

**MIDLAND CITY COUNCIL  
MINUTES  
February 13, 2017**

The City Council, pursuant to Texas Government Code §551.041, met in Special session at 105 N. Main Street (generally located on the southwest corner of North Main Street and West Texas Avenue), Midland, Texas, at 2:30 p.m. on February 13, 2017.

The meeting convened at 2:30 p.m.

Council Members present: Mayor Jerry F. Morales, Mayor Pro Tem Sharla Hotchkiss (District 3), Council Member Spencer Robnett (At-Large), Council Member John B. Love, III (District 2), and Council Member J.Ross Lacy (District 4).

Council Members absent: Council Member Scott Dufford (At-Large) and Council Member Jeff Sparks (District 1).

**SPECIAL SESSION**

1. Hold a dedication ceremony for the new Midland Center.

Public Information Officer Sara Bustilloz welcomed everyone to the Midland Center demolition groundbreaking ceremony.

Midland Chamber Executive Vice President of Tourism & Facilities Brad Barnett discussed the vision and need for the new Midland Center.

Mayor Jerry Morales discussed the need for downtown revitalization and how it is becoming a reality in Midland.

Lloyd Nabors Superintendent Frank Phillips thanked the City Council for trusting the company to do the demolition.

City Council Members participated in photo opportunities and broke drywall using sledgehammers.

All of the business at hand having been completed, the meeting adjourned at 2:49 p.m.

PASSED AND APPROVED the 28th day of February, 2017.

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Jerry Morales, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Amy M. Turner, City Secretary