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## NOTICE OF WORK SESSION OF THE EL PASO CITY COUNCIL

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**May 22, 2023**  
**COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL, 300 N. CAMPBELL AND VIRTUALLY**  
**9:05 AM**

**Teleconference phone number 1-915-213-4096**

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**A quorum of City Council must participate in the meeting.**

### **AGENDA**

1. Discussion and action on an Emergency Ordinance extending Emergency Ordinance No. 019333 authorizing the City Manager to assign personnel and resources to assist in addressing the humanitarian and public safety crisis resulting from a mass migration through El Paso.

**[23-742](#)**

**All Districts**

City Manager's Office, Mario M. D'Agostino, (915) 212-5605

- 2. Discussion and action on an Emergency Ordinance extending Emergency Ordinance No. 019485 due to a humanitarian, security, and economic crisis resulting from a mass migration through El Paso. [23-741](#)

**All Districts**

City Manager's Office, Mario M. D'Agostino, (915) 212-5605

- 3. Presentation, discussion and action on the 88th Regular Session of the Texas State Legislature. [23-718](#)

**All Districts**

Capital Improvement Department, Lindsey Adams, (915) 212-1622  
Capital Improvement Department, Yvette Hernandez, (915) 212-1860

- 4. Presentation and update from the Project Arriba describing progress toward their program supporting local healthcare professionals, teachers and information technologists, in accordance with the Chapter 380 Economic Development Program Grant Agreement between the City of El Paso and the Project Arriba, as approved on October 2, 2018. [23-729](#)

**District 3**

Economic and International Development, Alejandra Fuentes, (915) 212-1618  
Economic and International Development, Elizabeth Triggs, (915) 212-0094

**EXECUTIVE SESSION**

The City Council of the City of El Paso may retire into EXECUTIVE SESSION pursuant to Section 3.5A of the El Paso City Charter and the Texas Government Code, Chapter 551, Subchapter D, to discuss any of the following: (The items listed below are matters of the sort routinely discussed in Executive Session, but the City Council of the City of El Paso may move to Executive Session any of the items on this agenda, consistent with the terms of the Open Meetings Act and the Rules of City Council.) The City Council will return to open session to take any final action and may also, at any time during the meeting, bring forward any of the following items for public discussion, as appropriate.

- Section 551.071      CONSULTATION WITH ATTORNEY
- Section 551.072      DELIBERATION REGARDING REAL PROPERTY
- Section 551.073      DELIBERATION REGARDING PROSPECTIVE GIFTS
- Section 551.074      PERSONNEL MATTERS
- Section 551.076      DELIBERATION REGARDING SECURITY DEVICES OR SECURITY AUDITS
- Section 551.087      DELIBERATION REGARDING ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT NEGOTIATIONS
- Section 551.089      DELIBERATION REGARDING SECURITY DEVICES OR SECURITY AUDITS; CLOSED MEETING

**Goal 6: Set the Standard for Sound Governance and Fiscal Management**

**Discussion and action on the following:**

- EX1.** Rojo, Rocio Guadalupe, Individually and as Next Friend of Isabela Rojo, a Minor v. City of El Paso. Matter No. 20-1036-3447.001. (551.071) [23-709](#)  
City Attorney's Office, Matt Marquez, (915) 212-0033
- EX2.** William C. Haywood v. City of El Paso, Gregory Allen, Officer Otero, McKinney, Guevara, Escajeda, Dela Paz. Matter No. 20-1026-11325. (551.071) [23-711](#)  
City Attorney's Office, Carlos Gomez Baca, (915) 212-0033
- EX3.** Daniel Villegas v. City of El Paso and El Paso Police Department. Matter No. 15-1026-6957. (551.071) [23-710](#)  
City Attorney's Office, Evan D. Reed, (915) 212-0033
- EX4.** Discussion on purchase, exchange, lease, or value of real property located in Downtown El Paso. Matter No. 16-1040-1083.046 and HQ# 23-495. (551.071) (551.072) [23-712](#)  
Economic and International Development, Mary Lou Espinoza, (915) 212-0065  
City Attorney's Office, Juan S. Gonzalez, (915) 212-0033
- EX5.** Discussion on purchase, exchange, lease, or value of real property located in Northeast El Paso. HQ#23-807. (551.072). [23-713](#)  
Economic and International Development, Mary Lou Espinoza, (915) 212-0065  
City Attorney's Office, Juan S. Gonzalez, (915) 212-0033
- EX6.** Interim City Manager Employment Agreement HQ# 23-836. (551.071) (551.074) [23-764](#)  
City Attorney's Office, Kristen Hamilton-Karam, (915) 212-0033
- EX7.** Employee Related Matter HQ# EEOC 2. (551.071) [23-765](#)  
Outside Counsel, Sarah Glaser, (512) 322-5881  
Outside Counsel, Frank Garza, (210) 349-6484
- EX8.** City Attorney and City Manager annual performance evaluations. Matter No. 21-1043-688 and HQ# 816. (551.071) (551.074) [23-717](#)  
City Attorney's Office, Kristen Hamilton-Karam (915) 212-0033

## **ADJOURN**

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