

**BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
REGULAR MEETING  
MINUTES FOR MAY 28, 2013**

The Board of Commissioners of the City of Raymondville, Texas met in a Regular Session at Raymondville Rural Technology Center, 700 FM 3168, Raymondville, Texas, on Tuesday, May 28, 2013, 5:00 P.M., with the following officials and members present:

Orlando A. Correa, Mayor  
Clifton Smith, Commissioner  
Mary Gutierrez, Commissioner  
Eziquiel Cavazos, Commissioner  
Yolanda Alexandre, Commissioner  
Eleazar Garcia, Jr., City Manager  
William R. Wepfer, City Attorney  
Delma C. Garza, Assistant City Secretary  
Joel Soto, Public Works Director  
Uvaldo Zamora, Chief of Police

Mayor Orlando A. Correa declared a quorum present and called this regular meeting to order.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:** Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor Correa.

**INVOCATION:** Invocation was given by Mayor Correa.

**APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES FOR MAY 14 AND MAY 20, 2013**

Commissioner Cavazos moved to approve the minutes for May 14 and May 20, 2013. Commissioner Smith seconded the motion which carried by the following vote:

AYES: Commissioners Gutierrez, Cavazos, Smith, Alexandre and Mayor Correa

NAYS: None

ABSTAINED: None

ABSENT FOR VOTE: None

**AUDIENCE**

No audience participation at this meeting.

**DISCUSSION AND ACTION REGARDING APPROVAL OF CONSULTING AGREEMENT WITH BLANCHARD & ASSOCIATES INTERNATIONAL, LLC, AS APPROVED BY THE CITY OF RAYMONDVILLE'S ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION**

Commissioner Cavazos moved to approve the consulting agreement with Blanchard & Associates International, LLC, as approved by the City of Raymondville's Economic Development Corporation. Commissioner Alexandre seconded the motion which carried by the following vote:

AYES: Commissioners Gutierrez, Cavazos, Smith, Alexandre and Mayor Correa

NAYS: None

ABSTAINED: None

ABSENT FOR VOTE: None

**DISCUSSION AND ACTION REGARDING REQUEST BY ROBERT CERVANTES FOR THE USE OF THE PONY LEAGUE BASEBALL FIELD TO HOLD A FUNDRAISING TOURNAMENT TO ASSIST IN RAISING FUNDS TO SEND ROBERT ANTHONY CERVANTES, JR., TO THE 2013 UNDER-17 U.S. NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT FOOTBALL TEAM IN AUSTIN, TEXAS**

Commissioner Alexandre moved to approve the request by Robert Cervantes for the use of the Pony League Baseball Field to hold a fundraising tournament to assist in raising funds to send Robert Anthony Cervantes, Jr., to the 2013 Under-17 U.S. National Development Football Team in Austin, Texas. Commissioner Smith seconded the motion which carried by the following vote:

AYES: Commissioners Cavazos, Gutierrez, Smith, Alexandre and Mayor Correa

NAYS: None

ABSTAINED: None

ABSENT FOR VOTE: None

**DISCUSSION AND ACTION REGARDING APPROVAL OF COMPUTER MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT WITH COMPUTER CONSULTING SERVICES FOR MAINTENANCE OF ALL CITY OF RAYMONDVILLE COMPUTERS**

Commissioner Smith moved to approval of computer maintenance agreement with Computer Consulting Services for maintenance of all City of Raymondville computers. Commissioner Gutierrez seconded the motion which carried by the following vote:

AYES: Commissioners Gutierrez, Smith, Alexandre, Cavazos, and Mayor Correa

NAYS: None

ABSTAINED: None

ABSENT FOR VOTE: None

**DISCUSSION AND ACTION REGARDING APPROVAL OF INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF RAYMONDVILLE AND WILLACY COUNTY, TEXAS AS REQUIRED BY THE TEXAS CAPITAL FUND PERTAINING TO WATER AND SEWER SERVICES NEEDED FOR THEIR LA JARRA PROJECT LOCATED EAST OF RAYMONDVILLE**

No action taken.

**DISCUSSION AND ACTION REGARDING PRESENTATION BY CITY ENGINEER ON STATUS ON PROPOSED STREET CONSTRUCTION PROJECT AND PROPOSED NEW RAYMONDVILLE POLICE STATION PROJECT**

No action taken.

**APPROVAL OF TRAVEL AND TRAINING FOR CITY OF RAYMONDVILLE EMPLOYEES**

Commissioner Alexandre moved to approve the travel and training for City of Raymondville employees.

1. Chief Zamora and Andres Maldonado-44<sup>th</sup> Annual State Training Conference-Dallas, Texas-August 19-22<sup>nd</sup>, 2013

**APPROVAL OF CITY BILLS**

Commissioner Smith approved and authorize payment of the City's bills as presented. Commissioner Cavazos seconded the motion which carried by the following vote:

AYES: Commissioners Alexandre, Smith, Cavazos, Gutierrez and Mayor Correa

NAYS: None

ABSTAINED: None

ABSENT FOR VOTE: None

**REPORTS**

Eleazar Garcia, Jr., City Manager/Secretary, presented to the Board of Commissioners a map from Allied Waste with the new designated scheduled days for trash pickup.

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**RAYMONDVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT  
REPORTS**

Uvaldo Zamora, Chief of Police, reported to the Board of Commissioners that on their way back from South Carolina, they hit a doe causing damages to the Police Department Expedition. Chief Zamora also reported that there had been a stabbing and was not getting any corporation for the victim.

**PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT  
REPORTS**

Joel Soto, Public Works Director, reported to the Board of Commissioners that the city crew has been working on water breaks, doing patch work, and preparing the pool for the summer. Mr. Soto also mentioned that they had a good turn-out at the trash bash.

**RAYMONDVILLE FIRE CHIEF OSCAR GUTIERREZ  
REPORTS**

Oscar Gutierrez, Fire Chief, was absent and had no reports.

**ADJOURN**

There being no further business before the Board of Commissioners of the City of Raymondville, Mayor Orlando A. Correa declared this regular meeting adjourned.

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Orlando A. Correa, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Eleazar Garcia, Jr.  
City Manager/Secretary