

HIDALGO COUNTY REGIONAL MOBILITY AUTHORITY

NOTICE OF AND AGENDA FOR A WORKSHOP AND A REGULAR MEETING TO BE HELD BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

DATE: TUESDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2023
TIME: 5:30 PM
PLACE: PHARR CITY HALL
2nd FLOOR CITY COMMISSION CHAMBERS
118 SOUTH CAGE BLVD.
PHARR, TEXAS 78577

PRESIDING: S. DAVID DEANDA, JR, CHAIRMAN

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PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

INVOCATION

CALL TO ORDER OF A WORKSHOP

1. Review of Quarterly Investment Report for Period Ending September 30, 2023 – HCRMA Staff.

ADJOURNMENT OF WORKSHOP

CALL TO ORDER AND ESTABLISHMENT OF A QUORUM FOR A REGULAR MEETING

PUBLIC COMMENT

1. REPORTS

- A. Report on Program Manager Activity for 365 Tollway Project and IBTC Environmental Clearance Document – HCRMA Staff
- B. Report on Construction Activity for 365 Tollway Project – Ramon Navarro IV, HCRMA.

2. **CONSENT AGENDA** *(All matters listed under Consent Agenda are considered to be routine by the Governing Body and will be enacted by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items; however, if discussion is desired, that item(s) will be removed from the Consent Agenda and will be considered separately. The Governing Body may also elect to go into Executive Session on any item on this agenda, whether or not such item(s) are posted as an Executive Session Item, at any time during the meeting when authorized by provisions of the Open Public Meeting Act.)*

- A. Approval of Minutes for the Regular Board Meeting held September 26, 2023.
- B. Approval of Project & General Expense Report for the period from September 8, 2023 to October 6, 2023
- C. Approval of Financial Reports for July 2023 and August 2023.
- D. Approval of Quarterly Investment Report for Period Ending September 30, 2023.

- E. Resolution 2023-39 – Approving Designation of Rio Grande Valley Metropolitan Planning Organization Members for the Hidalgo County Regional Mobility Authority.
- F. Resolution 2023-42 - Approval and Consideration to remove Ascencion Alonzo as a signatory and the addition of Jose H. Castillo as an authorized signatory on all PlainsCapital Bank, TexStar, Logic, Hilltop Securities, and Wilmington Trust accounts.
- G. Resolution 2023-43 – Approval and Consideration to designate Jose Castillo and Pilar Rodriguez as investment officers for the Hidalgo County Regional Mobility Authority.

3. REGULAR AGENDA

- A. Resolution 2023-40 – Authorization to execute a letter of engagement with Burton McCumber & Longoria, LLP for the 2023 Financial and Single Audit.
- B. Resolution 2023-41 – Approval and Consideration of a one-year extension to the Interlocal Cooperative Agreement between the Hidalgo County Drainage District No. 1 and the Hidalgo County Regional Mobility Authority for the Design, Acquisition of Right of Way, and Construction of Drainage Outfalls for the 365 Tollway and International Bridge Trade Corridor Projects.
- C. Resolution 2023-44 – Consideration and Approval of Supplemental Number 2 to Work Authorization 8 to the Professional Service Agreement with HDR Engineering for general engineering services for construction management of the 365 Tollway Project.
- D. Resolution 2023-45 – Consideration and Approval of Contract Amendment Number 10 to the Professional Service Agreement with HDR Engineering to increase the maximum amount payable for Supplemental Number 2 to Work Authorization 8.
- E. Resolution 2023-46 – Consideration and Approval of the Thoroughfare Plan for the 365 Tollway Segment 4 and Section “A” West Projects.

4. CHAIRMAN’S REPORT

- A. Election of Secretary/Treasurer for the Hidalgo County Regional Mobility Authority Board of Directors.

5. TABLED ITEMS

- A. None.

6. EXECUTIVE SESSION, CHAPTER 551, TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE, SECTION 551.071 (CONSULTATION WITH ATTORNEY), SECTION 551.072 (DELIBERATION OF REAL PROPERTY), AND SECTION 551.074 (PERSONNEL MATTERS)

- A. Consultation with Attorney on legal issues pertaining to Change Order Number 5 to that certain contract with Pulice Construction Inc. for the 365 Tollway Project (551.071 T.G.C.)
- B. Consultation with Attorney on legal issues pertaining to the Financial Assistance Agreement with the Texas Department of Transportation for the 365 Tollway Project (551.071 T.G.C.)
- C. Consultation with Attorney on legal issues pertaining to Professional Service Agreements for Engineering, Surveying and Environmental Services (Section 551.071 T.G.C.).
- D. Consultation with Attorney on legal issues pertaining to the voluntary acquisition of real property for various parcels for the 365 Tollway Project and International Bridge Trade Corridor Project (Sections 551.071 and 551.072 T.G.C.).
- E. Consultation with Attorney on legal issues pertaining to the acquisition, including the use of Eminent Domain, for property required to complete the project alignments of the 365 Tollway Project (Sections 551.071 and 551.072 T.G.C.).
- F. Consultation with Attorney on legal issues pertaining to the Environmental Clearance Document for the International Bridge Trade Corridor Project (Section 551.071 T.G.C.).

ADJOURNMENT OF REGULAR MEETING

CERTIFICATION

I, the Undersigned Authority, do hereby certify that the attached agenda of the Hidalgo County Regional Mobility Authority Board of Directors is a true and correct copy and that I posted a true and correct copy of said notice on the Hidalgo County Regional Mobility Authority Web Page (www.hcrma.net) and the bulletin board in the Hidalgo County Regional Mobility Authority office (203 W. Newcombe Ave, Pharr, Texas 78577), a place convenient and readily accessible to the general public at all times, and said Notice was posted on the 19th day of October 2023 at 5:00 pm and will remain so posted continuously for at least 72 hours preceding the scheduled time of said meeting in accordance with Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code.

Maria E. Alaniz
Administrative Assistant

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PUBLIC COMMENT POLICY

Public Comment Policy: "At the beginning of each HCRMA meeting, the HCRMA will allow for an open public forum/comment period. This comment period shall not exceed one-half (1/2) hour in length and each speaker will be allowed a maximum of three (3) minutes to speak. Speakers addressing the Board through a translator will be allowed a maximum of six (6) minutes.

All individuals desiring to address the HCRMA must be signed up to do so, prior to the open comment period. For meetings being held by telephonic or videoconference, individuals may contact Maria. E. Alaniz at (956) 402-4762 before 5:00 pm day of the meeting.

The purpose of this comment period is to provide the public an opportunity to address issues or topics that are under the jurisdiction of the HCRMA. For issues or topics which are not otherwise part of the posted agenda for the meeting, HCRMA members may direct staff to investigate the issue or topic further. No action or discussion shall be taken on issues or topics which are not part of the posted agenda for the meeting. Members of the public may be recognized on posted agenda items deemed appropriate by the Chairman as these items are considered, and the same time limitations applies."

Note: Participation by Telephone/Video Conference Call – One or more members of the HCRMA Board of Directors may participate in this meeting through a telephone/video conference call, as authorized by Sec. 370.262, Texas Transportation Code.