# FREEPORT ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

# MEETING AT FREEPORT POLICE DEPARTMENT MUNICIPAL COURT ROOM 430 NORTH BRAZOSPORT BOULEVARD, FREEPORT TEXAS

#### **REGULAR BOARD MEETING AGENDA**

Tuesday, January 12, 2020, 6:00 p.m.

THE MEETING WILL BE OPEN TO ATTENDANCE IN PERSON BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC. THE GENERAL PUBLIC MAY JOIN THE PUBLIC MEETING REMOTELY BY TELECONFERENCE BY DIALING:

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#### I. Call to Order

## II. Invocation and Pledge

#### III. Citizen Comments

Citizens allotted 3 minutes for comments

**Board Comments** 

g. Nicole Mireles:

a. President Jeff Pena: announcements and comments.
b. VP Marinell Music: announcements and comments.
c. Finance Mingo Marquez: announcements and comments.
d. Secretary Lesa Girouard: announcements and comments.
e. Ed Garcia: announcements and comments.
f. Trey Sullivan: announcements and comments.

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## IV. Consent Agenda

Consent Agenda items are considered to be routine in nature and may be acted upon in one motion. Any item requiring additional discussion may be withdrawn from the Consent Agenda by Board Member or Executive Director and acted upon separately.

- a) Approve Meeting Minutes for December 16 Regular Board Meeting.
- b) Approve November Financial Statement.

#### V. Discussion and Action

- Discussion and Possible Action regarding Minutes and Secretary Duties to be Contracted (Jeff/Lesa)
- b. Discussion and Possible Action regarding Strategy and Mission Re-defined (Jeff)
- Update/ Discussion and Possible Action to Roundtable for 192 Lots and EDC Role (Jeff)
- d. Update and Possible Action to FEDC Lights on 8.8 Acre Property (Jeff)
- e. Discussion and Possible Action regarding Street Lighting Supplements to City (Jeff)
- f. Discussion and Possible Action on Lucy Goose and Downtown Properties
- g. Discussion of Realty Broker Representation (Jeff)
- h. Update/ Discussion and Possible Action to Visitor Center if available (Courtland)
- i. Discussion and possible action regarding Covid and events and program sponsorships for 2021 (Jeff)
- j. Discussion and possible action regarding EDC Networking Mixer
- k. Discussion regarding Non-EDC Member Meeting Invitation Protocols and Procedures (Jeff)
- 1. Discussion and Possible Action on Grant Programs Contractors (Jeff)
- m. Consideration and possible action for appointment of an FEDC board member to Zoning Ordinance Steering Committee. (Courtland)
- n. Discussion and Possible Action regarding Councilman / FEDC President Jeff Pena retaining both FEDC President and City Council duties. (Trey)

# VI. Executive Session – Adjourn into Executive Session

It is now \_\_\_\_\_\_ p.m. and I hereby recess the regular session of the Freeport Economic Development Corporation January 12, 202 meeting and do hereby convene an executive session, said executive session authorized under the following sections of the Texas Government Code: (1) Government Code, Section 551.087 (Economic and Community Development Matters), 551.072 (Deliberations about Real Property), 551.074 (Personnel Matters).

## In Accordance with the Texas Government Code:

- A. Section 551.087 (Economic and Community Development Matters)
  - 1. Realty World contract

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public 0	of employee	
1. Exec	utive Director	
2. Adm	inistrative Assistant	
Reconv	ene into Open Session	
Board P	resident's statement:	
It is now p.m. and I hereby close the executive session of the Freeport Economic		
Development Corporation and do hereby reconvene the regular open session.		
Discussi	ion and Action	
Directo	ors Notes	
Adjour	n	
Motion	to close board meeting made by	and seconded by .

It is now \_\_\_\_\_ p.m. and I hereby close the board meeting.

VII.

VIII.

Executive Session Disclosure Statement: The FEDC Board of Directors reserves the right to adjourn into executive session at any time during the course of this meeting to discuss any of the 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) and 551.087 (Economic Development).

If any accommodations for a disability are required please notify the FEDC office at 979-871-0121 at least two (2) working days prior to the date of the meeting.

Posted at 200 W. 2ND STREET, Freeport, TX, in accordance with the Texas Government Code, Chapter 551, on Saturday the 9<sup>th</sup> day of January 2021 by 5:00p.m.

**COURTLAND HOLMAN, Executive Director** 

Lesa Girouard FEDC Secretary

City of Freeport Texas