

The Board of Commissioners for the City of Alamo, Texas met for the First Regular Meeting on Tuesday, April 2, 2019 at 7:00 p.m, at the City of Alamo Municipal Building.

COMMISSION PRESENT:

Mayor Diana Martinez
Robert De La Garza, Mayor Pro-tem
Trino Medina, Commissioner
Pete Morales, Commissioner
Pilar Garza, Commissioner

COMMISSION ABSENT:

STAFF PRESENT:

Luciano Ozuna, Jr., City Manager
Rick Palacios, City Attorney
Alexandra Rangel, City Secretary
Bobby Salinas, CPD Director
Adela Perez, Purchasing Agent
Baudelio Castillo, Police Chief
Julio Villarreal, Public Works Director
Melisa Gonzales, Special Projects

Yvette Mendoza, Finance Director
Alicia Cano, Human Resources
Lori Solis, Library Director
Rafael Tapia, AEDC Director
Roy Contreras, Fire Chief
Alex Oyoque, Museum Curator
Michael Torres, IT Director

I. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

Mayor Diana Martinez called the first regular meeting held on Tuesday, April 2, 2019 to order at 7:00 p.m. at the City of Alamo Municipal Building. Mayor Diana Martinez led the Pledge of Allegiance and Father Angel led the Invocation.

C. Presentations and Announcements

Melisa Gonzalez announced Vanguard Academy hosting a Special Needs Run on Saturday April 13, 2019 to promote their special education program; it will begin at the City Hall of Pharr.

Commissioner Pete Morales congratulated Lady Wolverines Soccer team for making it to the playoffs.

Father Angel announced the Resurrection Church will be hosting a Festival on Saturday April 6th in the afternoon and April 7th all day on Sunday. In addition, congratulate the Wolverines Folklorico team is going to State this Saturday in San Antonio.

Mayor Diana Martinez addressed item F.

D. Consideration and action to approve the minutes for the second meeting of March 19, 2019.

Mayor Pro-tem Robert De La Garza motioned to approve Commissioner Pete Morales seconded. Motioned approved.

E. Consideration and action to approve the minutes for the special meeting of March 26, 2019.

Mayor Pro-tem Robert De La Garza motioned to approve Commissioner Pete Morales seconded. Motioned approved

F. Presentation to recognize Victoria Trevino from Memorial High School for winning a state gold medal.

Commissioner Pete Morales recognized Senior Victoria Trevino from Alamo, TX. Representing PSJA Memorial Early College High School, earned a Silver medal at the Regional Powerlifting Meet in the 165 weight class division, held March 2nd at PSJA Memorial Early College high school. She finished the meet with a combined total of 1,035 pounds, qualifying her for the second time to the State Meet in Waco, Texas on March 16th.

At the State meet Ms. Trevino earned a Gold medal winning her school's first ever Texas High School Women's Powerlifting Association STATE CHAMPIONSHIP title in the 165 weight class. Winning Outstanding Squat, setting a new record of 445 pounds, and Outstanding Lifter, with a combined total weight of 1,050 pounds.

Ms. Trevino is a four year letterman of the Powerlifting program, she is graduating in the top 20% of her class with 60 college hours, she plans to attend UTRGV and major in Business Accounting and Finance. She is the daughter of Ms. Bertha Trevino of Alamo, TX.

Her proud coaches are Head coach Miranda Guajardo, Assistant coaches Patrick Boutwell and Scott Guzman.

G. Consideration and action on a contract with George Garcia, Architect, for the Alamo Youth Center air condition project.

Mr. Luciano Ozuna, City Manager presented the contract of George Garcia, Architect, for the Alamo Youth Center air condition project of a total of \$6,300.00.

Mayor Pro-tem Robert De La Garza motioned to approve Commissioner Pete Morales seconded. Motioned approved

H. Consideration and action to enter an inter-local agreement with Hidalgo County for assistance to improve Crocket Avenue from Tower Road to Border Road.

Mr. Luciano Ozuna, City Manager mentioned he has been meeting with Commissioner David Fuentes from Precinct 1 Hidalgo County and if he will be willing to assist to improve Crocket Avenue from Tower Road to Border Road. Mr. Ozuna mentioned one of the biggest obstacles is the bridge on the drain ditch which belongs to the Drainage District. Mr. Ozuna mentioned the Drainage District will not only cover the cost of the improvement of the bridge but the purchase of the boxes and installation, which will save \$250,000.00. Commissioner David Fuentes will also bring his machinery to improve from Border to Tower Rd.

Commissioner Pete Morales motioned to approve Mayor Pro-tem Robert De La Garza seconded. Motioned approved.

I. Consideration and action to enter into an inter-local agreement with Hidalgo County for assistance to excavate the drainage retention ponds at Farias Elementary and Santo Livas Elementary.

Mr. Luciano Ozuna, City Manager mentioned the City Engineer mentioned it would cost \$400,000 to excavate the detention ponds. Mr. Ozuna mentioned Commissioner David Fuentes may be able to help if the City is able to remove the spoils. Mr. Ozuna assured the city can and will cut cost and save some of the \$400,000.

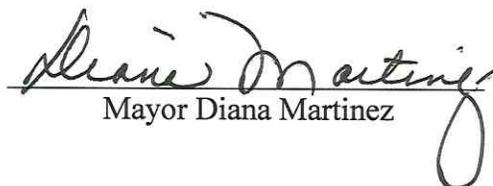
Mayor Pro-tem Robert De La Garza motioned to approve Commissioner Pete Morales seconded. Motioned approved.

CITIZEN PARTICIPATION: Five minutes per person with no response from the City Commission. Residents must sign up prior to the city meeting.

No citizen participation

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, Mayor Diana Martinez adjourn the meeting at 7:14 pm


Mayor Diana Martinez

ATTEST:


Alexandra Rangel, City Secretary