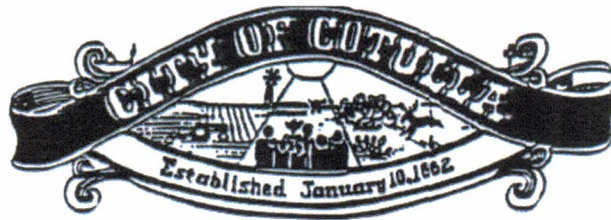


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NOTICE OF REGULAR MEETING
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2020
6:00 P.M.
AGENDA

In accordance with order of the Office of the Governor issued March 16, 2020, where he temporary suspended certain provisions of the Texas Open Meetings Act, take notice that a regular meeting scheduled at **6:00 p.m. on Thursday, September 24, 2020** will be conducted by video conference in order to advance the public health goal of limiting face-to-face meetings (also called "social distancing"), to slow the spread of the Coronavirus (COVID-19), to consider and act upon any lawful subjects which may come before it. **There will be no public access to the City of Cotulla Council Meeting.**

The City Council of the City of Cotulla, Texas will hold a REGULAR MEETING at the **Alexander Convention Center 290 N. IH 35 Access Road, Cotulla, Texas, 78104**. Council will have the option to attend in person or by Conference Call. The citizens of Cotulla will also be able to listen to the meeting by video conference. **Public Comment will only be accepted in writing no later than 30 minutes in advance of the meeting by sending them to City Secretary Bianca Maldonado at biancam.citysecretary@gmail.com.**

INSTRUCTIONS FOR VIDEO CONFERENCE. The public may access this meeting through the City of Cotulla YouTube Page at www.youtube.com **City of Cotulla COC.** 

1. Call to Order.
2. Roll Call.
3. Pledge of Allegiance to the United States Flag.
4. Citizens to be heard. *In order to limit the number of people in attendance per the Governor's Order. Public Comment will only be accepted in writing no later than 30 minutes in advance of the meeting by sending them to City Secretary Bianca Maldonado at biancam.citysecretary@gmail.com. City Council cannot discuss any presented issues, nor may any action be taken on any given issue at this time. (Attorney General Opinion JC-0169)*
5. Approval of Minutes
 - August 13, 2020
 - September 10, 2020

ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS TO BE APPROVED

6. **Discussion and possible action on AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF COTULLA, TEXAS MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE CITY OF COTULLA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2020 AND ENDING IN SEPTEMBER 30, 2021; APPROPRIATING MONEY TO A SINKING FUND TO PAY INTEREST AND PRICIPAL OF THE CITY’S INDEBTEDNESS; ADOPTING THE ANNUAL BUDGET OF THE CITY OF COUTLLA FOR THE 2020 – 2021 FISCAL YEAR; AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SIGN DOCUMENTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH SAID SUBJECT.**
7. **Discussion and possible action on AN ORDINANCE LEVYING AD VALOREM TAXES FOR USE AND SUPPORT OF THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT OF THE CITY OF COTULLA, TEXAS FOR THE 2020 – 2021 FISCAL YEAR; PROVIDING FOR APPORTIONING EACH LEVY FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES; AND PROVIDING WHEN SAID TAXES SHALL BECOME DUE AND WHEN SHALL BECOME DELINQUENT IF NOT PAID.**
8. **Discussion and possible action TO ADOPT AN EXCESSIVE FORCE RESOLUTION FOR CDBG CONTRACT NO. 7219089.**

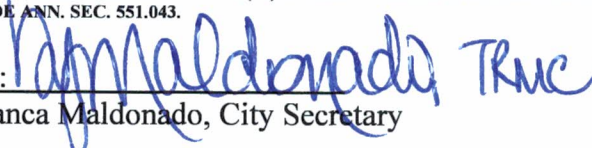
MOTIONS TO BE APPROVED

9. **Discussion and possible action to approve the designs submitted by Frank Architects of the Stockmen’s Bank Building Phase II.**
10. **Discussion and possible action on a request submitted by Mrs. Anna Marroquin to host a small 3rd Annual Cancer Walk at a different location located at 306 Guadalupe Street due to COVID-19 gathering requirements.**
11. **Adjourn.**

THIS AGENDA IS POSTED AS REQUIRED UNDER GOVERNMENT CODE 551.041. FOR MORE INFORMATION OR A COPY OF THE OPEN MEETINGS ACT, CONTACT THE ATTORNEY GENERAL OF TEXAS AT 1-800-252-8011 OR THE CITY SECRETARY OF COTULLA AT (830) 879-2367. ALL MEETINGS ARE CONDUCTED IN COMPLIANCE WITH ROBERTS RULES OF ORDER. ALL COMMENT AND DISCUSSION IS ADDRESSED TO THE CHAIR AFTER RECOGNITION BY THE MAYOR AS PRESIDING OFFICER.

THE CITY COUNCIL RESERVES THE RIGHT TO ADJOURN INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION AT ANY TIME TO DISCUSS ANY OF THE MATTERS LISTED ABOVE, AS AUTHORIZED BY TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE § 551.071 (CONSULTATION WITH ATTORNEY), § 551.072 (DELIBERATIONS ABOUT REAL PROPERTY), § 551.074 (PERSONNEL MATTERS); § 551.076 (DELIBERATIONS ABOUT SECURITY DEVICES), AND § 551.087 (ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT).

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT I, BIANCA G. MALDONADO, CITY SECRETARY, CERTIFY THAT THIS NOTICE WAS POSTED IN THE GLASS-ENCLOSED BULLETIN BOARD LOCATED AT THE FRONT OF THE CITY HALL BUILDING, LOCATED AT 202 S. FRONT COTULLA, TEXAS, 78014 AT 5:00 P.M. ON SEPTEMBER 21, 2020 IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TEXAS OPEN MEETINGS ACT AND HAS REMAINED SO POSTED FOR AT LEAST SEVENTY TWO (72) HOURS PRIOR TO THE COMMENCEMENT OF THE MEETING IN COMPLIANCE WITH TEX. GOV'T CODE ANN. SEC. 551.043.

By:  True
Bianca Maldonado, City Secretary