

THE CITY OF

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**FREEPORT HISTORICAL COMMISSION & MAIN STREET ADVISORY BOARD
REGULAR BOARD MEETING AGENDA
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7th, 2024 AT 5:00PM
FREEPORT HISTORICAL MUSEUM, 311 East Park Avenue, FREEPORT, TX 77541**

Chairperson:

Irene Ocañas

Board Members:

Sandra Leavey
Betty Lopez
Melanie Oldham
Lucy Martinez
Clarissa Solis
Jeff Crisp

Vice-Chairperson:

Edith Fischer

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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 (Dillon)
 - B. Museum Update-Recent Exhibits, Events and Improvements (Cady)
2. Board Member Announcements

BUSINESS – REGULAR SESSION:

3. Consideration and possible action to approve September 19th, 2024 meeting minutes.
4. Workshop for the Freeport Historical Commission & Main Street Advisory Board. Watch *Main Street Four Points Training 2021: Economic Vitality Video* (60 Minutes) followed by discussion.

WORK SESSION:

5. The Freeport Historical Commission & Main Street Advisory Board may deliberate and make inquiry into any items listed in the Work Session:
 - A. Design Committee Chair Betty Lopez announcements and comments
 - B. Economic Vitality Committee Chair Irene Ocañas announcements and comments
 - C. Organization & Promotion Chair Lucy Martinez announcements and comments
6. Upcoming Events
 - A. Exploring Karankawa Culture – Freeport Historical Museum – Saturday, November 9th from 11am – 2pm.
 - B. The Karankawa (Lecture) with Tim Seiter – Freeport Historical Museum – Thursday, November 14th from 11am to 12pm.
 - C. The Sixteenth Element: Sulfur Activity – Freeport Historical Museum – Saturday, November 16th from 11am to 2pm.
 - D. A Merry Museum Christmas – Freeport Historical Museum – Saturday, November 23rd from 11am to 2pm.

ITEMS FOR FUTURE DISCUSSION-NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING

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

ADJOURNMENT**11. Adjourn**

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, 1201 N. Avenue H, Freeport Texas, 72 hours prior to meeting in accordance with Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code- Chapter 551.



Wade Dillon, Museum - Main Street Director
City of Freeport, Texas