

AGENDA
MISSION CITY COUNCIL MEETING
CALLED – SPECIAL EMERGENCY MEETING
JULY 8, 2020 1:00 P.M.

Pursuant to V.T.C.A. Gov. Code Section 551.001 et. seq., the City Council of the City of Mission, Texas will hold an Emergency Meeting on Wednesday, July 08, 2020 at 1:00 p.m. at the Mission Council Chambers, 1201 E. 8th Street, Mission, Texas and by Teleconference to consider the following matters.

Time: Wednesday, July 8, 2020 01:00 PM Central Time

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/9904662781?pwd=SGVIL3JZRdENzWXI5VUxFT1ZUQT09>

Meeting ID: 990 466 2781 - Password: 833227

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PRESENT:

Dr. Armando O’caña, Mayor
Jessica Ortega-Ochoa, Councilwoman
Ruben D. Plata, Councilman
Norie Gonzalez Garza, Mayor Pro Tem
Alberto Vela, Councilman
Gus Martinez, City Attorney
Randy Perez, City Manager
Anna Carrillo, City Secretary

ABSENT:

ALSO PRESENT:

Jamie Trevino, Progress Times
Mike Silva
Judy Vega

STAFF PRESENT:

Aida Lerma, Deputy City Manager
David Flores, Deputy City Manager
Angie Vela, Finance Director
Fatima Garcia, Mission Event Center
Abel Bocanegra, EIT
Noemi Munguia, HR Director
Mario Flores, Golf Director
Eduardo Belmarez, Purchasing Director
Belinda Gonzalez, Utility Billing
Roxanne Casarez, Public Information Director
Juan Pablo Terrazas, City Engineer
Janie Gomez, Municipal Court
Jesse Lerma, Civil Service Chief
Gilbert Sanchez, Fire Chief
Frank Cavazos, Deputy Fire Chief
James Cardoza, Emergency Mngmnt. Coord.
Roberto Dominguez, Chief of Police
Joanne Longoria, CDBG Director
Charlie Longoria, Media Relations
Brad Bentsen, Parks & Recreation Director
Mayra Rocha, Library Director
Robert Hinojosa, Risk Manager
Adela Ortega, Social Service Director

1. Call to order

With a quorum being present, Mayor Dr. Armando O’caña called the meeting to order at 1:02 p.m.

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At 1:04 p.m. Councilman Alberto Vela moved to convene into executive session pursuant to V.T.C.A. Gov. Code Sec. 551.001. Motion was seconded by Mayor Pro Tem Norie Gonzalez Garza and approved unanimously 3-0.

Councilman Ruben Plata joined the meeting at 1:11 p.m.

Councilwoman Jessica Ortega-Ochoa joined the meeting at 1:27 p.m.

2. Executive Session pursuant to V.T.C.A. Gov. Code Sec. 551.001

Consultation with Attorney Sec. 551.071

- A. Shelter in place practices
- B. Request for assistance by Mission Regional Medical Center
- C. Employee Course Content COVID-19

The City Council will reconvene in open session to take any actions necessary

At 2:18 p.m. Mayor Pro Tem Garza moved to reconvene in open session. Motion was seconded by Councilwoman Jessica Ochoa and approved unanimously 5-0.

On item 2-A – Councilman Plata moved to approve Safer at Home Emergency Order to be published on July 10, 2020. Motion was seconded by Councilman Vela and approved unanimously 5-0.

On item 2-B – No Action

On item 2-C – Councilman Plata moved to continue employee course as discussed in executive session. Motion was seconded by Councilwoman Ochoa and approved unanimously 5-0.

3. Amendment to CARES Act Budget

No action

4. City of Mission’s policies regarding COVID-19

Randy Perez, City Manager recommended modifications to be made to include limiting hours at city facilities and flex scheduling of employees.

Councilman Plata moved to make necessary adjustments as presented. Motion was seconded by Mayor Pro Tem Garza and approved unanimously 5-0.

A moment of silence was held for Fire Fighter Mike Saldana who passed away on July 8, 2020.

5. Adjournment

At 2:22 p.m. Councilman Vela moved for adjournment. Motion was seconded by Councilman Plata and approved unanimously 5-0.

Dr. Armando O’caña, Mayor

ATTEST:

Anna Carrillo, City Secretary