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District 3

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District 4

Adriana Rodarte
City Manager

**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 ESTACIONAMENTOS DISPONIBLES. LAS SOLICITUDES DE ADAPTACIÓN PARA SERVICIOS DE TRADUCCION 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 6th DAY OF MARCH 2025 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://COSTX.US/CITY-CLERK-PUBLIC-NOTICE](http://COSTX.US/CITY-CLERK-PUBLIC-NOTICE) THE PUBLIC CAN ALSO ACCESS THE MEETING BY CALLING TOLL FREE-NUMBER 844-854-2222 ACESS CODE 323610.

THE PUBLIC MAY CALL IN 844-854-2222 ACCESS CODE 323610 BY 5:30 PM MOUNTAIN STANDARD TIME (MST) ON THE 6th DAY OF MARCH 2025 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 led by Hilley Elementary School 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.)

PRESENTATION

- 5. Recognition** of the Ernesto Serna Fine Arts Academy 7th Grade and 8th Grade Football Teams for Winning the 2024-2025 SISD Middle School Football Championship for Grade 7 and Grade 8 Respectively. *Irene Rojas*
- 6. Recognition** of the 2025 Socorro Independent School District EdTech Educator of the Year. *Alejandro Garcia*
- 7. Presentation and discussion** regarding the Legislative Agenda Updates. *Victor Reta*
- 8. Recognition** of the Socorro Middle School 7th Grade Football Team Championship Winners. *Mayor Rudy Cruz, Jr.*
- 9. Presentation** regarding the Fatherhood Program. *Mayor Rudy Cruz, Jr.*
- 10. Presentation** of statistical analysis by Texas Commission on Law Enforcement 2023 Racial Profiling Report. *Chief Robert C. Rojas*

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 WILL BE ALLOWED AT THE SCHEDULED PUBLIC HEARING-ORDINANCE 320

11. ***Excuse*** absent council members. ***Olivia Navarro***
12. ***Approval*** of Regular Council Minutes of February 20, 2025. ***Olivia Navarro***
13. ***Discussion and action*** to approve January 2025 Monthly Report. ***Lourdes Gomez***
14. ***Introduction, First Reading and Calling for a Public Hearing*** for the Proposed Amendment to The City Of Socorro's Master Plan and Rezoning of Tract 9, 10-A, and 11-A, Block 2, Socorro Grant, and located on North Loop Dr. and Bauman Rd., Socorro, Texas, from A-1 (Agricultural) to C-2 (General Commercial) to allow for Commercial Uses for the Surrounding Development. ***Lorraine Quimiro***
15. ***Introduction, First Reading And Calling For A Public Hearing*** for the Proposed Amendment to The City Of Socorro's Master Plan and Rezoning of Tract 10-J, Block 3, Socorro Grant, and located at 10971 E. Burt Rd., Socorro, Texas, from A-1 (Agricultural) to R-2 (Medium Density Residential) to allow for the development of a Single-Family Residential Subdivision. ***Lorraine Quimiro***
16. ***Introduction, First Reading and Calling for a Public Hearing*** for the Proposed Amendment to Chapter 46 – Article I – In General and Article IV District Regulations of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Socorro, Texas to add Definitions, Permitted Uses, and Conditional Uses. ***Lorraine Quimiro***
17. ***Introduction, First Reading and Calling for a Public Hearing*** for the proposed Amendment to Chapter 38 Article I Sec. 38-4. – Exemptions of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Socorro, Texas to add platting exemptions. ***Lorraine Quimiro***
18. ***Introduction, First Reading and Calling for a Public Hearing*** for the Proposed Amendment to Chapter 46 Article IV District Regulations of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Socorro, Texas to add the District Regulations for A-1 - Agricultural District. ***Lorraine Quimiro***

REGULAR AGENDA

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 & 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. *Discussion and action* to approve the revisions to the Chapter 380 Economic Development Incentives Policy.
Alejandra Valadez

23. *Adjourn*


DATED THIS 3rd DAY OF MARCH 2025

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 3RD OF MARCH 2025

By: 

Olivia Navarro, City Clerk

Agenda posted: 3-3-25 on @ 1:45
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