AGENDA

Port Freeport
Port Commission
Regular Meeting
Thursday, January 9, 2020, 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm
Administration Building- 1100 Cherry Street - Freeport



- CONVENE OPEN SESSION in accordance with Texas Government Code Section 551.001, et. seq., to review and consider the following:
- 2. Invocation.
- 3. Pledge of Allegiance: U.S. Flag & Texas Flag
- 4. Roll Call.
- 5. Safety Briefing.
- 6. Approval of minutes from the Regular Meeting held December 12, 2019.
- 7. Receive report from Executive Director/CEO and/or Port staff on activities and matters related to administrative affairs. Port tenant updates, USCOE, rail matters and meetings, AAPA Committees, leases, contracts, upcoming Port and civic events and other related administrative affairs.
- 8. Receive report from Commissioners on matters related to meetings and conferences attended, Port presentations and other related Port Commission matters.
- 9. Public Comment

(Comments will be limited to 5 minutes per guest)

- 10. Approval of financial reports presented for the period ending November 30, 2019.
- 11. Discuss and consider award of contract to Covenant K9 Detection Services for security canine contract services.
- 12. Approval of a Professional Services Agreement with Ecological Services Partners to prepare a report for Port owned properties to be used as potential compensatory mitigation sites for an amount not to exceed \$175,000.
- 13. Approval of Executive Director/CEO and Commissioners travel for the months of January May 2020.
- 14. EXECUTIVE SESSION in accordance with Subchapter D of the Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code Section 551.001, et. seq., to review and consider the following:
 - A. Under authority of Section 551.071 (Consultation with Attorney):
 - 1. Consultation with attorney to discuss potential litigation.
 - Consultation with attorney and discussion regarding legal matters arising out of Texas Transportation Code, Title 4 Navigation, Subtitle A Waterways and Ports, Chapter 52 Texas Deepwater Port Procedures Act.
 - B. Under authority of Section 551.072 (Deliberation of Real Property Matters) for discussion regarding:
 - 1. The potential exchange, lease, or value of real property located at Port Freeport, including but not limited to Parcels 7, 8, 10, 26 and 37.
 - 2. Discussion regarding the potential exchange, lease, or value of real property located in Freeport, Texas, including but not limited to the area known as the East End of Freeport and bordered by or adjacent to the following streets: FM 1495; East 2nd Street; Terminal Street and East 8th Street in Freeport, Texas.
 - 3. The potential purchase, exchange, lease or value of real property located at Port Freeport, including but not limited to the real property located at and contiguous to Berths 1, 2, 5 and 7.
 - 4. The potential exchange, lease, or value of real property located at Port Freeport, including but not limited to Parcel 14.
 - 5. The potential exchange, lease, or value of real property located at Port Freeport, including but not limited to Parcels 4, 5, 6, 9, 14, 19, 27, 31, 34, 35 and 38.
- 15. RECONVENE OPEN SESSION to review and consider the following:

- 16. Approval of a Right of Way Service Agreement with Property Acquisition Services, LLC for relocation services.
- 17. Approval of an Agreement with CBRE, Inc. for property appraisal services.
- 18. Approval of an Agreement with Bolten, Baer & White for property appraisal services.
- 19. Approval of an extension to the Professional Services Agreement with Dianna Kile for consulting services.
- 20. Adjourn.

The Port Commission does not anticipate going into a closed session under Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code at this meeting for any other items on the agenda, however, if necessary, the Port Commission may go into a closed session as permitted by law regarding any item on the agenda.

With this posted notice, Port Commissioners have been provided certain background information on the above listed agenda items. Copies of this information can be obtained by the public at the Port Administrative offices at 1100 Cherry Street, Freeport, TX.

Phyllis Saathoff, Executive Director/CEO **PORT FREEPORT**

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