

**BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
SPECIAL MEETING  
MINUTES SEPTEMBER 21, 2021**

The Board of Commissioners of the City of Raymondville, Texas met in Special Session at the Raymondville City Hall 142 S. 7<sup>th</sup> Street, Texas, on Tuesday, September 21, 2021 at 5:15 P.M. with the following officials and members present:

Gilbert Gonzales, Mayor  
Edward Gonzales, Commissioner  
Joel Garcia, Commissioner  
Eleazar Garcia, City Manager  
Delma Garza, City Secretary  
Uvaldo Zamora, Chief of Police  
Joel Soto, Public Works Director

Absent: Clifton Smith, Commissioner  
Chris Tamez, Commissioner  
Ryan Solis, City Attorney

Mayor Gilbert Gonzales declared a quorum present and called this Special Meeting to order.

**INVOCATION:** Invocation was given by Mayor Gilbert Gonzales.

**AUDIENCE**

No audience participation at this meeting.

**PUBLIC HEARING ON CITY OF RAYMONDVILLE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION PROJECT USING 4B FUNDS FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING THE GENERAL PUBLIC WITH INFORMATION CONCERNING A PROPOSED ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROJECT BEING CONSIDERED BY THE COREDC, AND FOR RECEIVING PUBLIC INPUT REGARDING SAME. SPECIFICALLY, THE COREDC IS PROPOSING TO EXPEND 4B ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FUNDS, GENERATED PURSUANT TO COREDC STATUTORY AUTHORITY TO CONSIDER FUNDING IMPROVEMENTS TO THE RAYMONDVILLE GOLF COURSE, 13839 EMMAN ROSS ROAD, RAYMONDVILLE, TEXAS 78580, IN THE AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$200,000, IN ORDER TO PROMOTE TOURISM**

Mayor Gonzales opened the public hearing at 5:15 p.m.

No public comments.

Mayor Gonzales closed the public hearing at 5:17 p.m.

**DISCUSSION AND ACTION REGARDING A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN REGION ONE EDUCATION SERVICE CENTER/OFFICE OF ADULT EDUCATION AND CITY OF RAYMONDVILLE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION**

Commissioner Gonzales moved to approve the Memorandum of Understanding between Region One Education Service Center/Office of Adult Education and City of Raymondville Economic Development Corporation. Commissioner Garcia seconded the motion which carried by the following vote:

AYES: Commissioners Gonzales, Garcia and Mayor Gonzales  
NAYS: None  
ABSTAINED: None  
ABSENT FOR VOTE: Commissioner Smith and Tamez

**DISCUSSION AND ACTION REGARDING APPROVAL OF COREDC PROJECT PROVIDING IMPROVEMENTS TO THE RAYMONDVILLE MUNICIPAL GOLF COURSE, 13839 EMMA ROSS ROAD, RAYMONDVILLE, TEXAS 78580, IN THE AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$200,000.00, IN ORDER TO PROMOTE TOURISM**

Commissioner Garcia moved to approve the COREDC project providing improvements to the Raymondville Municipal Golf Course, 13839 Emma Ross Road, Raymondville, Texas 78580, in the amount not to exceed \$200,000.00, in order to promote tourism. Commissioner Gonzales seconded the motion which carried by the following vote:

AYES: Commissioners Garcia, Gonzales and Mayor Gonzales  
NAYS: None  
ABSTAINED: None  
ABSENT FOR VOTE: Commissioner Smith and Tamez

**DISCUSSION AND ACTION REGARDING AWARDED OF BID FOR THE RAYMONDVILLE MUNICIPAL GOLF COURSE IMPROVEMENTS**

Commissioner Garcia moved to award the bid to 8/A Builders, LLC. for the Raymondville Municipal Golf Course Improvements. Commissioner Gonzales seconded the motion which carried by the following vote:

AYES: Commissioners Gonzales, Garcia and Mayor Gonzales  
NAYS: None  
ABSTAINED: None  
ABSENT FOR VOTE: Commissioner Smith and Tamez

**BUDGET WORKSHOP ON THE 2021-22 FISCAL YEAR BUDGET**

No action taken.

**ADJOURN**

There being no further business before the Board of Commissioners of the City of Raymondville, Commissioner Gonzales declared this special meeting adjourned.

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Gilbert Gonzales, Mayor

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
Delma Garza, City Secretary