



**SPECIAL EMERGENCY CITY COUNCIL
MEETING
FRIDAY, MARCH 20, 2020 AT 3:30 PM**

Mayor:

Brooks Bass

Council Members:

Ken Green

Jerry Cain

Sandra Loeza

Roy Yates

City Manager:

Timothy Kelty

PURSUANT TO TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 551.045 (b) NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN OF AN EMERGENCY MEETING OF THE CITY OF FREEPORT, TEXAS TO BE HELD ON FRIDAY, MARCH 20, 2020 AT 3:30 PM. THIS MEETING IS RESULT OF THE REASONABLY UNFORESEEABLE AFFECTS AND THE IMMINENT THREAT TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY OF THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC. THE MEETING WILL BE HELD AT THE FREEPORT CITY HALL, 2nd FLOOR. LOCATED AT 200 WEST 2nd STREET, FREEPORT, TEXAS 77541.

BECAUSE OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH THREAT, THE MEETING WILL BE CLOSED TO ATTENDANCE IN PERSON BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC. THE GENERAL PUBLIC MAY JOIN THE PUBLIC MEETING REMOTELY BY TELECONFERENCE BY DIALING:

1-425-436-6312 AND USING ACCESS CODE 397145

FOR CONSIDERATION OF THE BELOW LISTED ITEMS. THE CITY COUNCIL RESERVES THE RIGHT TO ADJOURN INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION AT ANY TIME DURING THE COURSE OF THIS MEETING TO DISCUSS ANY MATTERS LISTED ON THE AGENDA, AS AUTHORIZED BY THE TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO SECTIONS 551.071 (CONSULTATION WITH AN ATTORNEY), 551.072 (DELIBERATION ABOUT REAL PROPERTY), 551.073 (DELIBERATION ABOUT GIFTS AND DONATIONS), 551.074 (PERSONNEL MATTERS), 551.076 (DELIBERATION ABOUT SECURITY DEVICES), 551.087 (ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT), 418.175.183 (DELIBERATIONS ABOUT HOMELAND SECURITY ISSUES) AND AS AUTHORIZED BY THE TEXAS TAX CODE, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO, SECTION 321.3022 (SALES TAX INFORMATION).

The public number to participate in the teleconference meeting is
TELECONFERENCE 1-425-436-6312 ACCESS CODE 397145

CALL TO ORDER: *The Mayor will call the meeting to order, declare a quorum if present, and declare notices legally posted pursuant to Open Meetings Act.*

INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: (Council Member)

Please remember City Council can only address those items listed on the agenda. If you have any other questions, please call Freeport City Hall at 979-233-3526

COUNCIL BUSINESS

1. Consideration and possible action to adopt Ordinance No.2020-2597 an Ordinance Ordering the postponement of the 2020 General Election from the May 2, 2020 Uniform Election Date to the Regular General Election Date of November 3, 2020 in response to COVID- 19 Pandemic.
2. Consideration and possible action for Ordinance No. 2020-2598 postponing the May 2, 2020 City Charter Election until November 3, 2020.

ADJOURNMENT:

1. Adjourn.

ACCESSIBILITY STATEMENT This facility is wheelchair accessible and accessible parking spaces are available. Requests for accommodations or interpretive services must be made 48 hours prior to this meeting. Please contact the City Secretary's Office at (979) 233-3526.

CERTIFICATE I certify the foregoing notice was posted in the official glass case at the rear door of the City Hall, with 24 hours a day public access, 200 West 2nd Street, Freeport Texas, in accordance with Open Meetings Act.



Betty Wells, City Secretary
City of Freeport, Texas