



*****AMENDED*****

**DeSoto City Council Special Meeting Agenda
Winter Retreat**

DeSoto Public Library - Library Multipurpose Room
211 E. Pleasant Run Road, Suite C
DeSoto, TX 75115
(972) 230-9664

Mayor Rachel L. Proctor
Mayor Pro Tem Andre' Byrd, Sr.
Councilmember Kay Brown-Patrick
Councilmember Nicole Raphiel
Councilmember Dinah Marks
Councilmember Crystal Chism
Councilmember Letitia Hughes

DATE
Friday, January 27, 2023
Saturday, January 28, 2023

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Please note: Any item listed on this agenda can be moved to a different date or time at the discretion of the Mayor.

As authorized by Section 551.071(2) of the Texas Government Code, this meeting may be convened into closed Executive Session for the purpose of seeking confidential legal advice from the City Attorney on any agenda item listed herein. Pursuant to Texas Government Code 551.127, one or more members of the governing body may appear via videoconference call. The presiding officer and a quorum of the City Council will be physically present at this meeting.

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AGENDA

1. **FRIDAY, JANUARY 27, 2023 - 11:30AM**
11:00AM - Arrival - Lunch
Call to Order
Invocation
 - a. Strategic Plan Update
 - b. Public Safety Coalition Program Review
 - c. Discussion of an Appointment Process for the Place 2 Vacancy

2. **SATURDAY, JANUARY 28, 2023 - 9:00 AM**
8:30AM - Arrival - Breakfast
Call to Order
Invocation
 - a. Mixed Use Development in Commercial Nodes

12:00PM - Lunch
 - b. Roberts Rules of Order Review
 - c. Discussion of Meeting Dates and Times/Agenda Management
 - d. Discussion of Aging Citizens & Multicultural Commissions

3. Adjourn

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Alicia Thomas, City Secretary



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