



**FREEPORT HISTORICAL COMMISSION & MAIN STREET ADVISORY BOARD
REGULAR BOARD MEETING AGENDA
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2024 AT 5:00PM
FREEPORT CITY HALL, 3RD FLOOR TRAINING ROOM, 200 W. SECOND STREET,
FREEPORT, TX 77541**

Chairperson:

Margaret McMahan

Board Members:

Keith Stumbaugh

Ronnie Martin

William Leitch

Jack Bullman

Betty Lopez

Edith Fischer

Melanie Oldham

Vice-Chairperson:

Irene Ocañas

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THE MEETING IS BEING HELD FOR THE FOLLOWING PURPOSES:

CALL TO ORDER: *The Chairperson will call the meeting to order, declare a quorum if present, and declare notices legally posted pursuant to Open Meetings Act.*

INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

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
 - A. Main Street Update (Silbas)
 - B. Museum Update-Recent Exhibits, Events and Improvements (Dillon)
2. Board Member Announcements
3. Main Street America Video- *Main Streets in Action*

BUSINESS – REGULAR SESSION:

4. Consideration and possible action to approve January 18, 2024 meeting minutes.
5. Consideration and possible action to approve Freeport Main Street Subcommittee applications.
6. Discussion of Community Visioning Session with UTSA's Center for Urban and Regional Planning Research.

WORK SESSION:

7. The Freeport Historical Commission & Main Street Advisory Board may deliberate and make inquiry into any items listed in the Work Session:
 - A. Chair Margaret McMahan announcements and comments
 - B. Design Sub-Committee Chair Margaret McMahan announcements and comments
 - C. Economic Vitality Sub-Committee Chair Irene Ocañas announcements and comments
8. Upcoming Events
 - A. Community Resource Fair with United Way/Star of Hope (February 24, 2024)
 - B. "...this worst of evils..."- Slavery in Brazoria County Exhibit
(February 3rd - March 30th, 2024)
 - C. Community Visioning Session (March 26, 2024)

ITEMS FOR FUTURE DISCUSSION-NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING

9. Future Discussion Items for Freeport Historical Commission & Main Street Advisory Board

ADJOURNMENT

10. Adjourn
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ACCESSIBILITY STATEMENT This facility is wheelchair accessible and accessible parking spaces are available. Requests for accommodations or interpretive services must be made 48 hours prior to this meeting. Please contact the City Secretary's Office at (979) 233-3526.

CERTIFICATE I certify the foregoing notice was posted in the official glass case at the rear door of the City Hall, with 24 hours a day public access, 200 West 2nd Street, Freeport Texas, 72 hours prior to meeting in accordance with Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code- Chapter 551.



Ana Silbas, Main Street Coordinator
City of Freeport, Texas