

City of Dallas

*1500 Marilla Street,
Council Chambers, 6th Floor
Dallas, Texas 75201*



Government Performance and Financial Management Committee

November 9, 2021

1:00 PM

This Council Committee meeting will be held by videoconference and in the Council Chambers, 6th Floor at City Hall.

The public is encouraged to attend the meeting virtually; however, City Hall is available for those wishing to attend the meeting in person following all current pandemic-related public health protocols.

The meeting will be broadcast live on Spectrum Cable Channel 95 and online at bit.ly/cityofdallastv.

The public may also listen to the meeting as an attendee at the following videoconference link:
<https://dallascityhall.webex.com/dallascityhall/onstage/g.php?MTID=ecee90d0af51767ff86e02948a0b99895>

Call to Order

MINUTES

1. [21-2032](#) Approval of the October 25, 2021 Government Performance and Financial Management Committee Meeting Minutes

Attachments: [Minutes](#)

BRIEFING ITEMS

- A. [21-2228](#) Better Blocks Demonstration Projects - Best Practices
[Krista Nightengale, Managing Director, Better Block]

Attachments: [Presentation](#)

- B. [21-2033](#) Infrastructure - The City of Dallas Data Center
[Bill Zielinski, Chief Information Officer, Information and Technology Services; Daniel Pollak, Sr. IT Manager, Information and Technology Services]

Attachments: [Presentation](#)

- C. [21-1952](#) Consider Proposed Opioid Settlements Joined by Texas with Opioid Manufacturer, Johnson & Johnson, and Three Major Pharmaceutical Distributors: AmerisourceBergen, Cardinal Health, and McKesson.
[Ryan Fisher and Stephanie Eberhardt, Office of the Attorney General; Larry Taylor, The Cochran Firm]

Attachments: [Presentation](#)

ADJOURNMENT

EXECUTIVE SESSION NOTICE

A closed executive session may be held if the discussion of any of the above agenda items concerns one of the following:

1. seeking the advice of its attorney about pending or contemplated litigation, settlement offers, or any matter in which the duty of the attorney to the City Council under the Texas Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct of the State Bar of Texas clearly conflicts with the Texas Open Meetings Act. [Tex. Govt. Code §551.071]
2. deliberating the purchase, exchange, lease, or value of real property if deliberation in an open meeting would have a detrimental effect on the position of the city in negotiations with a third person. [Tex. Govt. Code §551.072]
3. deliberating a negotiated contract for a prospective gift or donation to the city if deliberation in an open meeting would have a detrimental effect on the position of the city in negotiations with a third person. [Tex. Govt. Code §551.073]
4. deliberating the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of a public officer or employee; or to hear a complaint or charge against an officer or employee unless the officer or employee who is the subject of the deliberation or hearing requests a public hearing. [Tex. Govt. Code §551.074]
5. deliberating the deployment, or specific occasions for implementation, of security personnel or devices. [Tex. Govt. Code §551.076]
6. discussing or deliberating commercial or financial information that the city has received from a business prospect that the city seeks to have locate, stay or expand in or near the city and with which the city is conducting economic development negotiations; or deliberating the offer of a financial or other incentive to a business prospect. [Tex Govt. Code §551.087]
7. deliberating security assessments or deployments relating to information resources technology, network security information, or the deployment or specific occasions for implementations of security personnel, critical infrastructure, or security devices. [Tex Govt. Code §551.089]