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Juan "Trey" Mendez III, Mayor

NOTICE OF A PUBLIC MEETING OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BROWNSVILLE

Pursuant to Chapter 551, Title 5 of the Texas Government Code, the Texas Open Meetings Act, notice is hereby given that the City Commission of the City of Brownsville, Texas, in accordance with Article V, Section 12, of the Charter of said City, will convene a **Special Meeting**, on **Tuesday, September 10, 2019, at 5:00 P.M.**, in the Commission Chambers, on the Second Floor of the Brownsville City Hall – Old Federal Building, located at 1001 East Elizabeth Street, Brownsville, Cameron County, Texas, 78520.

CALL TO ORDER

- a) Roll Call.
- b) Invocation.
- c) Pledge of Allegiance – United States Pledge and Texas Pledge.

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

- **Non-Agenda Items:** Kindly submit a "Public Comment Form" stating the City business or City policy you wish to speak to an hour before the start of the scheduled meeting time with the City Secretary. Forms are not reserved for anyone nor may time be deferred to anyone. PowerPoint presentations may not be accommodated. This period is limited to five (5) speakers with a time limit of three (3) minutes per speaker.
- **Agenda Items:** Kindly submit a "Public Comment Form" stating which item(s) on the agenda you wish to speak to an hour before the start of the scheduled meeting time with the City Secretary. Speakers will be allowed to address the Commission on the agenda item before it is to be considered. The speaker is limited to three (3) minutes.
Time Limits: The City Commission shall have the discretion to modify its regulations regarding time limits on public comment if necessary. For example, the time limit may be shortened to accommodate a lengthy agenda or it could be lengthened to allow additional time for discussion on a complicated matter or if there is a need for an interpreter.

PUBLIC HEARINGS


1. Public Hearing and **ACTION** on **FIRST READING** of **Ordinance Number 2019-1658** of the City of Brownsville, Texas, to adopt the Fiscal Year 2020 Annual Budget. (Finance Department)
2. Public Hearing and **ACTION** on **FIRST READING** of **Ordinance Number 2019-1659** to ratify the Fiscal Year 2020 budget that will raise more total property taxes than last year's budget. (Finance Department)
3. Public Hearing and **ACTION** on **FIRST READING** of **Ordinance Number 2019-1660** levying ad valorem taxes for the Tax Year 2019 for the use and support of the Municipal Government of the City of Brownsville, Texas, for the Fiscal Year 2020, providing for the interest and sinking fund for the Fiscal Year 2020 City of Brownsville, Texas, General Obligation Bonds. (Finance Department)

ADJOURNMENT

NOTE: The City of Brownsville does not discriminate on the basis of disability in the admission of, access to, treatment of, or employment in its programs, activities, or public meetings. Any individual with a disability in need of an accommodation is encouraged to contact the ADA Coordinator at 956/548-6037 (voice or Relay TX) by Monday, no later than 5:00 P.M., to make proper arrangements.

By: Juan "Trey" Mendez III
Mayor of the City of Brownsville

I certify that a copy of the September 10, 2019, Agenda of items to be considered by the Brownsville City Commission was posted on the Bulletin Area at City Hall – Federal Building, on September 06, 2019. I further certify that the Agenda was posted on the City's website and can be downloaded by accessing: <http://www.cob.us/AgendaCenter>


Griselda Rosas, City Secretary