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NOTICE AND AGENDA OF REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING
Tuesday, July 28, 2020 at 5:00 PM

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of San Elizario, Texas will hold a Regular Meeting on **Tuesday, July 28, 2020 at 5:00 PM** pursuant to the process stated below.

TEMPORARY SUSPENSION OF OPEN MEETINGS LAWS DUE TO EMERGENCY

The Texas Governor temporarily suspended the provisions of the Texas Open Meetings Act that require government officials and members of the public to be physically present at a specified meeting location. As a result, all or some government officials may participate telephone or videoconference to avoid congregate settings in physical locations. This temporary suspension will leave important open meetings protections in place.

Members of the public are encouraged to watch or listen and participate in the meeting by downloading and logging into the City's Microsoft Teams video conference via link: [Join Microsoft Teams Meeting](#) (App download required for free access) or by calling in: [+1 915-255-2276](#) Conference ID: 681 548 078#

Those participating in the meeting are requested to place all electronic devices on silent mode and to mute the audio on the device used to watch/listen to the meeting at all times except when they are recognized by the Mayor to speak.

The public is strongly encouraged to sign up to speak on items on this agenda before the start of this meeting by calling City Clerk Nancy Montes at 915-974-7037 or emailing info@cityofsanelizario.com before 4 pm on 7/28/2020. Advance sign-up is required for making public comment under Agenda item #2.

If you have any questions or need additional assistance, please contact the city at 915-974-7037 or emailing info@cityofsanelizario.com at least one hour prior to the start of the meeting.

The following members of City Council will be present via video/audio conference: Mayor Antonio Araujo, Alderson Place 1 Leticia Miranda, Alderson Place 2 David Cantu, Alderson Place 3 Lorenzo E. Leyva Sr., Alderson Place 4 Maria Covernali, Alderson Place 5 George Almanzar. A quorum of City Council must participate in the meeting and the following items will be discussed, to wit:

1. Roll Call

- a. At the request of the Mayor, the Pledge of Allegiance has been temporarily suspended.
- b. Establishment of Quorum
- c. Excuse absent Council members

2. Public Comment

The City Council welcomes public comments to topics not listed on the agenda. This segment is limited to thirty (30) minutes to the first ten (10) speakers. Speakers must sign in to speak before the start of the council meeting and shall limit their comments to three (3) minutes. The City Council cannot respond to matters not listed on the agenda until placed on a future agenda.

3. Consent Agenda

All matters listed under the Consent Agenda will be considered by the City Council to be routine. City Council members may remove specific items from the Consent Agenda to the Regular Agenda for discussion prior to voting on adoption of the Consent Agenda. Removed items will be considered and acted on after a vote on the Consent Agenda.

- A. Approval of Regular Council Meeting Minutes of June 23, 2020** **Mayor Araujo**

4. Discussion and Action: Approve a Resolution authorizing the Mayor to sign an Interlocal Agreement between the City of San Elizario on behalf of the San Elizario Municipal Court and the Texas Department of Public Safety for participation in the Failure to Appear (FTA) Program. **Mayor Araujo**

5. Discussion and Action: on an Ordinance to amend Ordinances Nos. 2001.03, 2001.03.01 and 2001.03.02 to update and order the next general election of the City of San Elizario which will now be held on November 3, 2020. **Mayor Araujo**

6. Discussion and Action: on the approval of a contract with the El Paso County Elections Administrator regarding the conduct of the November 3, 2020 general election. **Mayor Araujo**

7. Discussion and Action: On an Ordinance adopting Amendment No. 2 to the Annual Budget of the City of San Elizario for FY 2019-2020 to provide for the income and expenditures from grant funding relating to the health emergency. **Mayor Araujo**

8. Discussion and action: on an Ordinance to approve the certified appraisal roll for the City of San Elizario for Tax Year 2020. **Mayor Araujo**

9. Presentation: on SB 2 and other new laws relating to the budget and tax adoption process. **Elaine Hengen**

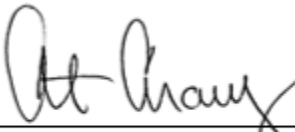
10. Discussion and Presentations: Budget workshop to allow input from the City Council into the preparation of the proposed budget. **Aldersperson Miranda**

11. Discussion and Action: Whether the City will consider a tax increase. **Aldersperson Mranda**

12 Discussion and Action: on consideration or approval of a budget calendar to establish meeting and hearing dates for the budget and tax levy. **Mayor Araujo**

13. Future Agenda Items

14. Adjournment



Antonio Araujo, Mayor

Agenda posted on June 24, 2020

Posted by: Nancy Montes, City Clerk

All items listed on the agenda are eligible for discussion and/or action. The City Council reserves the right to adjourn into executive session at any time during the course of the meeting to discuss any matters listed above as authorized by the Texas Government Code Section 551.071 (Consultation with Attorney), 551.072 (Deliberations about Real Property), 551.073 (Deliberations about Gifts and Donations) 551.074 (Personnel Matters), 551.076 (Deliberations about Security Devices), 551.086 (Economic Development).

The City of San Elizario is committed to compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). Reasonable accommodations and equal access to communications will be provided to those who provide notice to the Mayor at 915-974-7037 at least 48 hours in advance.

Pursuant to Section 30.06, Penal Code (trespass by license holder with a concealed handgun), a person licensed under Subchapter H, Chapter 411, Government Code (handgun licensing law), may not enter this property with a concealed handgun.

Pursuant to Section 30.07, Penal Code (trespass by license holder with an openly carried handgun), a person licensed under Subchapter H, Chapter 411, Government Code (handgun licensing law), may not enter this property with a handgun that is carried openly