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**NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING OF THE
CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BROWNSVILLE**

Pursuant to Chapter 551, Title 5 of the Texas Government Code, the Texas Open Meetings Act, notice is hereby given that the City Commission of the City of Brownsville, Texas, in accordance with Article V, Section 12, of the Charter of said City, will convene a **Special Meeting**, on **Tuesday, July 31, 2007**, at **6:00 P.M.** in the Commission Chambers, on the Second Floor of the Brownsville City Hall – Federal Building, located at 1001 East Elizabeth Street, Brownsville, Cameron County, Texas, 78520.

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SPECIAL MEETING: 6:00 P.M.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

- A) Discussion pursuant to Section 551.072 of the Texas Government Code, concerning consultation with attorney regarding privileged and confidential matters. (Jim Goza – City Attorney - 15 min.)

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: UNITED STATES PLEDGE * TEXAS PLEDGE

INVOCATION:

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1. PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: PLEASE NOTE:

- ANY PERSON WITH BUSINESS BEFORE THE COMMISSION, NOT SCHEDULED ON THE AGENDA AS A **PUBLIC HEARING**, MAY SPEAK TO THE COMMISSION.
- "PUBLIC COMMENT FORMS" ARE LOCATED ON THE SECOND FLOOR AT THE ENTRANCE OF THE COMMISSION CHAMBERS.
- "PUBLIC COMMENT FORMS" MUST BE FILLED OUT AND PRESENTED TO THE CITY SECRETARY/STAFF FIFTEEN (15) MINUTES PRIOR TO THE MEETING, TO BE CONSIDERED/RECOGNIZED.
- THE SPEAKER MUST IDENTIFY BY NAME BEFORE SPEAKING.
- THERE IS A THREE (3)-MINUTE TIME LIMIT PER SPEAKER.
- "PUBLIC COMMENT FORMS" ARE NOT ACCEPTED AFTER 6:00 P.M.
- *POWERPOINT* PRESENTATIONS ARE NOT CONDUCTED DURING THE PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD. [For further information, contact The Office of the City Secretary at 548-6001]
- NO FORMAL ACTION CAN BE TAKEN.

PUBLIC HEARINGS:

- 2. Public Hearing and **ACTION** on **FIRST READING** of **Ordinance Number 2007-1476** creating a special monthly fee of \$2.00 per Brownsville Public Utilities Board (BPUB) customer to be divided and dedicated towards the purchase of additional ambulances for Emergency Medical Transport, Public Safety needs and the promotion of the Fine Arts and our cultural heritage, and the Animal Shelter. (Jim Goza – City Attorney)

ACTION ITEMS:

- 3. Consideration and **ACTION** regarding allocation of \$2.00 of the \$4.50 maintenance fee currently assessed in the Brownsville Public Utilities billing statement. (Jim Goza - City Attorney)
- 4. Consideration and **ACTION** on **Resolution Number 2007-041** updating the Brownsville Citizens Advisory Committee (BCAC) duties and membership. (Ben Medina – Planning)

ADJOURNMENT:

NOTE: The City Commission of the City of Brownsville reserves the right to discuss any items in Executive Session whenever authorized under the Texas Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551, Title 5 of the Texas Government Code.

NOTE: The City of Brownsville does not discriminate on the basis of disability in the admission of, access to, treatment of, or employment in its programs, activities, or public meetings. Any individual with a disability in need of an accommodation is encouraged to contact the ADA Coordinator at 956/548-6037 (voice or Relay TX) by Monday, no later than 5:00 P.M., to make proper arrangements.

By: **Pat M. Ahumada, Jr.**
Mayor of the City of Brownsville

I certify that a copy of the July 31, 2007, Agenda of items to be considered by the Brownsville City Commission was posted on the Bulletin Area at City Hall – Federal Building, on July 27, 2007. I further certify that the Agenda was posted on the City’s website and can be downloaded by accessing: www.cob.us/agendas.asp.



Estela Von Hatten, City Secretary