



Trini López
Mayor

Guillermo Madrid, Jr.
At Large

María Reyes
District 1

Gloria M. Rodríguez
District 2

Mary B. García
District 3/Mayor Pro-Tem

Jesús Gandara Jr.
District 4

Willie Norfleet, Jr.
City Manager

**NOTICE OF REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING OF THE
CITY COUNCIL
OF THE
CITY OF SOCORRO**

.....
THE FACILITY IS WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE AND ACCESSIBLE
PARKING SPACES ARE AVAILABLE, REQUESTS FOR ACCOMMODATION
FOR INTERPRETIVE SERVICES MUST BE MADE, 48 HOURS PRIOR TO
THIS MEETING. PLEASE CONTACT THE CITY CLERK'S OFFICE AT (915)
858-2915 FOR FURTHER INFORMATION.
.....

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY
COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOCORRO, TEXAS WILL BE HELD ON
THURSDAY, THE 17th, DAY OF MAY, 2012, AT 6:00 P.M AT THE CITY HALL
CHAMBERS, 860 N. RIO VISTA RD., SOCORRO, TEXAS AT WHICH TIME
THE FOLLOWING WILL BE DISCUSSED:

1. Call to order
2. Pledge of Allegiance and a Moment of Silence
3. Establishment of Quorum

PRESENTATIONS:

4. *Presentation* of Plaque of Appreciation to *Guadalupe Almanzar* for his 24 years of
service to the City of Socorro. *Willie Norfleet, Jr.*

5. *Public Comment*

PUBLIC HEARINGS:

6. *Public Hearing* on Ordinance 293, Amendment No. 1, an Ordinance of the City of
Socorro, Texas adopting an amended budget for the fiscal year commencing October
1, 2011 and ending on September 30, 2012, in reference to balancing of department
budgets. *Willie Norfleet, Jr.*

7. **Public Hearing** on an Ordinance of the City of Socorro, Texas regulating Municipal Parks, Establishing Procedures for Special Events and Permits within City Parks, establishing a Municipal Park Commission Advisory Board, Providing for Hours of Operation, Special Events, Issuance of Special Use Permits Providing for Repeal of Conflicting Ordinances and Providing for Severance. **Willie Norfleet, Jr.**

CONSENT AGENDA:

8. **Approval of** Regular Council Meeting Minutes of May 3, 2012. **Willie Norfleet, Jr.**
9. **Approval** to waive fees for a church bazaar at *Saint Peter & Paul Church* located at 673 Old Hueco Tanks Rd on June 22nd, 23rd, and 24th, 2012. **Willie Norfleet, Jr.**
10. **Approval** to direct the City Manager to conduct a feasibility study of funds to provide a pay raise for Department Heads and their employees of their respective departments excluding the Municipal Court and the Police Department. **Guillermo Madrid, Jr.**
11. **Approval** for the Planning and Zoning Clerk to attend the Agendas and Minutes, Open Meetings Act, Public Information Act, Records Management and Parliamentary Procedure Seminar in Houston, Texas on June 7th and 8th, 2012. **Willie Norfleet, Jr.**
12. **Approval** for the Human Resources Assistant to attend the Agendas and Minutes, Open Meetings Act, Public Information Act, Records Management and Parliamentary Procedure Seminar in Houston, Texas on June 7th and 8th, 2012. **Willie Norfleet, Jr.**

REGULAR AGENDA:

13. **Second Reading and Adoption** of Ordinance 293, Amendment No. 1, an Ordinance of the City of Socorro, Texas adopting an amended budget for the fiscal year commencing October 1, 2011 and ending on September 30, 2012, in reference to balancing of department budgets. **Willie Norfleet, Jr.**
14. **Second Reading and Adoption** on an Ordinance of the City of Socorro, Texas regulating Municipal Parks, Establishing Procedures for Special Events and Permits within City Parks, establishing a Municipal Park Commission Advisory Board, Providing for Hours of Operation, Special Events, Issuance of Special Use Permits Providing for Repeal of Conflicting Ordinances and Providing for Severance. **Willie Norfleet, Jr.**
15. **Discussion and action** on the United Way AmeriCorps Home Instruction for Parents of Preschool Youngsters (HIPPY) Graduation Ceremony. **Willie Norfleet, Jr.**
16. **Discussion and action** on the revision of outdated job description duties for the Police Department. **Willie Norfleet, Jr.**

17. *Discussion and action* on the revision of outdated job description duties for the Public Works Department.
Willie Norfleet, Jr.
18. *Discussion and action* to establish bylaws for the *Park Commission Advisory Board*.
Gloria M. Rodriguez
19. *Discussion and action* on the feasibility study for surveillance cameras at *Bulldog Championship Park*.
Willie Norfleet, Jr.
20. *Discussion and action* on a request from *Aliviane* to use the *E. G. Chayo Apodaca Community Center* for a Youth Program.
Willie Norfleet, Jr.
21. *Discussion and action* on a report on *Socorro Police Department* overtime.
Willie Norfleet, Jr.
22. *Discussion and action* on the use of Socorro Police Department services for traffic control at the *Socorro Entertainment Center*.
Willie Norfleet, Jr.
23. *Discussion and action* on a request to hire a consultant/firm for the Fire Chief search.
Willie Norfleet, Jr.

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

The City Council will retire into EXECUTIVE SESSION pursuant to Section 3.08 of the City of Socorro Charter and the Texas Government Code, Sections 551.071 – 551.076 to discuss any of the following: (The items listed below are matters of the sort routinely discuss in Executive Session, but Council may move to Executive Session any of the items on this agenda, consistent with the terms of the Open Meetings Act.)

Section 551.071 CONSULTATION WITH ATTORNEY
Section 551.072 DELIBERATION REGARDING REAL PROPERTY
Section 551.073 DELIBERATION REGARDING PROSPECTIVE GIFT
Section 551.074 PERSONNEL MATTERS
Section 551.076 DELIBERATION

Discussion on the following:

24. *Discussion* on qualifications of individuals for employment and for appointment to Boards & Commissions, job performance of employees, real estate acquisition and receive legal advice from City Attorney regarding legal issues affecting these matters.
Blanco, Ordonez & Wallace, P.C.
25. *Discussion* regarding pending litigation and receive status report regarding pending litigation.
Blanco, Ordonez & Wallace, P.C.

Open Session:

26. *Discussion and action* on advice received from City Attorney in closed session.
Willie Norfleet, Jr.

27. Discussion and action on legal advice received by Legal Counsel in executive session. *Willie Norfleet, Jr.*

28. Adjourn

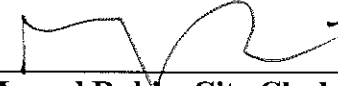
DATED THIS 14th DAY OF MAY, 2012.

By: 

Manuel Rubio, City Clerk

I, the undersigned authority, hereby certify that the above notice of the meeting of the City Council of Socorro, Texas is a correct copy of the notice and that I posted this notice at least Seventy-two (72) hours preceding the scheduled meeting at the City Administration Building, 124 S. Horizon Blvd., in Socorro, Texas.

DATED THIS 14th DAY OF MAY, 2012.

By: 

Manuel Rubio, City Clerk

Agenda posted: 4:34 by MRS
Removed: _____ Time: _____ By: _____