

CITY COMMISSION
AGENDA
December 9, 2013
@ 5:30 P.M.
TOWN HALL, CITY HALL
118 E. Tyler Street
Harlingen, Texas

Notice is hereby given that the above governmental body will hold a Special Meeting on **Monday, December 9, 2013 at 5:30 P.M.** in City Hall, Town Hall, 2nd Floor, Harlingen, Texas.

City of Harlingen meetings are available to all persons regardless of disability. If you require special assistance, please contact the City Secretary's office at (956) 216-5001 or write Post Office Box 2207, Harlingen, Texas 78550 at least 48 hours in advance of the meeting.

- 1) Executive/Closed Session pursuant to Section 551.074 of the Texas Open Meetings Act regarding personnel matters involving the appointment of an Interim Chief of Police for the City of Harlingen. **(City Manager)**
- 2) Consider and take action to confirm the City Manager's appointment of a department head of the Harlingen Police Department effective immediately and until another Chief of Police is appointed by the City Manager and confirmed by the Harlingen City Commission. **(City Manager)**
- 3) Consider and take action to approve a professional consulting services contract between the City of Harlingen and Thomas Whitten. **(City Manager)**

A closed executive session may be held if the discussion of any of the above agenda items concerns one of the following:

1. Contemplated or pending litigation, or matters where legal advice is requested of the City Attorney. Section 551.071 of the Texas Open Meetings Act.
2. The purchase, exchange, lease, or value of real property, if the deliberation in an open meeting would have a detrimental effect on the position of the City in negotiations with a third person. Section 551.072 of the Texas Open Meetings Act.
3. A contract for a prospective gift or donation to the City, if the deliberation in an open meeting would have a detrimental effect on the position of the

City in negotiations with a third person. Section 551.073 of the Texas Open Meetings Act.

4. Personnel matters involving the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of a public officer or employee or to hear a complaint against an officer or employee. Section 551.074 of the Texas Open Meetings Act.
5. The deployment, or specific occasions for implementation of security personnel or devices. Section 551.076 of the Texas Open Meetings Act.
6. Deliberations regarding Economic Development negotiations. Section 551.087 of the Texas Open Meetings Act.

I, the undersigned authority, do hereby certify that the above Notice of Meeting is a true and correct copy of said Notice and that I posted said Notice on the bulletin board in the City Hall of the City of Harlingen, a place convenient and readily accessible to the general public at all times and said Notice was posted on Friday, December 6, 2013 at 3:35 p.m. and remained so posted continuously for at least 72 hours preceding the scheduled time of said meeting.

Dated this 6th day of December, 2013.



Amanda C. Elizondo, City Secretary