

BE IT KNOWN THAT THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GLADEWATER, TEXAS WILL MEET IN SPECIAL SESSION AT CITY HALL, 519 EAST BROADWAY, GLADEWATER, TEXAS, MONDAY, JUNE 1, 2015, AT 6:00 P.M.

CITY OF GLADEWATER
CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL SESSION
AGENDA
JUNE 1, 2015
6:00 P.M.

- I. CALL TO ORDER
- II. CONSIDERATION of acceptance of City Manager Sean Pate's resignation
- III. EXECUTIVE SESSION pursuant to Government Code §551.074 regarding
 - a) Appointment of Interim City Manager
 - b) Recruitment of City Manager
- IV. RECONVENE into open session and take any action necessary regarding
 - a) Appointment of Interim City Manager
 - b) Recruitment of City Manager
- V. ADJOURN

PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES WHO PLAN TO ATTEND THIS MEETING AND WHO MAY NEED AUXILLARY AIDS OR SERVICES ARE REQUESTED TO CONTACT MELBA HARALSON AT (903) 845-2196 AT LEAST TWO DAYS BEFORE THIS MEETING SO THAT APPROPRIATE ARRANGEMENTS MAY BE MADE.

I CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE NOTICE WAS POSTED AT CITY HALL AND AT THE EMERGENCY SERVICES BUILDING BY 5:00 P.M. ON THURSDAY, MAY 28, 2015.



MELBA HARALSON, CITY SECRETARY

May 28th, 2015

To: Mayor and City Council

From: Sean Pate, City Manager

Re: Resignation

Mayor and City Council,

I am writing to formally notify you of my resignation as City Manager of Gladewater Texas. This certainly hasn't been an easy decision, but know that it is being made with both my family and my personal goals in mind. My decision to resign isn't motivated by any person, nor was it brought on by any action.

I have been offered the City Management position in Bonham Texas, and have decided to take their offer. This offer of employment is one that myself and my family certainly cannot pass up. The opportunity to manage Bonham is an advancement in my professional career and affords me the opportunity to manage a larger city that is going through a mild growth spurt, and is the hub of its region in North Texas.

Recently, my mother retired from her employment and due in large part to her health, does require closer attention on my part, this will allow me to be closer to her and for her to be closer to her grandchildren. My last day of employment with Gladewater will be July 2nd 2015.

My time at Gladewater has been some of the best years of my life and my career. I will miss my job and the incredible people I have had the pleasure of working with throughout the years. I cannot thank you enough for all of the opportunities and experiences you have provided me during my time with the city.

I appreciate your support and understanding, and I wish you all the very best. I am in the process of creating several documents that should serve as a "blueprint" for the next city manager. Please let me know if I can be of any assistance during the last few weeks of my time here.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Sean Pate", with a large, sweeping flourish extending from the end of the signature.

Sean Pate