Ivy Avalos Mayor

Ruben Reyes At Large

Cesar Nevarez.
District 1



Alejandro Garcia
District 2

Rudy Cruz, Jr.
District 3/Mayor Pro Tem

Yvonne Colon-Villalobos
District 4

SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES JANUARY 25, 2024 @ 6:00 P.M.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Mayor Ivy Avalos Ruben Reyes Cesar Nevarez Alejandro Garcia Rudy Cruz, Jr. Yvonne Colon-Villalobos

STAFF PRESENT:

Adriana Rodarte, City Manager Victor Perez, Deputy City Manager Olivia Navarro, City Clerk Lorrine Quimiro, City Planner Jim Martinez, City Attorney

Estevan Gonzales, IT Director Chief Robert C. Rojas Victor Reta, Recreation Centers Director Carol Candelaria, HR Director Charles Casiano, Finance Director Jose Botello, City Planner Alejandra Valadez, City Development Director

1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at: 6:08 pm.

2. Pledge of Allegiance and a Moment of Silence

Pledge of Allegiance led by Campestre Elementary School Students. Hope Amerman, Grace Amerman, Alice Acosta and Jimena Acosta.

3. Establishment of Quorum

Quorum was established with all council members present.

PUBLIC COMMENT

4. PUBLIC COMENT

Miriam Cruz spoke during Public Comment.

A motion was made by Yvonne Colon-Villalobos seconded by Alejandro Garcia to move up items thirty-eight (38), through (41) forty-one to be next on the agenda. Motion passed.

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne

Colon-Villalobos

Nays: Absent:

POLICE DEPARTMENT

38. DISCUSSION AND ACTION TO APPROVE THE GRANT PURCHASE OF FIXED LICENSE PLATE READERS FROM ELSAG IN AMOUNT IS \$62,133.00.

CHIEF ROBERT C. ROJAS

A motion was made by Alejandro Garcia seconded by Cesar Nevarez to approve item number thirty-eight (38). Motion passed.

Miriam Cruz spoke on this item.

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne Colon-Villalobos

Nays: Absent:

39. DISCUSSION AND ACTION TO APPROVE A GRANT PURCHASE OF AN ACTIVE SHOOTER SYSTEM IN THE AMOUNT OF \$38,260.00 WITH A REOCCURRING ANNUAL COST OF \$1,085.00. CHIEF ROBERT C. ROJAS

A motion was made by Alejandro Garcia seconded by Cesar Nevarez to approve item number thirty-nine (39). Motion passed.

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne Colon-Villalobos

Nays: Absent:

40. DISCUSSION AND ACTION TO APPROVE THE GRANT PURCHASE OF FIVE (5) SPEED MONITORING TRAILERS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$38,095.00.

CHIEF ROBERT C. ROJAS

A motion was made by Alejandro Garcia seconded by Cesar Nevarez to approve item number forty (40). Motion passed.

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne Colon-Villalobos

Nays: Absent:

41. DISCUSSION AND ACTION TO APPROVE THE PURCHASE OF LEXIPOL LAW ENFORCEMENT POLICY MANUAL SUBSCRIPTION SERVICE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$\$25,490.40. CHIEF ROBERT C. ROJAS

A motion was made by Cesar Nevarez seconded by Alejandro Garcia to approve item number forty-one (41). Motion passed.

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne Colon-Villalobos

Nays: Absent:

PRESENTATIONS

5. PRESENTATION FROM KAILA PERALES OF THE TEXAS MISSION OF MERCY REGARDING DENTAL PROGRAM.

RUDY CRUZ, JR.

Alejandro Garcia stepped out of the meeting at 6:44 pm.

Kaila Perales made the presentation.

Alejandro Garcia returned to the meeting at 6:46 pm.

6. PRESENTATION ON COMMUNITY INPUT PROCESS AND FINDINGS FOR THE ECONOMIC RECOVERY STRATEGIC PLAN CURRENTLY IN DEVELOPMENT.

ALEJANDRA VALADEZ

Ruben Reyes stepped out of the meeting at 6:52 pm

Griselda Martinez made a presentation.

Ruben Reyes returned to the meeting at 6:55 pm

Cesar Nevarez stepped out of the meeting at 7:01 pm

Cesar Nevarez returned to the meeting at 7:03 pm.

CONSENT AGENDA

7. EXCUSE ABSENT COUNCIL MEMBERS.

OLIVIA NAVARRO

- 8. APPROVAL OF CITY COUNCIL MINUTES OF JANUARY 4, 2024.
 OLIVIA NAVARRO
- 9. DISCUSSION AND ACTION TO APPROVE THE DECEMBER 2023 MONTHLY REPORT.

 ADRIANA RODARTE
- 10. INTRODUCTION FIRST READING AND CALLING FOR A PUBLIC HEARING OF AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CITY OF SOCORRO'S MASTER PLAN AND REZONING OF BLOCK 2, TRACTS 6 AND 6A, SOCORRO GRANT LOCATED AT 11051 NORTH LOOP DRIVE, SOCORRO, TX. FROM A-1 (AGRICULTURAL) TO IC-MUD (INDUSTRIAL/COMMERCIAL MIXED-USE DEVELOPMENTS) TO ALLOW FOR ENCLOSED MANUFACTURING (WAREHOUSES), COMPOUNDING, ASSEMBLING OR TREATMENT OF ARTICLES.

 LORRINE QUIMIRO
- 11. INTRODUCTION FIRST READING AND CALLING FOR A PUBLIC HEARING OF AN ORDINANCE TO APPROVE A REPLAT AND VARIANCE REQUEST FOR EASTWIND INDUSTRIAL REPLAT 'A' SUBDIVISION, BEING LOT 1, BLOCK 1 AND LOT 1, BLOCK 2, EASTWIND INDUSTRIAL, SOCORRO, TX.

 LORRINE QUIMIRO
- 12. INTRODUCTION FIRST READING AND CALLING FOR A PUBLIC HEARING OF AN ORDINANCE APPROVING A FINAL PLAT FOR HORIZONE SUBDIVISION, BEING A PORTION OF TRACT 24E, BLOCK 9, SOCORRO GRANT, SOCORRO, TX.

 LORRINE QUIMIRO
- 13. INTRODUCTION FIRST READING AND CALLING FOR A PUBLIC HEARING OF AN ORDINANCE APPROVING A FINAL PLAT RESUBMISSION FOR SOCORRO LOGISTICS CENTER UNIT 2. BEING ALL OF TRACT 8, 9, 10A, AND 11C, AND A PORTION OF TRACT 10A1 AND 11C1, BLOCK 5, SOCORRO GRANT, SOCORRO, TX.

LORRINE QUIMIRO

14. INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING, AND CALLING FOR A PUBLIC HEARING OF AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 2 ADMINISTRATION, ARTICLE IV. BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, AGENCIES AND AUTHORITIES, DIVISION 8. BUILDING AND STANDARDS COMMISSION, SECTION 2-276 MEMBERS AND TERMS.

LORRINE QUIMIRO

15. INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING AND CALLING FOR A PUBLIC HEARING OF AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SOCORRO, TX. ADOPTING AN AMENDED ORDINANCE 186 OF THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE CITY OF SOCORRO, TX. AMENDMENT NO. 6.

CAROL CANDELARIA

A motion was made by Yvonne Colon-Villalobos to approve the Consent Agenda and move item number ten (10) out of Consent and into the Regular Agenda to be last on the agenda. Motion passed.

Ruben Reyes stepped out of the meeting at 7:13 pm.

Ayes: Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne Colon-

Villalobos

Nays:

Absent: Ruben Reves

REGULAR AGENDA PUBLIC HEARINGS AND ORDINANCES

16. PUBLIC HEARING OF AN ORDINANCE APPROVING A PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CITY OF SOCORRO'S MASTER PLAN AND REZONING OF A PORTION OF TRACT 16-D, BLOCK 27, SOCORRO GRANT, LOCATED AT 11686 SOCORRO ROAD, SOCORRO, TX. FROM C-1 (LIGHT COMMERCIAL) TO R-2 (MEDIUM DENSITY RESIDENTIAL) TO ALLOW FOR A DUPLEX.

LORRINE QUIMIRO

Public Hearing opened at 7:14 pm No Speakers for Public Hearing Public Hearing closed at 7:15 pm

17. SECOND READING AND ADOPTION OF AN ORDINANCE APPROVING A PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CITY OF SOCORRO'S MASTER PLAN AND REZONING OF A PORTION OF TRACT 16-D, BLOCK 27, SOCORRO GRANT, LOCATED AT 11686 SOCORRO ROAD, SOCORRO, TX. FROM C-1 (LIGHT COMMERCIAL) TO R-2 (MEDIUM DENSITY RESIDENTIAL) TO ALLOW FOR A DUPLEX.

LORRINE QUIMIRO

A motion was made by Alejandro Garcia seconded by Yvonne Colon-Villalobos to approve item seventeen (17). Motion passed.

Ruben Reyes returned to the meeting at 7:16 pm

Cesar Nevarez stepped out of the meeting at 7:19 pm.

Cesar Nevarez returned to the meeting at 7:20 pm

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne Colon-Villalobos

Nays: Absent:

18. PUBLIC HEARING OF AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE PRELIMINARY AND FINAL PLAT FOR FIGUEROA SUBDIVISION BEING A PORTION OF TRACT 16-D, BLOCK 27, SOCORRO GRANT, SOCORRO, TX. WITH A WAIVER FOR REQUIREMENT OF A SOILS REPORT.

LORRINE QUIMIRO

Public Hearing opened at 7:20 pm. No Speakers for Public Hearing Public Hearing closed at 7:21 pm

19. SECOND READING AND ADOPTION OF AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE PRELIMINARY AND FINAL PLAT FOR FIGUEROA SUBDIVISION BEING A PORTION OF TRACT 16-D, BLOCK 27, SOCORRO GRANT, SOCORRO, TX. WITH A WAIVER FOR REQUIREMENT OF A SOILS REPORT.

LORRINE QUIMIRO

A motion was made by Alejandro Garcia seconded by Yvonne Colon-Villalobos to deny.

Eliborio Figueroa, owner of the property spoke on this item.

An amended motion was made by Alejandro Garcia seconded by Cesar Nevarez to approve and amend the Ordinance to delete the waiver soil requirement. Motion passed.

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne Colon-Villalobos

Nays: Absent:

20. PUBLIC HEARING OF AN ORDINANCE APPROVING A PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CITY OF SOCORRO'S MASTER PLAN AND REZONING OF LOT 1, BLOCK 1, VINEDO ACRES REPLAT "I", LOCATED AT 342 F.E. JACKSON RD., SOCORRO, TX. FROM RM-1 (RESIDENTIAL MOBILE HOME DISTRICT) TO R-1 (SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL) TO ALLOW FOR A SINGLE-FAMILY HOME.

LORRINE QUIMIRO

Public Hearing opened at 7:34 pm No speakers for public hearing Public Hearing closed at 7:35 pm

21. SECOND READING AND ADOPTION OF AN ORDINANCE APPROVING A PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CITY OF SOCORRO'S MASTER PLAN AND REZONING OF LOT 1, BLOCK 1, VINEDO ACRES REPLAT "I", LOCATED AT 342 F.E. JACKSON RD., SOCORRO, TX. FROM RM-1 (RESIDENTIAL MOBILE HOME DISTRICT) TO R-1 (SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL) TO ALLOW FOR A SINGLE-FAMILY HOME.

LORRINE QUIMIRO

A motion was made by Alejandro Garcia seconded by Ruben Reyes to approve item number twenty-one (21). Motion passed.

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne

Colon-Villalobos

Nays: Absent:

22. PUBLIC HEARING OF AN ORDINANCE APPROVING A PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CITY OF SOCORRO'S MASTER PLAN AND REZONING OF LOT 19, BLOCK 1, DELIP SUBDIVISION, LOCATED AT 634 BURMA PLACE, SOCORRO, TX. FROM R-1 (SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL) TO R-2 (MEDIUM DENSITY RESIDENTIAL) TO ALLOW FOR A DUPLEX.

LORRINE QUIMIRO

Public Hearing opened at 7:38 pm No speakers for Public Hearing Public Hearing closed at 7:39

23. SECOND READING AND ADOPTION OF AN ORDINANCE APPROVING A PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CITY OF SOCORRO'S MASTER PLAN AND REZONING OF LOT 19, BLOCK 1, DELIP SUBDIVISION, LOCATED AT 634 BURMA PLACE, SOCORRO, TX. FROM R-1 (SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL) TO R-2 (MEDIUM DENSITY RESIDENTIAL) TO ALLOW FOR A DUPLEX.

LORRINE QUIMIRO

A motion was made by Ruben Reyes seconded by Yvonne Colon-Villalobos to approve item number twenty-three (23). Motion passed.

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez and Yvonne Colon-Villalobos

Nays: Alejandro Garcia and Rudy Cruz, Jr.

Absent:

24. PUBLIC HEARING OF AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE HORIZON ESTATES MASTER PLAN, BEING ALL OF TRACT 4-C-6-B, BLOCK 3, SOCORRO GRANT, SOCORRO, TX., AS PER SECTION 38-7 OF THE CITY OF SOCORRO MUNICIPAL CODE.

LORRINE QUIMIRO

Public Hearing opened at 7:46 pm. No speakers for Public Hearing. Public Hearing closed at 7:47 pm.

25. SECOND READING AND ADOPTION OF AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE HORIZON ESTATES MASTER PLAN, BEING ALL OF TRACT 4-C-6-B, BLOCK 3, SOCORRO GRANT, SOCORRO, TX., AS PER SECTION 38-7 OF THE CITY OF SOCORRO MUNICIPAL CODE. LORRINE QUIMIRO

A motion was made by Alejandro Garcia seconded by Yvonne Colon-Villalobos to approve item twenty-five (25). Motion passed.

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne Colon-Villalobos

Nays: Absent:

26. PUBLIC HEARING OF AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE PRELIMINARY AND FINAL PLAT FOR HORIZON ESTATES SUBDIVISION BEING A PORTION OF TRACT 4-C-6-B, BLOCK 3, SOCORRO GRANT, SOCORRO, TX.

LORRINE OUIMIRO

Public Hearing opened at 7:50 pm. No speakers for Public Hearing. Public Hearing closed at 7:51 pm.

27. SECOND READING AND ADOPTION OF AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE PRELIMINARY AND FINAL PLAT FOR HORIZON ESTATES SUBDIVISION BEING A PORTION OF TRACT 4-C-6-B, BLOCK 3, SOCORRO GRANT, TX.

LORRINE QUIMIRO

A motion was made by Ruben Reyes seconded by Yvonne Colon-Villalobos to approve item twenty-seven (27). Motion passed.

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne Colon-Villalobos

Nays: Absent:

28. PUBLIC HEARING OF AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE HORIZON PARK MASTER PLAN BEING ALL OF TRACTS 2, 2-A, 3-B, 3-B-1, 3-B-5, 4-C-1-L, 4-E-1-A, AND 9-A-2, BLOCK 3, SOCORRO GRANT, SOCORRO, TX., AS PER SECTION 38-7 OF THE CITY OF SOCORRO MUNICIPAL CODE.

LORRINE QUIMIRO

Public Hearing opened at 7:55 pm. No speakers for Public Hearing. Public Hearing closed at 7:55 pm

29. SECOND READING AND ADOPTION OF AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE HORIZON PARK MASTER PLAN BEING ALL OF TRACTS 2, 2-A, 3-B, 3-B-1, 3-B-5, 4-C-1-L, 4-E-1-A, AND 9-A-2, BLOCK 3, SOCORRO GRANT, SOCORRO, TX., AS PER SECTION 38-7 OF THE CITY OF SOCORRO MUNICIPAL CODE.

LORRINE QUIMIRO

A motion was made by Alejandro Garcia seconded by Yvonne Colon-Villalobos to approve item twenty-nine (29). Motion passed.

Jorge Azcarate from CEA spoke on this item.

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne Colon-Villalobos

Nays: Absent:

30. PUBLIC HEARING OF AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE FINAL PLAT FOR HORIZON PARK UNIT ONE SUBDIVISION BEING ALL OF TRACTS 2-A, 3-B-1, 4-C-1-L, AND 9-A-2, BLOCK 3, SOCORRO GRANT, SOCORRO, TX.

LORRINE QUIMIRO

Public Hearing opened at 7:59 pm No Speakers for Public Hearing. Public Hearing closed at 8:00 pm.

Alejandro Garcia stepped out at 8:00 pm.

31. SECOND READING AND ADOPTION OF AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE FINAL PLAT FOR HORIZON PARK UNIT ONE SUBDIVISION BEING ALL OF TRACTS 2-A, 3-B-1, 4-C-1-L, AND 9-A-2, BLOCK 3, SOCORRO GRANT, SOCORRO, TX.

LORRINE QUIMIRO

A motion was made by Yvonne Colon-Villalobos seconded by Ruben Reyes to approve item thirty-one (31). Motion passed.

Jorge Azcarate from CEA spoke on this item.

Alejandro Garcia returned to the meeting at 8:02 pm.

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne Colon-Villalobos

Nays: Absent:

A motion was made by Rudy Cruz, Jr., seconded by Alejandro Garcia to move up items forty-two (42) through forty-five (45).

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne

Colon-Villalobos

Nays: Absent:

PLANNING AND ZONING DEPARTMENT

42. DISCUSSION AND **ACTION** TO **APPROVE** RESOLUTION 782 AUTHORIZING MAYOR TO SIGN THE PUBLIC HIGHWAY AT-GRADE CROSSING AGREEMENT IN RELATION TO THE RAILROAD FEDERAL SIGNAL PROGRAM IMPROVEMENTS AT UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD AND N. MOON RD. ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF SOCORRO, TX.

LORRINE QUIMIRO

A motion was made by Alejandro Garcia seconded by Yvonne Colon-Villalobos to approve item number forty-two (42)

An amended motion was made by Alejandro Garcia seconded by Yvonne Colon-Villalobos to approve the Resolution with an Amendment to the second paragraph to read "that certain Public Highway At-Grade Agreement is hereby approved and Mayor is hereby authorized to sign such agreement on behalf of the city." Motion passed.

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne Colon-Villalobos

Nays: Absent:

43. DISCUSSION AND **ACTION** TO **APPROVE** RESOLUTION 783 AUTHORIZING MAYOR TO SIGN THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE STATE OF TEXAS AND THE CITY OF SOCORRO, FOR MAINTENANCE, CONTROL, SUPERVISION, AND REGULATION OF STATE HIGHWAYS IN THE CITY OF SOCORRO AND ENTERED THROUGH A MUNICIPAL MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT. **LORRINE QUIMIRO**

A motion was made by Alejandro Garcia seconded by Yvonne Colon-Villalobos to approve item forty-three (43). Motion passed.

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne Colon-Villalobos

Nays: Absent:

44. DISCUSSION AND ACTION TO APPROVE RESOLUTION 784 GRANTING AN EXTENSION OF THE VALLE NUEVO PRELIMINARY PLAT PER CH.38 SUBDIVISION – ARTICLE L SEC. 38-8.7. **LORRINE QUIMIRO**

A motion was made by Alejandro Garcia seconded by Yvonne Colon-Villalobos to approve item forty-four (44). Motion passed.

Cesar Nevares stepped out at 8:11 pm.

Cesar Nevarez returned to the meeting at 8:13 pm.

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne Colon-Villalobos

Nays: Absent:

45. DISCUSSION AND ACTION TO APPROVE CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT CHANGE ORDER NUMBERS TWO, THREE, AND FOUR FOR THE PASSMORE SHARED USE PROJECT (CCSJ:0924-06-604) UNDER CONTRACT NO. 22-07-01 WITH HUITT-ZOLLARS, INC., ADDED BY CHANGE ORDER #2 \$3,010.37, ADDED BY CHANGE ORDER #3 9,586.73 ADDED BY CHANGE ORDER #4 4 734.44.

LORRINE QUIMIRO

A motion was made by Alejandro Garcia seconded by Cesar Nevarez to approve item forty-five (45). Motion passed.

Roxane Rivera, Construction Manager spoke on this item.

Alejandro Garcia stepped out of the meeting at 8:35 pm.

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne Colon-Villalobos

Nays:

Absent: Alejandro Garcia

GRANTS DEPARTMENT

32. DISCUSSION AND ACTION TO **APPROVE** RESOLUTION 777 AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR (OOG), CRIMINAL JUSTICE DIVISION (CJD) FY 2025 CRIMINAL JUSTICE PROGRAM (JAG) FOR THE **THERE SOCORRO POLICE** DEPARTMENT. IS NO MATCH REQUIREMENT FOR THIS GRANT. ALEJANDRA VALADEZ

A motion was made by Ruben Reyes seconded by Yvonne Colon-Villalobos to approve item number thirty-two (32). Motion passed.

Alejandro Garcia returned to the meeting at 8:38 pm.

Cesar Nevarez stepped out of the meeting at 8:38 pm.

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Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Alejandro Garcia, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne Colon-Villalobos

Nays:

Absent: Cesar Nevarez

33. DISCUSSION AND TO **ACTION APPROVE** RESOLUTION 778 AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR (OOG), CRIMINAL JUSTICE DIVISION (CJD) FY 2025 JUVENILE JUSTICE & TRUANCY PREVENTION GRANT PROGRAM FOR THE SOCORRO POLICE DEPARTMENT PROGRAM. THERE IS NO MATCH REQUIREMENT FOR THIS GRANT. ALEJANDRA VALADEZ

A motion was made by Alejandro Garcia seconded by Yvonne Colon-Villalobos to approve item number thirty-three (33). Motion passed.

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Alejandro Garcia, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne Colon-Villalobos

Nays:

Absent: Cesar Nevarez

34. DISCUSSION AND **ACTION** TO **APPROVE** RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR (OOG), FY 2025 BULLET-RESISTANT **GRANT PROGRAM FOR** THE **SOCORRO** DEPARTMENT. THERE IS NO MATCH REQUIREMENT FOR THIS GRANT. ALEJANDRA VALADEZ

A motion was made by Alejandro Garcia seconded by Yvonne Colon-Villalobos to approve item number thirty-four (34). Motion passed.

Cesar Nevarez returned to the meeting at 8:40 pm.

Cesar Nevarez returned to the meeting at 8:13 pm.

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne Colon-Villalobos

Nays: Absent:

Ruben Reves stepped out of the meeting at 8:41 pm.

35. DISCUSSION AND ACTION TO APPROVE RESOLUTION 780 AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR (OOG), FY 2025 RIFLE-RESISTANT BODY ARMOR GRANT FOR THE SOCORRO POLICE DEPARTMENT. THERE IS NO MATCH REQUIREMENT FOR THIS GRANT. ALEJANDRA VALADEZ

A motion was made by Alejandro Garcia seconded by Yvonne Colon-Villalobos to approve item number thirty-five (35). Motion passed.

Ayes: Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne Colon-

Villalobos Nays:

Absent: Ruben Reyes

36. DISCUSSION AND ACTION TO APPROVE RESOLUTION 781 AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR (OOG), CRIMINAL JUSTICE DIVISION (CJD) FY 2025 GENERAL VICTIM ASSISTANCE GRANT PROGRAM FOR THE CRIME VICTIMS' ADVOCACY PROGRAM IN THE SOCORRO POLICE DEPARTMENT. THERE IS A 20% REQUIREMENT FOR THIS GRANT.

ALEJANDRA VALADEZ

A motion was made by Alejandro Garcia seconded by Yvonne Colon-Villalobos to approve item number thirty-six (36). Motion passed.

Ayes: Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne Colon-

Villalobos

Nays:

Absent: Ruben Reyes

Ruben Reyes returned to the meeting at 8:44 pm.

37. DISCUSSION AND ACTION TO APPROVE THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE TEXAS A&M COMMUNITY FORESTRY GRANT PROGRAM FOR THE SOCORRO TREE PLANTING PROJECT. THERE IS A MATCH OF UP TO \$20,000 FOR THIS GRANT.

ALEJANDRA VALADEZ

A motion was made by Alejandro Garcia seconded by Yvonne Colon-Villalobos to approve item number thirty-seven (37). Motion passed.

Cesar Nevarez returned to the meeting at 8:13 pm.

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne

Colon-Villalobos

Nays: Absent:

MAYOR AND COUNCIL

46. DISCUSSION AND ACTION TO SUPPORT THE TEXAS MISSION OF MERCY THROUGH PROMOTION OF THIS FREE EVENT THROUGH ALL CITY OF SOCORO MEDIA PLATFORMS.

RUDY CRUZ, JR.

A motion was made by Alejandro Garcia seconded by Cesar Nevarez to approve item forty-six (46). Motion passed.

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne

Colon-Villalobos

Nays: Absent:

47. DISCUSSION AND ACTION TO AMEND LANGUAGE TO CITY OF SOCORRO, TEXAS CHAPTER 8 SEC. 8-49 OF THE MUNICODE.

RUDY CRUZ, JR.

A motion was made by Rudy Cruz, Jr., seconded by Cesar Nevarez to delete item forty-seven (47). Motion passed.

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne

Colon-Villalobos

Nays: Absent:

- 48. 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
- 49. DISCUSSION AND ACTION 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.

ADRIANA RODARTE

50. DISCUSSION AND ACTION REGARDING PENDING LITIGATION AND RECEIVE STATUS REPORT REGARDING PENDING LITIGATION.

ADRIANA RODARTE

A motion was made by Alejandro Garcia seconded by Cesar Nevarez to delete items forty-eight (48), forty-nine (49) and fifty (50). Motion passed.

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne Colon-Villalobos

Nays: Absent:

10. INTRODUCTION FIRST READING AND CALLING FOR A PUBLIC HEARING OF AN **ORDINANCE** APPROVING THE **PROPOSED** AMENDMENT TO THE CITY OF SOCORRO'S MASTER PLAN AND REZONING OF BLOCK 2, TRACTS 6 AND 6A, SOCORRO GRANT LOCATED AT 11051 NORTH LOOP DRIVE, SOCORRO, TX. FROM A-1 (AGRICULTURAL) TO IC-MUD (INDUSTRIAL/COMMERCIAL MIXED-USE DEVELOPMENTS) TO ALLOW FOR ENCLOSED MANUFACTURING (WAREHOUSES), COMPOUNDING, ASSEMBLING OR TREATMENT OF ARTICLES. LORRINE QUIMIRO

A motion was made by Yvonne Colon-Villalobos seconded by Cesar Nevarez to deny.

An amended motion was made by Yvonne Colon-Villalobos to approve item number ten (10). Motion passed.

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne Colon-Villalobos

Nays: Absent:

51. ADJOURN

A motion was made by Alejandro Garcia seconded by Yvonne Colon-Villalobos to adjourn at 8:57 pm.

Ayes: Ruben Reyes, Cesar Nevarez, Alejandro Garcia, Rudy Cruz, Jr., and Yvonne Colon-Villalobos

Nays: Absent:

Ivy Avalos, Mayor

Olivia Navarro, City Clerk

Date minutes were approved.