

**MINUTES** of the **Regular Meeting** of the Main Street Advisory Board of the City of Brownsville, Texas, held at the HR Training Room, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor at City Hall, 1001 E. Elizabeth Street Brownsville, Cameron County, Texas, on **Wednesday, July 18, 2018** at **5:30 P.M.** with the following members present:

<b>FRANCESCA LINDER</b>	)	
<b>JOSH MEJIA</b>	)	
<b>JESSE MILLER</b>	)	
<b>TREY MENDEZ</b>	)	
<b>MARCO OCHOA</b>	)	
<b>ESTHELA VALDEZ</b>	)	
<b>MIRIAM C. SUAREZ</b>	)	<b>DOWNTOWN DISTRICT MANAGER</b>
<b>ANGELINA MACIAS</b>	)	<b>ABSENT</b>
<b>BEN NEECE</b>	)	<b>ABSENT</b>
<b>SYLVIA ORDEMAN</b>	)	<b>ABSENT</b>

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A quorum being present, Miriam C. Suarez read the call to consider the following matters as posted and filed for the record in the office of the Planning and Development Services Department on Friday, July 13, 2018.

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**1. CALL TO ORDER.**

With a quorum present, the meeting was called to order by Miriam C. Suarez at 5:34 p.m.

**2. WELCOME**

Miriam C. Suarez welcomed the new Board members.

**3. BOARD MEMBER SWEAR-IN CEREMONY AND OVERVIEW OF BOARD RESPONSIBILITIES.**

Miriam C. Suarez asked the new Board members to read the Oath of Office and Statement of Appointed Officer aloud. Erika Espinoza, Administrative Specialist II for the Planning and Development Services Department, served as the Notary Public and registered and confirmed their appointments.

**4. INTRODUCTION OF BOARD MEMBERS.**

Miriam C. Suarez asked the Board members to provide a brief description of why they wanted to serve on the Main Street Advisory Board and what they hope to accomplish during their 2-year terms. Each Board member took turns responding to the questions.

**5. PRESENTATION OF PROGRAM ACCOMPLISHMENTS.**

Miriam C. Suarez provided the Board with a Power Point presentation of the program's accomplishments since its inception.

**6. PUBLIC COMMENT.**

No public comments were provided.

**7. ADJOURNMENT.**

There being no further business to come before the Board and upon duly made motion, the meeting adjourned at 6:57 p.m.



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**Marco Ochoa**  
Vice Chair

**Attest:**



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**Miriam C. Suarez**  
Downtown District Manager

*Submitted by:  
Miriam C. Suarez, Downtown District Manager  
Planning and Development Services Department*