

A G E N D A
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
CITY OF RAYMONDVILLE, TEXAS
RAYMONDVILLE CITY HALL
142 S. 7TH STREET
RAYMONDVILLE, TEXAS 78580
REGULAR MEETING
Tuesday, July 28, 2026, 5:15 P.M.

Note: If during the course of the meeting, any discussion of any item on the agenda should be held in executive or closed session, the City of Raymondville Board of Commissioners will convene in such executive or closed session in accordance with Section 551.001, et seq., Texas Government Code.

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

- In the open meeting covered by the Notice upon the reconvening of the public meeting; or
- At a subsequent meeting of the City of Raymondville Board of Commissioners upon notice thereof, as the City shall determine.

I. Meeting called to Order by Mayor Gilbert Gonzales

II. Roll Call

1. Mayor Gilbert Gonzales
2. Commissioner Joel Garcia
3. Commissioner Christine (Chris) Tamez
4. Commissioner Clifton Smith
5. Commissioner Edward Gonzales

III. Discussion and action regarding approval of absence from meeting by Mayor or City Commissioners as required by Article II, Section 6, of the City of Raymondville's Home Rule Charter.

IV. Pledge of Allegiance by Mayor Gilbert Gonzales

V. Invocation by Mayor Gilbert Gonzales

VI. Approval of minutes for July 14th, 2026.

VII. Conflict of Interest: Under State Law, a conflict of interest exists if a Board member or certain members of that person's family, has a qualifying financial interest in an agenda item. Members with a conflict of interest are not permitted to participate in discussion or vote on agenda items. Are there any known conflicts of interest to disclose at this time? (City attorney – City Manager in the absence of the City Attorney shall read)

VIII. AUDIENCE

Any citizen wishing to speak during the public comment may do so after completing the sign-in sheet. The audience has 3 minutes to speak on any agenda item that are scheduled for discussion and/or any issues of concern. Note: the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code Chapter 551, prohibits the governing bodies from engaging in a full discussion, debating, or responding to public comments.

IX. ENGINEERS REPORT:

1. Report

X. CITY MANAGERS REPORT:

1. Discussion and action regarding approval to award engineering services for HUD Grant # B-26-CP-TX-2026, Park Improvements, to Ambiotec Engineering Group as recommended by the scoring committee.
2. Discussion and action regarding approval to open and accept bids for the General Land Office Grant #22-086-001-D201, Expressway Lateral Improvements Phase II, to be reviewed and a recommendation from project engineers on the next city meeting.
3. Discussing and action regarding approval to renew the City of Raymondville employee insurance program with ABA Assured Benefits Administrative ESC-100.
4. Discussion and action regarding approval of a resolution authorizing and requesting financial participation from the Texas Water Development Board for a sum of up to \$21,000,000.
5. Discussion and action regarding approval to apply, advertise for proposals (RFP) for Grant Administrative Services, and advertise for qualifications for Engineering Services (RFQ) for the Texas Community Development Grant Program for FY 2027 and/or 2028 as administered by the Texas Department of Agriculture.

6. Discussion and action regarding approval for pay increase for Rodolfo Torres for obtaining a Waste Water Collection III License as required by TCEQ.
7. Approval of City Bills
8. Approval of travel and training for Raymondville employees
9. Reports

XI. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

1. Reports

XII. RAYMONDVILLE POLICE CHIEF UVALDO ZAMORA

1. Reports

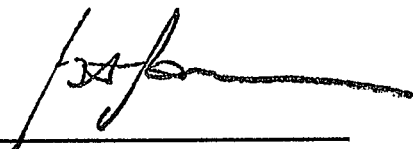
XIII. PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR JOEL SOTO

1. Reports

XIV. ADJOURN

Dated this 22nd day of July, 2026

CITY OF RAYMONDVILLE, TEXAS

By: 
Gilbert Gonzales, Mayor

I, the undersigned authority, do hereby certify that the above Notice of Meeting of the Governing Body of the above name City of Raymondville is a true and correct copy of said Notice and that I posted a true and correct copy of said Notice on the bulletin board and on the glass of the front door of City Hall, the front door of the City of Raymondville Rural Technology Center and on the bulletin board of the Police Station in said City of Raymondville, Texas, all places convenient and readily accessible to the general public and to Americans with Disabilities at all times and said Notice was posted on July 22nd, 2026 at 4:30 O'clock P.M., and remained so posted continuously for at least 72 hours preceding the scheduled time of said Meeting.

Dated this 22nd day of July, 2026

CITY OF RAYMONDVILLE, TEXAS

By Delma Garza
Delma Garza, City Secretary