

**STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF HIDALGO
CITY OF MCALLEN**

The McAllen Board of Commissioners convened in a Special Meeting on **Monday, March 2, 2023**, at 12:00 noon, at McAllen City Hall Third Floor (3rd) Commission Chambers.

Present: Mayor Javier Villalobos, Mayor Pro Tem Joaquin Zamora, Commissioner Antonio "Tony" Aguirre, Jr., Commissioner Omar Quintanilla, Commission Rodolfo "Rudy" Castillo, Victor "Seby" Haddad, Commissioner Jose R. "Pepe" Cabeza de Vaca

Also present were City Manager Roy Rodriguez, City Attorney Isaac Tawil, Assistant City Manager Michelle Rivera and City Secretary Perla Lara

CALL TO ORDER

1. COMPREHENSIVE PLAN VISION STATEMENT.

Mr. Garcia provided a brief summary of envision McAllen 2040 Comprehensive Plan. He added this was a follow up to last month's presentation. He reviewed the vision and guiding principles as follows:

- Connected regionally and beyond.
- Regional and State Leader & Partner
- Welcoming, Safe and Equitable
- Community Quality of Life
- Resilient and Innovative Economy
- Dynamic Built Environment
- Community Input | What People Love, Want and See as Obstacles
- Focus Group Meetings
- Emerging Priorities
- Analysis
- Vision & Guiding Principles

Comments were shared by Council. Council reviewed the vision and guiding principles and the two options. Discussion followed relating to the mix use, plan being more innovative, downtown area and the progressive terms. Staff answered questions posed by Council.

No action was taken regarding the item discussed.

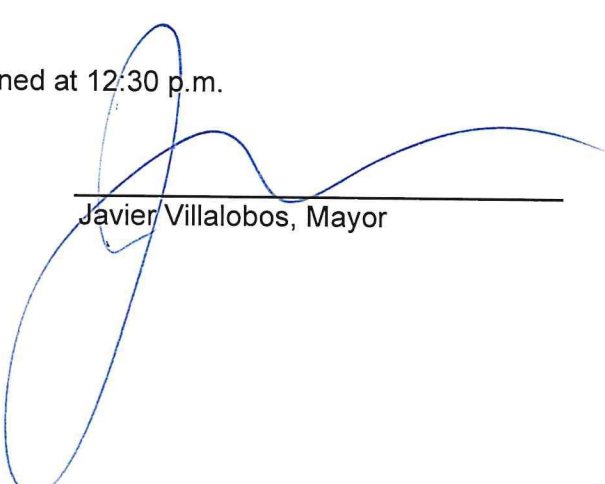
Staff was thanked for their presentation.

2. EXECUTIVE SESSION, CHAPTER 551, TEXAS OVERNMENT CODE, SECTION 551.071 (CONSULTATION WITH ATTORNEY), SECTION 551.072 (DELIBERATION REGARDING REAL PROPERTY), SECTION 551.074 (PERSONNEL MATTERS) AND SECTION 551.087 (ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.)

No action.

ADJOURNMENT

Without objection, the meeting was adjourned at 12:30 p.m.



Javier Villalobos, Mayor

Attest:



Perla Lara, TRMC/CMC, CPM
City Secretary