

Council Calendar:

February 1 – Regular City Council Meeting, City Hall – 5:30 p.m.

February 15 – Angelina/Nacogdoches County Days in Austin (City Council Meeting moved to February 22)

February 22 – Regular City Council Meeting, City Hall

ADDITIONAL UPCOMING MEETINGS

February 2 – Public Meeting regarding Housing Tax Credits – *click link below*

<https://www.nactx.us/DocumentCenter/View/5928/Public-Meeting-Notice---HTC-Meeting-Feb-2>

HUMAN RESOURCES - (Staff contact: Brittany Tucker, HR Manager, 936-559-2569)

City of Nacogdoches current Job Opportunities:

Part-time Office Assistant I - Police Department

Laborer - Utility Construction

Building Official - Inspections

Part-time Code Enforcement Technician- Code Enforcement

Laborer - Street

Equipment Operator I - Streets

Equipment Operator II - Sanitation Disposal

Driver/Equipment Operator - Sanitation Collection

Executive Assistant - Economic Development

Part-time Museum Assistant - Historic Sites

Human Resources Generalist - Human Resources

Animal Shelter Attendant - Animal Services

Office Assistant I - CID - Police Department

CITY SECRETARY – (Staff contact: Jan Vinson, City Secretary, 936-559-2506)

The General Election for Southeast and Southwest Ward City Council Members is May 7, 2022. The first day to file for a place on the ballot is January 19th and the last day to file is February 18th. Election packets are available in the City Secretary's office and on the City's website.

As of 3 p.m. on January 29, 2022 the following candidate(s) have filed and been accepted to run for City Council for the City of Nacogdoches.

Jay Anderson (Incumbent) for the Southwest Ward City Council Member

CONVENTION AND TOURISM - (Staff contact: Sherry Morgan, Director, 936-564-7351)

Visit Nacogdoches hired bands for the first 4 Nac Snack Fridays. Staff is finalizing details about upcoming Full Moon Concerts as well. Staff sent out an RFP to website hosts as our contract with Simpleview ends this summer. Visit Nacogdoches hopes to find a more affordable option with ticketing capabilities for even sales.

Visit Nacogdoches met with Main Street for Wine Swirl planning and also with the Blueberry Marketing committee to ramp efforts for both events. We're excited to see these events return to their full potential this year.

What's Happening flyer (Exhibit A)

POLICE – (Staff contact: Brett Ayres, Sgt Community Relations, 936-559-2618)

Assistant Chief Dan Taravella spoke at the Human Trafficking Awareness Month event hosted by the Family Crisis Center of East Texas in festival park this last Saturday. (Exhibit B)

Thank you to the students and staff of NISD for coming for a tour of our police department. What a great bunch of future leaders! (Exhibit B)

LIBRARY - (Staff contact: Mercedes Franks, Library Manager, 936-559-2945)

Library staff is hosting two popular events this weekend. On Friday, teens are invited to an indoor Nerf Battle after hours, and on Saturday afternoon is the Hygge Tea Party that celebrates a cozy, inviting atmosphere, comfort food, and community.

A.A.R.P. Tax Aide volunteers will begin tax preparation services at the library/recreation center building beginning February 7th. There is no income or age restrictions and all services are free. Sessions are by appointment only and can be made by calling library staff at 936-559-2970.

RECREATION - (Staff contact: Joy Palmer, Recreation Supervisor, 936-559-2960)

Last Saturday's annual Kid Fish event at Lakeside Park was a success with many prizes given out for heaviest fish, first fish caught, smallest fish and other fun categories! Check out the City website or the Nacogdoches Parks and Recreation Facebook page to see pictures of the event and all the lucky winners!

Girls Youth Volleyball registration has begun for ages 7-14. Registration ends February 18th. If you are interested in being a volunteer coach for volleyball please contact Joy Palmer at the Recreation Center.

Youth Basketball has team pictures on Saturday Jan. 29th at the Recreation Center.

HISTORIC SITES & MAIN STREET - (Staff contact: Jessica Sowell, Community Services Assistant)

A new feature has been added to Downtown Nacogdoches! In an effort to enhance pedestrian safety on the brick streets, new LED crosswalk signs have been added to the pedestrian crosswalk at the Pecan and Main Street intersection. Just push the button to turn on the signal lights and warn drivers you are crossing! We are excited to implement more safety measures like this in beautiful Downtown Nacogdoches! (Exhibit C)

Tickets for the 2022 Main Street Wine Swirl go on sale February 1st! They will be available online at <https://nacswhirl2022.eventbrite.com> starting at 8:00am or in person at Red House Winery and The Fredonia Hotel Gift Shop (cash or check only)! Our theme this year is "Sip Me Baby One More Time" and attendees are highly encouraged to come dressed in their best 90s attire!

PUBLIC INFORMATION: (Staff contact: Bethanie Griffin, Main Street Assistant & PIO, 936-462-8267)

KTRE:

Nacogdoches mayor gives input on Low Income Housing Tax credit proposals (from Chamber of Commerce call)

Nacogdoches police arrest one in connection with shooting incident on Eliza St. (from NPD Press Release)

Nacogdoches police investigating after woman with gunshot wound found in parking lot (from NPD press release)

Daily Sentinel:

Developers pushing for affordable housing (from Chamber of Commerce call)

Lufkin woman recovering after being shot Friday night (Sgt. Brett Ayres quoted)

DOWNTOWN MASTER PLAN AND CITY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN UPDATE:

On Tuesday, January 18th, City Council met for their regular council meeting to consider the approval of a contract for professional services with DTJ Design for the Comprehensive Land Use Plan and the Downtown Master Plan. During this meeting, the City Council heard public comments and gave statements regarding their thoughts on the adoption of the contract with DTJ Design. Before the

conclusion of the meeting the City Council voted 4 to 1 to approve the adoption of the contract with DTJ Design.

DTJ has prepared numerous Downtown Plans for communities similar to Nacogdoches and we have no doubt they will create a plan that supports the desires of our community. DTJ Design will be the prime consultant along with their team that includes experts in various fields necessary to write the plan:

- Civic Brand - Public Outreach
- KSA Engineers - Infrastructure and Flood Management Located in Lufkin, Texas
- Catalyst - Housing and Economics
- Livable Plans & Codes - Small Area Plans and Codes
- Lee Engineering - Transportation
- Two Fifteen Consulting - Development Engineering Firm Located in Nacogdoches

If you would like to watch the meeting, it can be found on our nacogdochesplans.com website or on Channel 21. We also have a copy of the Agenda Information Sheet, PowerPoint and the contract on that same website for your review.

Thank you for your continued interest in this process. We look forward to hearing from you and working together to create the best plan possible for The Oldest Town in Texas!

WHAT'S HAPPENING

Exhibit A



Wednesday 1/26

Susie on the Piano
Cottage Wine Bar

Lone Star Trivia Night
Free to play, winners get prizes!
Nac Cocina 7pm

Wine Down Wednesday
J.Webb Live at 7pm
Maklemore's Ale House & Bistro

Front Porch Distillery
Open 1-7pm

Shali's Indian Kitchen
Nac Space 11am-2pm

Thursday 1/27

Front Porch Distillery
Open 1-7pm

Pizza on the Pavilion
Naca Valley Vineyard
Open 5-9pm

Dan McMahon Live
Cottage Wine Bar
5:30pm

Lone Star Trivia Night 6:30pm
Shali's IndianKitchen
Fredonia Brewery

J.Webb Live
Barkeeps Eatery & Taps 6pm

**Deb Scott, Trombone with
Thomas Nixon, Piano; JD Salas,
Tuba; and a Special Guest**
Cole Concert Hall
7:30pm

SFA Womens Basketball vs Seattle
Kids Day
WJR Coliseum
6:30pm

Friday 1/28

Pizza on the Pavilion
Naca Valley Vineyard 5-9pm

Dan McMahon Live
Cottage Wine Bar 5:30pm

Steffany Karback
Maklemore's Ale House & Bistro

Shali's Indian Kitchen
Downtown Square
11am-Sold Out

Front Porch Distillery
Open 1-10pm

Nac Classic Car Club
Downtown Square
4-6pm

Pizza on the Pavilion
Naca Valley Vineyard
Open 5-9pm

Seth Reid Live
Reed's Fish & More
Fredonia Brewery

J.Webb Live
Cowboy Jack's Saloon 7pm

Greek Dinner
Stone House Kitchen
7:30pm
Reservations Req'd

Friday Night Karaoke
Lugnutz Bar & Grille 8pm

Sunday 1/30

Sunday Funday
Fredonia Brewery
Reed's Fish & More

Mimosa Brunch
Cottage Wine Bar

Saturday 1/29

Farmer's Market
9am-12pm

Interact with the 'Jacks
Loddie Naymola Center
10am-1pm

2022 HD Model Reveal Party
Lumberjack Harley-Davidson
12pm-3pm

Larry Faris Live
Chambers Smokehouse
Fredonia Brewery

Jack Pigg Live 6-8pm
Naca Valley Vineyard
Andy's Wood-Fired Pizza
5:30-8:30pm

Larry and Karen Greer Live
Cottage Wine Bar

J.Webb Live
Red House Winery 6pm

Planetarium Shows
SFASU
3pm, 4:30pm & 7pm

Cram the Coliseum
SFA WBB vs Cal Baptist
WJR Coliseum
6:30pm

Swing in the Mill Room
Banita Creek Hall: Mill Room
Old Town Brass Band
7-10pm

Joe Vega Live
Nac Cocina 8-11pm

Pecos & The Rooftops
with Tanner Ursey
Banita Creek Hall
Doors open 8pm

Nickel Draft Band
Lugnutz Bar & Grille 9pm

Exhibit B

Assistant Chief Taravella
@ Human Trafficking
Awareness Event



NISD Students &
Staff Tour NPD

Exhibit C

