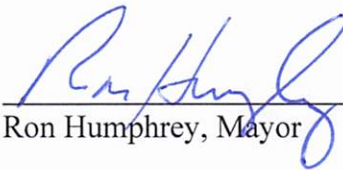
9. Consider and take official action to approve the purchase of four (4) leased vehicles for the Police Department from Enterprise Fleet Management for the total purchase amount of TWELVE THOUSAND, SEVEN HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIX DOLLARS AND NINTY-NINE CENTS (\$12,736.99) to be financed through Guaranty Bank & Trust for a period of ONE (1) year. The promissory note to be signed by the City Administrator, Wayne Dial.

Motion made by Council member Carr to approve the purchase of four (4) leased vehicles, authorizing City Administrator, Wayne Dial to finance vehicles through Guaranty Bank and sign the promissory note on behalf of the City of New Boston. Motion seconded by Council member Bowie. All voted in favor of, motion carried.

10. Adjourn

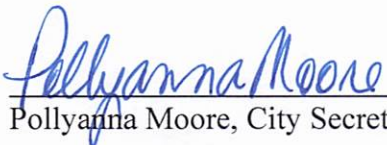
Motion made by Council member Carr to adjourn. Motion seconded by Council member Bowie. All voted in favor of, motion carried.

Approved this 27th day of October, 2025.



Ron Humphrey, Mayor

ATTEST:



Pollyanna Moore, City Secretary