

**THE STATE OF TEXAS §
COUNTY OF CAMERON §
CITY OF PORT ISABEL §**



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**NOTICE OF A SPECIAL MEETING
OF THE PORT ISABEL CITY COMMISSION**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

Pursuant to Chapter 551, Title 5 of the Texas Government Code, the Texas Open Meetings Act, notice is hereby given that the Port Isabel City Commission in accordance with Article II, Section 2.11 of the Charter of said City, will convene a Special Meeting at the City Commission Chambers Meeting Room, located at 305 E. Maxan on Friday, August 17, 2012, at 12:30 p.m. for the purpose of discussing the following items:

NOTE: The City Commission of the City of Port Isabel reserves the right to discuss any items in Closed Session whenever authorized under the Texas Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551, of the Texas Government Code. The City Commission may discuss the items on this agenda in any order.

The City of Port Isabel does not discriminate on the basis of disability in the admission of, access to, treatment of, or employment in its programs, activities, or public meetings. Any individual with a disability in need of an accommodation is encouraged to contact the Office of the City Secretary at 956-943-25142 at least 24 hours prior to the scheduled meeting to make proper arrangements.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. INVOCATION

III. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

IV. PUBLIC COMMENT/OPEN FORUM: PLEASE NOTE:

- Any person with business before the Commission, **not** scheduled on the Agenda as a **Public hearing** may speak to the commission.
- Public Comment Forms are located on the table at the entrance of the City Chambers meeting Room. [For further information, contact the Office of the City Secretary]
- Public Comment Forms must be filled out and presented to the City Secretary no later than fifteen (15) minutes prior to scheduled start of the meeting, to be considered and recognized.
- The speaker must state his/her full name before speaking.
- There is a three (3) minute time limit per speaker.
- Public Comment Forms are not accepted after 12:15 p.m.
- PowerPoint Presentations are not conducted during the public comment period.

V. COMMENT BY COMMISSION:

Any member of the City Commission may comment on any matter and receive information from staff about the current city position on any matter, but the City Commission will not take formal action.

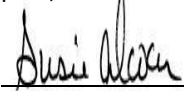
VI. NEW BUSINESS

1. **PROPERTY TAX RATE**- Discussion and potential action to set the proposed tax rate; take record vote. **[City Manager, Edward Meza/Finance Director, V. Alonzo Echavarria-Garza]**
2. Discussion and potential action to schedule Public Hearings for the tax rate.
[City Manager, Edward Meza/Finance Director, V. Alonzo Echavarria-Garza]

VII. ADJOURNMENT

CERTIFICATION

I certify that the above notice of a Special Meeting of the City of Port Isabel Texas is true and correct; and that I posted such notice on the bulletin board. A place convenient and readily accessible to the public on the 14th day of August 2012 at 12:15 p.m., in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act (Texas Government Code: §551.041 - §551.050).



Susie Alcocer
CITY SECRETARY
CITY OF PORT ISABEL, TEXAS

CERTIFICATION OF REMOVAL

I certify that the agenda of items to be considered by the City Commission was removed by the City Secretary's Office from the Port Isabel City Hall bulletin area on the _____ day of _____, 2012.

Office of the City Secretary