

# Meeting Minutes - Approved AS AMENDED A-2024-R-10

Monday, June 24, 2024 5:45 PM City Council Chambers

**City Council** 

# As Amended City of Laredo Regular City Council Meeting A-2024-R-10 COUNCIL CHAMBERS 1110 HOUSTON STREET LAREDO, TEXAS 78040 5:45 P.M.

#### I. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Dr. Victor D. Treviño called the meeting to order at 5:45 p.m.

#### II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The pledge of allegiance was led by Mayor Dr. Victor D. Treviño

#### III. MOMENT OF SILENCE

Mayor Dr. Victor D. Treviño called for a moment of silence for any particular intention.

#### IV. ROLL CALL

Also in attendance:

Assistant City Manager Steve E. Landin Assistant City Manager Jose A. Valdez, Jr. City Secretary Mario Maldonado, Jr. City Attorney Zone Nguyen

Present: Dr. Victor D. Trevino

District I Gilbert Gonzalez

District II Ricardo "Richie" Rangel Jr.

District III Melissa R. Cigarroa District IV Alberto Torres Jr.

Mayor Pro Tempore and District V Ruben Gutierrez Jr.

District VI Dr. David Tyler King District VII Vanessa Perez District VIII Alyssa Cigarroa

#### V. MINUTES

Motion to approve.

Moved: Alberto Torres Jr.

Second: Ruben Gutierrez Jr.

**For:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm.

Cigarroa, Cm. Torres, Cm. Gutierrez, Cm. Dr. Tyler King, Cm. Perez,

and Cm. Cigarroa

Against: 0

Abstain: 0

**Np:** 0

Motion carries.

#### CITIZEN COMMENTS

#### VI. RECOGNITION

1. Recognition of City of Laredo Employees who celebrated the following "Milestone" Years of Service during the Month of June.

**REC.-25** 

#### VII. COMMUNICATIONS

#### VIII. APPOINTMENTS TO COMMISSIONS, BOARDS AND COMMITTEES

Motion to approve appointments 1-2.

Moved: Alberto Torres Jr.

Second: Vanessa Perez

For: Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Cigarroa, Cm. Torres,

Cm. Perez, and Cm. Cigarroa

Against: 0
Abstain: 0

**Np:** Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm. Gutierrez, and Cm. Dr. Tyler King

Motion carries.

1. <u>APPT. - 57</u>

2. APPT. - 58

#### IX. PUBLIC HEARING & INTRODUCTORY ORDINANCE

Motion to open Public Hearings 1-10.

Moved: Alberto Torres Jr.

Second: Vanessa Perez

For: Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Cigarroa, Cm. Torres,

Cm. Perez, and Cm. Cigarroa

Against: 0
Abstain: 0

**Np:** Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm. Gutierrez, and Cm. Dr. Tyler King

Motion carries.

1. Public Hearing and discussion on the voluntary annexation and initial zoning of M-1 (Light Manufacturing District) on a tract of land totaling 25.00 acres, more or less, as described by metes and bounds in the attached Exhibit "A", and known as Annexation Tract 1 (Laredo Readiness Center Tract) located east of FM 1472 and north of Pinto Valle Drive.

The Planning and Zoning Commission recommended approval of the annexation and initial zoning. Staff supports the annexation and initial zoning.

AN-001-2024

District VII - Cm. Vanessa Perez

Attachments: Tract 1 - Maps

Tract 1 - Annexation Agreement & Service Plan

Tract 1 - Ordinance
Tract 1 - Study

Motion to close public hearing.

Moved: Alberto Torres Jr.

Second: Vanessa Perez

For: Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm. Torres,

Cm. Gutierrez, and Cm. Perez

Against: 0
Abstain: 0

**Np:** Cm. Cigarroa, Cm. Dr. Tyler King, and Cm. Cigarroa

Motion carries.

2. Public Hearing and discussion on the voluntary annexation and initial zoning of M-1 (Light Manufacturing District) on a tract of land totaling 477.8249 acres, more or less, as described by metes and bounds in the attached Exhibit "A", and known as Annexation Tract 2 (Killam Charco Industrial Tract) located north of Union Pacific Boulevard and west of International Boulevard.

24-1142

The Planning and Zoning Commission recommended approval of the annexation and recommended denial of the proposed initial zoning of M-1 for the entire tract, but instead recommended a B-3 zoning designation for an area being a seven hundred fifty (750) foot buffer along the eastern edge of the tract as it abuts the western edge of the United High School Main Campus, United High School 9th Grade Campus, and the proposed Killam-Charco Elementary School, and an R-1 zoning designation for an area being a seven hundred fifty (750) foot buffer along the northern and eastern edge of the tract as it abuts the northern edge of the proposed Killam-Charco Elementary School and the western edge of the International Boulevard Extension.

Staff supports the application and does not support the initial zoning of M-1 for the entire 477.8249 acre tract. Staff supports a B-3 zoning designation for an area being a one thousand (1000) foot buffer along the eastern edge of the tract as it abuts the western edge of the United High School Main Campus, United High School 9th Grade Campus and proposed Killam-Charco Elementary School. Furthermore, staff supports

an R-1 zoning designation for an area being a one thousand (1000) foot buffer along the northern and eastern edge of the proposed Killam-Charco Elementary School and the western edge of the International Boulevard Extension.

AN-002-2024

District VI - Cm. David Tyler King

Attachments: Tract 2 - Maps

Tract 2 - Annexation Agreement & Service Plan

Tract 2 - Ordinance
Tract 2 - Study

Motion to close public hearing.

Moved: Alberto Torres Jr.

**Second:** Ruben Gutierrez Jr.

**For:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm. Torres,

Cm. Gutierrez, and Cm. Perez

Against: 0
Abstain: 0

**Np:** Cm. Cigarroa, Cm. Dr. Tyler King, and Cm. Cigarroa

Motion carries.

2. Public Hearing and discussion on the voluntary annexation and initial zoning of M-1 (Light Manufacturing District) on a tract of land totaling 10.40 acres, more or less, as described by metes and bounds in the attached Exhibit "A", and known as Annexation Tract 3 (Terraval Tract) located north of FM 1472 and south of Pinto Valle Drive.

<u>24-1146</u>

The Planning and Zoning Commission recommended approval of the annexation and initial zoning.

Staff supports the application and initial zoning.

AN-003-2024

District VII - Cm. Vanessa Perez

Attachments: Tract 3 - Maps

Tract 3 - Annexation Agreement & Service Plan

Tract 3 - Ordinance
Tract 3 - Study

Motion to close public hearing.

**Moved:** Alberto Torres Jr.

**Second:** Ruben Gutierrez Jr.

**For:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm.

Cigarroa, Cm. Torres, Cm. Gutierrez, and Cm. Perez

Against: 0

Abstain: 0

**Np:** Cm. Dr. Tyler King, and Cm. Cigarroa

#### Motion carries.

4. Public Hearing and discussion on the voluntary annexation and initial zoning of M-1 (Light Manufacturing District) on a tract of land totaling 9.983 acres, more or less, as described by metes and bounds in the attached Exhibit "A", and known as Annexation Tract 4 (Cabello Recovery Tract) located north of State Highway 359 and east of Camino Nuevo Road.

24-1147

The Planning and Zoning Commission recommended approval of the annexation and initial zoning.

Staff supports the application and initial zoning.

AN-004-2024

District III - Cm. Melissa R. Cigarroa

Attachments: Tract 4 - Maps

Tract 4 - Annexation Agreement & Service Plan

Tract 4 - Ordinance
Tract 4 - Study

Motion to close public hearing.

Moved: Alberto Torres Jr.

**Second:** Ruben Gutierrez Jr.

**For:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm.

Cigarroa, Cm. Torres, Cm. Gutierrez, Cm. Perez, and Cm. Cigarroa

Against: 0

Abstain: 0

**Np:** Cm. Dr. Tyler King

#### Motion carries.

5. Public Hearing and Introductory Ordinance of the City of Laredo, Texas, amending the City of Laredo Code of Ordinances Chapter 28, Article IX. - Public Right-of-Way Management, Division 1. - Section 28-165 - Definitions, by deleting definitions Major Projects and Minor Projects; and replacing definitions of Property Frontage Impact Projects, Adjacent Property Frontage Impact Projects, and Curb/Street/Paved Area Impact Projects definitions; and amending Section 28-166 - Utility Planning and Coordination Committee by not requiring Right-of-Way Clearance Letter for Property Frontage Impact Projects, and by requiring Right-of-Way Clearance Letter for Adjacent Property Frontage Impact Projects, and by requiring Right-of-Way Clearance Letter for Curb/Street/Paved Area Impact Projects; providing that this ordinance shall be cumulative; providing a severability clause; and declaring an effective date.

Attachments: Chapter 28 ARTICLE IX. PUBLIC RIGHT OF WAY MANAGEMENT amendment UCC Revised

Motion to close and introduce and bring back on the following City Council meeting.

Moved: Ruben Gutierrez Jr.

Second: Alberto Torres Jr.

For: Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm.

Cigarroa, Cm. Torres, Cm. Gutierrez, and Cm. Perez

Against: 0
Abstain: 0

**Np:** Cm. Dr. Tyler King, and Cm. Cigarroa

Motion carries.

6. Public Hearing and Introductory Ordinance of the City of Laredo, Texas, amending the Code of Ordinances Chapter 18, Article V, in order to clarify the need to enforce existing business regulations entitled "Regulation for New Business Registration" and adding Section 18.21 "Registration Requirements for New and Existing Businesses;" adding Section 18.21(a) entitled "Registration Requirements for New Businesses;" adding Section 18.21 (b) entitled "Registration Requirements for Existing Businesses;" and amending Section 18-23 entitled "Application Fee" by increasing the application fee from \$50.00 to \$200.00 for New Businesses and adding a Technology Fee of \$150.00 for New Businesses; and by clarifying all Businesses, New and Existing require a valid Certificate of Occupancy to operate, providing for publication, providing for a severability clause, and declaring and effective date.

Attachments: New Business Ordinance to raise fee 2.docx

Motion to close and introduce and bring back on the following City Council meeting.

Moved: Ruben Gutierrez Jr.

Second: Alberto Torres Jr.

**For:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm.

Cigarroa, Cm. Torres, Cm. Gutierrez, and Cm. Perez

Against: 0
Abstain: 0

**Np:** Cm. Dr. Tyler King, and Cm. Cigarroa

Motion carries.

7. A Public Hearing and Introductory ordinance of the City of Laredo, Texas, amending Chapter 21, "Offenses and Miscellaneous provisions," of the Code of Ordinances by adding article XVI, "Habitual Criminal and Nuisance Properties"; establishing regulations for habitual nuisance properties and establishing a fee schedule for properties deemed a habitual nuisance property.

<u>24-1170</u>

Attachments: Habitual Offender Ordinance

Habitual Nuisance Fee Schedule

Motion to close and introduce and bring back on the following City Council meeting.

Moved: Ruben Gutierrez Jr.

Second: Alberto Torres Jr.

**For:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm.

Cigarroa, Cm. Torres, Cm. Gutierrez, and Cm. Perez

Against: 0
Abstain: 0

**Np:** Cm. Dr. Tyler King, and Cm. Cigarroa

Motion carries.

8. A Public Hearing and Introductory Ordinance of the City of Laredo, Texas, imposing a moratorium on applications and plans for development for permits, plats, verifications, rezonings and site plans for car wash businesses within the corporate city limits of Laredo, Texas; adopting written findings justifying the moratorium.

**<u>Attachments: Moratorium Ordinance</u>** 

JUSTIFICATION FOR COMMERCIAL MORATORIUM

Motion to close and introduce, and to host a Public Hearing held on Friday June 28, 2024 at 11:00 a.m.

Moved: Alberto Torres Jr.

Second: Vanessa Perez

9. Public Hearing and Introductory Ordinance authorizing the City Manager to accept and enter into a contract amendment from the Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) for the IDCU/COVID-19 Grant program, amending the FY2023-2024 budget by appropriating revenues and expenditures in the additional amount of \$1,103,507.00, for a total grant award of \$5,752,479.00, with no match, for the City of Laredo Public Health Department, and amending the City of Laredo Public Health Department FY2023-2024 Full Time Equivalent (FTE) Position Listing by creating two (2) Senior Office Assistant, 202 positions and one (1) Custodian, 201 position for the term period from August 07, 2020 through July 31, 2026. Funding is available in the IDCU/COVID-19 Grant - Public Health Department fund.

Attachments: INTRO ORD- IDCU COVID19.doc

Motion to close and introduce and bring back on the following City Council meeting.

Moved: Ruben Gutierrez Jr.

Second: Alberto Torres Jr.

For: Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm.

Cigarroa, Cm. Torres, Cm. Gutierrez, Cm. Dr. Tyler King, Cm. Perez,

and Cm. Cigarroa

Against: 0
Abstain: 0

**Np:** 0

Motion carries.

10. Public Hearing and Introductory Ordinance of the City of Laredo, Texas, amending Chapter 15, "Health and Sanitation," Article I "In General" of the Code of Ordinances Section 15-5 "Fees for Influenza, Childhood and Other Immunizations" to update the section title; update fees for vaccines of state programs; include fees for non-state private stock vaccines; providing a severability clause; providing a savings clause; and providing for an effective date.

24-1191

Attachments: Ord. 15-5 (002).doc

Motion to close and introduce and bring back on the following City Council meeting.

**Moved:** Ricardo "Richie" Rangel Jr.

**Second:** Alberto Torres Jr.

0

**For:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm.

Cigarroa, Cm. Torres, Cm. Gutierrez, and Cm. Perez

Against: 0

**Np:** Cm. Dr. Tyler King, and Cm. Cigarroa

Motion carries.

(Recess)

(Press Availability)

Abstain:

#### X. INTRODUCTORY ORDINANCES

#### City Council to introduce Introductory Ordinances 11-15.

11. An Ordinance authorizing the City Manager to execute a lease agreement between The Laredo International Airport and Freightsol, LLC, for approximately 157 square feet of office space, suite #130, located at 4719 Maher Avenue, Laredo, Webb County, Texas, on a property legally described as Block no. 1, of the Subdivision Plat of Laredo Airport according to the map or plat thereof recorded in Volume 5, Page 1, Plat Records of Webb County, Texas. The proposed lease term is for three (3) years commencing on August 1, 2024 until July 31, 2027. Initial monthly rent shall be \$800.00 a month and will be adjusted annually according to changes in the Consumer Price Index (CPI); and providing for an effective date. There is no financial expenditure impact.

**Attachments: Ordinance** 

FREIGHTSOL LLC LEASE 06.06.24

12. An Ordinance authorizing the City Manager to execute a rental car agency concession and lease agreement with Avis Budget Car Rental dba Avis and Budget, for the approximate 165 square feet of office and counter space located in car rental space #2 and 19 parking spaces located at 5210 Bob Bullock Loop at the Laredo International Airport. Lease term is for three (3) years commencing on August 1, 2024, and ending on July 31, 2027. Minimum Annual Guarantee (MAG) shall be \$178,905 and rent for leased space shall be \$8,393.52 annually; providing for an effective date. There is no financial expenditure impact.

24-1314

<u>Attachments</u>: 2024 Lease Agreement Car Rental Concession FINAL ORDINANCE

13. An Ordinance authorizing the City Manager to execute an amendment to lease agreement between the City of Laredo, as lessor, and Laredo Aero Center DBA Signature Flight Support, as lessee, approved by Ordinance No. 95-O-156 dated August 8, 1995, and as amended by Ordinance No. 2008-O-031 amending Section 1.01, leases premises, to reduce from 92,192 square feet to 87,918 square feet located at 5203 Maher avenue at the Laredo International Airport. Additionally, amending Section 1.03 Rental Obligation, monthly rent shall be reduced from \$10,449.89 to \$9,965.43. All other terms and conditions remain unchanged and in effect; providing for an effective date. There is no financial expenditure impact.

24-1164

<u>Attachments</u>: <u>Signature Flight Support Ordinance 06.06.24 (003)</u> <u>Signature Flight Support Amendment 06.06.24</u>

14. Introductory Ordinance ordering and proclaiming a General City Election to be held on Tuesday, November 5, 2024; for: the Election of City Officials; designating polling places; providing for publication; and authorizing the City Manager to enter into a contract with the Webb County Elections Office / Administrator in the amount of \$116,217.07 for the purpose of conducting a joint election with the County of Webb, City of Rio Bravo, Laredo College, Laredo Independent School District, United Independent School District, and the Webb Consolidated Independent School District; and any other matters relating thereto.

<u>24-1210</u>

Attachments: Election Contract
General Election Ordinance

15. An Introductory Ordinance authorizing the City Manager to execute all necessary legal documents granting AEP Texas Inc., a 4.818 acre (209,881.82 Sq ft) supplemental easement, conveyed by deed to The City of Laredo, said tract lies wholly within a portion of 106.8704 acres of land, more or less Abstract 296, Porcion 32 A Trevino Original Grantee and being out of Lot 1, Block 1 of the City of Laredo Landfill., Webb County, Texas. Said easement has an estimated Webb CAD value of \$32,531.68. Being more particularly described by Exhibit "A" attached hereto and made part of; providing for an effective date.

24-1204

**2024-O-121** 

Attachments: Intro Ordinance AEP Landfill Supplemental Easement

**Aerial** 

Supplemental Easement

Exhibit A

#### XI. SECOND READING

#### Motion to second reading.

16. An Ordinance authorizing the City Manager to grant a non-exclusive franchise to GPI Equipment Leasing LLC DBA Trash Ninja to use the present and future streets, avenues, alleys, roads, highways, sideways, easements and other public rights-of-way of the City of Laredo, Texas for purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating a commercial container refuse gathering and disposing service, setting forth terms and conditions to govern the franchise; Providing a severability clause, a savings clause and effective date.

Attachments: GPI Equipment Leasing, LLC DBA Trash Ninja 2nd Reading

Franchise.docx 051524.docx

Motion to approve second reading of Ordinance #16.

**Moved:** Alberto Torres Jr.

Second: Ruben Gutierrez Jr.

**For:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm.

Cigarroa, Cm. Torres, Cm. Gutierrez, and Cm. Perez

Against: 0

Abstain: 0

**Np:** Cm. Dr. Tyler King, and Cm. Cigarroa

Motion carries.

#### XII. THIRD AND FINAL READINGS

17. An Ordinance authorizing the City Manager to grant a non-exclusive franchise to STX Dump Services to use the present and future streets, avenues, alleys, roads, highways, sideways, easements and other public rights-of-way of the City of Laredo, Texas for purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating a commercial container refuse gathering and disposing service, setting forth terms and conditions to govern the franchise; Providing a severability clause, a savings clause and an effective date.

Attachments: STX Dump Services 3rd Reading Franchise.docx 061124.docx

Motion approve third and final reading of item #17.

Moved: Alberto Torres Jr.

Second: Vanessa Perez

**For:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm.

Cigarroa, Cm. Torres, Cm. Gutierrez, Cm. Dr. Tyler King, and Cm.

Perez

Against: 0

**Abstain:** 0

**Np:** Cm. Cigarroa

Motion carries.

#### XIII. FINAL READING OF ORDINANCES

Motion to approve final reading of Ordinances 18,19,20,21,22,23,24,25,27.

**Moved:** Alberto Torres Jr.

Second: Ricardo "Richie" Rangel Jr.

 For:
 0

 Against:
 0

 Abstain:
 0

Np: Cm. Cigarroa

Motion did not carry.

18. 2024-O-113

Attachments: ZC-034-2024 - Final Staff Report

ZC-034-2024 - Maps

ZC-034-2024 - Measurement Map

ZC-034-2024 - Survey ZC-034-2024 - Narrative ZC-034-2024 - Site Plan ZC-034-2024 - Signage

Final Ordinance- ZC-034-2024

19. <u>2024-O-114</u>

Attachments: ZC-043-2024 - Final Staff Report

ZC-043-2024 - Maps ZC-043-2024 - Signage Ordinance 96-O-079

Final Ordinance ZC-043-2024

20. <u>2024-O-115</u>

Attachments: ZC-047-2024 - Final Staff Report

ZC-047-2024 - Maps

ZC-047-2024 - Measurement Map

<u>ZC-047-2024 - Narrative</u> <u>ZC-047-2024 - Site Plan</u> <u>ZC-047-2024 - Tenant List</u> <u>ZC-047-2024 - Signage</u>

Final Ordinance- ZC-047-2024

21. 2024-O-116

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Attachments: ZC-039-2024 - Final Staff Report

ZC-039-2024 - Maps

ZC-039-2024 - Narrative

ZC-039-2024 - Site Plan

ZC-039-2024 - Tenant List

ZC-039-2024 - Zone Change Signage

Final Ordinance- ZC-039-2023

22. <u>2024-O-117</u>

Attachments: ZC-041-2024 - Final Staff Report

ZC-041-2024 - Maps

ZC-041-2024 - Survey, Metes, & Bounds ZC-041-2024 - Zone Change Signage

Final Ordinance ZC-041-2024

23. <u>2024-O-118</u>

Attachments: ZC-045-2024 - Final Staff Report

ZC-045-2024 - Maps

ZC-045-2024 - Zone Change Signage

Final Ordinance ZC-045-2024

24. <u>2024-O-119</u>

Attachments: ZC-046-2024 - Final Staff Report

ZC-046-2024 - Maps

ZC-046-2024 - Narrative

ZC-046-2024 - Site Plan

ZC-046-2024 - Tenant List

ZC-046-2024 - Lease Agreement

ZC-046-2024 - Zone Change Signage

Final Ordinance- ZC-046-2023

25. 2024-O-120

Attachments: ZC-048-2024 - Final Staff Report

ZC-048-2024 - Maps

ZC-048-2024 - Survey, Metes, & Bounds

ZC-048-2024 - Zone Change Signage

Final Ordinance ZC-048-2024

26. Final reading amending ordinance No. 2024-O-095 Chapter 31 (Utilities), Article V (Water Conservation) Section 31-237 to include the City Council in the determination of Stage 4 drought restrictions, Section 31-238 to include a threshold and surcharges when thresholds are exceeded in

Stage 3 and 4 drought conditions. Stage 3 and 4 surcharges and

thresholds are as follows:

Single Family Residential

Stage 3- \$10.00 per thousand gallons for customers exceeding 20,000

gallons

Stage 4- \$10.00 per thousand gallons for customers exceeding 15,000

gallons

#### Multi Family Residential

Stage 3- \$10.00 per thousand gallons over the threshold. Multifamily thresholds will be determined by multiplying the number of units by 20,000 gallons.

Stage 4- \$10.00 per thousand gallons over the threshold. Multifamily thresholds will be determined by multiplying the number of units by 15,000 gallons.

#### Commercial Irrigation

Stage 3- \$10.00 per thousand gallons for customers exceeding 15,000 gallons

Stage 4- \$10.00 per thousand gallons for customers exceeding 10,000 gallons

Attachments: ARTICLE V. WATER CONSERVATION (Revision)

#### Motion to approve.

Moved: Alberto Torres Jr.

Second: Ruben Gutierrez Jr.

**For:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm.

Cigarroa, Cm. Torres, Cm. Gutierrez, Cm. Dr. Tyler King, Cm. Perez,

and Cm. Cigarroa

 Against:
 0

 Abstain:
 0

 Np:
 0

#### Motion carries.

27. An Ordinance authorizing the City Manager to accept and enter into a contract from the Department of Health and Human Services, Children & Youth with Special Health Care Needs Case Management (CYSHCN) Grant, amending the FY2023-2024 City of Laredo Public Health Department budget by appropriating revenues and expenditures in the amount of \$88,000.00, with no match for the City of Laredo Public Health Department, and amend the City of Laredo Public Health Department FY2023-2024 Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) position listing by adding one (1) Caseworker, 206 position, with four (4) one-year renewals to include total grant amount of \$440,000.00 for the term period from September 01, 2024 through August 31, 2029.

Attachments: 2024-O-123.doc

#### XIV. CONSENT AGENDA

Motion to approve Consent Agenda items 28-58 with the while excluding 31,28,40,42,47.

**Moved:** Alberto Torres Jr.

Second: Ruben Gutierrez Jr.

**For:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm.

Cigarroa, Cm. Torres, Cm. Gutierrez, Cm. Dr. Tyler King, Cm. Perez,

and Cm. Cigarroa

 Against:
 0

 Abstain:
 0

 Np:
 0

Motion carries.

#### **BRIDGE: YVETTE LIMON, DIRECTOR**

28. Consideration to authorize the purchase of new batteries and service life extension program to replace the electronic components of the uninterruptible power supply (UPS) for the Laredo Bridge System in the amount of \$195,885.37 from Flair Data Systems, Inc., Plano, Texas through the State of Texas DIR contract DIR-TSO-4354. Funding is available in the Laredo Bridge System Construction Fund.

Attachments: Quote

29. Authorization to reject the inclusion of an intelligent freight system concept to the City's pending presidential permit for the Colombia-Solidarity Bridge due to timing concerns.

Attachments: Colombia Solidarity PPA-Recommendation

#### COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT: TINA MARTINEZ DIRECTOR

30. Authorizing the City Manager to amend 3rd Party Funding Hotel/Motel contract with Laredo Heat Youth Soccer, Inc. by changing the original expenses approved that were awarded by City Council on October 2,

2023.

From:

Original Expense Line Budget

Field Rental Fee \$24,000.00

Player Registration Expense and Tournament Fees \$4,000.00

Game Field and Improvement Expense \$2,000.00

To:

Updated Expense Line Budget

Payroll Expense \$12,000.00

Game Field and Equipment Expense \$8,000.00

Player Registration Expense and Tournament Fees \$5,000.00

Field Rental Fee Expense \$3,000.00

Referee Fee Expense \$2,000.00

#### **CONVENTION & VISITORS BUREAU: AILEEN RAMOS, DIRECTOR**

31. Discussion with possible action to enter into an Agreement with the Laredo PONY Association for sponsorship in an amount not to exceed \$60,000.00 of the 2024 Super Regional Baseball Tournament to be held from July 5 through July 7, 2024, and the South Zone Colt & Palomino Tournament Baseball Tournament to be held from July 17 to July 20, 2024, and World Series Bronco & Palomino Baseball Tournament to be held from July 25 to the 29, 2024. It is anticipated that over 80 teams will participate from throughout the United States, Mexico, Europe, and, Asia. Funding is available in the Convention and Visitor's Bureau Fund.

Attachments: MOU PONY 2024 V4

Motion to approve non reimbursable \$90,000.00 the same as last year, and that moving forward management do at least 6 months of preparation.

Moved: Alberto Torres Jr.

Second: Ruben Gutierrez Jr.

**For:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm.

Cigarroa, Cm. Torres, Cm. Gutierrez, Cm. Dr. Tyler King, Cm. Perez,

and Cm. Cigarroa

 Against:
 0

 Abstain:
 0

 Np:
 0

Motion carries.

32. Discussion with possible action to initiate a Sister Cities Agreement with the City of Ciudad Fernandez, San Luis Potosi, Mexico and any matters incident thereto.

**Attachments: Sister Cities Cd Fernandez** 

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#### **DETOXIFICATION CENTER: DR. SAN JUANA VIVIANA MARTINEZ, DIRECTOR**

33. Ratifying the execution of a service agreement between the City of Laredo Detoxification and Gloria Nataki-Koroma for psychiatric nurse practitioner services necessary within scope of practice for appropriate treatment of City of Laredo Detoxification Department patients. Total contract will be for 12 months, for a total not to exceed \$100,000.00. Funding is available in the American Rescue Plan Act Fund.

Attachments: Psychiatric Nurse Practitioner Service Agreement FY 25.pdf

34. Ratifying the execution of a service agreement between the City of Laredo Detoxification and Ritten Inc. for electronic medical record services for the City of Laredo Detoxification Department. Total contract will be for 30 months, for a total not to exceed \$58,200.00. Funding is available in the American Rescue Plan Act Fund.

Attachments: Ritten FY 25-26 Contract.pdf

#### **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT: MIRIAM CASTILLO, DIRECTOR**

35. A resolution of the City Council of The City of Laredo, Texas authorizing the City Manager to submit a grant application in an amount not to exceed \$2,000,000.00 to U.S. Department of Transportation (USDOT), under the 2024 Strengthening Mobility and Revolutionizing Transportation (SMART) Grant program for adaptive systems for the City of Laredo Traffic Department. If awarded, grant will allow the use of funding for advanced data technology and applications to provide traffic relief along FM1472 focusing on safety, reliability, resiliency, equity and access, climate change, and integration. The grant program does not require a local match. The grant will be accounted for in the Capital Grants Fund.

Attachments: 2025-R-23 SMART Grant

A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Laredo, Texas, authorizing the City Manager to approve, enter into a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA), and to execute all relevant documents between the City of Laredo, Texas and Laredo College to provide a Workforce Development and Skills Certificate Program in the areas of Hospitality, HVAC, and Pharmacy Technician. The City appropriated \$200,000.00 in funding for this program under the American Rescue Plan Act Fund.

2024-R-200

Attachments: 2024-R-200 RESOLUTION for Hospitality HVAC Pharmacist

MOU Agreement V1

LC-COL ARP MOU Agreement Hospitality HVAC Pharmacist

#### **ENGINEERING: RAMON E. CHAVEZ P.E., CITY ENGINEER**

A resolution authorizing the City Manager to execute an Advance Funding Agreement (AFA) with the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) for the Highway Safety Improvement Program (HSIP), which includes traffic signal improvements at the intersection of McPherson Road and Alta Vista Drive. The project has been awarded federal funds in the amount of \$244,525.00 and the City of Laredo shall cover any cost overruns including direct state costs in the estimated amount of \$25,000.00 Funds are available in General Fund-Traffic Division.

Attachments: Advanced Funding Agreement 2024-R-196 Resolution

**38**. **24-1116** 

Attachments: FY24-ENG-23 - City Secretary

FY24-ENG-23 - Supplier Response (ALC Construction Co.,

Inc.)

FY24-ENG-23 - Supplier Response (Capstone Industrial

Services, LLC)

<u>FY24-ENG-23 - Supplier Response (STX Civil)</u> FY24-ENG-23 - Letter of Recommendation

Motion to approve.

Moved: Alberto Torres Jr.

Second: Vanessa Perez

**For:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm.

Cigarroa, Cm. Torres, Cm. Gutierrez, Cm. Dr. Tyler King, Cm. Perez,

and Cm. Cigarroa

Against: 0
Abstain: 0

**Np:** 0

#### Motion carries.

39. Consideration to award a construction contract to the lowest responsible, responsive bidder Mage 4Group, Ltd. Laredo, Texas, in an amount not to exceed \$1,860,521.00 for the FY24-ENG-48 Springfield Avenue Phase 2A project for the total base bid including a \$200,000.00 contingency allowance. The construction contract time for the project is 135 working days. Funding is available in the Capital Grants Fund.

24-1117

- 1. Mage 4Group, Ltd. Laredo, Texas Total Base Bid Amount \$1,860,521.00
- 2. Texas Guardrail Contractors LLC, DBA STX Civil, Laredo, Texas Total Base Bid Amount \$2,219,080.38

Attached is a letter of recommendation from Gilpin Engineering Company, Laredo, Texas.

Attachments: FY24-ENG-48 - Letter of Recommendation - Bid Tabulation

FY24-ENG-48 - City Secretary

FY24-ENG-48 - Supplier Response (G4 Construction Co.)

FY24-ENG-48 - Supplier Response (STX Civil)

40. Consideration for approval of amendment No. 2 an increase of \$2,989,739.00 to the professional services contract with RS&H, Inc., San Antonio, Texas, for the Laredo International Airport Terminal Improvements Program. This amendment No. 2 is for design adjustments, construction administration and Periodic on-site observation services, construction materials testing services and direct expenses. Current professional services contract with this amendment is \$6,406,480.00. Funding is available in Airport Construction Fund, FAA AIP Grant 102.

**24-1189** 

Attachments: Amendment #2 - Proposal

Motion to approve.

Moved: Ruben Gutierrez Jr.

Second: Melissa R. Cigarroa

For: Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Cigarroa, Cm. Gutierrez, Cm. Dr. Tyler King,

and Cm. Cigarroa

Against: 0

**Abstain:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino

**Np:** Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm. Torres, and Cm. Perez

Motion carries.

41. Consideration for approval of the Laredo International Airport Taxiways
G1 and G2 construction as substantially complete and release of a partial retainage payment of the items that are one hundred percent completed and accepted in the amount of \$239,072.40 to REIM Construction, Inc., Mission, Texas. Current construction contract amount is \$7,969,080.04. Funding is available in the Airport Construction Fund.

<u>Attachments</u>: <u>Letter of Recommendation - G1 & G2 Engineers Partial release</u> of retainage

#### FLEET MANAGEMENT: RONALD MILLER, DIRECTOR

- **42.** Consideration to award annual service contracts FY24-067, Outside Tire Repair Contract to the following vendors:
  - 1). Section I: outside tire repairs for mid-size vehicles:
  - (a). Toro Automotive, Laredo, Texas in an amount up to \$100,000.00 (Primary Vendor);
  - (b). Border Tire, Laredo, Texas in an amount up to \$70,000.00 (Secondary Vendor); and
  - 2). Section II: outside tire repairs for heavy-duty trucks:
  - (a). Toro Automotive, Laredo, Texas in an amount up to \$70,000.00 (Primary Vendor);
  - (b). Southern Tire Mart, Laredo, Texas in an amount up to \$60,000.00 (Secondary Vendor); and
  - 3). Section III: outside tire repairs for industrial sized trucks:
  - (a). Southern Tire Mart, Laredo, Texas in an amount up to \$90,000.00 (Primary Vendor);
  - (b). T&W Tire LLC., Laredo, Texas in an amount up to \$45,000.00 (Secondary Vendor).

All outside tire repair services will be secured on an as needed basis. Although Oyervides Tire Service was low bidder on some sections, they have no established place of business or tire service equipment in Laredo, Texas. The term of this contract shall be for a period of one year beginning as of the date of its execution and is contingent upon the availability of appropriated funds. This contract can be renewed three additional one year extension periods upon mutual agreement of the

parties. Funding is available in the Fleet Management Fund.

Attachments: Bid Tab FY24-067

FY24-067 Contracts

FY24-067 Recommendation

Motion to approve.

Moved: Ruben Gutierrez Jr.

Second: Melissa R. Cigarroa

**For:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm. Cigarroa, Cm.

Gutierrez, Cm. Dr. Tyler King, and Cm. Cigarroa

Against: 0

Abstain: 0

**Np:** Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Torres, and Cm. Perez

Motion carries.

43. Consideration to renew parts/service contract FY22-088 with Industrial Disposal Supply, San Antonio, Texas, in an amount up to \$125,000.00 for the purchase of Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM) parts/service for the City's street sweepers. All parts will be secured on an as-needed basis. The term of this contract shall be for a period of one year beginning as of the date of its execution and is contingent upon the availability of appropriated funds. There was no price increase during the last extension period. This contract can be renewed one additional one-year extension period, upon mutual agreement of the parties. Funding is available in the Fleet Management Fund.

Attachments: FY22-088 Contract Bid Tab FY22-088

#### PUBLIC HEALTH: DR. RICHARD A. CHAMBERLAIN, DIRECTOR

44. Authorizing the City Manager to accept and enter into a continuation contract from the Bexar County Hospital District d/b/a University Health, HEP C - Colonias Advancing and Restoring Esperanza (CARE) Program Grant in the amount of \$353,093.00 with no match for the City of Laredo Public Health Department for the term period from June 01, 2024 through May 31, 2025. Funding is available in the HEP C - CARE Program Grant - Public Health Department fund.

Attachments: 2024-R-195.doc

45. Authorizing the City Manager to submit a grant application to the Texas Health and Human Services (HHS) for the Alzheimer's Disease and Related Dementias (ADRD) Grant, in the estimated amount of \$150,000.00, with no match for the City of Laredo Public Health Department for the term period from September 01,2024 through August 31, 2025, with up to four (4) one-year renewals through August 31, 2029 for a total grant award of up to \$750,000.00, and further authorizing the City Manager to execute all documents resulting from the award of this

2024-R-198

2024-R-195

grant. Any funding as a result of this application will be appropriated in the ADRD Grant - Public Health Department fund.

Attachments: 2024-R-198.doc

46. Authorizing the City Manager to accept and enter into a continuation contract from the Department of State Health Services, Tuberculosis (TB) Prevention and Control Grant in the total grant amount of \$336,730.00 with an in-kind match of \$67,436.00 for the City of Laredo Public Health Department for the term period from September 01, 2024 through August 31, 2025. Funding is available in the TB Federal Grant and TB Elimination Grant - Public Health Department fund.

Attachments: 2024-R-199.doc

47. Authorization to reject a proposal for an MOU with the Rio Grande International Study Center (RGISC) for independent air monitoring at International Bridges Two and Three due to concerns regarding duplication of efforts with the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ).

24-1234

Attachments: Recommendation on Air Monitoring at Bridges

Motion to have the item discussed at a Port of Entry committee meeting or a town hall/ Port of Entry committee meeting, and to reach out to the transportation industry and the associations to attend the meeting as a town hall. Also, for the Port of Entry committee be hosted by the City at Council Chambers, and the agenda be controlled by the Port of Entry committee with any presentations.

**Moved:** Alberto Torres Jr.

**Second:** Ricardo "Richie" Rangel Jr.

For: Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm.

Cigarroa, Cm. Torres, Cm. Gutierrez, Cm. Dr. Tyler King, and Cm.

Cigarroa

Against: 0
Abstain: 0

Np: Cm. Perez

Motion carries.

#### PARKS & RECREATION: JUAN J. GOMEZ, JR., DIRECTOR

48. Consideration to renew supply contract number FY23-053 with Midas Contractors, Laredo, Texas in the amount of up to \$80,000.00 for the purchase of fencing materials for the Parks & Recreation Department. This fencing material shall be purchased on an as needed basis by the Parks and Recreation Department for various city parks. The term of this contract shall be for a period of one year beginning as of the date of its execution. There was no price increase during the last extension period. This contract can be renewed for two additional one-year extension periods, upon mutual agreement of the parties. Funding is available in the

2024-R-184

24-1138

24-1071

General Fund-Parks Department.

Attachments: FY23-053 Bid Tab FY23-053 Contract

49. A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Laredo, Texas, authorizing the City Manager to accept the donation of parkland of 11.1311-Acre Tract of land being Lot 15, Block 10 as per plat recorded in Volume 36, pages 89-90 of the plat records of Webb County, Texas and Lot 1, Block 17 and Lot 1, Block 18 of the Southern Development Unit IV as per plat recorded in volume 38, pages 50-52 of the plat records of Webb County, Texas with an estimated value of \$500,899.50 from 359- IP Development, Inc. to develop a city park to serve for recreational parkland purposes in accordance with the land development code. Additionally, 359-IP Development, Inc. has provided improvements for said park in the total amount of \$147,370.06 which exceeds the required amount of \$110,528.00 as per the attached agreement. Authorizing the execution of warranty deed; and providing for an effective date.

Attachments: Agreement

Southern Development Resolution

Warranty Deed

Survey

50. Consideration to award a three-year contract FY24-070 to Raul Miguel Ramos, Laredo, Texas in an annual amount of \$35,000.00 and a three-year total amount of \$105,000.00 for professional tennis services for the Parks & Recreation Department. The services requested include that the Tennis Professional shall develop, plan, supervise a tennis program, conduct tennis lessons and clinics. The term of this contract shall be for a period of three years beginning as of the date of its execution and is contingent upon the availability of appropriated funds. This contract can be renewed for one additional three-year extension period, upon mutual agreement of the parties. Funding is available in General Fund-Parks Department.

Attachments: FY24-070 Bid Tab

FY24-070 Evaluation FY24-070 Contract

#### PLANNING & ZONING: VANESSA GUERRA, ACTING DIRECTOR

51. Consideration to renew a yearly service contract with Avolve Software Corp., Scottsdale, Arizona, in the amount of \$119,070.00 for the annual fee of a full deployment version of electronic building permits plan review process management. Avolve Software Corp. is a sole source provider of this software. Service agreement renewal term June 8, 2024 to June 7, 2025. This agreement is subject to future appropriations and funding is available in the General Fund- Building Services Budget.

Attachments: Sole Source Affidavit

Service Agreement

POLICE: MIGUEL RODRIGUEZ, CHIEF OF POLICE

52. Authorizing the City Manager to ratify the submission of a grant application in the amount of \$1,401,606.00 to the Texas Motor Vehicle Crime Prevention Authority (MVCPA) to fund the Laredo Auto Theft Task Force for the period of September 1, 2024 through August 31, 2025. This grant pays for salaries, supplies, and equipment for the LPD Auto Theft Unit. The city's local match is \$518,328.00 for a total grant amount of \$1.919.934.00. Funding is available in the Auto Theft Task Force Fund.

2024-R-192

Attachments: Resolution #2024-R-192 (MVCPA grant application).doc

53. Authorizing the City Manager to enter into a donation agreement between the City of Laredo, a municipal corporation, and the Explorer Program Post 468, the donee, to provide a donation in the amount \$12,590.00 to the donee. This funding will be used towards expenses needed to fully equip and prepare the Explorer Program Post 468 explorers to assist the Laredo community during public events and represent the City of Laredo at area and state competitions. Funding will be available in General Fund.

2024-R-201

Attachments: Resolution #2024-R-201 (Explorer Program donation agreement).doc
2024 Donation Agreement Explorer Program.pdf

54. Authorizing the City Manager to submit a grant application in the amount of \$112,800.00 to the U.S. Department of Justice Programs for the purpose of funding the FY2024 Patrick Leahy Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant. The funds will be utilized to replace 120 vests that have exceeded the recommended life expectancy. If awarded the Bulletproof Vest Partnership Program will provide funding in the amount of \$56,400.00 with the other 50% of the project being provided by city match. Grant funding will be accounted for in the Special Police Fund.

2024-R-202

Attachments: Resolution

#### TAX: DORA MALDONADO, TAX ASSESSOR COLLECTOR

55. Motion to approve tax roll adjustments for the month of May 2024. The amounts adjusted represent a decrease of \$14,356.18 for prior year taxes and a decrease of \$35,771.64 for current year taxes. The aggregate adjustment represents a decrease of \$50,127.82. These adjustments are determine by value changes reported by the Webb County Appraisal District, which include rollbacks and reflected in General Fund.

<u>24-1136</u>

Attachments: May 2024 Tax Adjustment Reports.pdf

56. Motion to approve property tax refunds in the amounts of \$4,823.84 and \$3,417.27 due to overpayments as required by Section 31.11(a) of the Texas Property Tax Code. The total refund in the amount of \$8,241.11 will be issued to Lereta, LLC who overpaid on numerous tax accounts that they service.

<u>24-1137</u>

Attachments: Lereta, LLC-Refund Applications.pdf

UTILITIES: ARTURO GARCIA, P.E., DIRECTOR

57. A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Laredo, Texas, authorizing the City Manager to accept the conveyance of a 20-foot-wide utility and access easement for water main and/or line(s) from ARMS General, LTD. and AARTI, LLC., being a tract of land of 0.52 acres of land more or less, situated in Lot 16 & 17, Block 2, Laredo Town Center Phase 2, City of Laredo, Webb County, Texas as recorded in Volume 36, Pages 6-7, Webb County Map records. Said 20-foot-wide utility and access easement being more particularly described by metes and bounds in attached Exhibit "A" and depicted on Exhibit "B"; Attached hereto and made part of hereof; Providing for an effective date. Estimated value \$56.854.51.

2024-R-173

Attachments: Exhibit A Meets & Bounds

Exhibit B Survey

Comparable Appraisals
RESOLUTION 2024-R-173

58. <u>24-1161</u>

Consideration to approve a five-year lease agreement contract with Pitney Bowes in the annual amount of \$84,495.96 and total five-year amount of \$422,479.80 utilizing the Buy Board Cooperative #656-21 for the lease of equipment for processing utility bills and disconnection notices. The term of this contract shall be for a five-year period, with an effective date of October 21, 2024. Funding is available in the Water Works Fund Billing Division.

Attachments: City of Laredo Water Utilities BuyBoard Lease 656-21 8038

Relay 7000 and 8000 with PPC CRM Software and Riso Printer

Lease Renewal Agreement 5-3-24.pdf

Statement of Work.3.pdf

Vendor Summary - Pitney Bowes

Pitney Bowes - Letter of Effective Date

#### **END OF CONSENT AGENDA**

#### XV. STAFF REPORTS

59. Discussion with possible action regarding the exemption of designated landmarks, and buildings within the Historic Districts from the City of Laredo adopted International Code Council (ICC) codes, and any other matters incident thereto.

<u>24-1232</u>

Motion to table and bring back on the following City Council meeting.

**Moved:** Alberto Torres Jr.

Second: Ruben Gutierrez Jr.

**For:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm.

Cigarroa, Cm. Torres, Cm. Gutierrez, Cm. Dr. Tyler King, and Cm.

Cigarroa

Against: 0

**Abstain:** 0

**Np:** Cm. Perez

Motion carries.

60. <u>24-1268</u>

61. <u>24-1267</u>

#### XVI. EXECUTIVE SESSION

Motion to go into Executive Session for items 62, 63, 64.

Moved: Alberto Torres Jr.

Second: Gilbert Gonzalez

For: Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm.

Cigarroa, Cm. Torres, Cm. Gutierrez, Cm. Dr. Tyler King, and Cm.

Cigarroa

Against: 0
Abstain: 0

Np: Cm. Perez

Motion carries.

Request for Executive Session under Texas Government Code 551.087 related to economic development deliberation and negotiations regarding an incentive to Clear Choice Hospital LLC pursuant to Chapter 380 of the Texas Government Code, and any matter incident thereto.

Motion to have the City manager and the City attorney proceed accordingly, and to provide a best and final offer to the Clear Choice Hospital, LLC. Also, to authorize the City manager and the Mayor to sign all relevant documents, as amended.

**Moved:** Alberto Torres Jr.

Second: Vanessa Perez

**For:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm. Torres,

Cm. Dr. Tyler King, and Cm. Perez

Against: 0

**Abstain:** Cm. Cigarroa, and Cm. Cigarroa

Np: Cm. Gutierrez

Motion carries.

63. Request for Executive Session under Texas Government Code 551.087 related to economic development deliberation and negotiations regarding an incentive to Project PLM pursuant to Chapter 380 of the Texas Government Code, and any matter incident thereto.

Motion to authorize the City attorney and the City manager to proceed accordingly, as best interest for the City further authorizing the City manager/Mayor to sign all relevant documents.

Moved: Alberto Torres Jr.

Second: Vanessa Perez

**For:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm.

Cigarroa, Cm. Torres, Cm. Dr. Tyler King, Cm. Perez, and Cm.

Cigarroa

Against: 0

Abstain: 0

Np: Cm. Gutierrez

Motion carries.

64. Request for Executive Session under Texas Government Code 551.087 related to economic development deliberation and negotiations regarding an incentive to Project DSV pursuant to Chapter 380 of the Texas Government Code, and any matter incident thereto.

Motion to table and bring back on the following City Council meeting.

**Moved:** Alberto Torres Jr.

Second: Melissa R. Cigarroa

**For:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm.

Cigarroa, Cm. Torres, Cm. Dr. Tyler King, Cm. Perez, and Cm.

Cigarroa

Against: 0

Abstain: 0

Np: Cm. Gutierrez

Motion carries.

## XVII. RECESS AS THE LAREDO CITY COUNCIL AND CONVENE AS THE LAREDO MASS TRANSIT

Motion to recess as the Laredo City Council and convene as the Laredo Mass Transit Board.

Moved: Alberto Torres Jr.

**Second:** Ruben Gutierrez Jr.

**For:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm.

Cigarroa, Cm. Torres, Cm. Gutierrez, Cm. Dr. Tyler King, and Cm.

Cigarroa

Against: 0

Abstain: 0

Np: Cm. Perez

Motion carries.

65. Authorizing the City Manager to waive bus fares for all El Metro bus

2024-RT-22

services on June 30, 2024, for the 19th Annual National "Dump the Pump" Day. El Metro is teaming up with transportation agencies nationwide to celebrate the 19th Annual National "Dump the Pump" Day on Sunday, June 30, 2024, by offering free rides on all El Metro transit mobility services we offer such as fixed-route services and the El Lift Paratransit services. The day is dedicated to raising community awareness whereas public transportation can save people money, promote walking ability, and reduce the harmful greenhouse gases emitted into our environment. El Metro Operations budget will be used for this event.

#### Motion to approve.

Moved: Alberto Torres Jr.

Second: Dr. David Tyler King

**For:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm.

Cigarroa, Cm. Torres, Cm. Gutierrez, Cm. Dr. Tyler King, and Cm.

Cigarroa

Against: 0

Abstain: 0

Np: Cm. Perez

Motion carries.

## XVIII. ADJOURN AS THE LAREDO MASS TRANSIT BOARD AND RECONVENE AS THE LAREDO CITY COUNCIL

Motion to recess as the Laredo City Council and convene as the Laredo Mass Transit Board.

**Moved:** Alberto Torres Jr.

**Second:** Ruben Gutierrez Jr.

**For:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm.

Cigarroa, Cm. Torres, Cm. Gutierrez, Cm. Dr. Tyler King, and Cm.

Cigarroa

Against: 0

Abstain: 0

Np: Cm. Perez

Motion carries.

#### XIX. GENERAL COUNCIL DISCUSSIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

#### 66) A.Request by Mayor Dr. Victor D. Treviño

24-C-137

Motion to have management come back with a structure to have bond election with the hospital authority committee recommendation and other committees.

Moved: Dr. Victor D. Trevino

Second: Melissa R. Cigarroa

**For:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm.

Cigarroa, Cm. Torres, Cm. Gutierrez, Cm. Dr. Tyler King, Cm. Perez,

and Cm. Cigarroa

Against: 0

Abstain: 0

Motion carries.

Np:

#### 66) B. Request by Council Member Melissa R. Cigarroa

**REC.-26** 

Sponsors: Cm. Alyssa Cigarroa

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24-1262

**Sponsors:** Cm. Alyssa Cigarroa and Cm. Dr. David Tyler King

24-C-141

**Sponsors:** Cm. Alyssa Cigarroa and Cm. Vanessa Perez

Motion to have management & HR meet with the Blue Ribbon Committee to come up with solutions, and with the Texas Workforce Commission.

Moved: Melissa R. Cigarroa

Second: Vanessa Perez

**For:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm.

Cigarroa, Cm. Torres, Cm. Dr. Tyler King, Cm. Perez, and Cm.

Cigarroa

Against: 0
Abstain: 0

Np: Cm. Gutierrez

Motion carries.

#### 66) C. Request by Mayor Pro Tempore Ruben Gutierrez, Jr.

24-C-142

**Sponsors**: Cm. Alyssa Cigarroa

Motion to poll the Council along with management, to research ways to provide funding for the film.

Moved: Ruben Gutierrez Jr.

**Second:** Ricardo "Richie" Rangel Jr.

**For:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm.

Cigarroa, Cm. Gutierrez, Cm. Dr. Tyler King, and Cm. Cigarroa

**Against**: 0

Abstain: 0

**Np:** Cm. Torres, and Cm. Perez

Motion carries.

24-C-144

66) D. Request by Council Member Dr. David Tyler King

24-C-134

24-C-135

**Sponsors:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino

Motion to approve.

**Moved:** Dr. David Tyler King

Second: Vanessa Perez

**For:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm.

Cigarroa, Cm. Torres, Cm. Gutierrez, Cm. Dr. Tyler King, Cm. Perez,

and Cm. Cigarroa

Against: 0

Abstain: 0

**Np**: 0

Motion carries.

24-C-136

66) E. Request by Council Member Vanessa J. Perez

24-C-145

66) F. Request by Council Member Alyssa Cigarroa

24-C-139

**Sponsors:** Cm. Melissa Cigarroa and Cm. Dr. David Tyler King

Motion to send a Resolution to the President, Congress, and the Federal communication commission. Also, to look at the probability to bring back a program with the City allowing access to checking out Wfi hotspots for families that do not have internet access, as amended.

Moved: Alyssa Cigarroa

Second: Melissa R. Cigarroa

For: Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Cigarroa, Cm. Dr. Tyler

King, and Cm. Cigarroa

Against: 0

Abstain: 0

Np: Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm. Torres, Cm. Gutierrez, and Cm. Perez

Motion carries.

24-C-140

Sponsors: Cm. Melissa Cigarroa and Cm. Alberto Torres

Motion to approve.

Moved: Alyssa Cigarroa

Second: Melissa R. Cigarroa

**For:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Cigarroa, Cm.

Gutierrez, Cm. Dr. Tyler King, and Cm. Cigarroa

Against: 0

Abstain: 0

**Np:** Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm. Torres, and Cm. Perez

Motion carries.

24-C-146

**Sponsors**: Cm. Melissa Cigarroa

Motion to approve.

Moved: Alyssa Cigarroa

**Second:** Alberto Torres Jr.

**For:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm.

Cigarroa, Cm. Torres, Cm. Gutierrez, Cm. Dr. Tyler King, Cm. Perez,

and Cm. Cigarroa

Against: 0

Abstain: 0

**Np:** 0

Motion carries.

#### 66) G. Request by Council Member Gilbert Gonzalez

24-C-143

#### XX. ADJOURN

Motion to adjourn, and for all unheard items to be brought back for the July regular meeting.

Moved: Alberto Torres Jr.

Second: Vanessa Perez

**For:** Mayor Victor D. Trevino, Cm. Gonzalez, Cm. Rangel Jr., Cm.

Cigarroa, Cm. Torres, Cm. Gutierrez, Cm. Dr. Tyler King, Cm. Perez,

and Cm. Cigarroa

Against: 0

Abstain: 0

**Np:** 0

Motion carries.