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

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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.

LA INSTALACIÓN ES ACCESIBLE PARA SILLAS DE RUEDAS Y HAY PLAZAS DE ESTACIONAMIENTOS DISPONIBLES. LAS SOLICITUDES DE ADAPTACIÓN PARA SERVICIOS DE TRADUCCIÓN DEBEN HACERSE 48 HORAS ANTES DE ESTA REUNIÓN. COMUNÍQUESE CON LA OFICINA DEL SECRETARIO DE LA CIUDAD AL (915) 858-2915 PARA OBTENER MÁS INFORMACIÓN

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOCORRO, TEXAS WILL BE HELD ON THURSDAY THE 20TH, DAY OF APRIL, 2023 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:

THIS WRITTEN NOTICE, THE MEETING AGENDA, AND THE AGENDA PACKET, ARE POSTED ONLINE AT [HTTP://COS.TX.US/CITY-CLERK-PUBLIC-NOTICE](http://cos.tx.us/city-clerk-public-notice) THE PUBLIC CAN ALSO ACCESS THE MEETING BY CALLING TOLL FREE-NUMBER 844-854-2222 ACCESS CODE 323610.

THE PUBLIC MAY CALL IN 844-854-2222 ACCESS CODE 323610 BY 5:30 PM MOUNTAIN STANDARD TIME (MST) ON APRIL 20TH, 2023 TO SIGN UP FOR PUBLIC COMMENT AND THE AGENDA ITEM THEY WISH TO COMMENT ON. THE PUBLIC THAT SIGNED UP TO SPEAK WILL BE CALLED UPON BY THE PRESIDING OFFICER DURING THE MEETING.

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1. Call to order
 2. Pledge of Allegiance and a Moment of Silence led by Campestre Elementary School Students and a Moment of Silence

3. Establishment of Quorum

PUBLIC COMMENT

- 4. Public Comment** (The maximum time for public comment will be 30 minutes and three minutes will be allotted for each speaker. Government Code 551.042 allows for responses by city council to be a statement of specific factual information given in response to the inquiry; or a recitation of existing policy in response to the inquiry; or a decision to add the public comment to a future agenda.)

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

ALL MATTERS LISTED UNDER THE CONSENT AGENDA, INCLUDING THOSE ON THE ADDENDUM TO THE AGENDA, WILL BE CONSIDERED BY THE CITY COUNCIL TO BE ROUTINE AND WILL BE ENACTED BY ONE MOTION. THERE WILL BE NO SEPARATE DISCUSSION ON THESE ITEMS UNLESS CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS REMOVE SPECIFIC ITEMS FROM THE CONSENT AGENDA TO THE REGULAR AGENDA FOR DISCUSSION PRIOR TO THE TIME THE CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS VOTE ON THE MOTION TO ADOPT THE CONSENT AGENDA.

ITEMS REMOVED FROM THE CONSENT AGENDA TO THE REGULAR AGENDA WILL BE CONSIDERED BY THE CITY COUNCIL AFTER ACTING ON THE CONSENT AGENDA.

ANY MATTERS LISTED ON THE CONSENT AGENDA AND THE REGULAR AGENDA MAY BE DISCUSSED IN EXECUTIVE SESSION AT THE OPTION OF THE CITY OF SOCORRO CITY COUNCIL FOLLOWING VERBAL ANNOUNCEMENT, IF AN APPROPRIATE EXCEPTION TO THE OPEN MEETING REQUIREMENT OF THE TEXAS OPEN MEETINGS ACT IS APPLICABLE.

CONSENT AGENDA

PUBLIC COMMENTS ARE TYPICALLY NOT TAKEN DURING THE INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCES. PUBLIC COMMENTS ARE ENCOURAGED AT THE SCHEDULED PUBLIC HEARING ON EACH ORDINANCE.

- 5. *Excuse absent*** council members.

Olivia Navarro

- 6. *Discussion and action*** to approve the Regular Council Minutes of April 2, 2023.

Olivia Navarro

- 7. *Introduction First Reading and Calling for a Public Hearing*** of Ordinance 549 Amendment 1 Amendment to decrease expenditures by \$23,650.00 Fiscal Year 2022-2023.

Adriana Rodarte

- 8. *Discussion and action*** to approve the March 2023 Monthly Report.

Adriana Rodarte

9. ***Introduction, First Reading and Calling for a Public Hearing*** of an Ordinance for the proposed amendment to The City Of Socorro's Master Plan and Rezoning of Lot 24, Block 3, La Jolla Subdivision located at 178 Escalante Drive; Socorro, Tx From R-1 (Single Family Residential) To R-2 (Medium Density Residential) to allow a Multi-Family Residential Development.
Lorraine Quimiro

10. ***Introduction, First Reading and Calling for a Public Hearing*** of an Ordinance for the proposed amendment to The City of Socorro's Master and Rezoning of Block 6, Tracts 2B and 3, Socorro Grant located at the corner of Inglewood and North Loop Drive, Socorro, Tx from A-1 (Agricultural) to C-2 (General Commercial District) to allow a Commercial Development.
Lorraine Quimiro

REGULAR AGENDA
PUBLIC HEARING/ORDINANCES

11. ***Public Hearing*** of an Ordinance to amend Chapter 2 Administration, Article Iv. Boards, Commissions, Agencies and Authorities, Division 3. Board Of Adjustment, Section 2-71. Members, Alternates, Terms, Qualifications.
Lorraine Quimiro
12. ***Second Reading and Adoption*** of an Ordinance to amend Chapter 2 Administration, Article Iv. Boards, Commissions, Agencies and Authorities, Division 3. Board Of Adjustment, Section 2-71. Members, Alternates, Terms, Qualifications.
Lorraine Quimiro
13. ***Public Hearing*** of an Ordinance to amended ordinance, Part II – Code Of Ordinances, Chapter 2- Administration, Article Iv. – Boards, Commission, Agencies and Authorities, Division 6. Ethic Review Commission.
Carol Candelaria
14. ***Second Reading and Adoption*** of an Ordinance o amended ordinance, Part II – Code Of Ordinances, Chapter 2- Administration, Article Iv. – Boards, Commission, Agencies and Authorities, Division 6. Ethic Review Commission.
Carol Candelaria

GRANTS DEPARTMENT

15. ***Discussion and action*** to approve Resolution 746 proclaiming the month of April Fair Housing Month in the City of Socorro, Texas to end housing discrimination and raise awareness of every resident's fair housing rights.
Alejandra Valadez

CITY MANAGER

16. ***Discussion and action*** to approve proposal for Professional Engineering Services by Trilogy 5G, Inc. d.b.a. Trilogy NextGen for the City of Socorro Smart City Initiative.
Adriana Rodarte

MAYOR AND COUNCIL

17. Discussion and action to approve Proclamation whereas the City of Socorro, Texas proclaims Sunday April 30 through May 6, 2023 as Small Business Week.

Mayor Ivy Avalos

18. Discussion and action to approve Resolution 747 declaring the month of April as Socorro, Texas Police Department and it's proud Veterans Appreciation Month.

Rudy Cruz, Jr.

The City Council of the City of Socorro may retire into EXECUTIVE SESSION pursuant to Section 3.08 of the City of Socorro Charter and the Texas Government Code, Sections 551, Subchapter D to discuss any of the following: (The items listed below are matters of the sort routinely discuss in Executive Session, but the City Council of the City of Socorro may move to Executive Session any of the items on this agenda, consistent with the terms of the Open Meetings Act.) The City Council will return to open session to take any final action and may also, at any time during the meeting, bring forward any of the following items for public discussion, as appropriate.

Section 551.071 CONSULTATIONS 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 REGARDING SECURITY

Section 551.087 DELIBERATION REGARDING ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT NEGOTIATIONS

Discussion on the following:

19. Discussion and action on advice received from City Attorney in closed session, and action to approve real estate transaction; authorize filing or settlement of legal action; authorize employment of expert witnesses and consultants, and employment of special counsel with respect to pending legal matters.

Adriana Rodarte

20. Discussion and action on qualifications of individuals for employment and for appointment to Boards and Commissions, job performance of employees, real estate acquisition and receive legal advice from City Attorney regarding legal issues affecting these matters.


Adriana Rodarte

21. Discussion and action regarding pending litigation and receive status report regarding pending litigation.

Adriana Rodarte

22. Adjourn


DATED THIS 17th DAY OF APRIL, 2023

By: 

Olivia Navarro, 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 17th OF APRIL, 2023

By: 
Olivia Navarro, City Clerk

Agenda posted: 4-17-23 @ 1:06 pm
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