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Historical Commission & Main Street Advisory Board Special Meeting Agenda

Thursday, April 23, 2026, at 6:00 PM

The Nat Hickey Education Center, 311 E Park Ave, Freeport, Texas 77541

Chairperson:

Irene Ocañas

Board Members:

Sandra Leavey

Betty Lopez

Flora Green

Michelle Backman

Jeff Crisp

Lon Siddall

James Wood

Vice Chairperson:

Edith Fischer

CALL TO ORDER:

1. Call to Order
2. Invocation/Pledge
3. Public Comments - (This is an opportunity for citizens and visitors to address the Freeport Historical Commission & Main Street Advisory Board on any agenda or non-agenda item. Individuals must register in advance and adhere to a (4) four-minute time limit.)

PRESENTATIONS/ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Announcements by Board Members and/or Staff.

1. Staff Announcements
 - 1a. Museum Update
 - 1b. Main Street Update
2. Chair Comments/Announcements

BUSINESS-REGULAR SESSION:

Agenda items are structured to allow focused discussion. The Chair may limit discussion time to ensure completion of the agenda.

1. Consideration and possible action to approve the March 19, 2026, meeting minutes.

2. Receive an update, discuss, and consider possible action on the Historic Downtown Flagpole restoration project
3. Receive an update, discuss, and consider possible action on beautification recommendations submitted to staff.
4. Receive an update, discuss, and consider possible action to identify two downtown infrastructure projects.
5. Consideration and possible action to approve the DowntownTX Freeport profile summary.(James Wood)

COMMITTEE UPDATES:

1. Economic Vitality subcommittee update
2. Promotion subcommittee update
3. Organization subcommittee update
4. Design subcommittee update

NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING/UPCOMING EVENTS:

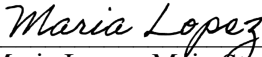
1. The next Freeport Historical Commission & Main Street Advisory Board meeting is scheduled for May 21, 2026.
2. Stars & Stripes: Patriotic Bike Bash & Fest (7.4.2026, 311 E Park Ave)

Adjournment:

1. Adjournment

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Maria Lopez, Main Street Coordinator,
City of Freeport, Texas