CITY OF SWEENY

Sweeny Welcomes New City Manager

Sweeny, Texas. The City of Sweeny is proud to welcome Reese Cook as the new City Manager. Reese grew up in Sweeny and graduated from Sweeny High School in 2004. He attended and graduated with a Civil Engineering Degree from Lamar University in 2008. Upon graduation, he worked for a small company, Holloway Houston, Inc., as a Rigging Engineer until late 2012 when he transferred to the Phillips 66 Refinery in Old Ocean as an Engineer. He held various positions over seven years at Phillips 66 including supervision of Design, Planning & Scheduling, TA, and Maintenance. Reese currently serves at the First Baptist Church in Sweeny as a Deacon and committee representative. He teaches a small group study and kids discipleship class. He is slowly earning his Master's in Theological Studies from Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.   Reese is married with three kids, and he enjoys Obstacle Course Racing and woodworking.

Cindy King, our beloved former City Manager, resigned earlier in 2019. Mrs. King served the City as a City Clerk before being promoted to the City Manager in 2010. We cannot thank her enough for her leadership and contributions. We will miss her tremendously.

As we look forward, there is tremendous opportunity for the City that lies ahead, and we couldn't be happier with Reese joining our family and helping us and our citizens achieve continued prosperity for our City.

"As I get settled in to the City Manager position, my hope is to hear concerns and compliments of the residents and work towards improving what needs to be improved and continuing and building upon the great traditions that we already hold dear in our small town. I have an open-door policy and am interested and motivated to hear from all generations of residents on what we can all do to continue living, working and raising our families in 'A City with Pride.'"

Reese can be reached at City Hall at (979) 548-3321, and his email address is rccook@sweenytx.gov. Please help us welcome Reese to the City.