City of Houston Special Called Joint Committee Meeting on Transportation, Technology, and Infrastructure (TTI), Quality of Life (QoL), Regulatory and Neighborhood Affairs (RNA)



Council Member David W. Robinson, TTI Chair Council Member Robert Gallegos, QoL Chair Council Member Sallie Alcorn, RNA Chair

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Notice of City Council Committee Meeting – Hybrid (Virtual and In-Person) Thursday, January 27, 2022 | 10:00 a.m.

Due to health and safety concerns related to COVID-19, this meeting will offer the options to participate via videoconference or in-person. The location for the committee meeting will be City Hall Council Chamber, 901 Bagby, 2nd Floor, Houston, Texas 77002. The meeting will be open to the public but restrictions regarding masks, allowable room capacity, and seating arrangements may be in place.

The Chair, as presiding officer of Committee, will be physically present in chamber. In accordance with the provisions of Section 551.127 of the Texas Government Code applicable to a governmental body that extends into three or more counties, all other committee members have the option to participate in-person or virtually via Microsoft Teams.

- Live-streamed online via Microsoft Teams Live at: https://bit.ly/JointCommitteeMeetingJanuary27
- Presentation handouts will also be available at: https://www.houstontx.gov/council/committees/tti.html
 - Live-streamed and archived online by HTV at: <u>houstontx.city.swagit.com</u>

AGENDA

- 1. Call to Order and Welcome
 - Council Member David W. Robinson, TTI Chair
 - Council Member Robert Gallegos, QoL Chair
 - Council Member Sallie Alcorn, RNA Chair
- 2. Gulf Coast Rail District Overview and Railroad Operations and Safety Update
 - Katherine Parker, Executive Director, Gulf Coast Rail District
 - Jack C. Hanagriff, Mayor's Office of Public Safety and Homeland Security, City of Houston
- 3. The Federal Railroad Administration's Role and Responsibilities
- 4. Union Pacific Railroad Operations in the Houston Region
 - Clint Schelbitzki, Assistant Vice President of Public Affairs, Union Pacific
 - Richard A. Zientek, Senior Director of Public Affairs, Union Pacific
 - Andrey Drozdov, General Manager, Houston Service Unit, Union Pacific
- 5. **Public Comments** The public may sign up to speak by either filling out the online form at: https://www.boustontx.gov/council/committees/speakers-tti.html or by calling 832-393-3335 no later than 5:00 p.m. on **Wednesday, January 26, 2022**. Please indicate whether you will speak virtually or will be attending in person. Public speakers wishing to continue under virtual mode will receive a call-in number that will allow them to speak at their designated time.