

City of Peñitas
Regular Called Meeting
WEDNESDAY
May 8, 2024
6:00 p.m.

A Regular Called Meeting of the City of Peñitas, Texas will be held at the Peñitas Public Library Building located at 1111 S. Main St.
**THE CITY OF PEÑITAS CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS ARE AVAILABLE TO ALL PERSONS REGARDLESS OF DISABILITY.
IF YOU REQUIRE SPECIAL ASSISTANCE, PLEASE CONTACT THE CITY SECRETARY AT
(956)581-3345 AT LEAST 48 HOURS IN ADVANCE OF THE MEETING. THANK YOU.**

Notice is hereby given in accordance with S.B. 270 Chapter 277, Page Acts of the 61st Legislature of the State of Texas, 1969 that the following matters will be considered by the City Council of the City of Peñitas, Texas at said meeting. The Commissioners of the City of Peñitas reserve the right to adjourn into Executive (Closed) Session at any time during the course of the meeting to discuss any of the items listed on the agenda as authorized by the Texas Open Meetings Act. No final action will be taken in Executive Session.

Agenda

- 1. Open Meeting & Determination of Quorum**
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance/Invocation**
- 3. Certification of Posting**
- 4. Presentations & Recognitions**
 - A. Proclamation in recognition of The Food Bank RGV for their commitment to serving the City of Peñitas residents.
Libby Ann Saenz, CEO
Connie Ramos, CEO
Yara Doyle, Director of Operations
Sandra Gonzalez, Senior Manager of Health & Social Services
 - B. Presentation by Republic Services
- 5. Monthly Reports – April 2024**
 - A. City Manager
 - B. Department Reports
- 6. Public Comments**
- 7. Approval of Minutes for the meeting(s) held in April 2024.**
- 8. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action on the following items:**
 - A. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action regarding the installation of speed humps and autism traffic signs on Blue Jay Avenue.
 - B. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action regarding the authorization to advertise for Request for Qualifications (RFQ) for Agent of Record for Health Insurance.
 - C. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action, regarding RESOLUTION EDC 4A NO. 2024-018 of the Peñitas Economic Development Corporation approving moving forward with an economic development project in the city of Peñitas, Texas; contemplating a plan of finance for the project and the pledge of sales and use tax receipts; and resolving other matters in connection therewith and related to the financing of the project.
 - D. Discussion, Consideration and Possible Action regarding RESOLUTION DCOP EDC 4B NO. 2024-019 of the Development Corporation of Peñitas, Inc. Approving moving forward with an economic development project in the city of Peñitas, Texas; authorizing the publication of the notice of intent to expend funds on such project; contemplating a plan of finance for the project and the pledge of sales and use tax receipts; and resolving other matters in connection therewith and related to the financing of the project.
 - E. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action regarding RESOLUTION NO. 2024-020 relating to the City's intention to reimburse itself for the prior lawful expenditure of funds relating to Liberty Road expansion and any capital expenditures from the proceeds of one or more series of tax-exempt or taxable obligations to be issued by the City in an aggregate amount not to exceed \$734, 209.00 for authorized purposes; authorizing other matters incident and related thereto; and providing effective date.

- F. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action regarding RESOLUTION WWFC NO. 2024-021 relating to the appointment/reappointment of the board members on the Peñitas Whitewing Festival Committee.
 - G. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action regarding RESOLUTION NO. 2024-022 relating to creating a bank account with Lone Star National Bank titled "Sanitation Revenue Fund" and designating signatories for the account.
 - H. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action regarding a variance request by Pedro A. Rodriguez for a porch to encroach 5 feet into the 6-foot side yard setback on the north side of Colonia Camargo Lot 57, Property ID 150096, 503 S 11 Street Penitas TX 78576.
 - I. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action regarding a variance request by Maria Del Refugio Duron to allow a new mobile home to encroach 1 foot into the 6-foot side yard setback (south side) at Dos Jardines Ph. 1 Lot 23. 2713 N 11th Street, Penitas TX 78576.
 - J. Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action regarding unsafe Building, Los Ejidos de Reynosa-N 0.07AC Lot 92 0.07AC NET, Property ID: 222230, located on Zamora Street.
- 9. Executive Session Pursuant to Texas Gov. Code Section 551.001**
- A. Personnel Matters: Discussion regarding employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissals of employees.

10. Return to Open Session

The City Council upon returning to open session may take any action it deems appropriate on the following items:

- A. Personnel Matters: Discussion, Consideration, and Possible Action regarding employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissals of employees.

11. Adjournment

*Note: If during the course of the meeting, the City Council should determine that a closed or executive session is required, then such closed or executive session is authorized by Article 6252-17 Revised Civil Statute of Texas, Section 2(e), 2(g). Notice of the closed or executive session will be given after the commencement of the meeting covered by this notice. Should any final action, final decision, or final vote be required in the opinion of the Commission regarding any item during the meeting then such final action, final decision, or final vote shall be made during the open meeting covered by this notice upon reconvening of the public meeting.

Posted on this 3rd day of May 2024 at 5:00 p.m. at the Peñitas City Hall.

All agendas are also posted at www.cityofpenitas.com.

"CERTIFICATION ON POSTING"

I, JENNIFER JANNEY QUINTERO, CERTIFY THAT I POSTED A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE FOREGOING NOTICE OF THIS AGENDA AT A PLACE ACCESSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC AT LEAST 72 HOURS PRIOR TO THE MEETING.

Notice of Meeting of the **City of Peñitas**

Notice is hereby given that the City Council will hold a meeting at the Penitas Public Library, 1111 S. Main Street, Penitas, Texas. The subjects to be discussed are listed on the agenda, which is attached to and made part of this notice.

If during the course of the meeting covered by this Notice, the City Council should determine that a closed or executive meeting or session of the Council is required, then such closed or executive meeting or session as authorized by the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code Section 551.001 et seq., will be held by the Council at the date, hour and place given in this Notice or as soon after the commencement of the meeting covered by this Notice as the Council may conveniently meet in such closed or executive meeting or session concerning any and all purposes permitted by the Act, including, but not limited to the following sections and purposes.

Texas Government Code Section:

- 551.071 Consultation with Attorney.
- 551.072 Deliberation regarding real property.
- 551.073 Deliberation regarding prospective gifts.
- 551.074 Personnel Matters.
- 551.076 Deliberation regarding security devices or security audits.
- 551.087 Deliberation regarding economic development negotiation.

Should any final action, final decision, or final vote be required in the opinion of the City Council with regard to any matter considered in such closed or executive meeting or session, then the final action, final decision, or final vote shall be either:

- (a) in the open meeting covered by the Notice upon the reconvening of the public meeting; or
- (b) at a subsequent public meeting of the City Council upon notice thereof; as the Council shall determine.


JENNIFER JANNEY QUINTERO
CITY SECRETARY

