#### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

#### AGENDA

#### LOCKHART CITY COUNCIL

#### December 7, 2021

#### CLARK LIBRARY ANNEX-COUNCIL CHAMBERS 217 SOUTH MAIN STREET, 3RD FLOOR LOCKHART, TEXAS

#### 6:30 P.M. WORK SESSION (No Action)

Work session will be held to receive briefings and to initially discuss all items contained on the Agenda posted for 7:30 p.m. Generally, this work session is to simplify issues as it relates to the agenda items. No vote will be taken on any issues discussed or reviewed during the work session.

#### **DISCUSSION ONLY**

- A. Presentation of a Proclamation declaring December 1-7, 2021 as Tree of Angels Week.
- B. Presentation by Charles Cloutman regarding a grant awarded to the Meals on Wheels of Central Texas by the *just keep livin' Foundation* for storm home repairs and home weatherization efforts for lowincome homeowners in Caldwell County.
- C. Discuss City Council minutes of the November 15, 2021 and November 16, 2021 meetings.
- D. Discussion regarding the High Service Pump Station Expansion at the Lockhart Water Treatment Plant. 15-25
- E. Discussion regarding Ordinance 2021-39 amending Chapter 12 of the City of Lockhart Code of Ordinances, Buildings and Building Regulations, Articles II, III, IV, V, VI, VII and IX, adopting the 2018 International Building Codes with amendments as follows: Building Code, existing Building Code, Residential Code, Plumbing Code, Fuel and Gas Code, Mechanical Code, Energy Code, Swimming Pool and Spa Code, and the 2017 National Electrical Code. 26 - 36
- F. Discussion regarding matters related to COVID-19.

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#### 7:30 P.M. REGULAR MEETING

1. <u>CALL TO ORDER</u> Mayor Lew White

#### 2. INVOCATION, PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Invocation. Pledge of Allegiance to the United States and Texas flags.

#### 3. PUBLIC COMMENT

The purpose of this item is to allow the public an opportunity to address the City Council on issues that are or are not on the agenda. No discussion can be carried out on the citizen/visitor comment about items not on the agenda. Comments are limited to three minutes per speaker.

#### 4. PUBLIC HEARING/COUNCIL ACTION

A. Hold a PUBLIC HEARING on applications ZC-21-19 and PDD-21-02 by Keith Schauer, P.E., on behalf of Jesco Construction, Inc., and discussion and/or action to consider a **Zoning Change** from *RMD Residential Medium Density District* to *PDD Planned Development District*, including a **PDD Development Plan** for the *Jesco Subdivision*, on 9.186 acres in the James George Survey, Abstract No. 9, located at 920 Trinity Street. WITHDRAWN - Resubmitted for consideration at the December 21, 2021 Council meeting. 57-59

#### 5. DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS

- A. Consider City Council minutes of the November 15, 2021 and November 16, 2021 meetings.
- B. Discussion regarding the High Service Pump Station Expansion at the Lockhart Water Treatment Plant.  $(\rho q 1 q)$
- C. Discussion and/or action to consider Ordinance 2021-39 amending Chapter 12 of the City of Lockhart Code of Ordinances, Buildings and Building Regulations, Articles II, III, IV, V, VI, VII and IX, adopting the 2018 International Building Codes with amendments as follows: Building Code, existing Building Code, Residential Code, Plumbing Code, Fuel and Gas Code, Mechanical Code, Energy Code, Swimming Pool and Spa Code, and the 2017 National Electrical Code.
- D. Discussion regarding matters related to COVID-19.  $q_{1}$   $|_{0}$
- E. Discussion and/or action regarding appointments to various boards, commissions or committees.

#### 6. CITY MANAGER'S REPORT, PRESENTATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION

- Special meeting on December 14, 2021 at 6:30 p.m. to consider two items.
- Animal Services transition to Police Department.

#### 7. <u>COUNCIL AND STAFF COMMENTS - ITEMS OF COMMUNITY</u> INTEREST

- 8. EXECUTIVE SESSION IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE GOVERNMENT CODE, TITLE 5, SUBCHAPTER D, SECTION 551.071 - PRIVATE CONSULTATION WITH ITS ATTORNEY TO SEEK ADVICE ABOUT PENDING OR CONTEMPLATED LITIGATION; SETTLEMENT OFFER; OR LEGAL MATTERS SUBJECT TO ATTORNEY/CLIENT PRIVILEGE.
  - A. Consultation with City Attorney to seek legal advice on matters subject to the attorney-client privilege.

#### 9. OPEN SESSION

A. Discussion and/or action regarding matters discussed in Executive Session.

#### 10. ADJOURNMENT

City Council shall have the right at anytime to seek legal advice in Executive Session from its Attorney on any agenda item, whether posted for Executive Session or not.

Posted on the bulletin board in the Municipal Building, 308 West San Antonio Street, Lockhart, Texas, on the 3rd day of December, 2021 at 3:30 p.m.



# PROCLAMATION

- WHEREAS, in 1991, the statewide organization of People Against Violent Crime was formed in memory of all who suffered as victims of violent crimes; and,
- WHEREAS, the Lockhart Public Safety and Lockhart Victims Assistance Team joins the many communities throughout the state in participating in the People Against Violent Crime's traditions, and assists surviving victims of violent crimes and their families and those that have lost a loved one to a violent crime; and,
- WHEREAS, surviving victims, their families, and families who have lost love ones to violent crimes are invited to bring an angel ornament for placement on a special Christmas tree also know as the "Tree of Angels"; and,
- WHEREAS, the "Tree of Angels" allows us to remember, include and support victims of crime especially during the holidays. These innocent victims and their families are a part of our lives and a part of our community; and,
- WHEREAS, all are encouraged to join in recognizing crime victims, their families and those who work to prevent crime. As a community, our continuing goal is to bring healing to victims and their loved ones.

**NOW, THEREFORE,** I, Lew White, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Lockhart, Texas do hereby proclaim;

December 1-7, 2021

as

### "Tree of Angels Week"

in Lockhart, Texas

**IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF,** I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Seal of the City of Lockhart, Texas, this 7th day of December, 2021.

#### CITY OF LOCKHART

ATTEST:

Lew White Mayor

Connie Constancio, TRMC City Secretary

#### City of Lockhart, Texas

#### Council Agenda Item Cover Sheet

#### COUNCIL MEETING DATE: December 7, 2021

**<u>AGENDA ITEM CAPTION</u>**: Presentation by Charles Cloutman regarding a grant awarded to the Meals on Wheels of Central Texas by the *just keep livin' Foundation* for storm home repairs and home weatherization efforts for low-income homeowners in Caldwell County.

#### **ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT AND CONTACT:** Administration - Steven Lewis

#### ACTION REQUESTED: Other

**BACKGROUND/SUMMARY/DISCUSSION:** Charles Cloutman of the Meals on Wheels of Central Texas requested the opportunity to attend a Council meeting to provide details about the \$1 million grant that Meals on Wheels of Central Texas was awarded by the Just Keep Livin' Foundation. The grant funds are to assist low-income homeowners in Caldwell County with winter storm and weatherization home repairs.

Ms. Cloutman will provide details about the qualifications and guidelines of the grant.

Meals on Wheels of Central Texas will administer all aspects of the grant.

#### PROJECT SCHEDULE (if applicable): N/A

#### AMOUNT & SOURCE OF FUNDING:

Funds Required: Account Number: Funds Available: Account Name:

FISCAL NOTE (if applicable): N/A

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION: N/A

#### COMMITTEE/BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION: N/A

#### STAFF RECOMMENDATION/REQUESTED MOTION: N/A

#### LIST OF SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:

#### SPECIAL MEETING LOCKHART CITY COUNCIL

#### **NOVEMBER 15, 2021**

7:00 P.M.

## FIRST LOCKHART BAPTIST CHURCH, CONNECTION CENTER, 200 S. BLANCO STREET, LOCKHART, TEXAS

#### **Council present:**

Mayor Pro-Tem Angie Gonzales-Sanchez Councilmember Juan Mendoza Councilmember Brad Westmoreland

#### **Staff present:**

Steven Lewis, City ManagerCVictoria Maranan, Public Information OfficerSArmando Morales, Economic Development Assistant

Mayor Lew White Councilmember Derrick David Bryant Councilmember Jeffry Michelson

Connie Constancio, City Secretary Sean Kelley, Public Works Director

#### **Representatives conducting the Downtown Revitalization Project Open House:**

Jeff Dahm of TRC Solutions, Bobby Eichholz of TRC Solutions and Kylie Mycock of Rialto Studio.

Mayor White welcomed the public at 7:00 p.m.

Jeff Dahm and Bobby Eichholz of TRC Solutions and Kylie Mycock of Rialto Studio provided detailed information about the Downtown Revitalization Project. The Downtown Revitalization Project focuses on the nine-block area surrounding the historic Caldwell County Courthouse. Proposed upgrades include utility, drainage, street, hardscape, pedestrian access, and landscaping in the downtown area, along with traffic alternatives on North Main St., between SH-142/W. San Antonio St. and Walnut St.

Citizens reviewed several plans about the project and were encouraged to submit an on-line questionnaire that is available on the City of Lockhart's website.

A second Open House about the Downtown Revitalization Project will be conducted in January 2022.

The Open House was concluded at 9:00 p.m.

PASSED and APPROVED this the 7th day of December 2021.

#### **CITY OF LOCKHART**

ATTEST:

Lew White, Mayor

Connie Constancio, TRMC City Secretary

#### LOCKHART CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING

#### NOVEMBER 16, 2021

6:30 P.M.

## CLARK LIBRARY ANNEX-COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 217 SOUTH MAIN STREET, 3RD FLOOR, LOCKHART, TEXAS

Mayor Lew White

#### **Council present:**

Mayor Pro-Tem Angie Gonzales-Sanchez Councilmember Juan Mendoza Councilmember Brad Westmoreland

#### Council absent:

Councilmember Kara McGregor

#### Staff present:

Steven Lewis, City Manager Monte Akers, City Attorney Pam Larison, Finance Director Sean Kelley, Public Works Director Councilmember Jeffry Michelson

Councilmember Derrick David Bryant

Connie Constancio, City Secretary Victoria Maranan, Public Information Officer Mike Kamerlander, Economic Development Dir. Jesse Bell, Police Captain

<u>Citizens/Visitors Addressing the Council:</u> Brandon Alexander and Greg Zanghi of Iron Ox; Sal Perdoma of Titan Development, and Citizen, Suzy Falgout.

#### Work Session 6:30 p.m.

Mayor White announced that Councilmember McGregor would not attend the meeting and that Mayor Pro-Tem Sanchez will be late. He opened the work session and advised the Council, staff and the audience that staff would provide information and explanations about the following items:

## A. DISCUSS CITY COUNCIL MINUTES OF THE OCTOBER 19, 2021 AND NOVEMBER 2, 2021 MEETINGS.

Mayor White requested corrections to the minutes. There were none.

Mayor Pro-Tem Sanchez arrived at the meeting.

# **B. DISCUSS RESOLUTION 2021-20 AUTHORIZING SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION FOR THE BODY WORN CAMERA PROGRAM UPGRADE TO THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR FOR THE LOCKHART POLICE DEPARTMENT.**

Captain Bell stated that the Lockhart Police Department is seeking funding through the Office of the Governor's Body Worn Camera Grant Program for Fiscal Year 2022. This grant does, however, require a 25% match of funds in the amount of \$22,785. The current devices currently in use by the Lockhart Police Department have shown a history of being in constant need of repair and/or replacement and generally have shown not to be very sturdy or dependable. With them all being past their 1 year manufacturers' warranty, the frequent cost to repair them almost meets the same cost to replace them with a new device. With a usual turn around of several weeks on repairs, officers have to use spare or share cameras, making it difficult to track videos. The devices being sought include 5-year warranties on all devices and upgraded devices after the first 3 years. In addition, the software includes unlimited cloud-based storage for retention without data caps. Captain Bell recommended approval. There was discussion.

#### E. DISCUSS RESOLUTION 2021-22 APPROVING AN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PERFORMANCE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE LOCKHART ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION (LEDC) AND BLACKJACK II, LLC. TO AUTHORIZE THE LOCKHART ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION TO PROVIDE A GRANT OF UP TO \$200,000 TO BLACKJACK II, LLC FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF WATER AND WASTEWATER UTILITIES CONSTRUCTION.

Mr. Kamerlander stated that Project Iron Ore is an expansion of Iron Ox in Lockhart. Iron Ox recently received \$53 million in series B funding and is looking towards its next expansion. This new expansion would encompass more than 1 million square feet on 85 acres. This is on top of the 535,000 square feet on the 25 acres on Reed Drive currently under construction. The proposed economic development performance agreement states that the company will receive a rebate of up to \$200,000 of LEDC funds for the installation of water and wastewater lines to the property. This rebate is due to the company only after those utilities have been installed. To receive the rebate, Iron Ox must close on the land, construct the utilities, pay for them, and begin construction on the land for its new facility. The construction of these utilities will serve more than Iron Ox as that part of town will continue to experience growth in the future providing a public service in that area. LEDC Board unanimously passed the proposed Performance agreement. Mr. Kamerlander recommended approval. There was discussion.

Brandon Alexander of Iron Ox stated that they look forward to expanding their produce business in Lockhart. He expressed appreciation about how the community welcomes their business.

Greg Zanghi of Iron Ox stated that they look forward to expanding their business in Lockhart.

## G. DISCUSS CHAPTER 380 AGREEMENT WITH BLACKJACK II, LLC (IRON OX) TO PROVIDE INCENTIVES FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Mr. Kamerlander stated that the proposed 380 agreement works in concert with the Performance Agreement with Iron Ox for its proposed new facility on 85-acres on Commerce Street. The economic development performance agreement background includes the project details. The 380 agreement provides a 5-year property tax rebate to Iron Ox once the project is completely developed and a certificate of occupancy has been obtained. The 5-year rebate on City ad valorem tax percentages are as follows:

Year 1: 75%

Year 2: 66%

Year 3: 50%

Year 4: 33%

Year 5: 25%

Total Incentive Estimate:\$1,531,650Estimated Net Benefit to City over 10 years:\$11,653,796

This 5-year rebate only applies to the new facility on Commerce Street, not the existing facility on Reed Avenue that is currently under construction. The Agreement also sets forth investment and job creation requirements. Mr. Kamerlander recommended approval. There was discussion.

#### C. DISCUSS RESOLUTION 2021-21 FOR AN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PERFORMANCE AGREEMENT FOR A BIG GRANT FACADE IMPROVEMENT WITH OLD PAL TEXAS TAVERN LOCATED AT 100 E. MARKET STREET.

Mr. Kamerlander stated that the proposed resolution and performance agreement offers a Business Improvement & Growth Program (BIG) Grant to Old Pal Texas Tavern. Old Pal Texas Tavern invested \$22,770 into the updating of the façade of the building. The owner met with Lockhart Economic Development Corporation (LEDC) months ago and due to the size of the rebate (\$11,385) staff held off until the new fiscal year to provide the full rebate to the business as the BIG Grant account was almost completely used in Fiscal Year 2020-2021. The economic development performance agreement outlines the work done on the building, the rebate the business is entitled to should the work be completed as stated and paid as required. The expected 50% rebate is \$11,385 on the \$22,770 worth of work on the façade. Mr. Kamerlander recommended approval. There was discussion.

#### D. DISCUSS SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS IN 2022 FOR REDISTRICTING AS REQUIRED AT THE BEGINNING OF EACH DECADE TO DETERMINE IF, BASED ON THE NEW POPULATION FIGURES PROVIDED BY THE US CENSUS, THE CITY OF LOCKHART'S SINGLE-MEMBER VOTING DISTRICTS CONTINUE TO CONFORM TO THE U.S. CONSTITUTION'S ONE-PERSON, ONE-VOTE REQUIREMENT.

Ms. Constancio stated that on May 4, 2021, the City Council approved an agreement with Bickerstaff, Heath, Delgado & Acosta to provide legal services for all aspects associated with the redistricting process. Syd Falk of Bickerstaff's office states that Lockhart will begin the process in February 2022. Staff is seeking direction from Council about proposed meeting dates in February, March and April 2022 to carry out the required redistricting tasks. Four special meetings for single-member district drawing sessions are tentatively scheduled (February 8, February 22, March 8 and March 29), yet the Council might only meet 1 or 2 times for drawing sessions. Mr. Falk will be present at all meetings involving redistricting and he recommends a set meeting schedule to book the firm's Tech drawing crew to ensure their participation in the meetings. There was discussion regarding proposed meeting dates that involve redistricting. Also attached are Quick Facts from the U.S. Census Bureau that indicate the City of Lockhart's 2020 population is 14,379. Lockhart's population in 2010 was 12,698. Council and staff will receive data and redistricting stats approximately one week before the February 1 initial assessment meeting. Ms. Constancio recommended approval. There was discussion.

## F. DISCUSS PURCHASE AND SALE AGREEMENT FOR 13.615 ACRES IN LOCKHART INDUSTRIAL PARK III WITH TITAN DEVELOPMENT.

Mr. Kamerlander stated that the proposed land purchase agreement is with Titan Development out of Albuquerque, NM. Titan Development is one of the Southwest's largest and most active real estate development and investment firms. Titan offers real estate services for a variety of asset classes to take projects from inception to completion, as well as an in-house private equity fund management platform to better respond to their investor's needs. Titan Development expanded into other strategic and high growth markets including Texas, Arizona, Colorado, and Florida. Over the past 22 years, Titan Development has established a proven track record across a diversified class of real estate investments including: multifamily, senior living, office, industrial, retail, and single-family lots. Since its inception, the firm has completed over \$2.4B in real estate development by the partners with \$375.5M of assets under management, and over 15.5M square feet of developed real estate. Notable Central Texas Titan developments: Hutto, Schertz, New Braunfels, Selma, and Georgetown. Titan has recently developed over 1 million square feet in those cities over the past 5 years.

Other items of note:

- 1. Site: Block A, Lot 2 (13.6 acres) (See Map)
- 2. Purchase Price: \$2.75/SF
- 3. Earnest Money: \$50,000. \$25,000 goes hard after 6 months and the remaining \$25,000 goes hard after 9 months.
- 4. Due Diligence Period: Titan shall have 12 months to complete its Due Diligence related to the site.
- 5. Exclusivity: Titan shall have the exclusive right to market the site during the Due Diligence Period. Titan will be hiring a broker.
- 6. Site Delivery: Site shall be delivered with all wet and dry utilities (less communication) and road infrastructure (Cahill Road) by LEDC. LEDC is already doing this.
- 7. Development Agreement: Upon closing on the land, Titan will enter into a Development Agreement with the City of Lockhart that will outline responsibilities of both parties and will include a timeline to start construction.

Mr. Kamerlander recommended approval.

#### H. DISCUSS ENTERING INTO A WATER SERVICE AGREEMENT BETWEEN POLONIA WSC AND THE CITY OF LOCKHART TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF LOCKHART TO SERVE WATER UTILITIES TO APPROXIMATELY 49.96-ACRES GENERALLY KNOWN AS 127 OLD LULING AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SIGN AGREEMENT.

Mr. Akers stated that the owners of property located at 127 Old Luling Road have approached the City of Lockhart and Polonia WSC in regards to servicing their property with water utilities. Polonia is the current holder of water certificate of convenience and necessity "CCN", which includes this parcel. However, Polonia WSC acknowledges that they lack the service capacity to serve this property's development as projected by the property owner. Polonia WSC and Aqua WSC are currently in the midst of filing to transfer Polonia's CCN to Aqua with the Public Utility Commission. This transfer will not be complete until early 2022. Filing a formal application for the transfer of a single parcel with the PUC during an active PUC filing would be disruptive and delay approvals. Polonia WSC agrees that entering a Water Service Agreement with the City to serve this property will satisfy all parties until formal filing with the PUC can take place. Texas Water Code Section 13.248 (TWC Sec. 13.248) authorizes contracts between retail public utilities designating areas to be served and customers to be served by those retail public utilities. If the Water Service Agreement is approved, it will authorize the City to serve until the transfer of the water CCN can be filed with the PUC. Similar to other developments within the City's water service area, the property owner would also be expected to extend water and wastewater utilities to serve their development.

RECESS: Mayor White announced that the Council would recess for a break at 7:05 p.m.

#### **REGULAR MEETING**

#### ITEM 1. CALL TO ORDER.

Mayor Lew White called the meeting to order at 7:35 p.m.

#### **ITEM 2. INVOCATION, PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE.**

Mayor White gave the Invocation and led the Pledge of Allegiance to the United States and Texas flags.

#### ITEM 3. PUBLIC COMMENT.

Mayor White requested citizens to address the Council.

Suzy Falgout, 710 S. Commerce Street, announced that the Caldwell County Animal Coalition is officially a non-profit organization with a 501C3. She provided details about the organization's upcoming pet clinic that offers low cost spay/neuter and vaccinations for animals. She encouraged financial contributions to the Coalition to assist with additional low cost animal clinics in the future.

Mayor White requested additional citizens to address the Council. There were none.

#### ITEM 4. CONSENT AGENDA.

Mayor Pro-Tem Sanchez made a motion to approve consent agenda items 4A, 4B and 4C. Councilmember Mendoza seconded. The motion passed by a vote of 6-0.

The following are the consent agenda items that were approved:

- 4A: Approve City Council minutes of the October 19, 2021 and November 2, 2021 meetings.
- 4B: Approve Resolution 2021-20 authorizing submission of a grant application for the Body Worn Camera Program upgrade to the Office of the Governor for the Lockhart Police Department
- 4C: Approve Resolution 2021-21 for an Economic Development Performance agreement for a BIG Grant facade improvement with Old Pal Texas Tavern located at 100 E. Market Street.

#### ITEM 5-A. DISCUSSION AND/OR ACTION TO CONSIDER SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS IN 2022 FOR REDISTRICTING AS REQUIRED AT THE BEGINNING OF EACH DECADE TO DETERMINE IF, BASED ON THE NEW POPULATION FIGURES PROVIDED BY THE US CENSUS, THE CITY OF LOCKHART'S SINGLE-MEMBER VOTING DISTRICTS CONTINUE TO CONFORM TO THE U.S. CONSTITUTION'S ONE-PERSON, ONE-VOTE REQUIREMENT.

Mayor Pro-Tem Sanchez made a motion to approve the meeting schedule in 2022 for Redistricting, as presented. Councilmember Bryant seconded. The motion passed by a vote of 6-0.

#### ITEM 5-B. DISCUSSION AND/OR ACTION REGARDING RESOLUTION 2021-22 APPROVING AN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PERFORMANCE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE LOCKHART ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION AND BLACKJACK II, LLC. TO AUTHORIZE THE LOCKHART ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION TO PROVIDE A GRANT OF UP TO \$200,000 TO BLACKJACK II, LLC FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF WATER AND WASTEWATER UTILITIES CONSTRUCTION.

Councilmember Michelson made a motion to approve Resolution 2021-22, as presented. Mayor Pro-Tem Sanchez seconded. The motion passed by a vote of 6-0.

#### ITEM 5-D. DISCUSSION AND/OR ACTION TO CONSIDER A CHAPTER 380 AGREEMENT WITH BLACKJACK II, LLC (IRON OX) TO PROVIDE INCENTIVES FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Mayor Pro-Tem Sanchez made a motion to approve the Chapter 380 Agreement with Blackjack Block, II, LLC (Iron Ox), as presented. Councilmember Michelson seconded. The motion passed by a vote of 6-0.

#### DRAFT ITEM 5-C. DISCUSSION AND/OR ACTION REGARDING A PURCHASE AND SALE AGREEMENT FOR 13.615 ACRES IN LOCKHART INDUSTRIAL PARK III WITH TITAN DEVELOPMENT.

Sal Perdoma of Titan Development, Austin, introduced himself and expressed his appreciation of expanding their office to Lockhart. He provided a brief background of the firm's development portfolio. He stated that Lockhart seems to be a suitable location to have access to various major highways to several surrounding cities. There was discussion.

Councilmember Michelson made a motion to approve the purchase and sale agreement for 13.615 acres in the Lockhart Industrial Park III with Titan Development, as presented. Mayor Pro-Tem Sanchez seconded. The motion passed by a vote of 6-0.

#### ITEM 5-E. DISCUSSION AND/OR ACTION TO CONSIDER ENTERING INTO A WATER SERVICE AGREEMENT BETWEEN POLONIA WSC AND THE CITY OF LOCKHART TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF LOCKHART TO SERVE WATER UTILITIES TO APPROXIMATELY 49.96-ACRES GENERALLY KNOWN AS 127 OLD LULING AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SIGN AGREEMENT.

Mayor Pro-Tem Sanchez made a motion to approve the Water Service Agreement between Polonia WSC and the City of Lockhart, as presented. Councilmember Mendoza seconded. The motion passed by a vote of 6-0.

#### ITEM 5-G. DISCUSSION AND/OR ACTION TO CONSIDER RESOLUTION 2021-19 CASTING VOTES FOR DIRECTORS TO SERVE ON THE CALDWELL COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR THE TERM OF OFFICE FROM JANUARY 1, 2022 TO DECEMBER 31, 2023.

Mr. Lewis stated that during the September 21, 2021 meeting, the Council approved Resolution 2021-16 that listed Alfredo Munoz and Sally Daniel as the City of Lockhart's nominations to be placed on a ballot for the Caldwell County Appraisal District (CCAD) Board of Directors that consists of five members. The ballot that the City received from the CCAD requesting that each taxing entity cast votes for the CCAD Board of Directors for the term of office from January 1, 2022 to December 31, 2023. The ballot consists of 8 candidates running for 5 Director positions. The Director will serve a two-year term beginning on January 1 of even numbered years. The City of Lockhart is entitled to cast 427 votes. The Council may cast all votes for one candidate or may distribute the votes among any number of candidates up to 427 votes. The deadline to submit the votes to the CCAD is December 15, 2021. Staff will submit the necessary documentation to the CCAD after the Council has cast their vote(s). In 2019, the Council cast all votes (453) to Alfredo Munoz.

Mayor White made a motion to cast 300 votes for Sally Daniel and 127 votes for Alfredo Munoz. Mayor Pro-Tem Sanchez seconded. The motion passed by a vote of 6-0.

#### ITEM 5-G. DISCUSSION AND/OR ACTION TO CONFIRM THE CALDWELL COUNTY COMMISSIONER COURT'S APPOINTMENT OF STEVE LEWIS TO THE TEXAS INNOVATION CORRIDOR TRANSPORTATION ALLIANCE.

Mr. Lewis stated that the Texas Innovation Corridor Transportation Alliance (Alliance) is being constituted at the direction of the Greater San Marcos Partnership's (GSMP) Vision2025 strategic plan. The Alliance's formation and administration is led by the members of the GSMP's Implementation Workgroup focused on the third goal of the Vision2025 plan. The purpose of the Alliance is not to duplicate or replace any other transportation plans or organizations, but rather to improve coordination between entities within the GSMP footprint. Like many other components of economic development, transportation systems are most valuable when cohesively linked to a broader system, and the role of the Alliance is principally to strengthen regional transportation cooperation within the GSMP footprint. The

#### DRAFT

Alliance is composed of eleven voting seats, which may be modified at the discretion of the GSMP Board. Each entity with a seat within the Alliance is recommended to have a primary representative, a designated alternate, and a technical representative, all of which may attend Alliance meetings. Self-appointing institutions shall affirm their representative on an annual basis. For any entity holding a seat on CAMPO's Transportation Policy Board, the representative serving in the CAMPO seat may be considered for service on the Alliance. The two "community" seats appointed by each respective County Commissioners Court are intended to be rotated amongst municipalities not already represented on the Alliance. On November 8, 2021, the Commissioners Court appointed Steve Lewis as Caldwell County's appointee to the Alliance. Mr. Lewis requested that the Council confirm his appointment to the Alliance.

Mayor Pro-Tem Sanchez made a motion to confirm the Caldwell County Commissioner Court's appointment of Steve Lewis to the Texas Innovation Corridor Transportation Alliance. Councilmember Westmoreland seconded. The motion passed by a vote of 6-0.

#### **ITEM 5-H. DISCUSSION REGARDING MATTERS RELATED TO COVID-19.** There was no action.

## ITEM 5-I. DISCUSSION AND/OR ACTION REGARDING APPOINTMENTS TO VARIOUS BOARDS, COMMISSIONS OR COMMITTEES.

Mayor White requested appointments to boards or committees. There were none.

#### **ITEM 6. CITY MANAGER'S REPORT, PRESENTATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION.**

- Lockhart Fire Department hired a new firefighter on October 26, 2021. One vacancy exists.
- Police Officer entrance exam will be held on Saturday, December 11, 2021.
- Northern Caldwell County Coalition meeting will be held on November 18 at 6:00 p.m. at the M.L. Cisneros Education Support Center Boardroom.
- City Council will have a float in the Reverse Dickens' Lighted Parade on December 4th.
- Solid waste collection schedule during the Thanksgiving holiday will change. No collection on Thanksgiving Day; Nov. 25 and Nov. 26 will slide to pick-up the next day.
- Update regarding Keep Lockhart Beautiful event held on Saturday, November 6.

#### ITEM 7. COUNCIL AND STAFF COMMENTS - ITEMS OF COMMUNITY INTEREST.

Councilmember Westmoreland thanked all that attended the Downtown Revitalization open house. He stated that in 1967, the Beautification Project was carried out to improve the downtown area. He expressed appreciation of the city continuing with the downtown improvements.

Councilmember Mendoza thanked all for attending the Downtown Revitalization meeting. He thanked the Lockhart Fire department for push-in ceremony of the new Fire truck. He wished Ms. Moore a 102<sup>nd</sup> birthday.

Mayor Pro-Tem Sanchez encouraged citizens to participate with submission of on-line comments about the Downtown Revitalization project. He congratulated Rebecca Pulium for being appointed as a Lockhart Independent School District Board of Trustee.

Councilmember Bryant also thanked all for attending the Downtown Revitalization meeting and he encouraged everyone to share the website information about the project. He wished everyone a Happy Thanksgiving.

Councilmember Michelson thanked everyone for attending Downtown Revitalization meeting. He wished everyone a Happy Thanksgiving.

Mayor White thanked every for attending the Downtown Revitalization meeting and he encouraged online participation. The 2<sup>nd</sup> open house about the downtown project will be in January 2022. He wished everyone a Happy and safe Thanksgiving.

#### ITEM 8. ADJOURNMENT.

Mayor Pro-Tem Sanchez made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Councilmember Mendoza seconded. The motion passed by a vote of 6-0. The meeting was adjourned at 8:03 p.m.

PASSED and APPROVED this the 7<sup>th</sup> day of December 2021.

#### CITY OF LOCKHART

ATTEST:

Lew White, Mayor

Connie Constancio, TRMC City Secretary

#### City of Lockhart, Texas

#### Council Agenda Item Cover Sheet

#### COUNCIL MEETING DATE: December 7, 2021

**AGENDA ITEM CAPTION:** Discussion regarding the High Service Pump Station Expansion at the Lockhart Water Treatment Plant.

#### ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT AND CONTACT: Public Works - Sean Kelley

#### ACTION REQUESTED: Other

**BACKGROUND/SUMMARY/DISCUSSION:** Staff will provide an update regarding the High Service Pump Station Expansion at the Lockhart Water Treatment Plant.

The objective of the upgrade is to deliver potable water of approved quality at established pressures, and in quantities and rates of flow that the customer's desire. The goal is to deliver treated water to customers while maintaining a minimum normal operating pressure of 35-psi and a minimum pressure of 20-psi during fire flow conditions.

Details about the explanation and why it is needed will be discussed.

#### PROJECT SCHEDULE (if applicable): N/A

#### AMOUNT & SOURCE OF FUNDING:

Funds Required: Account Number: Funds Available: Account Name:

FISCAL NOTE (if applicable): N/A

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION: N/A

#### COMMITTEE/BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION: N/A

#### STAFF RECOMMENDATION/REQUESTED MOTION: None.

**LIST OF SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:** Powerpoint presentation.

# Lockhart Water Treatment Plant High Service Pump Station Expansion

# Lockhart Water System

**Objective:** Deliver potable water of approved quality at established pressures, and in quantities and rates of flow that customer's desire

**Goal:** Deliver treated water to customers while maintaining a minimum normal operating pressure of 35-psi and a minimum pressure of 20-psi during fire flow conditions

# What is the High Service Pump Station (HSPS)?

- Pumps that pump treated water from the water plant to the water distribution system at required pressure and fill the four elevated storage tanks
- Existing HSPS consist of 3 high service pumps
- Located on the west side of the 2 million gallon (MG) ground storage tank at the water treatment plant

Transmission Lines to High Service Pump Station

2 Million Gallon GST

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# Existing High Service Pumps

# Why are improvements needed at the High Service Pump Station?

- The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality(TCEQ) requires that water systems servicing more than 250 connections provide a minimum two service pumps with a combined capacity of 0.6 gpm per connection are required at each pump station
- Based on the W/WW Impact Fee Analysis in 2017 the HSP demand was 2,827 GPM and by the year 2027 the estimated demand would be 3,531 gpm
- This criteria must be designed to handle this capacity with the largest pump out of service
- Using this criteria, the current capacity is 3,000 gpm, not meeting the future regulatory future pumping capacity demand of 3,531 gpm

# What has been done in preparation to meet this regulatory requirement?

- This capital improvement project has been identified within the Water/Wastewater Impact Fee Report
- The electric upgrades completed at the Water Plant in 2019/2020 contain electronic components needed for these future HSP upgrade
- Installation of an 18" water transmission line from the Water Plant to FM1322 in 2021 increasing pumping and distribution capabilities
- Authorizing the City Engineer to conduct a High Service Pump Station Study that included water modeling, 7 different pumping scenarios (evaluating 3 feasible scenarios), and developing probable cost estimates and recommendations

# High Service Pump Study Recommendations

- A total of seven(7) scenarios were modeled
- Scenario #6 assumes a small 600 gpm pump will be replaced with a large 1,200 gpm pump plus another 1,200 gpm pump will be added for a total of four pumps
- This project will provide excess capacity for future demand
- Construction to start in 2022

# Next Steps

- The City Engineer will prepare the scope of services for the High Service Pump Station Expansion including design, public bidding and inspection services for the project.
- The estimated cost for the recommended scenario are expected to be approximately \$569,000 which includes engineering, contract administration, overhead, and contingencies
- Funding for this project will come from federal American Rescue Plan

# Questions?

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#### COUNCIL MEETING DATE: December 7, 2021

**AGENDA ITEM CAPTION:** Discussion regarding Ordinance 2021-39 amending Chapter 12 of the City of Lockhart Code of Ordinances, Buildings and Building Regulations, Articles II, III, IV, V, VI, VII and IX, adopting the 2018 International Building Codes with amendments as follows: Building Code, existing Building Code, Residential Code, Plumbing Code, Fuel and Gas Code, Mechanical Code, Energy Code, Swimming Pool and Spa Code, and the 2017 National Electrical Code.

#### **ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT AND CONTACT:** Development Services - Shane Mondin

#### ACTION REQUESTED: Ordinance

**BACKGROUND/SUMMARY/DISCUSSION:** The City's current adopted code is the 2015 edition. In order to comply with current code requirements and assist with better Insurance Services Office ratings, the International Building Code and the International Residential Code, 2018 edition needs to be adopted with local amendments. The new code will take effect 30 days after passage. Most contractors and design professionals are already familiar with the new code.

Other surrounding cities that use the 2018 International Codes are San Marcos, Kyle and Buda.

#### PROJECT SCHEDULE (if applicable): N/A

#### AMOUNT & SOURCE OF FUNDING: Funds Required: N/A Account Number: N/A

Funds Available: N/A Account Name: N/A

FISCAL NOTE (if applicable): N/A

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION: None

#### COMMITTEE/BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION: None

## **STAFF RECOMMENDATION/REQUESTED MOTION:** Recommend approval of Ordinance 2021-39.

### City of Lockhart, Texas

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#### ORDINANCE NO. 2021-39

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 12 OF THE CITY OF LOCKHART CODE OF ORDINANCES, BUILDINGS AND BUILDING REGULATIONS, ARTICLES II, III, IV, V, VI, VII AND IX, ADDING ARTICLE XI, ADOPTING THE 2018 INTERNATIONAL BUILDING CODES WITH AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS: BUILDING CODE, EXISTING BUILDING CODE, RESIDENTIAL CODE, PLUMBING CODE, FUEL AND GAS CODE, MECHANICAL CODE, ENERGY CODE, SWIMMING POOL AND SPA CODE, AND THE 2017 NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CODE; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PRESCRIBING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS OF THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ORDINANCE; PROVIDING FOR PUBLICATION; PROVIDING A SAVINGS CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

- **WHEREAS,** the City Council desires to amend Chapter 12, Buildings and Building regulations of the City of Lockhart Code of Ordinances; and
- **WHEREAS**, the Building Official has recommended that the more recent codes be adopted with local amendments to be retained as indicated; and
- **WHEREAS**, the adoption of the 2018 codes place the City of Lockhart more in line with current trades and practices;

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOCKHART, TEXAS, THAT:

#### **SECTION I: FINDINGS**

The findings set forth above are incorporated as if fully set forth herein.

#### **SECTION II: ADOPTION**

Chapter 12, Articles II, III, IV, V, VI, VII, IX, and XI are hereby amended to change sections numbers, delete certain section, and add amendments as follows:

#### **ARTICLE II**

#### Sec. 12-26. - Adopted.

(a) There is hereby adopted by reference that publication known as the International Building Code, 2018 Edition, published by the International Code Council, as hereafter may be amended, and revised. In the event that any provision in the multifamily standards conflict with the airport standards, the airport standards shall control for any building located within the 55 Ldn contour, as those standards now exist or may be hereafter amended.

(b) The International Residential Code for One- and Two-Family Dwellings, 2018 Edition, published by the International Code Council, as hereafter may be amended and revised, is adopted herein by reference.

(c) The International Existing Building Code, 2018 Edition, published by the International Code Council, as hereafter may be amended and revised, is adopted herein by reference.

(d) No person shall violate any of the provisions of the publications adopted by reference in subsections (a), (b) and (c), and any person, firm, company, partnership, corporation, or association

violating any provision of this article shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction.

#### Sec. 12-27. - Amendments.

The building codes adopted in section 12-26 are hereby amended to change section numbers, delete sections, and add amendments as follows:

2018 International Building Code

Section 103.1 Creation of Enforcement Agency, is amended to read as follows:

Enforcement Authority. The official in charge of enforcement of this code shall be known as the building official.

Section 103.2 is amended to read as follows:

The building official shall be appointed as provided by the city manager.

Section 103.3 is hereby amended to read as follows:

The building official, with the authority of the city manager, may appoint such number of officers, inspectors, assistants and other employees as shall be authorized from time to time.

Section 105.2 Work exempt from permit, Building, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Exemptions from permit requirements of this code shall not be deemed to grant authorization for any work to be done in any manner in violation of the provisions of this Code or any other laws or ordinances of this jurisdiction. Permits shall not be required for the following:

Building:

1. Painting, papering, tiling, carpeting, cabinets, counter tops and similar finish work.

2. Temporary motion picture, television and theater stage sets and scenery.

3. Shade cloth structures constructed for nursery or agricultural purposes, not including service systems.

4. Swings and other playground equipment accessory to detached one- and two-family dwellings.
5. Window awnings supported by an exterior wall that do not project more than 54 inches (1372 mm) from the exterior wall and do not require additional support of group R-3 and U occupancies.
6. Non-fixed movable fixtures, cases, racks, counters and partitions, which meet the life safety code.

Section 113.1, General, is amended to read as follows:

The Construction Board of Appeals shall have the power, as further defined in Appendix B, to hear appeals of decisions and interpretations of the building official and consider variances of the technical codes; and to conduct hearings on determinations of the building official regarding

unsafe or dangerous buildings, structures and/or service systems, and to issue orders in accordance with the procedures beginning with section  $\underline{12-442}$  of this Code of Ordinances.

Cross reference—Building code relief for historic structures, <u>§ 28-9</u>.

Section B101.3, Notice of Meeting, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Notice of appeal shall be in writing and filed within 30 calendar days, except in cases of unsafe or dangerous buildings, structures and/or service systems which are addressed beginning with section 12-442 [of the Code of Ordinances], after the decision is rendered by the building official. Appeals shall be in a form acceptable to the building official.

Section 107.1 Submittal Documents, is amended to read as follows:

Construction documents, special inspection and structural observation programs and other data shall be submitted in one or more sets with each application for a permit. The construction documents for new residential buildings and for additions of over 300 square feet in area shall be prepared by a licensed architect or member of the American Institute of Building Design certified by the National Council of Building Designer Certification, and shall bear their professional seal unless otherwise approved by the Building Official. Foundation plans for duplex, triplex, and apartment construction shall be drawn by a professional engineer licensed to do business in the state of Texas and shall bear their professional seal.

Section 109.2 Schedule of Permit Fees, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Building permit fees and all other applicable fees as adopted by ordinance or resolution shall be collected before issuance of a building permit.

Section 116, Unsafe Structures and Equipment, is hereby amended to read as follows:

In case of a building, structure, or service system, which, in the opinion of the building official, is unsafe, unsanitary, or dangerous, the building official shall implement the procedures beginning with section <u>12-442</u> of this Code [of Ordinances].

Section 113.3 Qualifications, is amended to read as follows:

Each District Council member and the Mayor shall each appoint one member to the Construction Board of Appeals making it a five (5) member board and each Councilmember at Large shall appoint an alternate. The term of office of the board members shall be three (3) years, such terms coinciding with the council position making the appointment. The two (2) alternates shall also serve the term coinciding with the council position making the appointments. Vacancies shall be filled for an unexpired term in the manner in which the original appointments are required to be made.

Board members shall consist of individuals who are qualified by experience and/or training to pass on matters pertaining to building construction and are not employees of the City of Lockhart.

Section 1206, Sound Transmission, is amended to include the Airport Noise Impact Overlay District and Performance Standards titles as follows:

Airport Noise Reduction, Purpose, and Scope.

Sound Isolation Requirements

Sound Transmission Class Ratings.

1207.4 Airport Noise Reduction, Purpose and Scope.

There shall be established an Airport Noise Impact Overlay Zone for the purpose of controlling conflicts between land uses and noise generated by aircraft, and to protect the public health, safety, and general welfare from the adverse impacts associated with excessive noise.

This section establishes sound isolation requirements for exterior walls and roofs of buildings located in the Airport Noise Impact Overlay Zone, and for doors, windows, and sloped glazing located therein.

#### PERFORMANCE STANDARDS

The sound isolation requirements specified herein are stated in terms of three classes of aircraft noise reduction. These classes are defined in terms of the following interior noise levels:

35 LDN reduction	-sound isolation adequate to limit an interior noise level so that it does not exceed 45 Ldn in buildings located within the 75 Ldn noise contour.
30 Ldn reduction	-sound isolation adequate to limit an interior noise level so that it does not exceed 50 Ldn noise contour, and an interior noise level that does not exceed 45 Ldn in buildings located between the 70 and 75 Ldn noise contours
25 Ldn reduction	-sound isolation adequate to limit an interior noise level so that it does not exceed 50 Ldn in buildings located between the <u>55</u> and 75 Ldn noise contours, and in an interior noise level that does not exceed 75 Ldn in buildings located between the <u>55</u> and 70 Ldn contours

1206.5 Sound Isolation Requirements.

Exterior walls, roofs, doors, windows, and sloped glazing located in the Airport Noise Impact Overlay District, shall have acoustical characteristics which provide the noise level standards listed in NOISE LEVEL STANDARDS TABLE 1206.5

## TABLE 1206.5NOISE LEVEL STANDARDS

#### TABLE REMAINS AS PREVIOUSLY ADOPTED

Notes:

1—Not permitted2—No special requirement1206.6 Sound Transmission Class Ratings.

Compliance with the aircraft sound isolation performance standards shall be established by certification from a registered professional architect or engineer that when constructed in accordance with the approved plans and with quality workmanship, the building shall achieve the specified interior noise levels, or by the use of assemblies having the Sound Transmission Class ratings specified in Table 1206.6:

#### TABLE 1206.6

#### MINIMUM SOUND TRANSMISSION OF ASSEMBLIES

#### TABLE REMAINS AS PREVIOUSLY ADOPTED Image: Comparison of the second second

#### Local Code of Ordinances

Section 1907 Minimum Slab Provisions is amended to include Welded Wire Fabric as follows:

Welded Wire Fabric. The use of welded wire fabric for reinforcement in concrete slab foundations, driveways, and sidewalks that are part of driveway entrances, is prohibited unless construction plans sealed by a Texas licensed engineer specifically approves the use of welded wire fabric.

2018 International Residential Code for One- and Two-Family Dwellings

Section R 315.2.2 Alterations, Repairs, and Additions is hereby amended to read:

Where work requiring a permit that involves an addition, major alteration, or when the electrical system is being completely re-wired in existing dwellings that have attached garages, or in existing dwellings within which fuel-fired appliances exist, carbon monoxide alarms shall be provided in accordance with Section R315.1.

Section P2904 Dwelling Unit Fire Sprinkler Systems of the 2018 International Residential Code shall apply to one- and two-family dwellings of 7,500 square feet or more and to such dwellings when modified become 7,500 square feet or more.

Section E3902.16 ARC-FAULT CIRCUIT INTERRUPTER PROTECTION is hereby amended to read:

ARC-FAULT CIRCUIT INTERRUPTER PROTECTION. In all new residential dwellings and when an addition, major alteration, or when the electrical system is being re-wired in an existing residential dwelling, all branch circuits that supply 120-volt, single-phase, 15- and 20-ampere outlets installed in family rooms, dining rooms, living rooms, parlors, libraries, dens, bedrooms, sunrooms, recreation rooms, closets, hallways, or similar rooms or areas shall be protected by a combination type arc-fault circuit interrupter installed to provide protection of the entire branch circuit.

Section E4002.14 TAMPER-RESISTANT RECEPTACLES is hereby amended to read:

Section E4002.14 TAMPER-RESISTANT RECEPTACLES. In all new residential dwellings and when an addition, major alteration, or when the electrical system is being completely re-wired in areas specified in Section E3901.1, 125-volt, 15- and 20-ampere receptacles shall be listed tamper-resistant receptacles.

#### **ARTICLE III**

#### Sec. 12-196. - Adopted.

(a) There is hereby adopted by reference that publication known as the National Electrical Code, 2017 Edition with local amendments, published by the National Fire Protection Association, Inc. or the International Residential Code, 2018 Edition.

(b) No person shall violate any of the provisions of the publication adopted by reference in subsection (a).

#### **ARTICLE IV**

#### Sec. 12-346. - Adopted.

(a) There is hereby adopted by reference that publication known as the International Fuel Gas Code, 2018 Edition with amendments, published by the International Code Council, as hereafter may be amended, and revised.

(b) No person shall violate any of the provisions of the publication adopted by reference in subsection (a).

#### Sec. 12-347. - Amendments.

The gas code adopted in section 12-346 is amended in the following respects:

Section 106.6.2 Fee Schedule of the International Fuel Gas Code, 2018 Edition, is hereby amended to read as follows:

For all work under this code requiring a permit, a fee as established by ordinance or resolution shall be paid for each permit at the time of the application approval.

#### ARTICLE V

#### Sec. 12-376. - Adopted.

(a) Is hereby amended to adopt by reference the International Mechanical Code 2018 Edition, published by the International Code Council as hereafter amended and/or revised.

(b) No person shall violate any of the provisions of the publication adopted by reference in subsection (a).

#### Sec. 12-377. Amendments.

The mechanical code adopted in section 12-376 is amended in the following respects:

Section 106.5.2 is hereby amended to read as follows:

On all mechanical work requiring a permit, as set forth in Section 106.1 a fee for each mechanical permit in the amount established by ordinance or resolution shall be paid at the time of approval of the application.

Section 109 is hereby amended to read as follows:

The construction board of appeals established pursuant to the edition of the International Building Code in force in the city shall serve as the board of appeals for the purposes of this code.

#### ARTICLE VI

#### Sec. 12-406. - Adopted.

(a) There is hereby adopted by reference that publication known as the International Plumbing Code, 2018 Edition, published by the International Code Council, as hereafter may be amended, and revised.

(b) No person shall violate any of the provisions of the publication adopted by reference in subsection (a).

#### Sec. 12-407. - Amendments.

Section 106.6.2 Fee Schedule of the International Plumbing Code, 2018 Edition, is hereby amended to read as follows:

On all plumbing work requiring a permit, a fee as established by ordinance or resolution shall be paid for each permit at the time of the application approval.

The International Plumbing Code, 2018 Edition is hereby amended to include the following regarding water conservation requirements: Water Conservation:

The standards for residential and commercial fixtures shall be:

#### TABLE REMAINS AS PREVIOUSLY ADOPTED

#### ARTICLE VII

#### Sec. 12-437. - Alterations, repairs or rehabilitation work.

(a) Alterations, repairs, or rehabilitation work may be made to any existing building without requiring the building to comply with all the requirements of the 2018 International Building Code and 2018 International Residential Codes, provided that the alteration, repair or rehabilitation work conforms to the requirements of the 2018 International Building Code and 2018 International Residential Codes for new construction. The building official shall determine, subject to appeal to the board of adjustments and appeals, the extent, if any, to which the existing building shall be made to conform to the requirements of the 2018 International Building Code and 2018 International Residential Codes for new construction.

(b) Alterations, repairs or rehabilitation work shall not cause an existing building to become unsafe as that term is defined below.

(c) If the occupancy classification of an existing building is changed, the building shall be made to conform to the intent of the 2018 International Building Code and 2018 International Residential Codes for the new occupancy as established by the building official.

(d) Repairs and alterations, not covered by the preceding subsections of this section, restoring a building to its condition previous to damage or deterioration, or altering it in conformity with the provisions of this article or in such manner as will not extend or increase an existing nonconformity or hazard, may be made with the same kind of materials as those of which the building is constructed; but not more than 25 percent of the roof covering of a building shall be replaced in any period of 12 months unless the entire roof covering is made to conform with the requirements of the 2018 International Building Code and 2018 International Residential Codes for new buildings.

#### Sec. 12-439. - Maintenance.

All buildings or structures, both existing and new, and all parts thereof, shall be maintained in a safe and sanitary condition. All devices or safeguards which are required by the 2018 International Building Code and 2018 International Residential Codes in a building when erected, altered, or repaired shall be maintained in good working order. The owner shall be responsible for the maintenance of buildings and structures.

#### Sec. 12-442. - Definitions.

The following words, terms and phrases, when used in this article, shall have the meanings ascribed to them in this section, except where the context clearly indicates a different meaning:

Board means the construction board of appeals established in section 113 of the 2018 International Building Code, adopted by reference in section 12-26 of this Code.

Unsafe building means any building or structure that has any one or more of the following applicable conditions:

(all other portions of the unsafe building definition should remain as previously adopted)

(2) Any occupied building, structure, or portion thereof which lacks adequate light, ventilation or sanitation facilities as required by the 2018 International Building Code and 2018 International Residential Codes.

(all other portions of the unsafe building definition should remain as previously adopted)

#### **ARTICLE IX**

#### Sec. 12-521. - Adopted.

The International Energy Conservation Code, 2018 Edition, published by the International Code Council, as hereafter amended and/or revised, is hereby adopted as the code of the city for regulating the design, construction, quality of materials, erection, installation, alterations, repair, location, relocation, replacement, addition to use or maintenance of the building envelope, mechanical, lighting and power systems in the city.

#### ADD ARTICLE XI SWIMMING POOL AND SPA CODE

#### Sec. 12-576. -Adopted.

(a) There is hereby adopted by reference that publication known as the 2018 International Swimming Pool and Spa Code with amendments, published by the International Code Council, as hereafter may be amended, and revised.

(b) No person shall violate any of the provisions of the publication adopted by reference in subsection (a).

#### SECTION III: PENALTY CLAUSE

Any person who violates any provision of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be fined as provided in Section 1-8 of the City of Lockhart Code of Ordinances.

#### SECTION IV: SEVERABILITY

#### a. <u>Unconstitutional or Invalid Section</u>

Should any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance be declared unconstitutional or invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, it is expressly provided that any and all remaining portions of this Ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

b. Independent Sections

The City hereby declares that it would have passed this ordinance, and each section, subsection, clause or phrase thereof irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, sentences, clauses and/or phrases be declared unconstitutional or invalid.

#### **SECTION V: ESTOPPEL / WAIVER**

The failure of the City to enforce any term or condition of this ordinance shall not constitute a waiver or estoppel or any subsequent violation of this ordinance.

#### **SECTION VI: PUBLICATION**

That the City Secretary is directed to cause this ordinance caption to be published according to law.

#### SECTION VII: EFFECTIVE DATE

That this ordinance shall become effective thirty (30) days after passage. **PASSED AND APPROVED** by the City Council of the City of Lockhart, Texas, this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2021.

**ATTEST:** 

Lew White, Mayor

Connie Constancio, City Secretary

#### **APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

Monte Akers, City Attorney

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### COUNCIL MEETING DATE: December 7, 2021

AGENDA ITEM CAPTION: Discussion regarding matters related to COVID-19.

**ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT AND CONTACT:** Administration - Steven Lewis, Monte Akers

### ACTION REQUESTED: Other

**BACKGROUND/SUMMARY/DISCUSSION:** On May 18, 2021, Governor Abbot issued GA-36 that prohibited governmental entities from mandating face coverings or restricting activities in response to the COVID-19 disaster. As a result, the Lockhart City Council rescinded the Mayor's Declaration to require face coverings and encouraged citizens to continue to follow the CDC guidelines in regard to COVID-19.

Also, as a result of the Governor opening Texas on March 2, 2021 (GA-34), community events are back on schedule such as the Chisholm Trail Roundup, Fireworks show, and City venues such as the city splash pad are open to the public. Face coverings are not required during the events or at city facilities.

An update of COVID-19 orders and Council actions is attached.

<u>Open Meetings Act Suspensions Terminate effective September 1, 2021</u> In March 2020, Governor Abbott's office granted the Attorney General's request to suspend certain open meetings statutes. The temporary suspension allows for telephonic or videoconference meetings of governmental bodies that are accessible to the public in an effort to reduce in-person meetings, thereby allowing governmental bodies and/or board commissions to hold a meeting virtually without a quorum being present at the meeting location.

On June 30, 2021, the Governor's office approved a request by the Attorney General to lift the open meetings suspensions effective at 12:01 a.m. on September 1, 2021. All Texas governmental bodies subject to the OMA must thereafter conduct their meetings in full compliance with the OMA as written in state law.

The following are provisions in the OMA suspension that will no longer be allowed effective September 1, 2021:

 Video conferencing capability will change in that a member of the governing body or board can meet virtually but there must be a quorum physically present at the meeting location.
 Telephone conference meetings will not be allowed to continue and are only allowed in an emergency.

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On **August 29, 2021**, Governor Abbott issued a Declaration renewing the declaration of disaster stating that COVID-19 poses an imminent threat of disaster for all counties in Texas.

On October 11, 2021, Governor Abbott issued GA-40 prohibiting vaccine mandates, subject to legislative action.

This item is returned to Council for consideration, if necessary.

### PROJECT SCHEDULE (if applicable): N/A

### AMOUNT & SOURCE OF FUNDING:

Funds Required: N/A Account Number: N/A Funds Available: N/A Account Name: N/A

FISCAL NOTE (if applicable): None.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION: N/A

### COMMITTEE/BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION: N/A

### STAFF RECOMMENDATION/REQUESTED MOTION: None.

**<u>LIST OF SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:</u>** Update of COVID-19 orders and Council actions, GA-39, GA-38, Governor Abbott proclamation renewing the Declaration of Disaster, GA 40

### HISTORY OF COVID-19 ORDERS/COUNCIL ACTIONS

On **September 1, 2020**, the City Council adopted Resolution 2020-20 renewing and adopting a requirement that commercial establishments in the City post a notice that facial coverings are a requirement of employees and persons entering such establishments. The requirement that such notice be posted shall remain in effect until terminated or amended by the City Council.

On **October 7, 2020**, Governor Greg Abbott issued Executive Order GA-32 to allow certain bars and similar establishments to operate at 50% capacity with permission from the County Judge. GA-32 increased the occupancy levels for all business establishments other than bars to 75%. GA-32 also provides that outdoor gatherings in excess of 10 people is prohibited unless the Mayor of the City in which the gathering is held, approves of the gathering, and such approval can be made subject to certain conditions or restrictions not inconsistent with GA-32.

<u>Mayor's statement on reduced business capacity in Caldwell County</u>. At 12:01 a.m. on Wednesday, January 13, 2021 the provisions of Governor Greg Abbott's Executive Order GA-32 that suspend elective surgeries, close bars and reduce business capacity to 50 percent went into effect in Lockhart and Caldwell County. This was occurring because under GA-32, these specific provisions took effect when a Trauma Service Area had seven consecutive days in which the number of COVID-19 hospitalized patients as a percentage of total capacity exceeded 15 percent. This was the case in Trauma Service Area O, which included Caldwell County.

<u>COVID Relief Fund update</u>. On January 19, 2021, the Council voted to offer a six-month forbearance to businesses that received a COVID-19 Recovery Loan in 2020. Council re-opened the COVID Relief Grants to small businesses for \$5,000 per business that qualifies. Restaurants and bars that were affected by the Governor's order earned higher points on the application process.

During the February 23, 2021 meeting, Chief Jenkins provided an update of COVID compliance for local businesses.

On **March 2, 2021**, Governor Abbot issued GA-34 that was effective March 10, 2021. It provides that the State no longer requires face covering and it does not allow local jurisdictions to require face coverings. GA-34 supercedes all orders issued by local officials that conflict with regard to services or local orders and provides that businesses and other establishments may require customers and employees to wear face coverings. The consensus of the Council was to leave the Mayor's Declaration in effect and to encourage citizens to continue to wear face coverings and to maintain a six foot distance.

On May 13, 2021, the CDC announced that fully vaccinated individuals no longer need to mask up or social distance indoors and outdoors, including crowds. Attached is information from the CDC about how to stay safe around individuals that are or are not fully vaccinated.

On June 15, 2021, the consensus of the Council was to continue virtual attendance at meetings.

On **June 30, 2021**, the Governor's office approved a request by the Attorney General to lift the temporary Open Meetings Act suspensions, effective at 12:01 a.m. on September 1, 2021. The change in virtual meetings is that a member of the governing body or board member may attend a meeting virtually but there must be a quorum physically present at the meeting location.

On **July 29, 2021**, Governor Abbott issued Executive Order 38, that combined several existing COVID-19 executive orders to promote statewide uniformity and certainty in the state's COVID-19 response. Governor Abbott stated that "The new Executive Order emphasizes that the path forward relies on personal responsibility rather than government mandates".

On **August 13**, **2021**, TML provided the following information regarding actions taken by governmental entities and the Attorney General in regards to face coverings:

• Mask Mandate Update: Tuesday afternoon, two state district court judges in Dallas and Bexar counties granted local authorities in those jurisdictions temporary restraining orders blocking Governor Abbott's <u>ban on mask mandates</u>. In response to the rulings, the City of San Antonio issued a requirement for face coverings inside city facilities, and the Dallas County Judge issued an emergency order on Wednesday related to face coverings. Temporary restraining orders are by definition temporary and require further court proceedings to become permanent. TML will continue to monitor these developments. In related news, Houston's Mayor Sylvester Turner is requiring masks in city facilities when physical distancing is not doable.

Additionally, a number of large school districts ("ISDs") across the state, including <u>Dallas ISD</u>, <u>Houston ISD</u>, <u>Austin</u> <u>ISD</u>, <u>Fort Worth ISD</u>, and <u>San Antonio ISD</u>, are requiring masks on school property.

- Attorney General Issues Two COVID-related opinions: On August 11, the Attorney General released two opinions related to mask mandates and vaccines.
  - In <u>Opinion KP-0379</u>, the Attorney General was asked whether COVID-19 vaccines could be required as a condition to enter a government building. Citing the Governor's <u>Executive Order No.</u> <u>38</u> as well as the recently passed <u>S.B. 968</u>, the Attorney General opined that government entities may not require COVID-19 vaccines as a condition to enter a government facility.
  - 2. In <u>Opinion No. KP-0380</u>, the Attorney General was asked to opine on the effect of the Governor's executive orders on federal requirements related to face coverings on public transit. The AG ultimately opined that he is unconvinced that CDC and TSA rules as well as federal law preempt the Governor's orders prohibiting mask mandates.

Please remember that Attorney General opinion are just that: opinions. They are legal guidance but do not carry the force of law or court order.

• **Counties Across Texas Seeing Rise in COVID-19 Threat Levels:** Over the last few weeks, we have reported on the rise in COVID-19 threat levels in counties and cities across the state. That rise continues, with Travis, Harris, Dallas, and Williamson counties, among others, back at the highest threat levels as the Delta variant spreads across the state and <u>ICU bed availability drops</u>.

On **August 29, 2021**, Governor Abbott issued a proclamation renewing the declaration stating that COVID-19 poses an imminent threat of disease for all counties in Texas.

On **August 25, 2021,** Governor Abbott issued GA-39 (attached), prohibiting governmental entities from compelling an individual to receive a COVID-19 vaccine regardless of full FDA approval, among other things.

The Governor also issued the following call to the Special Session of the Legislature: Legislation regarding whether any State or Local Governmental entities in Texas can mandate that an individual receive a COVID-19 vaccine and, if so, what exemption should apply to such mandate.

On **October 11, 2021,** Governor Abbott issued GA-40 relating to prohibiting all entities of compelling receipt of a COVID-19 vaccine until the issue has been considered through legislation.



### GOVERNOR GREG ABBOTT

August 25, 2021

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Mr. Joe A. Esparza Deputy Secretary of State State Capitol Room 1E.8 Austin, Texas 78701

Dear Deputy Secretary Esparza:

Pursuant to his powers as Governor of the State of Texas, Greg Abbott has issued the following:

Executive Order No. GA-39 relating to prohibiting vaccine mandates and vaccine passports subject to legislative action.

The original executive order is attached to this letter of transmittal.

Respectfully submitted,

Gregory S. Davidson Executive Clerk to the Governor

GSD/gsd

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#### BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF TEXAS

Executive Department Austin, Texas August 25, 2021

### EXECUTIVE ORDER GA 39

#### Relating to prohibiting vaccine mandates and vaccine passports subject to legislative action.

WHEREAS, I, Greg Abbott, Governor of Texas, issued a disaster proclamation on March 13, 2020, certifying under Section 418.014 of the Texas Government Code that the novel coronavirus (COVID-19) poses an imminent threat of disaster for all Texas counties; and

WHEREAS, in each subsequent month effective through today, I have renewed the COVID-19 disaster declaration for all Texas counties; and

WHEREAS, I have issued a series of executive orders aimed at protecting the health and safety of Texans, ensuring uniformity throughout Texas, and achieving the least restrictive means of combatting the evolving threat to public health; and

WHEREAS, COVID-19 vaccines are strongly encouraged for those eligible to receive one, but have always been voluntary for Texans; and

WHEREAS, I issued Executive Orders GA-35 and GA-38, addressing COVID-19 vaccines administered under an "emergency use authorization" by prohibiting vaccine mandates from governmental entities and by prohibiting "vaccine passports" from governmental entities and certain others; and

WHEREAS, subsequently, on August 23, 2021, while the legislature was already convened in a special session, the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) approved one of the COVID-19 vaccines for certain age groups, such that this vaccine is no longer administered under an emergency use authorization for those age groups; and

WHEREAS, while this COVID-19 vaccine is now FDA-approved for certain age groups, others are not yet approved and still are administered under an emergency use authorization; and

WHEREAS, through Chapter 161 of the Texas Health and Safety Code, as well as other laws including Chapters 38 and 51 of the Texas Education Code, the legislature has established its primary role over immunizations, and all immunization laws and regulations in Texas stem from the laws established by the legislature; and

WHEREAS, in other contexts where the legislature has imposed immunization requirements, it has also taken care to provide exemptions that allow people to opt out of being forced to take a vaccine; and

WHEREAS, given the legislature's primacy and the need to avoid a patchwork of regulations with respect to vaccinations, it is appropriate to maintain the status quo of

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prohibiting vaccine mandates through executive order while allowing the legislature to consider this issue while in session; and

WHEREAS, in this instance, given the legislature's prior actions, maintaining the status quo of prohibiting vaccine mandates and ensuring uniformity pending the legislature's consideration means extending the voluntariness of COVID-19 vaccinations to all COVID-19 vaccinations, regardless of regulatory status; and

WHEREAS, I am also adding this issue to the agenda for the Second Called Session of the legislature that is currently convened so that the legislature has the opportunity to consider this issue through legislation; and

WHEREAS, I will rescind this executive order upon the effective date of such legislation;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Greg Abbott, Governor of Texas, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, do hereby order the following on a statewide basis effective immediately:

- No governmental entity can compel any individual to receive a COVID-19 vaccine. I hereby suspend Section 81.082(f)(1) of the Texas Health and Safety Code, and any other relevant statutes, to the extent necessary to ensure that no governmental entity can compel any individual to receive a COVID-19 vaccine.
- 2. State agencies and political subdivisions shall not adopt or enforce any order, ordinance, policy, regulation, rule, or similar measure that requires an individual to provide, as a condition of receiving any service or entering any place, documentation regarding the individual's vaccination status for any COVID-19 vaccine. I hereby suspend Section 81.085(i) of the Texas Health and Safety Code, and any other relevant statutes, to the extent necessary to enforce this prohibition. This paragraph does not apply to any documentation requirements necessary for the administration of a COVID-19 vaccine.
- 3. Any public or private entity that is receiving or will receive public funds through any means, including grants, contracts, loans, or other disbursements of taxpayer money, shall not require a consumer to provide, as a condition of receiving any service or entering any place, documentation regarding the consumer's vaccination status for any COVID-19 vaccine. No consumer may be denied entry to a facility financed in whole or in part by public funds for failure to provide documentation regarding the consumer's vaccination status for any COVID-19 vaccine.
- 4. Nothing in this executive order shall be construed to limit the ability of a nursing home, state supported living center, assisted living facility, or long-term care facility to require documentation of a resident's vaccination status for any COVID-19 vaccine.
- 5. This executive order shall supersede any conflicting order issued by local officials in response to the COVID-19 disaster. Pursuant to Section 418.016(a) of the Texas Government Code, I hereby suspend Sections 418.1015(b) and 418.108 of the Texas Government Code, Chapter 81, Subchapter E of the Texas Health and Safety Code, and any

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other relevant statutes, to the extent necessary to ensure that local officials do not impose restrictions in response to the COVID-19 disaster that are inconsistent with this executive order.

This executive order supersedes only paragraph No. 2 of Executive Order GA-38, and does not supersede or otherwise affect the remaining paragraphs of Executive Order GA-38. This executive order shall remain in effect and in full force unless it is modified, amended, rescinded, or superseded by the governor. This executive order may also be amended by proclamation of the governor.



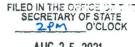
Given under my hand this the 25th day of August, 2021.

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GREG ABBOTT Governor

ATTESTED BY: JOE A. SP

Deputy Secretary of State



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### GOVERNOR GREG ABBOTT

July 29, 2021

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Mr. Joe A. Esparza Deputy Secretary of State State Capitol Room 1E.8 Austin, Texas 78701

Dear Deputy Secretary Esparza:

Pursuant to his powers as Governor of the State of Texas, Greg Abbott has issued the following:

Executive Order No. GA-38 relating to the continued response to the COVID-19 disaster.

The original executive order is attached to this letter of transmittal.

Respectfully submitted,

Gregory S. Davidson

Executive Clerk to the Governor GSD/gsd

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### BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF TEXAS

Executive Department Austin, Texas July 29, 2021

### EXECUTIVE ORDER GA 38

#### Relating to the continued response to the COVID-19 disaster.

WHEREAS, I, Greg Abbott, Governor of Texas, issued a disaster proclamation on March 13, 2020, certifying under Section 418.014 of the Texas Government Code that the novel coronavirus (COVID-19) poses an imminent threat of disaster for all Texas counties; and

WHEREAS, in each subsequent month effective through today, I have renewed the COVID-19 disaster declaration for all Texas counties; and

WHEREAS, from March 2020 through May 2021, I issued a series of executive orders aimed at protecting the health and safety of Texans, ensuring uniformity throughout Texas, and achieving the least restrictive means of combatting the evolving threat to public health by adjusting social-distancing and other mitigation strategies; and

WHEREAS, combining into one executive order the requirements of several existing COVID-19 executive orders will further promote statewide uniformity and certainty; and

WHEREAS, as the COVID-19 pandemic continues, Texans are strongly encouraged as a matter of personal responsibility to consistently follow good hygiene, social-distancing, and other mitigation practices; and

WHEREAS, receiving a COVID-19 vaccine under an emergency use authorization is always voluntary in Texas and will never be mandated by the government, but it is strongly encouraged for those eligible to receive one; and

WHEREAS, state and local officials should continue to use every reasonable means to make the COVID-19 vaccine available for any eligible person who chooses to receive one; and

WHEREAS, in the Texas Disaster Act of 1975, the legislature charged the governor with the responsibility "for meeting ... the dangers to the state and people presented by disasters" under Section 418.011 of the Texas Government Code, and expressly granted the governor broad authority to fulfill that responsibility; and

WHEREAS, under Section 418.012, the "governor may issue executive orders ... hav[ing] the force and effect of law;" and

WHEREAS, under Section 418.016(a), the "governor may suspend the provisions of any regulatory statute prescribing the procedures for conduct of state business ... if strict compliance with the provisions ... would in any way prevent, hinder, or delay necessary action in coping with a disaster;" and

WHEREAS, under Section 418.018(c), the "governor may control ingress and egress to FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_O'CLOCK

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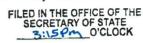
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and from a disaster area and the movement of persons and the occupancy of premises in the area;" and

WHEREAS, under Section 418.173, the legislature authorized as "an offense," punishable by a fine up to \$1,000, any "failure to comply with the [state emergency management plan] or with a rule, order, or ordinance adopted under the plan;"

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Greg Abbott, Governor of Texas, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, do hereby order the following on a statewide basis effective immediately:

- 1. To ensure the continued availability of timely information about COVID-19 testing and hospital bed capacity that is crucial to efforts to cope with the COVID-19 disaster, the following requirements apply:
  - a. All hospitals licensed under Chapter 241 of the Texas Health and Safety Code, and all Texas state-run hospitals, except for psychiatric hospitals, shall submit to the Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) daily reports of hospital bed capacity, in the manner prescribed by DSHS. DSHS shall promptly share this information with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).
  - b. Every public or private entity that is utilizing an FDA-approved test, including an emergency use authorization test, for human diagnostic purposes of COVID-19, shall submit to DSHS, as well as to the local health department, daily reports of all test results, both positive and negative. DSHS shall promptly share this information with the CDC.
- 2. To ensure that vaccines continue to be voluntary for all Texans and that Texans' private COVID-19-related health information continues to enjoy protection against compelled disclosure, in addition to new laws enacted by the legislature against so-called "vaccine passports," the following requirements apply:
  - a. No governmental entity can compel any individual to receive a COVID-19 vaccine administered under an emergency use authorization. I hereby suspend Section 81.082(f)(1) of the Texas Health and Safety Code to the extent necessary to ensure that no governmental entity can compel any individual to receive a COVID-19 vaccine administered under an emergency use authorization.
  - b. State agencies and political subdivisions shall not adopt or enforce any order, ordinance, policy, regulation, rule, or similar measure that requires an individual to provide, as a condition of receiving any service or entering any place, documentation regarding the individual's vaccination status for any COVID-19 vaccine administered under an emergency use authorization. I hereby suspend Section 81.085(i) of the Texas Health and Safety Code to the extent necessary to enforce this prohibition. This paragraph does not apply to any documentation requirements necessary for the administration of a COVID-19 vaccine.
  - c. Any public or private entity that is receiving or will receive public funds through any means, including grants, contracts, loans, or other disbursements of taxpayer money, shall not require a consumer to provide, as a condition of receiving any service or entering any place, documentation regarding the consumer's vaccination status for any COVID-19 vaccine administered under an emergency use authorization. No consumer may be denied entry to a facility financed



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in whole or in part by public funds for failure to provide documentation regarding the consumer's vaccination status for any COVID-19 vaccine administered under an emergency use authorization.

- d. Nothing in this executive order shall be construed to limit the ability of a nursing home, state supported living center, assisted living facility, or long-term care facility to require documentation of a resident's vaccination status for any COVID-19 vaccine.
- e. This paragraph number 2 shall supersede any conflicting order issued by local officials in response to the COVID-19 disaster. I hereby suspend Sections 418.1015(b) and 418.108 of the Texas Government Code, Chapter 81, Subchapter E of the Texas Health and Safety Code, and any other relevant statutes, to the extent necessary to ensure that local officials do not impose restrictions in response to the COVID-19 disaster that are inconsistent with this executive order.
- 3. To ensure the ability of Texans to preserve livelihoods while protecting lives, the following requirements apply:
  - There are no COVID-19-related operating limits for any business or other establishment.
  - b. In areas where the COVID-19 transmission rate is high, individuals are encouraged to follow the safe practices they have already mastered, such as wearing face coverings over the nose and mouth wherever it is not feasible to maintain six feet of social distancing from another person not in the same household, but no person may be required by any jurisdiction to wear or to mandate the wearing of a face covering.
  - c. In providing or obtaining services, every person (including individuals, businesses, and other legal entities) is strongly encouraged to use good-faith efforts and available resources to follow the Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) health recommendations, found at <u>www.dshs.texas.gov/coronavirus</u>.
  - d. Nursing homes, state supported living centers, assisted living facilities, and long-term care facilities should follow guidance from the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) regarding visitations, and should follow infection control policies and practices set forth by HHSC, including minimizing the movement of staff between facilities whenever possible.
  - e. Public schools may operate as provided by, and under the minimum standard health protocols found in, guidance issued by the Texas Education Agency. Private schools and institutions of higher education are encouraged to establish similar standards.
  - f. County and municipal jails should follow guidance from the Texas Commission on Jail Standards regarding visitations.
  - g. As stated above, business activities and legal proceedings are free to proceed without COVID-19-related limitations imposed by local governmental entities or officials. This paragraph number 3 supersedes any conflicting local order in response to the COVID-19 disaster, and all relevant laws are suspended to the extent necessary to preclude any such inconsistent local orders. Pursuant to the legislature's command in Section 418.173 of the Texas Government Code and the State's emergency management plan, the imposition of any conflicting or inconsistent limitation by a local governmental entity or official constitutes a "failure to comply with" this executive order that is subject to a fine up to \$1,000.

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- 4. To further ensure that no governmental entity can mandate masks, the following requirements shall continue to apply:
  - a. No governmental entity, including a county, city, school district, and public health authority, and no governmental official may require any person to wear a face covering or to mandate that another person wear a face covering; *provided, however, that*:
    - i. state supported living centers, government-owned hospitals, and government-operated hospitals may continue to use appropriate policies regarding the wearing of face coverings; and
    - ii. the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, the Texas Juvenile Justice Department, and any county and municipal jails acting consistent with guidance by the Texas Commission on Jail Standards may continue to use appropriate policies regarding the wearing of face coverings.
  - b. This paragraph number 4 shall supersede any face-covering requirement imposed by any local governmental entity or official, except as explicitly provided in subparagraph number 4.a. To the extent necessary to ensure that local governmental entities or officials do not impose any such face-covering requirements, I hereby suspend the following:
    - i. Sections 418.1015(b) and 418.108 of the Texas Government Code;
    - ii. Chapter 81, Subchapter E of the Texas Health and Safety Code;
    - iii. Chapters 121, 122, and 341 of the Texas Health and Safety Code;
    - iv. Chapter 54 of the Texas Local Government Code; and
    - v. Any other statute invoked by any local governmental entity or official in support of a face-covering requirement.

Pursuant to the legislature's command in Section 418.173 of the Texas Government Code and the State's emergency management plan, the imposition of any such face-covering requirement by a local governmental entity or official constitutes a "failure to comply with" this executive order that is subject to a fine up to \$1,000.

- c. Even though face coverings cannot be mandated by any governmental entity, that does not prevent individuals from wearing one if they choose.
- 5. To further ensure uniformity statewide:
  - a. This executive order shall supersede any conflicting order issued by local officials in response to the COVID-19 disaster, but only to the extent that such a local order restricts services allowed by this executive order or allows gatherings restricted by this executive order. Pursuant to Section 418.016(a) of the Texas Government Code, I hereby suspend Sections 418.1015(b) and 418.108 of the Texas Government Code, Chapter 81, Subchapter E of the Texas Health and Safety Code, and any other relevant statutes, to the extent necessary to ensure that local officials do not impose restrictions in response to the



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COVID-19 disaster that are inconsistent with this executive order, provided that local officials may enforce this executive order as well as local restrictions that are consistent with this executive order.

b. Confinement in jail is not an available penalty for violating this executive order. To the extent any order issued by local officials in response to the COVID-19 disaster would allow confinement in jail as an available penalty for violating a COVID-19-related order, that order allowing confinement in jail is superseded, and I hereby suspend all relevant laws to the extent necessary to ensure that local officials do not confine people in jail for violating any executive order or local order issued in response to the COVID-19 disaster.

This executive order supersedes all pre-existing COVID-19-related executive orders and rescinds them in their entirety, except that it does not supersede or rescind Executive Orders GA-13 or GA-37. This executive order shall remain in effect and in full force unless it is modified, amended, rescinded, or superseded by the governor. This executive order may also be amended by proclamation of the governor.



Given under my hand this the 29th day of July, 2021.

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GREG ABBOTT Governor

ATTESTED BY: A Deputy Secretary of State

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### GOVERNOR GREG ABBOTT

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August 29, 2021

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Mr. Joe A. Esparza Deputy Secretary of State State Capitol Room 1E.8 Austin, Texas 78701

Dear Mr. Deputy Secretary:

Pursuant to his powers as Governor of the State of Texas, Greg Abbott has issued the following:

A proclamation renewing the declaration stating the novel coronavirus (COVID-19) poses an imminent threat of disaster for all counties in Texas.

The original proclamation is attached to this letter of transmittal.

Respectfully submitted,

Gregory S. Davidson Executive Clerk to the Governor GSD/gsd

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# BOUERNOR OF the State of Texas

#### TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

WHEREAS, I, Greg Abbott, Governor of Texas, issued a disaster proclamation on March 13, 2020, certifying under Section 418.014 of the Texas Government Code that the novel coronavirus (COVID-19) poses an imminent threat of disaster for all counties in the State of Texas; and

WHEREAS, in each subsequent month effective through today, I have issued proclamations renewing the disaster declaration for all Texas counties; and

WHEREAS, I have issued executive orders and suspensions of Texas laws in response to COVID-19, aimed at protecting the health and safety of Texans and ensuring an effective response to this disaster; and

WHEREAS, a state of disaster continues to exist in all counties due to COVID-19;

NOW, THEREFORE, in accordance with the authority vested in me by Section 418.014 of the Texas Government Code, I do hereby renew the disaster proclamation for all counties in Texas.

Pursuant to Section 418.017, I authorize the use of all available resources of state government and of political subdivisions that are reasonably necessary to cope with this disaster.

Pursuant to Section 418.016, any regulatory statute prescribing the procedures for conduct of state business or any order or rule of a state agency that would in any way prevent, hinder, or delay necessary action in coping with this disaster shall be suspended upon written approval of the Office of the Governor. However, to the extent that the enforcement of any state statute or administrative rule regarding contracting or procurement would impede any state agency's emergency response that is necessary to cope with this declared disaster, I hereby suspend such statutes and rules for the duration of this declared disaster for that limited purpose.

In accordance with the statutory requirements, copies of this proclamation shall be filed with the applicable authorities.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name and have officially caused the Seal of State to be affixed at my office in the City of Austin, Texas, this the 29th day of August, 2021.

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GREG ABBOTT Governor

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ATTESTED BY:

JOE E PARZA

Deputy Secretary of State

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### GOVERNOR GREG ABBOTT

October 11, 2021

Mr. Joe A. Esparza Deputy Secretary of State State Capitol Room 1E.8 Austin, Texas 78701

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Dear Deputy Secretary Esparza:

Pursuant to his powers as Governor of the State of Texas, Greg Abbott has issued the following:

Executive Order No. GA-40 relating to prohibiting vaccine mandates, subject to . legislative action.

The original executive order is attached to this letter of transmittal.

Respectfully submitted,

Gregory S. Davidson

Gregory S. Davidson Executive Clerk to the Governor GSD/gsd

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# Executive Order

### BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF TEXAS

Executive Department Austin, Texas October 11, 2021

### EXECUTIVE ORDER GA 40

Relating to prohibiting vaccine mandates, subject to legislative action.

WHEREAS, I, Greg Abbott, Governor of Texas, issued a disaster proclamation on March 13, 2020, certifying under Section 418.014 of the Texas Government Code that the novel coronavirus (COVID-19) poses an imminent threat of disaster for all Texas counties; and

WHEREAS, in each subsequent month effective through today, I have renewed the COVID-19 disaster declaration for all Texas counties; and

WHEREAS, I have issued a series of executive orders aimed at protecting the health and safety of Texans, ensuring uniformity throughout Texas, and achieving the least restrictive means of combatting the evolving threat to public health; and

WHEREAS, COVID-19 vaccines are strongly encouraged for those eligible to receive one, but must always be voluntary for Texans; and

WHEREAS, I issued Executive Orders GA-35, GA-38, and GA-39 to prohibit governmental entities and certain others from imposing COVID-19 vaccine mandates or requiring vaccine passports; and

WHEREAS, in yet another instance of federal overreach, the Biden Administration is now bullying many private entities into imposing COVID-19 vaccine mandates, causing workforce disruptions that threaten Texas's continued recovery from the COVID-19 disaster; and

WHEREAS, countless Texans fear losing their livelihoods because they object to receiving a COVID-19 vaccination for reasons of personal conscience, based on a religious belief, or for medical reasons, including prior recovery from COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, through Chapter 161 of the Texas Health and Safety Code, as well as other laws including Chapters 38 and 51 of the Texas Education Code, the legislature has established its primary role over immunizations, and all immunization laws and regulations in Texas stem from the laws established by the legislature; and

WHEREAS, the legislature has taken care to provide exemptions that allow people to opt out of being forced to take a vaccine for reasons of conscience or medical reasons; and

WHEREAS, I am adding this issue to the agenda for the Third Called Session of the legislature that is currently convened so that the legislature has the opportunity to consider this issue through legislation; and

WHEREAS, I will rescind this executive order upon the effective date of such legislation;

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Governor Greg Abbott October 11, 2021 Executive Order GA-40 Page 2

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Greg Abbott, Governor of Texas, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, do hereby order the following on a statewide basis effective immediately:

- 1. No entity in Texas can compel receipt of a COVID-19 vaccine by any individual, including an employee or a consumer, who objects to such vaccination for any reason of personal conscience, based on a religious belief, or for medical reasons, including prior recovery from COVID-19. I hereby suspend all relevant statutes to the extent necessary to enforce this prohibition.
- 2. The maximum fine allowed under Section 418.173 of the Texas Government Code and the State's emergency management plan shall apply to any "failure to comply with" this executive order. Confinement in jail is not an available penalty for violating this executive order.
- 3. This executive order shall supersede any conflicting order issued by local officials in response to the COVID-19 disaster. Pursuant to Section 418.016(a) of the Texas Government Code, I hereby suspend Sections 418.1015(b) and 418.108 of the Texas Government Code, Chapter 81, Subchapter E of the Texas Health and Safety Code, and any other relevant statutes, to the extent necessary to ensure that local officials do not impose restrictions in response to the COVID-19 disaster that are inconsistent with this executive order.

This executive order does not supersede Executive Orders GA-13, GA-37, GA-38, or GA-39. This executive order shall remain in effect and in full force unless it is modified, amended, rescinded, or superseded by the governor. This executive order may also be amended by proclamation of the governor.

Given under my hand this the 11th day of October, 2021.

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GREG ABBOTT Governor

ATTESTED BY:

Deputy Secretary of State

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### City of Lockhart, Texas

### Council Agenda Item Cover Sheet

### COUNCIL MEETING DATE: December 7, 2021

**AGENDA ITEM CAPTION:** Hold a PUBLIC HEARING on applications ZC-21-19 and PDD-21-02 by Keith Schauer, P.E., on behalf of Jesco Construction, Inc., and discussion and/or action to consider a **Zoning Change** from *RMD Residential Medium Density District* to *PDD Planned Development District*, including a **PDD Development Plan** for the *Jesco Subdivision*, on 9.186 acres in the James George Survey, Abstract No. 9, located at 920 Trinity Street. *WITHDRAWN* - *Resubmitted for consideration at the December 21, 2021 Council meeting.* 

### **ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT AND CONTACT:** Development Services - Dan Gibson

### ACTION REQUESTED: Other

**BACKGROUND/SUMMARY/DISCUSSION:** This item was withdrawn by the applicant after the public hearing notices were published in the newspaper and mailed to owners of property within 200 feet. Therefore, it must remain on the agenda, but there is no ordinance listed for it in the caption. The Mayor can simply announce that it has been withdrawn, with no further discussion or action. The applicant has already submitted new applications for the zoning change, PDD development plan, and final plat for consideration at the December 8th Planning and Zoning Commission meeting. The zoning change and PDD development plan will then be on the December 21 City Council agenda. An e-mail from the applicant requesting withdrawal is attached.

**PROJECT SCHEDULE (if applicable):** Not applicable.

AMOUNT & SOURCE OF FUNDING: Funds Required: Account Number: Funds Available: Account Name:

FISCAL NOTE (if applicable): Not applicable.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION: None.

**<u>COMMITTEE/BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION:</u>** The Planning and Zoning Commission announced at their meeting that this item had been withdrawn.

**STAFF RECOMMENDATION/REQUESTED MOTION:** WITHDRAWN by applicant. No action required.

### City of Lockhart, Texas

Council Agenda Item Cover Sheet

LIST OF SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS: ZC2119 Withdrawal E-mail



829 Saint Joseph Street Gonzales, Texas 78629 Office: 512.583.2600 Fax: 512.583.2601 DoucetEngineers.com

November 12, 2021

Mr. Dan Gibson City of Lockhart 308 W. San Antonio Street Lockhart, Texas 78644

Re: Withdrawal of Jesco Subdivision PDD and Zoning Applications

Dear Mr. Gibson,

This letter is to inform you we wish to formally withdraw the PDD Planned Development Application and Zoning Change Application signed and dated October 8, 2021 for the Jesco Subdivision.

We will resubmit these applications on or prior to November 17, 2021.

Please let me know if there are any questions, or if additional information is required.

Keith Schauer, P.E.

Vice President Doucet

### SPECIAL MEETING LOCKHART CITY COUNCIL

### **NOVEMBER 15, 2021**

7:00 P.M.

### FIRST LOCKHART BAPTIST CHURCH, CONNECTION CENTER, 200 S. BLANCO STREET, LOCKHART, TEXAS

### **Council present:**

Mayor Pro-Tem Angie Gonzales-Sanchez Councilmember Juan Mendoza Councilmember Brad Westmoreland

<u>Staff pre</u>sent:

Steven Lewis, City ManagerCVictoria Maranan, Public Information OfficerSArmando Morales, Economic Development Assistant

Mayor Lew White Councilmember Derrick David Bryant Councilmember Jeffry Michelson

Connie Constancio, City Secretary Sean Kelley, Public Works Director

### **Representatives conducting the Downtown Revitalization Project Open House:**

Jeff Dahm of TRC Solutions, Bobby Eichholz of TRC Solutions and Kylie Mycock of Rialto Studio.

Mayor White welcomed the public at 7:00 p.m.

Jeff Dahm and Bobby Eichholz of TRC Solutions and Kylie Mycock of Rialto Studio provided detailed information about the Downtown Revitalization Project. The Downtown Revitalization Project focuses on the nine-block area surrounding the historic Caldwell County Courthouse. Proposed upgrades include utility, drainage, street, hardscape, pedestrian access, and landscaping in the downtown area, along with traffic alternatives on North Main St., between SH-142/W. San Antonio St. and Walnut St.

Citizens reviewed several plans about the project and were encouraged to submit an on-line questionnaire that is available on the City of Lockhart's website.

A second Open House about the Downtown Revitalization Project will be conducted in January 2022.

The Open House was concluded at 9:00 p.m.

PASSED and APPROVED this the 7th day of December 2021.

### **CITY OF LOCKHART**

ATTEST:

Lew White, Mayor

Connie Constancio, TRMC City Secretary

### LOCKHART CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING

### NOVEMBER 16, 2021

6:30 P.M.

### CLARK LIBRARY ANNEX-COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 217 SOUTH MAIN STREET, 3RD FLOOR, LOCKHART, TEXAS

Mayor Lew White

### **Council present:**

Mayor Pro-Tem Angie Gonzales-Sanchez Councilmember Juan Mendoza Councilmember Brad Westmoreland

### Council absent:

Councilmember Kara McGregor

### Staff present:

Steven Lewis, City Manager Monte Akers, City Attorney Pam Larison, Finance Director Sean Kelley, Public Works Director

Councilmember Derrick David Bryant

Councilmember Jeffry Michelson

Connie Constancio, City Secretary Victoria Maranan, Public Information Officer Mike Kamerlander, Economic Development Dir. Jesse Bell, Police Captain

<u>Citizens/Visitors Addressing the Council:</u> Brandon Alexander and Greg Zanghi of Iron Ox; Sal Perdoma of Titan Development, and Citizen, Suzy Falgout.

### Work Session 6:30 p.m.

Mayor White announced that Councilmember McGregor would not attend the meeting and that Mayor Pro-Tem Sanchez will be late. He opened the work session and advised the Council, staff and the audience that staff would provide information and explanations about the following items:

### A. DISCUSS CITY COUNCIL MINUTES OF THE OCTOBER 19, 2021 AND NOVEMBER 2, 2021 MEETINGS.

Mayor White requested corrections to the minutes. There were none.

Mayor Pro-Tem Sanchez arrived at the meeting.

# **B. DISCUSS RESOLUTION 2021-20 AUTHORIZING SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION FOR THE BODY WORN CAMERA PROGRAM UPGRADE TO THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR FOR THE LOCKHART POLICE DEPARTMENT.**

Captain Bell stated that the Lockhart Police Department is seeking funding through the Office of the Governor's Body Worn Camera Grant Program for Fiscal Year 2022. This grant does, however, require a 25% match of funds in the amount of \$22,785. The current devices currently in use by the Lockhart Police Department have shown a history of being in constant need of repair and/or replacement and generally have shown not to be very sturdy or dependable. With them all being past their 1 year manufacturers' warranty, the frequent cost to repair them almost meets the same cost to replace them with a new device. With a usual turn around of several weeks on repairs, officers have to use spare or share cameras, making it difficult to track videos. The devices being sought include 5-year warranties on all devices and upgraded devices after the first 3 years. In addition, the software includes unlimited cloud-based storage for retention without data caps. Captain Bell recommended approval. There was discussion.

### E. DISCUSS RESOLUTION 2021-22 APPROVING AN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PERFORMANCE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE LOCKHART ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION (LEDC) AND BLACKJACK II, LLC. TO AUTHORIZE THE LOCKHART ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION TO PROVIDE A GRANT OF UP TO \$200,000 TO BLACKJACK II, LLC FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF WATER AND WASTEWATER UTILITIES CONSTRUCTION.

Mr. Kamerlander stated that Project Iron Ore is an expansion of Iron Ox in Lockhart. Iron Ox recently received \$53 million in series B funding and is looking towards its next expansion. This new expansion would encompass more than 1 million square feet on 85 acres. This is on top of the 535,000 square feet on the 25 acres on Reed Drive currently under construction. The proposed economic development performance agreement states that the company will receive a rebate of up to \$200,000 of LEDC funds for the installation of water and wastewater lines to the property. This rebate is due to the company only after those utilities have been installed. To receive the rebate, Iron Ox must close on the land, construct the utilities, pay for them, and begin construction on the land for its new facility. The construction of these utilities will serve more than Iron Ox as that part of town will continue to experience growth in the future providing a public service in that area. LEDC Board unanimously passed the proposed Performance agreement. Mr. Kamerlander recommended approval. There was discussion.

Brandon Alexander of Iron Ox stated that they look forward to expanding their produce business in Lockhart. He expressed appreciation about how the community welcomes their business.

Greg Zanghi of Iron Ox stated that they look forward to expanding their business in Lockhart.

# G. DISCUSS CHAPTER 380 AGREEMENT WITH BLACKJACK II, LLC (IRON OX) TO PROVIDE INCENTIVES FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Mr. Kamerlander stated that the proposed 380 agreement works in concert with the Performance Agreement with Iron Ox for its proposed new facility on 85-acres on Commerce Street. The economic development performance agreement background includes the project details. The 380 agreement provides a 5-year property tax rebate to Iron Ox once the project is completely developed and a certificate of occupancy has been obtained. The 5-year rebate on City ad valorem tax percentages are as follows:

Year 1: 75%

Year 2: 66%

Year 3: 50%

Year 4: 33%

Year 5: 25%

Total Incentive Estimate:\$1,531,650Estimated Net Benefit to City over 10 years:\$11,653,796

This 5-year rebate only applies to the new facility on Commerce Street, not the existing facility on Reed Avenue that is currently under construction. The Agreement also sets forth investment and job creation requirements. Mr. Kamerlander recommended approval. There was discussion.

### C. DISCUSS RESOLUTION 2021-21 FOR AN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PERFORMANCE AGREEMENT FOR A BIG GRANT FACADE IMPROVEMENT WITH OLD PAL TEXAS TAVERN LOCATED AT 100 E. MARKET STREET.

Mr. Kamerlander stated that the proposed resolution and performance agreement offers a Business Improvement & Growth Program (BIG) Grant to Old Pal Texas Tavern. Old Pal Texas Tavern invested \$22,770 into the updating of the façade of the building. The owner met with Lockhart Economic Development Corporation (LEDC) months ago and due to the size of the rebate (\$11,385) staff held off until the new fiscal year to provide the full rebate to the business as the BIG Grant account was almost completely used in Fiscal Year 2020-2021. The economic development performance agreement outlines the work done on the building, the rebate the business is entitled to should the work be completed as stated and paid as required. The expected 50% rebate is \$11,385 on the \$22,770 worth of work on the façade. Mr. Kamerlander recommended approval. There was discussion.

### D. DISCUSS SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS IN 2022 FOR REDISTRICTING AS REQUIRED AT THE BEGINNING OF EACH DECADE TO DETERMINE IF, BASED ON THE NEW POPULATION FIGURES PROVIDED BY THE US CENSUS, THE CITY OF LOCKHART'S SINGLE-MEMBER VOTING DISTRICTS CONTINUE TO CONFORM TO THE U.S. CONSTITUTION'S ONE-PERSON, ONE-VOTE REQUIREMENT.

Ms. Constancio stated that on May 4, 2021, the City Council approved an agreement with Bickerstaff, Heath, Delgado & Acosta to provide legal services for all aspects associated with the redistricting process. Syd Falk of Bickerstaff's office states that Lockhart will begin the process in February 2022. Staff is seeking direction from Council about proposed meeting dates in February, March and April 2022 to carry out the required redistricting tasks. Four special meetings for single-member district drawing sessions are tentatively scheduled (February 8, February 22, March 8 and March 29), yet the Council might only meet 1 or 2 times for drawing sessions. Mr. Falk will be present at all meetings involving redistricting and he recommends a set meeting schedule to book the firm's Tech drawing crew to ensure their participation in the meetings. There was discussion regarding proposed meeting dates that involve redistricting. Also attached are Quick Facts from the U.S. Census Bureau that indicate the City of Lockhart's 2020 population is 14,379. Lockhart's population in 2010 was 12,698. Council and staff will receive data and redistricting stats approximately one week before the February 1 initial assessment meeting. Ms. Constancio recommended approval. There was discussion.

# F. DISCUSS PURCHASE AND SALE AGREEMENT FOR 13.615 ACRES IN LOCKHART INDUSTRIAL PARK III WITH TITAN DEVELOPMENT.

Mr. Kamerlander stated that the proposed land purchase agreement is with Titan Development out of Albuquerque, NM. Titan Development is one of the Southwest's largest and most active real estate development and investment firms. Titan offers real estate services for a variety of asset classes to take projects from inception to completion, as well as an in-house private equity fund management platform to better respond to their investor's needs. Titan Development expanded into other strategic and high growth markets including Texas, Arizona, Colorado, and Florida. Over the past 22 years, Titan Development has established a proven track record across a diversified class of real estate investments including: multifamily, senior living, office, industrial, retail, and single-family lots. Since its inception, the firm has completed over \$2.4B in real estate development by the partners with \$375.5M of assets under management, and over 15.5M square feet of developed real estate. Notable Central Texas Titan developments: Hutto, Schertz, New Braunfels, Selma, and Georgetown. Titan has recently developed over 1 million square feet in those cities over the past 5 years.

Other items of note:

- 1. Site: Block A, Lot 2 (13.6 acres) (See Map)
- 2. Purchase Price: \$2.75/SF
- 3. Earnest Money: \$50,000. \$25,000 goes hard after 6 months and the remaining \$25,000 goes hard after 9 months.
- 4. Due Diligence Period: Titan shall have 12 months to complete its Due Diligence related to the site.
- 5. Exclusivity: Titan shall have the exclusive right to market the site during the Due Diligence Period. Titan will be hiring a broker.
- 6. Site Delivery: Site shall be delivered with all wet and dry utilities (less communication) and road infrastructure (Cahill Road) by LEDC. LEDC is already doing this.
- 7. Development Agreement: Upon closing on the land, Titan will enter into a Development Agreement with the City of Lockhart that will outline responsibilities of both parties and will include a timeline to start construction.

Mr. Kamerlander recommended approval.

### H. DISCUSS ENTERING INTO A WATER SERVICE AGREEMENT BETWEEN POLONIA WSC AND THE CITY OF LOCKHART TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF LOCKHART TO SERVE WATER UTILITIES TO APPROXIMATELY 49.96-ACRES GENERALLY KNOWN AS 127 OLD LULING AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SIGN AGREEMENT.

Mr. Akers stated that the owners of property located at 127 Old Luling Road have approached the City of Lockhart and Polonia WSC in regards to servicing their property with water utilities. Polonia is the current holder of water certificate of convenience and necessity "CCN", which includes this parcel. However, Polonia WSC acknowledges that they lack the service capacity to serve this property's development as projected by the property owner. Polonia WSC and Aqua WSC are currently in the midst of filing to transfer Polonia's CCN to Aqua with the Public Utility Commission. This transfer will not be complete until early 2022. Filing a formal application for the transfer of a single parcel with the PUC during an active PUC filing would be disruptive and delay approvals. Polonia WSC agrees that entering a Water Service Agreement with the City to serve this property will satisfy all parties until formal filing with the PUC can take place. Texas Water Code Section 13.248 (TWC Sec. 13.248) authorizes contracts between retail public utilities designating areas to be served and customers to be served by those retail public utilities. If the Water Service Agreement is approved, it will authorize the City to serve until the transfer of the water CCN can be filed with the PUC. Similar to other developments within the City's water service area, the property owner would also be expected to extend water and wastewater utilities to serve their development.

RECESS: Mayor White announced that the Council would recess for a break at 7:05 p.m.

### **REGULAR MEETING**

### ITEM 1. CALL TO ORDER.

Mayor Lew White called the meeting to order at 7:35 p.m.

### **ITEM 2. INVOCATION, PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE.**

Mayor White gave the Invocation and led the Pledge of Allegiance to the United States and Texas flags.

### ITEM 3. PUBLIC COMMENT.

Mayor White requested citizens to address the Council.

Suzy Falgout, 710 S. Commerce Street, announced that the Caldwell County Animal Coalition is officially a non-profit organization with a 501C3. She provided details about the organization's upcoming pet clinic that offers low cost spay/neuter and vaccinations for animals. She encouraged financial contributions to the Coalition to assist with additional low cost animal clinics in the future.

Mayor White requested additional citizens to address the Council. There were none.

### ITEM 4. CONSENT AGENDA.

Mayor Pro-Tem Sanchez made a motion to approve consent agenda items 4A, 4B and 4C. Councilmember Mendoza seconded. The motion passed by a vote of 6-0.

The following are the consent agenda items that were approved:

- 4A: Approve City Council minutes of the October 19, 2021 and November 2, 2021 meetings.
- 4B: Approve Resolution 2021-20 authorizing submission of a grant application for the Body Worn Camera Program upgrade to the Office of the Governor for the Lockhart Police Department
- 4C: Approve Resolution 2021-21 for an Economic Development Performance agreement for a BIG Grant facade improvement with Old Pal Texas Tavern located at 100 E. Market Street.

### ITEM 5-A. DISCUSSION AND/OR ACTION TO CONSIDER SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS IN 2022 FOR REDISTRICTING AS REQUIRED AT THE BEGINNING OF EACH DECADE TO DETERMINE IF, BASED ON THE NEW POPULATION FIGURES PROVIDED BY THE US CENSUS, THE CITY OF LOCKHART'S SINGLE-MEMBER VOTING DISTRICTS CONTINUE TO CONFORM TO THE U.S. CONSTITUTION'S ONE-PERSON, ONE-VOTE REQUIREMENT.

Mayor Pro-Tem Sanchez made a motion to approve the meeting schedule in 2022 for Redistricting, as presented. Councilmember Bryant seconded. The motion passed by a vote of 6-0.

### ITEM 5-B. DISCUSSION AND/OR ACTION REGARDING RESOLUTION 2021-22 APPROVING AN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PERFORMANCE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE LOCKHART ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION AND BLACKJACK II, LLC. TO AUTHORIZE THE LOCKHART ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION TO PROVIDE A GRANT OF UP TO \$200,000 TO BLACKJACK II, LLC FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF WATER AND WASTEWATER UTILITIES CONSTRUCTION.

Councilmember Michelson made a motion to approve Resolution 2021-22, as presented. Mayor Pro-Tem Sanchez seconded. The motion passed by a vote of 6-0.

### ITEM 5-D. DISCUSSION AND/OR ACTION TO CONSIDER A CHAPTER 380 AGREEMENT WITH BLACKJACK II, LLC (IRON OX) TO PROVIDE INCENTIVES FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Mayor Pro-Tem Sanchez made a motion to approve the Chapter 380 Agreement with Blackjack Block, II, LLC (Iron Ox), as presented. Councilmember Michelson seconded. The motion passed by a vote of 6-0.

### DRAFT ITEM 5-C. DISCUSSION AND/OR ACTION REGARDING A PURCHASE AND SALE AGREEMENT FOR 13.615 ACRES IN LOCKHART INDUSTRIAL PARK III WITH TITAN DEVELOPMENT.

Sal Perdoma of Titan Development, Austin, introduced himself and expressed his appreciation of expanding their office to Lockhart. He provided a brief background of the firm's development portfolio. He stated that Lockhart seems to be a suitable location to have access to various major highways to several surrounding cities. There was discussion.

Councilmember Michelson made a motion to approve the purchase and sale agreement for 13.615 acres in the Lockhart Industrial Park III with Titan Development, as presented. Mayor Pro-Tem Sanchez seconded. The motion passed by a vote of 6-0.

### ITEM 5-E. DISCUSSION AND/OR ACTION TO CONSIDER ENTERING INTO A WATER SERVICE AGREEMENT BETWEEN POLONIA WSC AND THE CITY OF LOCKHART TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF LOCKHART TO SERVE WATER UTILITIES TO APPROXIMATELY 49.96-ACRES GENERALLY KNOWN AS 127 OLD LULING AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SIGN AGREEMENT.

Mayor Pro-Tem Sanchez made a motion to approve the Water Service Agreement between Polonia WSC and the City of Lockhart, as presented. Councilmember Mendoza seconded. The motion passed by a vote of 6-0.

### ITEM 5-G. DISCUSSION AND/OR ACTION TO CONSIDER RESOLUTION 2021-19 CASTING VOTES FOR DIRECTORS TO SERVE ON THE CALDWELL COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR THE TERM OF OFFICE FROM JANUARY 1, 2022 TO DECEMBER 31, 2023.

Mr. Lewis stated that during the September 21, 2021 meeting, the Council approved Resolution 2021-16 that listed Alfredo Munoz and Sally Daniel as the City of Lockhart's nominations to be placed on a ballot for the Caldwell County Appraisal District (CCAD) Board of Directors that consists of five members. The ballot that the City received from the CCAD requesting that each taxing entity cast votes for the CCAD Board of Directors for the term of office from January 1, 2022 to December 31, 2023. The ballot consists of 8 candidates running for 5 Director positions. The Director will serve a two-year term beginning on January 1 of even numbered years. The City of Lockhart is entitled to cast 427 votes. The Council may cast all votes for one candidate or may distribute the votes among any number of candidates up to 427 votes. The deadline to submit the votes to the CCAD is December 15, 2021. Staff will submit the necessary documentation to the CCAD after the Council has cast their vote(s). In 2019, the Council cast all votes (453) to Alfredo Munoz.

Mayor White made a motion to cast 300 votes for Sally Daniel and 127 votes for Alfredo Munoz. Mayor Pro-Tem Sanchez seconded. The motion passed by a vote of 6-0.

### ITEM 5-G. DISCUSSION AND/OR ACTION TO CONFIRM THE CALDWELL COUNTY COMMISSIONER COURT'S APPOINTMENT OF STEVE LEWIS TO THE TEXAS INNOVATION CORRIDOR TRANSPORTATION ALLIANCE.

Mr. Lewis stated that the Texas Innovation Corridor Transportation Alliance (Alliance) is being constituted at the direction of the Greater San Marcos Partnership's (GSMP) Vision2025 strategic plan. The Alliance's formation and administration is led by the members of the GSMP's Implementation Workgroup focused on the third goal of the Vision2025 plan. The purpose of the Alliance is not to duplicate or replace any other transportation plans or organizations, but rather to improve coordination between entities within the GSMP footprint. Like many other components of economic development, transportation systems are most valuable when cohesively linked to a broader system, and the role of the Alliance is principally to strengthen regional transportation cooperation within the GSMP footprint. The

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Alliance is composed of eleven voting seats, which may be modified at the discretion of the GSMP Board. Each entity with a seat within the Alliance is recommended to have a primary representative, a designated alternate, and a technical representative, all of which may attend Alliance meetings. Self-appointing institutions shall affirm their representative on an annual basis. For any entity holding a seat on CAMPO's Transportation Policy Board, the representative serving in the CAMPO seat may be considered for service on the Alliance. The two "community" seats appointed by each respective County Commissioners Court are intended to be rotated amongst municipalities not already represented on the Alliance. On November 8, 2021, the Commissioners Court appointed Steve Lewis as Caldwell County's appointee to the Alliance. Mr. Lewis requested that the Council confirm his appointment to the Alliance.

Mayor Pro-Tem Sanchez made a motion to confirm the Caldwell County Commissioner Court's appointment of Steve Lewis to the Texas Innovation Corridor Transportation Alliance. Councilmember Westmoreland seconded. The motion passed by a vote of 6-0.

### **ITEM 5-H. DISCUSSION REGARDING MATTERS RELATED TO COVID-19.** There was no action.

### **ITEM 5-I. DISCUSSION AND/OR ACTION REGARDING APPOINTMENTS TO VARIOUS BOARDS, COMMISSIONS OR COMMITTEES.**

Mayor White requested appointments to boards or committees. There were none.

### **ITEM 6. CITY MANAGER'S REPORT, PRESENTATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION.**

- Lockhart Fire Department hired a new firefighter on October 26, 2021. One vacancy exists.
- Police Officer entrance exam will be held on Saturday, December 11, 2021.
- Northern Caldwell County Coalition meeting will be held on November 18 at 6:00 p.m. at the M.L. Cisneros Education Support Center Boardroom.
- City Council will have a float in the Reverse Dickens' Lighted Parade on December 4th.
- Solid waste collection schedule during the Thanksgiving holiday will change. No collection on Thanksgiving Day; Nov. 25 and Nov. 26 will slide to pick-up the next day.
- Update regarding Keep Lockhart Beautiful event held on Saturday, November 6.

### ITEM 7. COUNCIL AND STAFF COMMENTS - ITEMS OF COMMUNITY INTEREST.

Councilmember Westmoreland thanked all that attended the Downtown Revitalization open house. He stated that in 1967, the Beautification Project was carried out to improve the downtown area. He expressed appreciation of the city continuing with the downtown improvements.

Councilmember Mendoza thanked all for attending the Downtown Revitalization meeting. He thanked the Lockhart Fire department for push-in ceremony of the new Fire truck. He wished Ms. Moore a 102<sup>nd</sup> birthday.

Mayor Pro-Tem Sanchez encouraged citizens to participate with submission of on-line comments about the Downtown Revitalization project. He congratulated Rebecca Pulium for being appointed as a Lockhart Independent School District Board of Trustee.

Councilmember Bryant also thanked all for attending the Downtown Revitalization meeting and he encouraged everyone to share the website information about the project. He wished everyone a Happy Thanksgiving.

Councilmember Michelson thanked everyone for attending Downtown Revitalization meeting. He wished everyone a Happy Thanksgiving.

Mayor White thanked every for attending the Downtown Revitalization meeting and he encouraged online participation. The 2<sup>nd</sup> open house about the downtown project will be in January 2022. He wished everyone a Happy and safe Thanksgiving.

### ITEM 8. ADJOURNMENT.

Mayor Pro-Tem Sanchez made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Councilmember Mendoza seconded. The motion passed by a vote of 6-0. The meeting was adjourned at 8:03 p.m.

PASSED and APPROVED this the 7<sup>th</sup> day of December 2021.

### CITY OF LOCKHART

ATTEST:

Lew White, Mayor

Connie Constancio, TRMC City Secretary

### City of Lockhart, Texas

### Council Agenda Item Cover Sheet

### COUNCIL MEETING DATE: December 7, 2021

**AGENDA ITEM CAPTION:** Discussion regarding the High Service Pump Station Expansion at the Lockhart Water Treatment Plant.

### **ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT AND CONTACT:** Public Works - Sean Kelley

### ACTION REQUESTED: Other

**BACKGROUND/SUMMARY/DISCUSSION:** Staff will provide an update regarding the High Service Pump Station Expansion at the Lockhart Water Treatment Plant.

The objective of the upgrade is to deliver potable water of approved quality at established pressures, and in quantities and rates of flow that the customer's desire. The goal is to deliver treated water to customers while maintaining a minimum normal operating pressure of 35-psi and a minimum pressure of 20-psi during fire flow conditions.

Details about the explanation and why it is needed will be discussed.

### PROJECT SCHEDULE (if applicable): N/A

### AMOUNT & SOURCE OF FUNDING:

Funds Required: Account Number: Funds Available: Account Name:

FISCAL NOTE (if applicable): N/A

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION: N/A

### COMMITTEE/BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION: N/A

### STAFF RECOMMENDATION/REQUESTED MOTION: None.

**LIST OF SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:** Powerpoint presentation.

# Lockhart Water Treatment Plant High Service Pump Station Expansion

# Lockhart Water System

**Objective:** Deliver potable water of approved quality at established pressures, and in quantities and rates of flow that customer's desire

**Goal:** Deliver treated water to customers while maintaining a minimum normal operating pressure of 35-psi and a minimum pressure of 20-psi during fire flow conditions

# What is the High Service Pump Station (HSPS)?

- Pumps that pump treated water from the water plant to the water distribution system at required pressure and fill the four elevated storage tanks
- Existing HSPS consist of 3 high service pumps
- Located on the west side of the 2 million gallon (MG) ground storage tank at the water treatment plant

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### Existing High Service Pumps

# Why are improvements needed at the High Service Pump Station?

- The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality(TCEQ) requires that water systems servicing more than 250 connections provide a minimum two service pumps with a combined capacity of 0.6 gpm per connection are required at each pump station
- Based on the W/WW Impact Fee Analysis in 2017 the HSP demand was 2,827 GPM and by the year 2027 the estimated demand would be 3,531 gpm
- This criteria must be designed to handle this capacity with the largest pump out of service
- Using this criteria, the current capacity is 3,000 gpm, not meeting the future regulatory future pumping capacity demand of 3,531 gpm

# What has been done in preparation to meet this regulatory requirement?

- This capital improvement project has been identified within the Water/Wastewater Impact Fee Report
- The electric upgrades completed at the Water Plant in 2019/2020 contain electronic components needed for these future HSP upgrade
- Installation of an 18" water transmission line from the Water Plant to FM1322 in 2021 increasing pumping and distribution capabilities
- Authorizing the City Engineer to conduct a High Service Pump Station Study that included water modeling, 7 different pumping scenarios (evaluating 3 feasible scenarios), and developing probable cost estimates and recommendations

## High Service Pump Study Recommendations

- A total of seven(7) scenarios were modeled
- Scenario #6 assumes a small 600 gpm pump will be replaced with a large 1,200 gpm pump plus another 1,200 gpm pump will be added for a total of four pumps
- This project will provide excess capacity for future demand
- Construction to start in 2022

# Next Steps

- The City Engineer will prepare the scope of services for the High Service Pump Station Expansion including design, public bidding and inspection services for the project.
- The estimated cost for the recommended scenario are expected to be approximately \$569,000 which includes engineering, contract administration, overhead, and contingencies
- Funding for this project will come from federal American Rescue Plan

# Questions?

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#### City of Lockhart, Texas

#### Council Agenda Item Cover Sheet

#### COUNCIL MEETING DATE: December 7, 2021

**AGENDA ITEM CAPTION:** Discussion and/or action to consider Ordinance 2021-39 amending Chapter 12 of the City of Lockhart Code of Ordinances, Buildings and Building Regulations, Articles II, III, IV, V, VI, VII and IX, adopting the 2018 International Building Codes with amendments as follows: Building Code, existing Building Code, Residential Code, Plumbing Code, Fuel and Gas Code, Mechanical Code, Energy Code, Swimming Pool and Spa Code, and the 2017 National Electrical Code.

#### **ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT AND CONTACT:** Development Services - Shane Mondin

#### ACTION REQUESTED: Ordinance

**BACKGROUND/SUMMARY/DISCUSSION:** The City's current adopted code is the 2015 edition. In order to comply with current code requirements and assist with better Insurance Services Office ratings, the International Building Code and the International Residential Code, 2018 edition needs to be adopted with local amendments. The new code will take effect 30 days after passage. Most contractors and design professionals are already familiar with the new code.

Other surrounding cities that use the 2018 International Codes are San Marcos, Kyle and Buda.

#### PROJECT SCHEDULE (if applicable): N/A

#### AMOUNT & SOURCE OF FUNDING: Funds Required: N/A Account Number: N/A Funds Available: N/A Account Name: N/A

FISCAL NOTE (if applicable): N/A

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION: None

#### COMMITTEE/BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION: None

### **STAFF RECOMMENDATION/REQUESTED MOTION:** Recommend approval of Ordinance 2021-39.

### City of Lockhart, Texas

Council Agenda Item Cover Sheet <u>LIST OF SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:</u> Ordinance 2021-39

#### ORDINANCE NO. 2021-39

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 12 OF THE CITY OF LOCKHART CODE OF ORDINANCES, BUILDINGS AND BUILDING REGULATIONS, ARTICLES II, III, IV, V, VI, VII AND IX, ADDING ARTICLE XI, ADOPTING THE 2018 INTERNATIONAL BUILDING CODES WITH AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS: BUILDING CODE, EXISTING BUILDING CODE, RESIDENTIAL CODE, PLUMBING CODE, FUEL AND GAS CODE, MECHANICAL CODE, ENERGY CODE, SWIMMING POOL AND SPA CODE, AND THE 2017 NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CODE; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PRESCRIBING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS OF THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ORDINANCE; PROVIDING FOR PUBLICATION; PROVIDING A SAVINGS CLAUSE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

- **WHEREAS,** the City Council desires to amend Chapter 12, Buildings and Building regulations of the City of Lockhart Code of Ordinances; and
- **WHEREAS**, the Building Official has recommended that the more recent codes be adopted with local amendments to be retained as indicated; and
- **WHEREAS**, the adoption of the 2018 codes place the City of Lockhart more in line with current trades and practices;

### NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOCKHART, TEXAS, THAT:

#### **SECTION I: FINDINGS**

The findings set forth above are incorporated as if fully set forth herein.

#### **SECTION II: ADOPTION**

Chapter 12, Articles II, III, IV, V, VI, VII, IX, and XI are hereby amended to change sections numbers, delete certain section, and add amendments as follows:

#### **ARTICLE II**

#### Sec. 12-26. - Adopted.

(a) There is hereby adopted by reference that publication known as the International Building Code, 2018 Edition, published by the International Code Council, as hereafter may be amended, and revised. In the event that any provision in the multifamily standards conflict with the airport standards, the airport standards shall control for any building located within the 55 Ldn contour, as those standards now exist or may be hereafter amended.

(b) The International Residential Code for One- and Two-Family Dwellings, 2018 Edition, published by the International Code Council, as hereafter may be amended and revised, is adopted herein by reference.

(c) The International Existing Building Code, 2018 Edition, published by the International Code Council, as hereafter may be amended and revised, is adopted herein by reference.

(d) No person shall violate any of the provisions of the publications adopted by reference in subsections (a), (b) and (c), and any person, firm, company, partnership, corporation, or association

violating any provision of this article shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction.

#### Sec. 12-27. - Amendments.

The building codes adopted in section 12-26 are hereby amended to change section numbers, delete sections, and add amendments as follows:

2018 International Building Code

Section 103.1 Creation of Enforcement Agency, is amended to read as follows:

Enforcement Authority. The official in charge of enforcement of this code shall be known as the building official.

Section 103.2 is amended to read as follows:

The building official shall be appointed as provided by the city manager.

Section 103.3 is hereby amended to read as follows:

The building official, with the authority of the city manager, may appoint such number of officers, inspectors, assistants and other employees as shall be authorized from time to time.

Section 105.2 Work exempt from permit, Building, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Exemptions from permit requirements of this code shall not be deemed to grant authorization for any work to be done in any manner in violation of the provisions of this Code or any other laws or ordinances of this jurisdiction. Permits shall not be required for the following:

Building:

1. Painting, papering, tiling, carpeting, cabinets, counter tops and similar finish work.

2. Temporary motion picture, television and theater stage sets and scenery.

3. Shade cloth structures constructed for nursery or agricultural purposes, not including service systems.

4. Swings and other playground equipment accessory to detached one- and two-family dwellings.
5. Window awnings supported by an exterior wall that do not project more than 54 inches (1372 mm) from the exterior wall and do not require additional support of group R-3 and U occupancies.
6. Non-fixed movable fixtures, cases, racks, counters and partitions, which meet the life safety code.

Section 113.1, General, is amended to read as follows:

The Construction Board of Appeals shall have the power, as further defined in Appendix B, to hear appeals of decisions and interpretations of the building official and consider variances of the technical codes; and to conduct hearings on determinations of the building official regarding

unsafe or dangerous buildings, structures and/or service systems, and to issue orders in accordance with the procedures beginning with section  $\underline{12-442}$  of this Code of Ordinances.

Cross reference—Building code relief for historic structures, § 28-9.

Section B101.3, Notice of Meeting, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Notice of appeal shall be in writing and filed within 30 calendar days, except in cases of unsafe or dangerous buildings, structures and/or service systems which are addressed beginning with section 12-442 [of the Code of Ordinances], after the decision is rendered by the building official. Appeals shall be in a form acceptable to the building official.

Section 107.1 Submittal Documents, is amended to read as follows:

Construction documents, special inspection and structural observation programs and other data shall be submitted in one or more sets with each application for a permit. The construction documents for new residential buildings and for additions of over 300 square feet in area shall be prepared by a licensed architect or member of the American Institute of Building Design certified by the National Council of Building Designer Certification, and shall bear their professional seal unless otherwise approved by the Building Official. Foundation plans for duplex, triplex, and apartment construction shall be drawn by a professional engineer licensed to do business in the state of Texas and shall bear their professional seal.

Section 109.2 Schedule of Permit Fees, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Building permit fees and all other applicable fees as adopted by ordinance or resolution shall be collected before issuance of a building permit.

Section 116, Unsafe Structures and Equipment, is hereby amended to read as follows:

In case of a building, structure, or service system, which, in the opinion of the building official, is unsafe, unsanitary, or dangerous, the building official shall implement the procedures beginning with section <u>12-442</u> of this Code [of Ordinances].

Section 113.3 Qualifications, is amended to read as follows:

Each District Council member and the Mayor shall each appoint one member to the Construction Board of Appeals making it a five (5) member board and each Councilmember at Large shall appoint an alternate. The term of office of the board members shall be three (3) years, such terms coinciding with the council position making the appointment. The two (2) alternates shall also serve the term coinciding with the council position making the appointments. Vacancies shall be filled for an unexpired term in the manner in which the original appointments are required to be made.

Board members shall consist of individuals who are qualified by experience and/or training to pass on matters pertaining to building construction and are not employees of the City of Lockhart.

Section 1206, Sound Transmission, is amended to include the Airport Noise Impact Overlay District and Performance Standards titles as follows:

Airport Noise Reduction, Purpose, and Scope.

Sound Isolation Requirements

Sound Transmission Class Ratings.

1207.4 Airport Noise Reduction, Purpose and Scope.

There shall be established an Airport Noise Impact Overlay Zone for the purpose of controlling conflicts between land uses and noise generated by aircraft, and to protect the public health, safety, and general welfare from the adverse impacts associated with excessive noise.

This section establishes sound isolation requirements for exterior walls and roofs of buildings located in the Airport Noise Impact Overlay Zone, and for doors, windows, and sloped glazing located therein.

#### PERFORMANCE STANDARDS

The sound isolation requirements specified herein are stated in terms of three classes of aircraft noise reduction. These classes are defined in terms of the following interior noise levels:

35 LDN reduction	-sound isolation adequate to limit an interior noise level so that it does not exceed 45 Ldn in buildings located within the 75 Ldn noise contour.
30 Ldn reduction	-sound isolation adequate to limit an interior noise level so that it does not exceed 50 Ldn noise contour, and an interior noise level that does not exceed 45 Ldn in buildings located between the 70 and 75 Ldn noise contours
25 Ldn reduction	-sound isolation adequate to limit an interior noise level so that it does not exceed 50 Ldn in buildings located between the <u>55</u> and 75 Ldn noise contours, and in an interior noise level that does not exceed 75 Ldn in buildings located between the <u>55</u> and 70 Ldn contours

1206.5 Sound Isolation Requirements.

Exterior walls, roofs, doors, windows, and sloped glazing located in the Airport Noise Impact Overlay District, shall have acoustical characteristics which provide the noise level standards listed in NOISE LEVEL STANDARDS TABLE 1206.5

### TABLE 1206.5NOISE LEVEL STANDARDS

#### TABLE REMAINS AS PREVIOUSLY ADOPTED

Notes:

1—Not permitted2—No special requirement1206.6 Sound Transmission Class Ratings.

Compliance with the aircraft sound isolation performance standards shall be established by certification from a registered professional architect or engineer that when constructed in accordance with the approved plans and with quality workmanship, the building shall achieve the specified interior noise levels, or by the use of assemblies having the Sound Transmission Class ratings specified in Table 1206.6:

#### TABLE 1206.6

#### MINIMUM SOUND TRANSMISSION OF ASSEMBLIES

#### TABLE REMAINS AS PREVIOUSLY ADOPTED

#### Local Code of Ordinances

Section 1907 Minimum Slab Provisions is amended to include Welded Wire Fabric as follows:

Welded Wire Fabric. The use of welded wire fabric for reinforcement in concrete slab foundations, driveways, and sidewalks that are part of driveway entrances, is prohibited unless construction plans sealed by a Texas licensed engineer specifically approves the use of welded wire fabric.

2018 International Residential Code for One- and Two-Family Dwellings

Section R 315.2.2 Alterations, Repairs, and Additions is hereby amended to read:

Where work requiring a permit that involves an addition, major alteration, or when the electrical system is being completely re-wired in existing dwellings that have attached garages, or in existing dwellings within which fuel-fired appliances exist, carbon monoxide alarms shall be provided in accordance with Section R315.1.

Section P2904 Dwelling Unit Fire Sprinkler Systems of the 2018 International Residential Code shall apply to one- and two-family dwellings of 7,500 square feet or more and to such dwellings when modified become 7,500 square feet or more.

Section E3902.16 ARC-FAULT CIRCUIT INTERRUPTER PROTECTION is hereby amended to read:

ARC-FAULT CIRCUIT INTERRUPTER PROTECTION. In all new residential dwellings and when an addition, major alteration, or when the electrical system is being re-wired in an existing residential dwelling, all branch circuits that supply 120-volt, single-phase, 15- and 20-ampere outlets installed in family rooms, dining rooms, living rooms, parlors, libraries, dens, bedrooms, sunrooms, recreation rooms, closets, hallways, or similar rooms or areas shall be protected by a combination type arc-fault circuit interrupter installed to provide protection of the entire branch circuit.

Section E4002.14 TAMPER-RESISTANT RECEPTACLES is hereby amended to read:

Section E4002.14 TAMPER-RESISTANT RECEPTACLES. In all new residential dwellings and when an addition, major alteration, or when the electrical system is being completely re-wired in areas specified in Section E3901.1, 125-volt, 15- and 20-ampere receptacles shall be listed tamper-resistant receptacles.

#### **ARTICLE III**

#### Sec. 12-196. - Adopted.

(a) There is hereby adopted by reference that publication known as the National Electrical Code, 2017 Edition with local amendments, published by the National Fire Protection Association, Inc. or the International Residential Code, 2018 Edition.

(b) No person shall violate any of the provisions of the publication adopted by reference in subsection (a).

#### **ARTICLE IV**

#### Sec. 12-346. - Adopted.

(a) There is hereby adopted by reference that publication known as the International Fuel Gas Code, 2018 Edition with amendments, published by the International Code Council, as hereafter may be amended, and revised.

(b) No person shall violate any of the provisions of the publication adopted by reference in subsection (a).

#### Sec. 12-347. - Amendments.

The gas code adopted in section 12-346 is amended in the following respects:

Section 106.6.2 Fee Schedule of the International Fuel Gas Code, 2018 Edition, is hereby amended to read as follows:

For all work under this code requiring a permit, a fee as established by ordinance or resolution shall be paid for each permit at the time of the application approval.

#### ARTICLE V

#### Sec. 12-376. - Adopted.

(a) Is hereby amended to adopt by reference the International Mechanical Code 2018 Edition, published by the International Code Council as hereafter amended and/or revised.

(b) No person shall violate any of the provisions of the publication adopted by reference in subsection (a).

#### Sec. 12-377. Amendments.

The mechanical code adopted in section 12-376 is amended in the following respects:

Section 106.5.2 is hereby amended to read as follows:

On all mechanical work requiring a permit, as set forth in Section 106.1 a fee for each mechanical permit in the amount established by ordinance or resolution shall be paid at the time of approval of the application.

Section 109 is hereby amended to read as follows:

The construction board of appeals established pursuant to the edition of the International Building Code in force in the city shall serve as the board of appeals for the purposes of this code.

#### ARTICLE VI

#### Sec. 12-406. - Adopted.

(a) There is hereby adopted by reference that publication known as the International Plumbing Code, 2018 Edition, published by the International Code Council, as hereafter may be amended, and revised.

(b) No person shall violate any of the provisions of the publication adopted by reference in subsection (a).

#### Sec. 12-407. - Amendments.

Section 106.6.2 Fee Schedule of the International Plumbing Code, 2018 Edition, is hereby amended to read as follows:

On all plumbing work requiring a permit, a fee as established by ordinance or resolution shall be paid for each permit at the time of the application approval.

The International Plumbing Code, 2018 Edition is hereby amended to include the following regarding water conservation requirements: Water Conservation:

The standards for residential and commercial fixtures shall be:

#### TABLE REMAINS AS PREVIOUSLY ADOPTED

#### ARTICLE VII

#### Sec. 12-437. - Alterations, repairs or rehabilitation work.

(a) Alterations, repairs, or rehabilitation work may be made to any existing building without requiring the building to comply with all the requirements of the 2018 International Building Code and 2018 International Residential Codes, provided that the alteration, repair or rehabilitation work conforms to the requirements of the 2018 International Building Code and 2018 International Residential Codes for new construction. The building official shall determine, subject to appeal to the board of adjustments and appeals, the extent, if any, to which the existing building shall be made to conform to the requirements of the 2018 International Building Code and 2018 International Residential Codes for new construction.

(b) Alterations, repairs or rehabilitation work shall not cause an existing building to become unsafe as that term is defined below.

(c) If the occupancy classification of an existing building is changed, the building shall be made to conform to the intent of the 2018 International Building Code and 2018 International Residential Codes for the new occupancy as established by the building official.

(d) Repairs and alterations, not covered by the preceding subsections of this section, restoring a building to its condition previous to damage or deterioration, or altering it in conformity with the provisions of this article or in such manner as will not extend or increase an existing nonconformity or hazard, may be made with the same kind of materials as those of which the building is constructed; but not more than 25 percent of the roof covering of a building shall be replaced in any period of 12 months unless the entire roof covering is made to conform with the requirements of the 2018 International Building Code and 2018 International Residential Codes for new buildings.

#### Sec. 12-439. - Maintenance.

All buildings or structures, both existing and new, and all parts thereof, shall be maintained in a safe and sanitary condition. All devices or safeguards which are required by the 2018 International Building Code and 2018 International Residential Codes in a building when erected, altered, or repaired shall be maintained in good working order. The owner shall be responsible for the maintenance of buildings and structures.

#### Sec. 12-442. - Definitions.

The following words, terms and phrases, when used in this article, shall have the meanings ascribed to them in this section, except where the context clearly indicates a different meaning:

Board means the construction board of appeals established in section 113 of the 2018 International Building Code, adopted by reference in section 12-26 of this Code.

Unsafe building means any building or structure that has any one or more of the following applicable conditions:

(all other portions of the unsafe building definition should remain as previously adopted)

(2) Any occupied building, structure, or portion thereof which lacks adequate light, ventilation or sanitation facilities as required by the 2018 International Building Code and 2018 International Residential Codes.

(all other portions of the unsafe building definition should remain as previously adopted)

#### **ARTICLE IX**

#### Sec. 12-521. - Adopted.

The International Energy Conservation Code, 2018 Edition, published by the International Code Council, as hereafter amended and/or revised, is hereby adopted as the code of the city for regulating the design, construction, quality of materials, erection, installation, alterations, repair, location, relocation, replacement, addition to use or maintenance of the building envelope, mechanical, lighting and power systems in the city.

#### ADD ARTICLE XI SWIMMING POOL AND SPA CODE

#### Sec. 12-576. -Adopted.

(a) There is hereby adopted by reference that publication known as the 2018 International Swimming Pool and Spa Code with amendments, published by the International Code Council, as hereafter may be amended, and revised.

(b) No person shall violate any of the provisions of the publication adopted by reference in subsection (a).

#### SECTION III: PENALTY CLAUSE

Any person who violates any provision of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be fined as provided in Section 1-8 of the City of Lockhart Code of Ordinances.

#### SECTION IV: SEVERABILITY

#### a. <u>Unconstitutional or Invalid Section</u>

Should any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance be declared unconstitutional or invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, it is expressly provided that any and all remaining portions of this Ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

b. Independent Sections

The City hereby declares that it would have passed this ordinance, and each section, subsection, clause or phrase thereof irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, sentences, clauses and/or phrases be declared unconstitutional or invalid.

#### **SECTION V: ESTOPPEL / WAIVER**

The failure of the City to enforce any term or condition of this ordinance shall not constitute a waiver or estoppel or any subsequent violation of this ordinance.

#### **SECTION VI: PUBLICATION**

That the City Secretary is directed to cause this ordinance caption to be published according to law.

#### SECTION VII: EFFECTIVE DATE

That this ordinance shall become effective thirty (30) days after passage. **PASSED AND APPROVED** by the City Council of the City of Lockhart, Texas, this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2021.

**ATTEST:** 

Lew White, Mayor

Connie Constancio, City Secretary

#### **APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

Monte Akers, City Attorney

#### City of Lockhart, Texas

#### Council Agenda Item Cover Sheet

#### COUNCIL MEETING DATE: December 7, 2021

AGENDA ITEM CAPTION: Discussion regarding matters related to COVID-19.

**ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT AND CONTACT:** Administration - Steven Lewis, Monte Akers

#### ACTION REQUESTED: Other

**BACKGROUND/SUMMARY/DISCUSSION:** On May 18, 2021, Governor Abbot issued GA-36 that prohibited governmental entities from mandating face coverings or restricting activities in response to the COVID-19 disaster. As a result, the Lockhart City Council rescinded the Mayor's Declaration to require face coverings and encouraged citizens to continue to follow the CDC guidelines in regard to COVID-19.

Also, as a result of the Governor opening Texas on March 2, 2021 (GA-34), community events are back on schedule such as the Chisholm Trail Roundup, Fireworks show, and City venues such as the city splash pad are open to the public. Face coverings are not required during the events or at city facilities.

An update of COVID-19 orders and Council actions is attached.

#### Open Meetings Act Suspensions Terminate effective September 1, 2021

In March 2020, Governor Abbott's office granted the Attorney General's request to suspend certain open meetings statutes. The temporary suspension allows for telephonic or videoconference meetings of governmental bodies that are accessible to the public in an effort to reduce in-person meetings, thereby allowing governmental bodies and/or board commissions to hold a meeting virtually without a quorum being present at the meeting location.

On June 30, 2021, the Governor's office approved a request by the Attorney General to lift the open meetings suspensions effective at 12:01 a.m. on September 1, 2021. All Texas governmental bodies subject to the OMA must thereafter conduct their meetings in full compliance with the OMA as written in state law.

The following are provisions in the OMA suspension that will no longer be allowed effective September 1, 2021:

 Video conferencing capability will change in that a member of the governing body or board can meet virtually but there must be a quorum physically present at the meeting location.
 Telephone conference meetings will not be allowed to continue and are only allowed in an emergency.

On **August 29, 2021**, Governor Abbott issued a Declaration renewing the declaration of disaster stating that COVID-19 poses an imminent threat of disaster for all counties in Texas.

#### City of Lockhart, Texas

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On October 11, 2021, Governor Abbott issued GA-40 prohibiting vaccine mandates, subject to legislative action.

This item is returned to Council for consideration, if necessary.

#### PROJECT SCHEDULE (if applicable): N/A

AMOUNT & SOURCE OF FUNDING: Funds Required: N/A Account Number: N/A Funds Available: N/A Account Name: N/A

FISCAL NOTE (if applicable): None.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION: N/A

#### COMMITTEE/BOARD/COMMISSION ACTION: N/A

#### STAFF RECOMMENDATION/REQUESTED MOTION: None.

**LIST OF SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:** Update of COVID-19 orders and Council actions, GA-39, GA-38, Governor Abbott proclamation renewing the Declaration of Disaster, GA 40

#### **HISTORY OF COVID-19 ORDERS/COUNCIL ACTIONS**

On **September 1, 2020**, the City Council adopted Resolution 2020-20 renewing and adopting a requirement that commercial establishments in the City post a notice that facial coverings are a requirement of employees and persons entering such establishments. The requirement that such notice be posted shall remain in effect until terminated or amended by the City Council.

On **October 7, 2020**, Governor Greg Abbott issued Executive Order GA-32 to allow certain bars and similar establishments to operate at 50% capacity with permission from the County Judge. GA-32 increased the occupancy levels for all business establishments other than bars to 75%. GA-32 also provides that outdoor gatherings in excess of 10 people is prohibited unless the Mayor of the City in which the gathering is held, approves of the gathering, and such approval can be made subject to certain conditions or restrictions not inconsistent with GA-32.

<u>Mayor's statement on reduced business capacity in Caldwell County</u>. At 12:01 a.m. on Wednesday, January 13, 2021 the provisions of Governor Greg Abbott's Executive Order GA-32 that suspend elective surgeries, close bars and reduce business capacity to 50 percent went into effect in Lockhart and Caldwell County. This was occurring because under GA-32, these specific provisions took effect when a Trauma Service Area had seven consecutive days in which the number of COVID-19 hospitalized patients as a percentage of total capacity exceeded 15 percent. This was the case in Trauma Service Area O, which included Caldwell County.

<u>COVID Relief Fund update</u>. On January 19, 2021, the Council voted to offer a six-month forbearance to businesses that received a COVID-19 Recovery Loan in 2020. Council re-opened the COVID Relief Grants to small businesses for \$5,000 per business that qualifies. Restaurants and bars that were affected by the Governor's order earned higher points on the application process.

During the February 23, 2021 meeting, Chief Jenkins provided an update of COVID compliance for local businesses.

On **March 2, 2021**, Governor Abbot issued GA-34 that was effective March 10, 2021. It provides that the State no longer requires face covering and it does not allow local jurisdictions to require face coverings. GA-34 supercedes all orders issued by local officials that conflict with regard to services or local orders and provides that businesses and other establishments may require customers and employees to wear face coverings. The consensus of the Council was to leave the Mayor's Declaration in effect and to encourage citizens to continue to wear face coverings and to maintain a six foot distance.

On May 13, 2021, the CDC announced that fully vaccinated individuals no longer need to mask up or social distance indoors and outdoors, including crowds. Attached is information from the CDC about how to stay safe around individuals that are or are not fully vaccinated.

On June 15, 2021, the consensus of the Council was to continue virtual attendance at meetings.

On **June 30, 2021**, the Governor's office approved a request by the Attorney General to lift the temporary Open Meetings Act suspensions, effective at 12:01 a.m. on September 1, 2021. The change in virtual meetings is that a member of the governing body or board member may attend a meeting virtually but there must be a quorum physically present at the meeting location.

On **July 29, 2021**, Governor Abbott issued Executive Order 38, that combined several existing COVID-19 executive orders to promote statewide uniformity and certainty in the state's COVID-19 response. Governor Abbott stated that "The new Executive Order emphasizes that the path forward relies on personal responsibility rather than government mandates".

On **August 13**, **2021**, TML provided the following information regarding actions taken by governmental entities and the Attorney General in regards to face coverings:

• Mask Mandate Update: Tuesday afternoon, two state district court judges in Dallas and Bexar counties granted local authorities in those jurisdictions temporary restraining orders blocking Governor Abbott's <u>ban on mask mandates</u>. In response to the rulings, the City of San Antonio issued a requirement for face coverings inside city facilities, and the Dallas County Judge issued an emergency order on Wednesday related to face coverings. Temporary restraining orders are by definition temporary and require further court proceedings to become permanent. TML will continue to monitor these developments. In related news, Houston's Mayor Sylvester Turner is requiring masks in city facilities when physical distancing is not doable.

Additionally, a number of large school districts ("ISDs") across the state, including <u>Dallas ISD</u>, <u>Houston ISD</u>, <u>Austin</u> <u>ISD</u>, <u>Fort Worth ISD</u>, and <u>San Antonio ISD</u>, are requiring masks on school property.

- Attorney General Issues Two COVID-related opinions: On August 11, the Attorney General released two opinions related to mask mandates and vaccines.
  - In <u>Opinion KP-0379</u>, the Attorney General was asked whether COVID-19 vaccines could be required as a condition to enter a government building. Citing the Governor's <u>Executive Order No.</u> <u>38</u> as well as the recently passed <u>S.B. 968</u>, the Attorney General opined that government entities may not require COVID-19 vaccines as a condition to enter a government facility.
  - 2. In <u>Opinion No. KP-0380</u>, the Attorney General was asked to opine on the effect of the Governor's executive orders on federal requirements related to face coverings on public transit. The AG ultimately opined that he is unconvinced that CDC and TSA rules as well as federal law preempt the Governor's orders prohibiting mask mandates.

Please remember that Attorney General opinion are just that: opinions. They are legal guidance but do not carry the force of law or court order.

• **Counties Across Texas Seeing Rise in COVID-19 Threat Levels:** Over the last few weeks, we have reported on the rise in COVID-19 threat levels in counties and cities across the state. That rise continues, with Travis, Harris, Dallas, and Williamson counties, among others, back at the highest threat levels as the Delta variant spreads across the state and <u>ICU bed availability drops</u>.

On **August 29, 2021**, Governor Abbott issued a proclamation renewing the declaration stating that COVID-19 poses an imminent threat of disease for all counties in Texas.

On **August 25, 2021,** Governor Abbott issued GA-39 (attached), prohibiting governmental entities from compelling an individual to receive a COVID-19 vaccine regardless of full FDA approval, among other things.

The Governor also issued the following call to the Special Session of the Legislature: Legislation regarding whether any State or Local Governmental entities in Texas can mandate that an individual receive a COVID-19 vaccine and, if so, what exemption should apply to such mandate.

On **October 11, 2021**, Governor Abbott issued GA-40 relating to prohibiting all entities of compelling receipt of a COVID-19 vaccine until the issue has been considered through legislation.



#### GOVERNOR GREG ABBOTT

August 25, 2021

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE O'CLOCK AUG 5 2021 Secretary of State

Mr. Joe A. Esparza Deputy Secretary of State State Capitol Room 1E.8 Austin, Texas 78701

Dear Deputy Secretary Esparza:

Pursuant to his powers as Governor of the State of Texas, Greg Abbott has issued the following:

Executive Order No. GA-39 relating to prohibiting vaccine mandates and vaccine passports subject to legislative action.

The original executive order is attached to this letter of transmittal.

Respectfully submitted,

Gregory S. Davidson Executive Clerk to the Governor

GSD/gsd

Attachment



#### BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF TEXAS

Executive Department Austin, Texas August 25, 2021

#### EXECUTIVE ORDER GA 39

#### Relating to prohibiting vaccine mandates and vaccine passports subject to legislative action.

WHEREAS, I, Greg Abbott, Governor of Texas, issued a disaster proclamation on March 13, 2020, certifying under Section 418.014 of the Texas Government Code that the novel coronavirus (COVID-19) poses an imminent threat of disaster for all Texas counties; and

WHEREAS, in each subsequent month effective through today, I have renewed the COVID-19 disaster declaration for all Texas counties; and

WHEREAS, I have issued a series of executive orders aimed at protecting the health and safety of Texans, ensuring uniformity throughout Texas, and achieving the least restrictive means of combatting the evolving threat to public health; and

WHEREAS, COVID-19 vaccines are strongly encouraged for those eligible to receive one, but have always been voluntary for Texans; and

WHEREAS, I issued Executive Orders GA-35 and GA-38, addressing COVID-19 vaccines administered under an "emergency use authorization" by prohibiting vaccine mandates from governmental entities and by prohibiting "vaccine passports" from governmental entities and certain others; and

WHEREAS, subsequently, on August 23, 2021, while the legislature was already convened in a special session, the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) approved one of the COVID-19 vaccines for certain age groups, such that this vaccine is no longer administered under an emergency use authorization for those age groups; and

WHEREAS, while this COVID-19 vaccine is now FDA-approved for certain age groups, others are not yet approved and still are administered under an emergency use authorization; and

WHEREAS, through Chapter 161 of the Texas Health and Safety Code, as well as other laws including Chapters 38 and 51 of the Texas Education Code, the legislature has established its primary role over immunizations, and all immunization laws and regulations in Texas stem from the laws established by the legislature; and

WHEREAS, in other contexts where the legislature has imposed immunization requirements, it has also taken care to provide exemptions that allow people to opt out of being forced to take a vaccine; and

WHEREAS, given the legislature's primacy and the need to avoid a patchwork of regulations with respect to vaccinations, it is appropriate to maintain the status quo of

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prohibiting vaccine mandates through executive order while allowing the legislature to consider this issue while in session; and

WHEREAS, in this instance, given the legislature's prior actions, maintaining the status quo of prohibiting vaccine mandates and ensuring uniformity pending the legislature's consideration means extending the voluntariness of COVID-19 vaccinations to all COVID-19 vaccinations, regardless of regulatory status; and

WHEREAS, I am also adding this issue to the agenda for the Second Called Session of the legislature that is currently convened so that the legislature has the opportunity to consider this issue through legislation; and

WHEREAS, I will rescind this executive order upon the effective date of such legislation;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Greg Abbott, Governor of Texas, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, do hereby order the following on a statewide basis effective immediately:

- No governmental entity can compel any individual to receive a COVID-19 vaccine. I hereby suspend Section 81.082(f)(1) of the Texas Health and Safety Code, and any other relevant statutes, to the extent necessary to ensure that no governmental entity can compel any individual to receive a COVID-19 vaccine.
- 2. State agencies and political subdivisions shall not adopt or enforce any order, ordinance, policy, regulation, rule, or similar measure that requires an individual to provide, as a condition of receiving any service or entering any place, documentation regarding the individual's vaccination status for any COVID-19 vaccine. I hereby suspend Section 81.085(i) of the Texas Health and Safety Code, and any other relevant statutes, to the extent necessary to enforce this prohibition. This paragraph does not apply to any documentation requirements necessary for the administration of a COVID-19 vaccine.
- 3. Any public or private entity that is receiving or will receive public funds through any means, including grants, contracts, loans, or other disbursements of taxpayer money, shall not require a consumer to provide, as a condition of receiving any service or entering any place, documentation regarding the consumer's vaccination status for any COVID-19 vaccine. No consumer may be denied entry to a facility financed in whole or in part by public funds for failure to provide documentation regarding the consumer's vaccination status for any COVID-19 vaccine.
- 4. Nothing in this executive order shall be construed to limit the ability of a nursing home, state supported living center, assisted living facility, or long-term care facility to require documentation of a resident's vaccination status for any COVID-19 vaccine.
- This executive order shall supersede any conflicting order issued by local officials in response to the COVID-19 disaster. Pursuant to Section 418.016(a) of the Texas Government Code, I hereby suspend Sections 418.1015(b) and 418.108 of the Texas Government Code, Chapter 81, Subchapter E of the Texas Health and Safety Code, and any

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other relevant statutes, to the extent necessary to ensure that local officials do not impose restrictions in response to the COVID-19 disaster that are inconsistent with this executive order.

This executive order supersedes only paragraph No. 2 of Executive Order GA-38, and does not supersede or otherwise affect the remaining paragraphs of Executive Order GA-38. This executive order shall remain in effect and in full force unless it is modified, amended, rescinded, or superseded by the governor. This executive order may also be amended by proclamation of the governor.



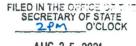
Given under my hand this the 25th day of August, 2021.

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GREG ABBOTT Governor

ATTESTED BY: JOE A. LSP

Deputy Secretary of State



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#### GOVERNOR GREG ABBOTT

July 29, 2021

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE <u>3:15Pm</u>0'CLOCK JUL 2 9 2021 Secretary of State

Mr. Joe A. Esparza Deputy Secretary of State State Capitol Room 1E.8 Austin, Texas 78701

Dear Deputy Secretary Esparza:

Pursuant to his powers as Governor of the State of Texas, Greg Abbott has issued the following:

Executive Order No. GA-38 relating to the continued response to the COVID-19 disaster.

The original executive order is attached to this letter of transmittal.

Respectfully submitted,

Gregory S. Davidson

Executive Clerk to the Governor GSD/gsd

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#### BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF TEXAS

Executive Department Austin, Texas July 29, 2021

#### EXECUTIVE ORDER GA 38

#### Relating to the continued response to the COVID-19 disaster.

WHEREAS, I, Greg Abbott, Governor of Texas, issued a disaster proclamation on March 13, 2020, certifying under Section 418.014 of the Texas Government Code that the novel coronavirus (COVID-19) poses an imminent threat of disaster for all Texas counties; and

WHEREAS, in each subsequent month effective through today, I have renewed the COVID-19 disaster declaration for all Texas counties; and

WHEREAS, from March 2020 through May 2021, I issued a series of executive orders aimed at protecting the health and safety of Texans, ensuring uniformity throughout Texas, and achieving the least restrictive means of combatting the evolving threat to public health by adjusting social-distancing and other mitigation strategies; and

WHEREAS, combining into one executive order the requirements of several existing COVID-19 executive orders will further promote statewide uniformity and certainty; and

WHEREAS, as the COVID-19 pandemic continues, Texans are strongly encouraged as a matter of personal responsibility to consistently follow good hygiene, social-distancing, and other mitigation practices; and

WHEREAS, receiving a COVID-19 vaccine under an emergency use authorization is always voluntary in Texas and will never be mandated by the government, but it is strongly encouraged for those eligible to receive one; and

WHEREAS, state and local officials should continue to use every reasonable means to make the COVID-19 vaccine available for any eligible person who chooses to receive one; and

WHEREAS, in the Texas Disaster Act of 1975, the legislature charged the governor with the responsibility "for meeting ... the dangers to the state and people presented by disasters" under Section 418.011 of the Texas Government Code, and expressly granted the governor broad authority to fulfill that responsibility; and

WHEREAS, under Section 418.012, the "governor may issue executive orders ... hav[ing] the force and effect of law;" and

WHEREAS, under Section 418.016(a), the "governor may suspend the provisions of any regulatory statute prescribing the procedures for conduct of state business ... if strict compliance with the provisions ... would in any way prevent, hinder, or delay necessary action in coping with a disaster;" and

WHEREAS, under Section 418.018(c), the "governor may control ingress and egress to FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_O'CLOCK

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and from a disaster area and the movement of persons and the occupancy of premises in the area;" and

WHEREAS, under Section 418.173, the legislature authorized as "an offense," punishable by a fine up to \$1,000, any "failure to comply with the [state emergency management plan] or with a rule, order, or ordinance adopted under the plan;"

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Greg Abbott, Governor of Texas, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, do hereby order the following on a statewide basis effective immediately:

- 1. To ensure the continued availability of timely information about COVID-19 testing and hospital bed capacity that is crucial to efforts to cope with the COVID-19 disaster, the following requirements apply:
  - a. All hospitals licensed under Chapter 241 of the Texas Health and Safety Code, and all Texas state-run hospitals, except for psychiatric hospitals, shall submit to the Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) daily reports of hospital bed capacity, in the manner prescribed by DSHS. DSHS shall promptly share this information with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).
  - b. Every public or private entity that is utilizing an FDA-approved test, including an emergency use authorization test, for human diagnostic purposes of COVID-19, shall submit to DSHS, as well as to the local health department, daily reports of all test results, both positive and negative. DSHS shall promptly share this information with the CDC.
- 2. To ensure that vaccines continue to be voluntary for all Texans and that Texans' private COVID-19-related health information continues to enjoy protection against compelled disclosure, in addition to new laws enacted by the legislature against so-called "vaccine passports," the following requirements apply:
  - a. No governmental entity can compel any individual to receive a COVID-19 vaccine administered under an emergency use authorization. I hereby suspend Section 81.082(f)(1) of the Texas Health and Safety Code to the extent necessary to ensure that no governmental entity can compel any individual to receive a COVID-19 vaccine administered under an emergency use authorization.
  - b. State agencies and political subdivisions shall not adopt or enforce any order, ordinance, policy, regulation, rule, or similar measure that requires an individual to provide, as a condition of receiving any service or entering any place, documentation regarding the individual's vaccination status for any COVID-19 vaccine administered under an emergency use authorization. I hereby suspend Section 81.085(i) of the Texas Health and Safety Code to the extent necessary to enforce this prohibition. This paragraph does not apply to any documentation requirements necessary for the administration of a COVID-19 vaccine.
  - c. Any public or private entity that is receiving or will receive public funds through any means, including grants, contracts, loans, or other disbursements of taxpayer money, shall not require a consumer to provide, as a condition of receiving any service or entering any place, documentation regarding the consumer's vaccination status for any COVID-19 vaccine administered under an emergency use authorization. No consumer may be denied entry to a facility financed



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in whole or in part by public funds for failure to provide documentation regarding the consumer's vaccination status for any COVID-19 vaccine administered under an emergency use authorization.

- d. Nothing in this executive order shall be construed to limit the ability of a nursing home, state supported living center, assisted living facility, or long-term care facility to require documentation of a resident's vaccination status for any COVID-19 vaccine.
- e. This paragraph number 2 shall supersede any conflicting order issued by local officials in response to the COVID-19 disaster. I hereby suspend Sections 418.1015(b) and 418.108 of the Texas Government Code, Chapter 81, Subchapter E of the Texas Health and Safety Code, and any other relevant statutes, to the extent necessary to ensure that local officials do not impose restrictions in response to the COVID-19 disaster that are inconsistent with this executive order.
- 3. To ensure the ability of Texans to preserve livelihoods while protecting lives, the following requirements apply:
  - There are no COVID-19-related operating limits for any business or other establishment.
  - b. In areas where the COVID-19 transmission rate is high, individuals are encouraged to follow the safe practices they have already mastered, such as wearing face coverings over the nose and mouth wherever it is not feasible to maintain six feet of social distancing from another person not in the same household, but no person may be required by any jurisdiction to wear or to mandate the wearing of a face covering.
  - c. In providing or obtaining services, every person (including individuals, businesses, and other legal entities) is strongly encouraged to use good-faith efforts and available resources to follow the Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) health recommendations, found at <u>www.dshs.texas.gov/coronavirus</u>.
  - d. Nursing homes, state supported living centers, assisted living facilities, and long-term care facilities should follow guidance from the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) regarding visitations, and should follow infection control policies and practices set forth by HHSC, including minimizing the movement of staff between facilities whenever possible.
  - e. Public schools may operate as provided by, and under the minimum standard health protocols found in, guidance issued by the Texas Education Agency. Private schools and institutions of higher education are encouraged to establish similar standards.
  - f. County and municipal jails should follow guidance from the Texas Commission on Jail Standards regarding visitations.
  - g. As stated above, business activities and legal proceedings are free to proceed without COVID-19-related limitations imposed by local governmental entities or officials. This paragraph number 3 supersedes any conflicting local order in response to the COVID-19 disaster, and all relevant laws are suspended to the extent necessary to preclude any such inconsistent local orders. Pursuant to the legislature's command in Section 418.173 of the Texas Government Code and the State's emergency management plan, the imposition of any conflicting or inconsistent limitation by a local governmental entity or official constitutes a "failure to comply with" this executive order that is subject to a fine up to \$1,000.

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- 4. To further ensure that no governmental entity can mandate masks, the following requirements shall continue to apply:
  - a. No governmental entity, including a county, city, school district, and public health authority, and no governmental official may require any person to wear a face covering or to mandate that another person wear a face covering; *provided, however, that*:
    - i. state supported living centers, government-owned hospitals, and government-operated hospitals may continue to use appropriate policies regarding the wearing of face coverings; and
    - ii. the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, the Texas Juvenile Justice Department, and any county and municipal jails acting consistent with guidance by the Texas Commission on Jail Standards may continue to use appropriate policies regarding the wearing of face coverings.
  - b. This paragraph number 4 shall supersede any face-covering requirement imposed by any local governmental entity or official, except as explicitly provided in subparagraph number 4.a. To the extent necessary to ensure that local governmental entities or officials do not impose any such face-covering requirements, I hereby suspend the following:
    - i. Sections 418.1015(b) and 418.108 of the Texas Government Code;
    - ii. Chapter 81, Subchapter E of the Texas Health and Safety Code;
    - iii. Chapters 121, 122, and 341 of the Texas Health and Safety Code;
    - iv. Chapter 54 of the Texas Local Government Code; and
    - v. Any other statute invoked by any local governmental entity or official in support of a face-covering requirement.

Pursuant to the legislature's command in Section 418.173 of the Texas Government Code and the State's emergency management plan, the imposition of any such face-covering requirement by a local governmental entity or official constitutes a "failure to comply with" this executive order that is subject to a fine up to \$1,000.

- c. Even though face coverings cannot be mandated by any governmental entity, that does not prevent individuals from wearing one if they choose.
- 5. To further ensure uniformity statewide:
  - a. This executive order shall supersede any conflicting order issued by local officials in response to the COVID-19 disaster, but only to the extent that such a local order restricts services allowed by this executive order or allows gatherings restricted by this executive order. Pursuant to Section 418.016(a) of the Texas Government Code, I hereby suspend Sections 418.1015(b) and 418.108 of the Texas Government Code, Chapter 81, Subchapter E of the Texas Health and Safety Code, and any other relevant statutes, to the extent necessary to ensure that local officials do not impose restrictions in response to the



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COVID-19 disaster that are inconsistent with this executive order, provided that local officials may enforce this executive order as well as local restrictions that are consistent with this executive order.

b. Confinement in jail is not an available penalty for violating this executive order. To the extent any order issued by local officials in response to the COVID-19 disaster would allow confinement in jail as an available penalty for violating a COVID-19-related order, that order allowing confinement in jail is superseded, and I hereby suspend all relevant laws to the extent necessary to ensure that local officials do not confine people in jail for violating any executive order or local order issued in response to the COVID-19 disaster.

This executive order supersedes all pre-existing COVID-19-related executive orders and rescinds them in their entirety, except that it does not supersede or rescind Executive Orders GA-13 or GA-37. This executive order shall remain in effect and in full force unless it is modified, amended, rescinded, or superseded by the governor. This executive order may also be amended by proclamation of the governor.



Given under my hand this the 29th day of July, 2021.

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GREG ABBOTT Governor

ATTESTED BY: A Deputy Secretary of State

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#### GOVERNOR GREG ABBOTT

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Mr. Joe A. Esparza Deputy Secretary of State State Capitol Room 1E.8 Austin, Texas 78701

Dear Mr. Deputy Secretary:

Pursuant to his powers as Governor of the State of Texas, Greg Abbott has issued the following:

A proclamation renewing the declaration stating the novel coronavirus (COVID-19) poses an imminent threat of disaster for all counties in Texas.

The original proclamation is attached to this letter of transmittal.

Respectfully submitted,

Gregory S. Davidson Executive Clerk to the Governor GSD/gsd

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## BOUERNOR OF the State of Texas

#### TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

WHEREAS, I, Greg Abbott, Governor of Texas, issued a disaster proclamation on March 13, 2020, certifying under Section 418.014 of the Texas Government Code that the novel coronavirus (COVID-19) poses an imminent threat of disaster for all counties in the State of Texas; and

WHEREAS, in each subsequent month effective through today, I have issued proclamations renewing the disaster declaration for all Texas counties; and

WHEREAS, I have issued executive orders and suspensions of Texas laws in response to COVID-19, aimed at protecting the health and safety of Texans and ensuring an effective response to this disaster; and

WHEREAS, a state of disaster continues to exist in all counties due to COVID-19;

NOW, THEREFORE, in accordance with the authority vested in me by Section 418.014 of the Texas Government Code, I do hereby renew the disaster proclamation for all counties in Texas.

Pursuant to Section 418.017, I authorize the use of all available resources of state government and of political subdivisions that are reasonably necessary to cope with this disaster.

Pursuant to Section 418.016, any regulatory statute prescribing the procedures for conduct of state business or any order or rule of a state agency that would in any way prevent, hinder, or delay necessary action in coping with this disaster shall be suspended upon written approval of the Office of the Governor. However, to the extent that the enforcement of any state statute or administrative rule regarding contracting or procurement would impede any state agency's emergency response that is necessary to cope with this declared disaster, I hereby suspend such statutes and rules for the duration of this declared disaster for that limited purpose.

In accordance with the statutory requirements, copies of this proclamation shall be filed with the applicable authorities.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name and have officially caused the Seal of State to be affixed at my office in the City of Austin, Texas, this the 29th day of August, 2021.

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GREG ABBOTT Governor

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ATTESTED BY:

JOE E PARZA

Deputy Secretary of State

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#### GOVERNOR GREG ABBOTT

October 11, 2021

Mr. Joe A. Esparza Deputy Secretary of State State Capitol Room 1E.8 Austin, Texas 78701

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Dear Deputy Secretary Esparza:

Pursuant to his powers as Governor of the State of Texas, Greg Abbott has issued the following:

Executive Order No. GA-40 relating to prohibiting vaccine mandates, subject to . legislative action.

The original executive order is attached to this letter of transmittal.

Respectfully submitted,

Gregory S. Davidson

Gregory S. Davidson Executive Clerk to the Governor GSD/gsd

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# Executive Order

#### BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF TEXAS

Executive Department Austin, Texas October 11, 2021

#### EXECUTIVE ORDER GA 40

Relating to prohibiting vaccine mandates, subject to legislative action.

WHEREAS, I, Greg Abbott, Governor of Texas, issued a disaster proclamation on March 13, 2020, certifying under Section 418.014 of the Texas Government Code that the novel coronavirus (COVID-19) poses an imminent threat of disaster for all Texas counties; and

WHEREAS, in each subsequent month effective through today, I have renewed the COVID-19 disaster declaration for all Texas counties; and

WHEREAS, I have issued a series of executive orders aimed at protecting the health and safety of Texans, ensuring uniformity throughout Texas, and achieving the least restrictive means of combatting the evolving threat to public health; and

WHEREAS, COVID-19 vaccines are strongly encouraged for those eligible to receive one, but must always be voluntary for Texans; and

WHEREAS, I issued Executive Orders GA-35, GA-38, and GA-39 to prohibit governmental entities and certain others from imposing COVID-19 vaccine mandates or requiring vaccine passports; and

WHEREAS, in yet another instance of federal overreach, the Biden Administration is now bullying many private entities into imposing COVID-19 vaccine mandates, causing workforce disruptions that threaten Texas's continued recovery from the COVID-19 disaster; and

WHEREAS, countless Texans fear losing their livelihoods because they object to receiving a COVID-19 vaccination for reasons of personal conscience, based on a religious belief, or for medical reasons, including prior recovery from COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, through Chapter 161 of the Texas Health and Safety Code, as well as other laws including Chapters 38 and 51 of the Texas Education Code, the legislature has established its primary role over immunizations, and all immunization laws and regulations in Texas stem from the laws established by the legislature; and

WHEREAS, the legislature has taken care to provide exemptions that allow people to opt out of being forced to take a vaccine for reasons of conscience or medical reasons; and

WHEREAS, I am adding this issue to the agenda for the Third Called Session of the legislature that is currently convened so that the legislature has the opportunity to consider this issue through legislation; and

WHEREAS, I will rescind this executive order upon the effective date of such legislation;

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NOW, THEREFORE, I, Greg Abbott, Governor of Texas, by virtue of the power and authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, do hereby order the following on a statewide basis effective immediately:

- 1. No entity in Texas can compel receipt of a COVID-19 vaccine by any individual, including an employee or a consumer, who objects to such vaccination for any reason of personal conscience, based on a religious belief, or for medical reasons, including prior recovery from COVID-19. I hereby suspend all relevant statutes to the extent necessary to enforce this prohibition.
- 2. The maximum fine allowed under Section 418.173 of the Texas Government Code and the State's emergency management plan shall apply to any "failure to comply with" this executive order. Confinement in jail is not an available penalty for violating this executive order.
- 3. This executive order shall supersede any conflicting order issued by local officials in response to the COVID-19 disaster. Pursuant to Section 418.016(a) of the Texas Government Code, I hereby suspend Sections 418.1015(b) and 418.108 of the Texas Government Code, Chapter 81, Subchapter E of the Texas Health and Safety Code, and any other relevant statutes, to the extent necessary to ensure that local officials do not impose restrictions in response to the COVID-19 disaster that are inconsistent with this executive order.

This executive order does not supersede Executive Orders GA-13, GA-37, GA-38, or GA-39. This executive order shall remain in effect and in full force unless it is modified, amended, rescinded, or superseded by the governor. This executive order may also be amended by proclamation of the governor.

Given under my hand this the 11th day of October, 2021.

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GREG ABBOTT Governor

ATTESTED BY:

Deputy Secretary of State

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#### LIST OF BOARD/COMMISSION VACANCIES

Board Name	<b>Reappointments/Vacancies</b>	Council member
Board of Adjustment	One Alternate position	Any Councilmember
LEDC	VACANCY – (Dyral Thomas removed Sept 2021)	Councilmember Juan Mendoza

#### **APPLICATIONS RECEIVED TO BE ON A BOARD/COMMISSION**

APPLICANT	BOARD REQUESTED	DATE RECEIVED	<b>RESIDENCE DISTRICT</b>
	1 <sup>st</sup> - LEDC		
Adella Fernandez	2 <sup>nd</sup> - Planning & Zoning	July 21, 2021	District 3
	3 <sup>rd</sup> – Parks & Recreation		
	1 <sup>st</sup> – Historic Preservation Comm.		
Lue Edward D. Baker	2 <sup>nd</sup> – Parks & Recreation	August 18, 2021	District 4
	3 <sup>rd</sup> – Planning & Zoning		
Dennis McCown	Historic Preservation Commission	October 21, 2021	District 2

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	Boards that are not listed below have a seven member board and are open to any citizen without qualifications. Sec. 4-26. Membership; appointments.
NOTES: AIRPORT ADVISORY BOARD	The Lockhart Airport Advisory Board shall be composed of seven members to be appointed in accordance with section 2-210. At least five members must currently be or have been flight rated, and two members may be appointed as at-large members. Members shall serve three-year terms, such terms coinciding with the council position making the appointment. Sec. 4-28. Eligibility for board membership. No person having a financial interest in any commercial carrier by air, or in any concession, right or privilege to conduct any business or render any service for compensation upon the premis of the Lockhart Municipal Airport shall be eligible for membership on the Lockhart Airport Advisory Board. Sec. 4-32. Limitations of authority. The Lockhart Municipal Airport Advisory Board shall not have authority to incur or create any debt in connection with airport operations; nor shall the board be empowered to enter into a contract, leases, or other legal obligations binding upon the City of Lockhart; nor shall the board have authority to hire airport personnel or direct airport personnel in the execution of the duties.
NOTES: CONSTRUCTION BOARD APPOINTMENTS	Section B101.4, Board Decision, is amended to read as follows: The construction board of adjustments and appeals shall have the power, as further defined in Appendix B, to hear appeals of decisions and interpretations of the building official and consid variances of the technical codes; and to conduct hearings on determinations of the building official regarding unsafe or dangerous buildings, structures and/or service systems, and to issi orders in accordance with the procedures beginning with section 12-442 of this Code [of Ordinances]. Section B101.2, Membership of Board, is amended to read as follows: Each District Council member and the Mayor shall appoint one member to the Construction Board of Appeals making it a five (5) member board and each Councilmember at Large shall appoi an alternate. The term of office of the board members shall be three (3) years, such terms coinciding with the council position making the appointment. The two (2) alternates shall also ser the term coinciding with the council position making the appointments. Vacancies shall be filled for an unexpired term in the manner in which the original appointments are required to I made. Board members shall consist of members who are qualified by experience and/or training to pass on matters pertaining to building construction and are not employees of the City Lockhart.
NOTES: ELECTRIC BOARD APPOINTMENTS	<ul> <li>Sec. 12-132. Members.</li> <li>(a) Appointments to the examining and supervisory board of electricians and appeals shall conform to section 2-210 except that the board shall consist of five persons with one being appointed by each district council member and one by the mayor. Each member shall serve three-year terms with such terms to coincide with the council position making the appointment.</li> <li>(b) Each board member shall reside within the county and such board shall include one member who shall be a building contractor; one layman; two members shall be master electricia who are currently licensed by the city; and one member shall be either a building contractor or master electrician licensed by the city. There shall be two ex-officio members, one who shall the city electrical inspector, and one shall be the fire marshal.</li> <li>Sec. 12-133. Officers and quorum.</li> <li>The members of the examining and supervising board of electricians and appeals shall select a chairman and secretary. A quorum shall consist of three members.</li> </ul>
NOTES: HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION	<ul> <li>Sec. 28-3. Historical preservation commission.</li> <li>(b) The commission shall consist of seven members, appointed by the city council in accordance with section 2-210, who shall whenever possible meet one or more of the following qualities:</li> <li>(1) A registered architect, planner or representative of a design profession,</li> <li>(2) A registered professional engineer in the State of Texas,</li> <li>(3) A member of a nonprofit historical organization of Caldwell County,</li> <li>(4) A local licensed real estate broker or member of the financial community,</li> <li>(5) An owner of an historic landmark residential building,</li> <li>(6) An owner or tenant of a business property that is an historic landmark or in an historic district,</li> <li>(7) A member of the Caldwell County Historical Commission.</li> </ul>
NOTES: PARKS ADVISORY BOARD	Sec. 40-133. Members. (a) The board shall consist of seven members appointed in accordance with section 2-210 to serve three years terms, such terms to coincide with the council position making the appointme and two alternates shall also be appointed by the mayor and mayor pro-tem, one each. The two alternates shall also serve the term coinciding with the council position making the appointments. Vacancies shall be filed for an unexpired term in the manner in which the original appointments are required to be made. (Ordinance 06-08, adopted February 7, 2006)

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	LEDC Bylaws – Article II. Board of Directors
<b>NOTES:</b> Lockhart Economic Dev Corp	<ul> <li>Section 1. Powers, Number and Term of Office <ul> <li>a. The property and affairs of the Corporation shall be managed and controlled by a Board of Directors (The "Board") under the guidance and direction of the Lockhart City Council and, subject to the restrictions imposed by law, by the Articles of Incorporation, and by these Bylaws the Board shall exercise all of the powers of the Corporation.</li> <li>b. The Board shall consist of seven directors, each of whom shall be appointed by the City Council of the City. Each director shall occupy a place (individually the "Place" and collectively, the "Places") as designated herein. Places 1-4 are designated for Councilmember Directors from Councilmember Districts 1 through 4 respectively. In the event that a particular Councilmember from said District is unable or unwilling to serve in the capacity as a Director, that Councilmember shall have the right to nominate a non-councilmember for approval and appointment. Places 5-7 are designated for Citizen Member Directors.</li> <li>c. The directors constituting the first Board shall be those directors named in the Articles of Incorporation. Successor directors shall have the qualifications, shall be of the classes of directors, and shall be appointed to the terms set forth in the Articles of Incorporation.</li> <li>d. Any director may be removed from office by the City Council at will.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
	Sec. 2-209 Rules for appointment.
	<ul> <li>The city council hereby sets the following rules:</li> <li>(1) Except as may be established by existing city ordinances/resolutions the process for selecting members shall be open to all Lockhart citizens, who must apply for appointment, to include those applying for reappointment. Reappointment shall not be deemed automatic.</li> <li>(2) Council shall seek to appoint the most qualified or best persons available, while also respecting the need for diverse community opinions.</li> <li>(3) No member of any appointed body shall serve on more than one quasi-judicial or advisory board or commission.</li> <li>(4) No appointed body shall deviate from its charge, deliberate items not on its agendas, or speak for the council or City of Lockhart without council authorization.</li> <li>(5) Subject to other qualifications as specifically required for membership on the below boards and commissions, the city council shall have the right (but not the duty) to appoint up to two members who are not Lockhart citizens but who are residents of Caldwell County to the Lockhart Airport Advisory Board, the Eugene Clark Library Board, and the construction board of appeals.</li> </ul>
	Section 2-210. Method of selection; number of members; terms.
	(a) The mayor and city councilmembers shall nominate individuals to serve on boards and commissions. Each nomination shall then be confirmed by a simple majority of the entire city council.
NOTES: ORDINANCE RE: ALL BOARD,	(b) Except as provided herein, there shall be seven members appointed to each board or commission corresponding with the seven members or places of the city council. Each city councilmember, except at provided herein, shall nominate a qualified person to serve in a place on an appointed body corresponding to their place on the council. At-large councilmembers shall be designated as places 5 and 6, and the mayor's position as place 7, for the purpose of this section. Nominations shall be made to fill vacant positions and/or positions whose terms have expired within 90 days of the event, such as a resignation or an election. Should any city councilmember fail to name an appointee to one of his/her corresponding places on any body within the above described 90 days, another councilmember shall then have the privilege to nominate a person to fill that same position, as described in subsection (a). However, once that position becomes vacant again for any reason, the appointment shall revert to the place corresponding with the original city council seat/place number for nominations.
COMMISSION APPOINTMENTS	(c) Beginning with the election in May, 1998, the council shall nominate and confirm four members to serve in places 1, 2, 5, 6 on each board and commission in accordance with subsections (a) and (b) above, and with the standards set in Ordinance Number 97-09, Governance Policies. With the election of May, 1999, the remaining three places shall be filled following the same procedure as above.
	(d)Terms of service on appointed bodies shall be the same three-year terms as the councilmember who nominates a person to serve. However, a person may be appointed to complete the unexpired term of a vacant position, due to a resignation, for example.
	(e) When a person has completed a term, or terms, of service and will be vacating a place, that person may continue to serve until a replacement is nominated and confirmed by the city council.
	(f) At the discretion of the majority of the city council, one Caldwell County resident who is also an owner of real property within any local historic district may be appointed as a full member to the historical preservation commission.
	(g) Exceptions to the above regulations shall be all volunteer/special purpose/ad hoc committees appointed from time to time by the city council and the zoning board of adjustments, whose members shall serve two-year terms in accordance with V.T.C.A., Local Government Code § 211.008. All other provisions of this section, and ordinance number 97-09 which do not conflict with the chapters establishing these bodies shall be applicable.
	Sec. 2-212. Removal and resignation of members.
	(a) All board, commission and committee members serve at the pleasure of the city council and may be removed from office with or without cause at the discretion of the city council.
	(b) Board, commission and committee members may resign from office at any time by filing a written resignation, dated and signed by the member, with the City Secretary. Such resignation shall take effect upon receipt by the City Secretary without further action by the city council. If the city council appoints a new member to replace the resigned member, the new member shall be appointed to serve out the remainder of the resigned member's term.

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NOTES: PARKS MASTER PLAN STEERING COMMITTEE (Est. 09/05/2017)	Committee to have 8-10 members as follows: <ul> <li>Councilmembers</li> <li>City staff</li> <li>Two Parks Advisory Board members</li> <li>Business owners</li> <li>Civic Organization members</li> </ul> <li>Committee will assist Burditt Consultants to perform tasks outlined in the Parks Master Plan.</li>
NOTES: AD-HOC COMMITTEE – ST. PAUL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST PROPERTY (Est. 09/05/2017)	Committee will consist of at least one appointment from Mayor and each Councilmember. The Committee will make recommendations to the Council about the use of the property at 728 S. Main.
NOTES: WAYFINDING SIGNAGE AND COMMUNITY BRANDING AD-HOC (Est. 01/02/2018)	Committee will assist City Planner/Development Services with wayfinding signage and community branding tasks. Committee will consist of up to five members appointed by the Council. NOTE: First Branding and Wayfinding Committee disbanded/dissolved on December 18, 2018. UPDATE: Second Branding and Wayfinding Committee appointed on March 5, 2019.

COUN	CILMEMBER BOARD/COMMISSION APPOINTMENTS PAGE 4 Updated: 11/1/2021
	Sec. 54-127 MEMBERSHIP AND MEETING FREQUENCY
	a. The HOT Advisory Board should consist of five (5) members.
	b. Members shall consist of the following, the appointment of whom shall be confirmed by the City Council
	i. A lodging facility representative;
	ii. The City Manager or his/her designee;
	iii. A former member of the City Council; and
	iv. Two citizens nominated by Mayor.
	c. The HOT Advisory Board shall meet at least quarterly for allocation of funds and post-event reviews.
	d. Three Board members shall constitute a quorum.
	e. Each Board member shall serve a term of two years.
	f. Vacancies on the Board shall be filled by appointment by the City Council for the remainder of the existing term.
	Sec. 54-128 PURPOSE AND RESPONSIBILITY
	a. The legislative functions of the city council shall in no way be delegated to the HOT Advisory Board. The HOT Advisory Board shall be considered a special purpose advisory committee.
	b. The purposes and responsibility of the HOT Advisory Board shall be:
	i. To receive, review, and evaluate applications from organizations requesting HOT funds;
	ii. To recommend allocation of HOT funds (as authorized by the Texas Tax Code, Chapter 351) to the City Council;
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iii. To review the actual expenditures of HOT Funds;

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- iv. To offer suggestions for improvements or changes to the use or administration of HOT funds; and
- OCCUPANCY To submit an annual report to the City Council that identifies approved expenditures by the City for the preceding year, reviews such approved v. TAX ADVISORY expenditures in the context of compliance with state laws regarding the use of HOT funds, and evaluates the effectiveness of the approved HOT BOARD expenditures and the program. (Est. 12-3-

#### Sec. 54-129 HOT FUND GRANT PROCESS AND POST-EVENT REPORTING

- a. Applications for funding will be considered at each meeting. Completed applications must be received ten (10) days prior to a meeting of the Board at which it will be reviewed.
- b. Applicants will be notified of the award of funds following approval by the City Council of the award, at which time one-half of approved funding will be awarded.
- c. The Board shall produce guidelines for approved applicants regarding a post-event report from each such applicant that demonstrates qualified expenditures
- d. A post-event report from each approved applicant is required in order for the applicant to receive final payment.

Sec. 54-130 HOT FUND GRANT PROCESS GUIDELINES.

- In considering the grant of HOT Funds, the Board and City Council shall:
- i. Ensure that each funding requests for HOT revenues is for one or more statutorily defined purpose;
- ii. Establish and implement a policy of properly utilizing 100% of available HOT funds each year;
- Consider whether funding should be based on a formula for pre-determined activities consistent with authorized uses (e.g. advertising, arts, iii. signage, historical restoration/preservation);
- iv. Consider funding approaches that will allow for equitable funding
- opportunities for new as well as established events and activities; and ν.
- vi. Consider eligibility criteria beyond the Tax Code requirements (e.g. limiting grants to 25% of the total event budget or disallowing/limiting use of HOT funds for events' programs that occur on a regular (e.g. monthly) basis.

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Councilmember	Board/Commission	Appointee	Date Appointed
Mayor – Lew White	Airport Board	John Hinnekamp	01/19/21
	Board of Adjustment	Mike Annas	01/19/21
	Construction Board	Raymond DeLeon	01/19/21
	Ec Dev. Corp. ½ Cent Sales Tax	Alan Fielder, Vice-Chair	01/19/21
	Electric Board	Joe Colley, Chair	01/19/21
	Historical Preservation	John Lairsen	01/19/21
	Library Board	Stephanie Riggins	01/19/21
	Parks and Recreation	Karla Tate	02/02/21
	Planning & Zoning	Ron Peterson	01/19/21
	ETJ Rep-Impact Fee Adv Comm	Larry Metzler	01/19/21
District 1 – Juan Mendoza	Airport Board	Larry Burrier	03/07/17
	Board of Adjustment	Lori Rangel	03/07/17
	Construction Board	Mike Votee	12/17/19
	Eco Dev. Corp, ½ Cent Sales Tax	VACANT- (Dyral Thomas	
	Electric Board	removed Sept 2021)	
	Historical Preservation	Frank Gomillion	12/17/19
	Library Board	Christine Ohlendorf	06/02/20
	Parks and Recreation	Shirley Williams	12/17/19
	Planning & Zoning	Linda Thompson-Bennett	03/07/17
		Chris St. Leger	12/17/19 CM McGregor on
			behalf of Councilman Mendoza
District 2– David Bryant	Airport Board	Todd Blomerth	05/05/20
-	Board of Adjustment	Shawn Martinez	03/17/21
	Construction Board	Oscar Torres	10/20/20
	Eco Dev. Corp. ½ Cent Sales Tax	David Bryant	09/21/21
	Electric Board	James Briceno	10/20/20
	Historical Preservation	Ron Faulstich	10/20/20
	Library Board	Quartermetra Hughes	10/20/20
	Parks and Recreation	Lonnie Jones	04/06/21
	Planning & Zoning	Manuel Oliva	10/20/20

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District 3 – Kara McGregor	Airport Board	Ray Chandler	02/06/18
District 5 Kurd MeGregor	Board of Adjustment	Anne Clark, Vice-Chair	02/23/21
	Dourd of Augustinent	Kirk Smith (Alternate)	12/05/17
	Construction Board	Jerry West, Vice-Chair	01/19/21
	Eco Dev. Corp. ½ Cent Sales Tax	Sally Daniel	01/05/21
	Electric Board	John Voigt	01/19/21
	Historical Preservation	Ronda Reagan	01/19/21
	Library Board	Jean Clark Fox, Chair	01/19/21
	Parks and Recreation	Warren Burnett	01/19/21
	Planning & Zoning	Philip McBride, Chair	01/19/21
District 4 - Jeffry Michelson	Airport Board	Mark Brown, Vice-Chair	03/07/17
District 4 - Jerry Michelson	Board of Adjustment	Wayne Reeder	12/15/20
	Construction Board	Rick Winnett	12/13/20
	Eco Dev. Corp. ½ Cent Sales Tax		11/17/20
	Electric Board	Doug Foster Ian Stowe	12/15/20
	Historical Preservation		
		Michel Royal	07/07/20
	Library Board	Donaly Brice	12/15/20
	Parks and Recreation	Russell Wheeler	12/15/20
	Planning & Zoning	Rick Arnic	12/15/20
Mayor Pro-Tem (At-Large) –	Airport Board	Andrew Reyes	01/07/20
Angie Gonzales-Sanchez	Board of Adjustment	Laura Cline, Chair	01/07/20
	Construction Board	Paul Martinez	01/07/20
	Eco Dev. Corp. <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> Cent Sales Tax	Alfredo Munoz	01/07/20
	Historical Preservation	Ray Ramsey	07/07/20
	Library Board	Jodi King	01/07/20
	Parks and Recreation	Lee Parra	08/17/21
	Planning & Zoning	Philip Ruiz, Vice-Chair	01/07/20

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At-Large - Brad Westmoreland	Airport Board	Jayson "Tex" Cordova	02/04/20
e e	Board of Adjustment	Severo Castillo	02/04/20
	Construction Board (Alternate)	Gary Shafer	02/04/20
	Eco Dev. Corp. <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> Cent Sales Tax	Frank Estrada	02/04/20
	Historical Preservation	Richard Thomson	02/04/20
	Library Board	Rebecca Lockhart	02/04/20
	Parks and Recreation	Dennis Placke	02/04/20
	Planning & Zoning	Brad Lingvai	02/04/20
	Charter Review Commission	Ray Sanders	03/01/16 – Michelson
	(Five member commission)	Bill Hernandez	03/01/16 – Michelson
	Term – 24 months after	Roland Velvin	03/01/16 – Michelson
	appointment	Elizabeth Raxter	03/01/16 – Hilburn
		Alan Fielder	03/15/16 – Hilburn
	Sign Review Committee	Gabe Medina	03/17/15 - Mayor Pro-Tem Sanchez
	(no longer meeting)	Neto Madrigal	04/21/15 – Councilmember Mendoza
		Terry Black	12/19/17– Councilmember McGregor
		Kenneth Sneed	03/17/15 – Mayor White
		Johnny Barron, Jr.	03/17/15 – Councilmember Castillo
		Tim Clark	03/17/15– Councilmember Michelson
	Parks Master Plan Steering	Albert Villalapando	09/05/17 – Parks Bd appointee
	Committee (8-10 members)	Dennis Placke	09/05/17 – Parks Bd appointee
		Nita McBride	12/05/17– McGregor
		Rebecca Pulliam	09/19/17– Michelson
		Bernie Rangel	09/19/17 – Castillo
		Derrick David Bryant	09/19/17 - Sanchez
		Beverly Anderson	09/19/17 - Mendoza
		Carl Ohlendorf	09/19/17 – Westmoreland
		Beverly Hill	09/19/17 – Mayor White

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Church Property Ad-hoc Committee (7 members)	Amelia Smith Jackie Westmoreland Todd Blomerth Andy Govea Terry Black Jane Brown Raymond DeLeon Dyral Thomas	09/05/17 – Westmoreland 09/05/17 – Westmoreland 09/05/17 – Mestmoreland 09/05/17 – Mayor White 09/1917 – Sanchez 12/19/17 – McGregor 09/19/17 – Michelson 09/20/17 – Castillo 09/22/17 – Mendoza
WayfindingSignageand CommunityBrandingAd-Hoc Committee (5 members)THIS COMMITTEE WAS - RE-ESTABLISHED ON MARCH 5, 2019	Roy Watson Ronda Reagan Sally Daniel Rob Ortiz Bobby Herzog	03/05/19 03/05/19 03/05/19 03/05/19 03/05/19 Appointed by Mayor with consensus of Council
HOT Advisory Bd	Ray Sanders Alfredo Munoz Archana "Archie" Gandhi Roxanne Rix Steve Lewis and Pam Larison Sally Daniel (Alternate) Janet Grigar (Alternate)	All members appointed by consensus of the Council on 12/03/2019



# City of Lockhart

2020-2021 Strategic Priorities

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The following are the results.

# **Management Team Expectations for the Day's Discussion Topics**

- Holistic view of the City
- Understanding other departments better
- Council to continue to be open to new ideas
- As the city grows, facilities and staff must keep up
- Next comprehensive master plan
- Establish an IT 3-5-year plan to keep current
- Replace phone systems and phone equipment
- Discuss records storage
- What is there for teens and tweens to do?
- Need administrative assistance
- Public Information Officer keep information on point, factual, and streamlining voice: sharing voice vs. many voices

- Law enforcement: recruitment and administrative assistance
- Stick to implementing plan
- Fire equipment replacement plan and funding
- Achieve "needs" so we can work on "wants" for the future
- Customer service needs additional staff same staffing level as 1000 accounts ago
- Technology training needed in Library (provide for public)
- Additional Library storage needed
- Electric services study needed and replace needed items
- Salary and compensation study to begin soon want council to support and fund the results of the study

# **City Council Expectations for the Day's Discussion Topics**

- Improve work environment for staff
- Accomplish unfinished business from last strategic plan
- 142 & I-130 development
- Low-hanging fruit and larger longer-term goals
- Eliminate the red tape
- Look ahead to see what's next
- Balance citizen needs and staff needs

- Keep on track
- Prepare for quality growth
- Neighborhood beautification
- City Hall facilities
- Discuss hospital/after-hours clinic
- Hear staff recommendations

# Start/Stop/Continue

The facilitator guided the Management Team through an exercise that challenged them to brainstorm things that the City really needed to begin doing, what they should stop doing that could be a waste of resources, and what must they continue doing, regardless of circumstances. Below are their responses. Note that there are no right or wrong items; these are merely individuals' opinions about the things that should and shouldn't change in Lockhart. Just because one person has a certain opinion on a topic, that does not imply anyone else shared that opinion.

# Start

- Long-term street paving plan (paving/resurfacing)
- Electrical system study
- Formal grantsmanship program
- Records storage facility
- Digitize public works and utility records/maps
- Establish fee schedule for fire plan reviews and inspections
- Review development related fees
- Improve customer service at Police Department and Utilities Department by increasing administrative staff
- Start a Main Street Program
- New City facilities (abolish sewer smell)
- Consider a 4-day/10-hour work week option
- Annual review of facility maintenance, i.e. HVAC systems, etc.
- Make Parks Department into Parks and Recreation Department (start recreation program)
- Review and fund vehicle replacement fund
- Expand/improve airport facilities
- Figuring out how to generate more general fund revenues to pay for items on this "start" list

# Stop

- Printing reports use digital reports when we can
- The waste in Archives
- Excessive paperwork related to personnel (consider paper reduction techniques instead)
- Making new employees wait 6 months to take time off/sick days/etc (other cities do 3 months)
- Excessive engine idling of city vehicles
- Worrying about other departments and focus on making your own team better
- Picking up commercial recycling for free
- Hanging highway banners for free
- Circulating city council department head reports monthly (do quarterly instead)
- Workshop portion of council meetings unless needed (they run too long)
- Referencing the past as "we have always done it that way" (we can be more innovative)

# Continue

- Effective communication with customers/website
- Planning for the future
- Maintaining hiring standards
- Improving community amenities finding external funding sources
- Succession planning and cross-training
- Staff meetings
- Learning new ways of doing things
- Employee longevity and retention efforts
- Good customer service
- Acknowledging staff accomplishments
- Great teamwork
- Parks improvements/parks master plan
- Efforts on wayfinding program
- Replacing aged power lines
- Planning and engineering for downtown paving and drainage improvements
- Providing utilities to areas of anticipated future growth and development
- Planning for future industrial parks
- Accreditation for Police and Fire Departments

## **Recommendations from Staff:**

The following items were recommendations from staff to city council. Items that have a checkbox (R) had agreement of city council the following day. The one item with no checkbox was rolled to consideration for 2022.

- ☑ Create and adopt 5-7-year paving/resurfacing plan (roads and sidewalks)
- Lockhart Police Department to conduct Active Shooter training for all City staff and elected officials and review official safety procedures for council meetings
- $\square$  Explore asking the county for grant writer assistance
- ☑ Establish fee schedule for fire plan reviews and inspections
- ☑ Considering increasing existing fees for applications and development fees
- Develop an Airport Business Plan
- $\blacksquare$  Research options for additional records storage
- ☑ Transition staff department reports from monthly to quarterly
- ☑ Pursue agenda management process and software
- □ Streamline paper processes where possible/evaluate software options
  - o Utility billing
  - o Applications
  - Council, boards, commissions:
    - Packets
    - Minutes

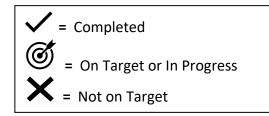
## **Goal Development from City Council:**

The following items were items identified by council to move forward on for 2020-2021:

- Establish a Hospital with an Emergency Room in town
- Sell church property
- Create resources via Lockhart EDC for proactive outreach to quality builders for additional housing
- Create a Youth Advisory Board to explore options around youth programs/activities
- Adopt a TIF (tax increment financing) policy prior to project being submitted
- Implement downtown drainage improvements
- Develop fiber down 142, 183, and the Central Business District
- Traffic safety improvements: turn lanes and traffic lights
- Consider submitting a multi-year street bond program to voters
- Begin TXDOT safety projects
- Promote a Neighborhood Watch Program
- Promote beautification projects through teamwork
- Clean up trash/enforcement
- Enhance lower income districts/beautification efforts

# **Progress Reporting**

The following icons are used to document progress of the following goals and strategies:



## **Goal 1: Economic Development / Planning**

Strategies	2019-2020 Progress	2020-2021 Progress
<ol> <li>Continue to partner with LISD and local youth organizations to encourage careers in local emergency services (Fire and Police)</li> </ol>	Partner with Boy Scouts to develop Police Explorer Program. Fire personnel attend and participate in LISD career days.	
2. Better collaborate with downtown stakeholders and both Chambers of Commerce	×	
3. Complete updating our development ordinances	Revised Engineering Standards – presented to Council January 2020. Subdivision Regulations to follow.	

<ol> <li>Consider development tools to facilitate attraction / recruitment to SH 130 corridor</li> </ol>	IEDC business park development study completed. Future consideration by LEDC.
<ol> <li>Bring utilities, assist assembling parcels, rezoning tracts along SH 130/142 and become shovel-ready</li> </ol>	Mostly done. Site development will facilitate the remainder.
6. Pursue prospects and developers and create a BRE (business retention and expansion) program	Hiring a second Economic Development practitioner.
7. Start investing in more property for growth	IEDC study.
8. Explore next industrial park	<b>EDC</b> study.
<ol> <li>HOT (Hotel Occupancy Tax) Funds – board to develop and adopt new process to collect payments from B&amp;Bs</li> </ol>	HOT Advisory Board created. Board training and funding processes under review.
10. Adopt and implement the Economic Development Strategic Plan (currently underway by Garner Economics) by Q4 2020	EDC Board hired Garner Economics January 2020
11. Robust LEDC website	Underway with EDsuite contract.
12. Create resources via Lockhart EDC for proactive outreach to quality builders for additional housing	N/A Brand new/created in 2020

Strategies	2019-2020 Progress	2020-2021 Progress
13. Adopt a TIF (tax increment financing) policy prior to project being	N/A Brand new/created in 2020	
submitted		
14. Develop fiber down 142, 183, and the Central Business District	N/A Brand new/created in 2020	

#### Goal #1 KPIs / Metrics:

- ☑ Did we partner with LISD & other youth organizations to encourage emergency services careers?
- □ Did we collaborate with downtown stakeholders and both Chambers of Commerce?
- Did we completely update our development ordinances?
- Did we brainstorm development tools for SH-130 development?
- Did we bring utilities and assemble parcels along SH-130?
- □ Did we develop shovel-ready development sites?
- Did we market those sites to prospective investors?
- Did we develop plans for our next industrial park?
- □ Did we revamp the way HOT funds are structured?
- **D** Did we develop and implement an Economic Development Strategic Plan?
- □ Did the Lockhart EDC revamp their website to better attract investment?
- # of quality home builders the Lockhart EDC proactively reached out to in 2020-2021?
- Did we adopt a new TIF policy?
- # of miles of new fiber optics laid in Lockhart in 2020-2021?

# Goal 2: Quality of Life / Quality of Facilities

	Strategies	2019-2020 Progress	2020-2021 Progress
1.	Invest money to improve the appearance of our town (streets, parks, entry signs)	Doubled street resurfacing funds in FY 20; Parks Master Plan projects.	
2.	Conduct and implement a Space Study of City Buildings and facilities including City Hall	Budget established for FY 20 Space Study. RFP under development.	
3.	Improve the image of City facilities as needed and conduct cosmetic improvements in the meantime	See No. 2 above.	
	Update, renovate, and construct City facilities as needed, based on the space study. Realize that remodel of Central Fire Station is likely next.	Electrical panel upgrade at the Water Treatment Plant; Budget established for FY 20 Space Study; Fire Station No. 2 completed.	
5.	Implement the Parks Master Plan, improving the quality of life for the community. What is in Phase 2: splash pad, restroom renovations, dog park, picnic shelter upgrades, and tree planting initiatives	Multiple Phase I projects underway.	
6.	Conduct a citywide quality of life citizen survey and ask council to fund.	Allocate funds in FY 20- 21; assign project to PIO.	
7.	Establish a Hospital with an Emergency Room in town	<i>N/A Brand new/created in 2020</i>	
8.	Sell church property	N/A Brand new/created in 2020	
9.	Create a Youth Advisory Board to explore options around youth programs/activities	N/A Brand new/created in 2020	
10.	Implement downtown drainage improvements	N/A Brand new/created in 2020	

Strategies	2019-2020 Progress	2020-2021 Progress
11. Consider submitting a multi-year street bond program to voters	N/A Brand new/created in 2020	
12. Promote beautification projects through teamwork	N/A Brand new/created in 2020	
13. Clean up trash/enforcement citywide	N/A Brand new/created in 2020	
14. Enhance lower income districts with beautification efforts	N/A Brand new/created in 2020	

### Goal #2 KPIs / Metrics:

- \$ amount invested in streets in 2019? \$\_\_\_\_\_
- \$ amount invested in parks in 2019? \$
- \$ amount invested in gateway entry signs in 2019? \$
- \$ amount invested in streets in 2020? \$
- \$ amount invested in parks in 2020? \$
- \$ amount invested in gateway entry signs in 2020? \$
- Which facilities did we improve the image of?
- Did we implement elements of the Parks Master Plan?
- Did we secure quotes on a Space Study of City buildings including City Hall?
- *#* of City-owned buildings we renovated or retrofitted?
- Did we conduct a citywide quality of life citizen survey?
- □ Did we address levels of service based on the citizen responses we received?
- Did we address levels of satisfaction based on the citizen responses we received?
- □ Did we address areas for improvement based on the citizen responses we received?
- Did we court hospital providers?
- Did we sell the church property?
- Did we create a Youth Advisory Board?
- Did we implement downtown drainage improvements?
- □ Did we fully investigate issuing a street bond?
- Did we fully enforce trash clean up around town?
- □ Did we specifically target lower income neighborhoods for new beautification projects?

# **Goal 3: Staffing / Personnel**

Strategies	2019-2020 Progress	2020-2021 Progress
1. Consider hiring additional personnel (engineer, IT, etc.)	In FY 20, staffing levels were increased by 2 full-time and 1 part-time positions.	
2. Conduct a staffing study that includes evaluating efficiencies and compensation	Classification and Compensation Study underway.	
3. Right size staffing levels city-wide based on study results	No funding was allocated for such a study; discuss need/timing of study during FY 20-21 budget process.	
4. Consider starting salaries that compete with surrounding communities	Classification and Compensation Study underway.	
<ol> <li>Be consistent with staff development / policies / purchasing procedures</li> </ol>	Comprehensive Purchasing Policy under development (anticipated to be complete 1 <sup>st</sup> quarter of 2020). Revision of City Personnel Policy underway.	
6. Implement a staff development program (be consistent)	House Bill 3834 mandated cybersecurity training for all employees with computer access and elected officials – cybersecurity training program underway.	

Strategies	2019-2020 Progress	2020-2021 Progress
<ol> <li>Start developing / preparing current staff to take on leadership roles within the organization in the future. Work on succession planning: add Fire, add Electric, add Streets, and add Animal Control.</li> </ol>	Emphasis on leadership training for police personnel, cross training of job duties underway in Finance Department.	
8. Recruit and attract more bi-lingual staff	No funding was allocated to recruit bi-lingual staff; explore possible options during FY 20-21 budget process and the classification and compensation study.	
<ol> <li>Customer service / experience excellence training for the Utility and Planning Development teams</li> </ol>	Training budgeted item in FY 20 for Utility Customer Services staff.	

#### Goal #3 KPIs / Metrics:

# of new positions in 2019?

- □ # of new positions in 2020 and 2021?
- Did we perform a staffing efficiency/compensation study?
- Did we right-size our salaries based on that study by the end of 2020?
- Did we develop new consistent policies and procedures regarding professional development of staff?
- Did we develop new consistent policies and procedures regarding purchasing/procurement?
- Did we create and implement a new staff development program to ensure everyone has training opportunities?
- Did we begin grooming current staff for future leadership roles?
- □ How many staff do we have on a leadership track by the end of 2020?
- # of new employees added in 2019 through 2021 who are bilingual?
- Did we deliver Customer Experience Excellence training to every City employee?

# **Goal 4: Procedures / IT Management and Services**

Strategies	2019-2020 Progress	2020-2021 Progress
<ol> <li>Improve technology / create specific strategies to have better IT support based on Assessment results</li> </ol>	New outside IT management team hired; Strategic plan for current and emerging issues (cyber) near completion.	
<ol> <li>Upgrade all technology-related issues as recommended – desktops, servers, software, equipment, and peripherals. \$100K will pay for equipment, \$20K is licensing agreement costs.</li> </ol>	City-wide replacement of desktops with current operating systems complete; new servers in current fiscal year.	
3. Create a 5-year rolling IT equipment replacement plan	See above notes 1 and 2.	
4. Provide superior service by keeping technology up to date and being able to communicate with the public (keep an open line of communication through website.) Purchase next modules: INCODE	New PIO hired. Increased social media updates. INCODE permits and inspections software module implemented to track permit and inspections progress; online access to permit applications and tracking underway.	
5. Upgrade the server system	Desktop operating systems upgrade 100% complete. Server upgrades in progress.	
6. Streamline technology hardware, software processes within the City, based on Assessment recommendations	Ongoing and FY 20-21.	

Strategies	2019-2020 Progress	2020-2021 Progress
7. Upgrade all equipment and software and be trained on specific software to be used to maximum potential and determine which staff will require which trainings.	Current year 2020 departmental goal.	
8. Explore implementing downtown Wi-Fi	To be addressed in 2020 or 2021. Explore options with the Downtown Business Association and both Chambers of Commerce.	

#### Goal #4 KPIs / Metrics:

- Did we secure top quality technology support across all departments by the end of 2020?
- Did we upgrade our desktop computers?

% of employees who received upgraded computers by the end of 2020 (from 2018 numbers)?

- Did we upgrade our servers?
- Did we upgrade our computer software, subscriptions, and licenses?
- Did we upgrade our peripherals?
- Did we upgrade our other technology equipment?
- Did we establish an IT policy for updates and replacements that will keep us up-to-date from now through the future?
- Did we upgrade our City server system?
- Did we streamline our City technology processes?
- Did we secure training for staff to use all new equipment properly and efficiently?
- Did we investigate implementing WiFi throughout Downtown Lockhart?

# **Goal 5: Public Safety**

Strategies	2019-2020 Progress	2020-2021 Progress
1. Provide quality public safety to all citizens of Lockhart		
a. Develop a specific Retention Strategy first	City-wide classification and compensation study underway. Fire: Council approved 7% salary adjustment in FY 19-20. Police: all officers to attend leadership training, host ceremonial recognition events, retention strategy under development.	
b. Continue to implement hiring strategies we developed such as Fire and Police.	Fire: Use of recruitment video; developing recruitment flyer for use with LISD and the public; career day with Lockhart High School students; Fire Chief to serve on LISD Career and Technical Education Advisory Committee. Police: In 2019, Lockhart Police Officers visited with police cadets attending the AACOG Academy and made presentations to 2 classes of prospective candidates. In 1 <sup>st</sup> quarter of 2020, LPD will make presentations to the CAPCOG Academy currently in progress.	

Strategies	2019-2020 Progress	2020-2021 Progress
c. Long-term public safety facility planning for Station #1.	Completed Fire Station No. 2. Analysis and cost estimate to remodel and upgrade Fire Station No. 1 underway.	
d. Develop an equipment replacement schedule. Seek funding for existing equipment (fire apparatus and patrol cars) replacements.	Developed an ambulance replacement schedule with Caldwell County and Seton. Upgrades to two-way radios (portables and mobiles) underway.	
e. Continue to ensure use of best practices / standards (research best practices, then implement)	<b>Fire</b> : Fire Department is preparing an emergency management tabletop exercise for City staff. <b>Police</b> : Upgraded Police Officer body- worn cameras to 3 <sup>rd</sup> generation models.	
f. Evaluate Accreditation opportunities	<b>Fire:</b> Reviewing the Texas Fire Chief's Association (TFCA) accreditation process before formal enrollment. <b>Police:</b> Currently reviewing the 166 Texas Law Enforcement Best Practices. Will submit for recognition in the 3 <sup>rd</sup> quarter of 2020.	

Strategies	2019-2020 Progress	2020-2021 Progress
g. Traffic safety improvements: turn lanes and traffic lights	N/A Brand new/created in 2020	
h. Begin TXDOT safety projects	N/A Brand new/created in 2020	
i. Promote a Neighborhood Watch Program	N/A Brand new/created in 2020	

#### Goal #5 KPIs / Metrics:

# of new law enforcement officers hired in 2019?

# of new law enforcement officers hired in 2020?

# of new law enforcement officers hired in 2021?

% law enforcement officers retained? %

# of new firefighters hired in 2019?

# of new firefighters hired in 2020?

# of new firefighters hired in 2021?

% firefighters retained? %

Did we develop a long-term public safety facilities plan?

Did we develop a public safety equipment replacement schedule?

Did we implement that new replacement schedule?

Did we research and record best practices across the country regarding public safety policy?

Did we make any modifications to our public safety policies based on that research?

Did we explore and evaluate Accreditation opportunities?

Did we implement new turn lane and traffic light improvements in 2020-2021?

Did we begin the TXDOT safety projects?

Did we proactively promote a Neighborhood Watch Program for Lockhart?

# Conclusion

At the end of the planning retreat, the facilitator reminded all the participants that these goals would only be achieved if they held true to their commitments today to implement these specific strategies and tactics.

She reminded them that they are one team working toward one vision. The city council and management team agreed to use this document regularly throughout 2020 and 2021 to track progress and measure accomplishments.



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- Consider all staff in decisions
- Hear each other's goals
- Live by the plans we create / develop
- That Council develop goals / priorities based on sound data / research
- Focus
- Consider quality of life as over-arching goal

- Discuss business attraction vs. recruitment
- Being prepared for growth
- Facilities improvements
- Facilities maintenance
- How do we give back to those who need extra help?
- Smart land use practices
- Discuss Tourists/Tourism what is there for kids to do while in town visiting family?

# **City Council Expectations for the Day's Discussion Topics**

- Capitalize on Tourism
- Discuss Wi-Fi
- Capitalize on BBQ Capital of Texas
- Cleaning up of unsightly properties (residential)
- Work in unity today
- Serve our community
- Focus
- To discuss Economic Development targeting technology jobs

- Industrial Park is full now what?
- Cleaning up of City properties / facilities
- Actually implement our goals
- Discuss the direction of Economic Development
- Think bigger / think change / embrace change
- Develop our identity
- Attractive gateway signage
- Employee wages
- Technology infrastructure

# **SWOT** Analysis

The facilitator guided the participants through an analysis of their current Strengths, the current Weaknesses or Challenges they are facing, Opportunities that may come their way in the future, and Threats that are possible to occur in the future. Note that there are no right or wrong answers here and no implication of likelihood. This is simply a brainstorm of the opinions of the participants to get them thinking about goals in the next portion. The Management Team listed their responses first, then the City Council added additional items the following day.

# Strengths

- Historic district
- County seat
- BBQ Capital of Texas
- Location to highways
- Tourism
- Small town (family-oriented)
- Growing room for more
- Desire to manage growth
- Good development process
- Proximity to Austin
- Comparable housing prices
- Existing capacity of utilities
- Easy mobility
- Economic Development Sales tax
- Clark Library
- Baker Theatre

- Ease of developing land (flat)
- Employees who experience long tenure
- Volunteers
- CTR (Chisholm Trail Roundup) & other local events
- Community support
- Recognizable court house
- Movies / film production (TFC)
- Long-term water planning
- High-level financial planning
- Competitive building / development fees
- "Real" city with well-managed growth
- New energy
- Proximity to large cities / airport
- New residents new ideas changing priorities
- Diversity
- First Friday Downtown Event

## Weaknesses / Challenges

- Incentives Economic Development lack of use
- Technology aging equipment and software
- Infrastructure
- Facilities condition / maintenance
- Competitive salaries within region
- Training opportunities
  - Professional development
  - o Budget
- Closed minds have always done it this way
- Tourism
- Managing growth
- Need for succession planning
- Public perception influencing job applicant pool
- Weak tax base
- Limited in-town post-secondary educational opportunities
- Lack of retail
- Lack of entertainment (kids)
- Limited grocery options

- City-owned property
- College
- Venue / convention center
- Lack of hotels
- Entryways to community
- Not using TIF financing
- Emerging downtown organization
- How to effectively support increasing, ever-growing number of festivals
  - o Create packages for vendors and festivals
- No city recreation programs
- In-kind services
- Very limited public transportation services
- Outdated web information
- Poor communication with citizens

## **Opportunities**

- Expand airport (hangars)
  - Install AWOS (Automated Weather Observing System)
- Improve working conditions of employees
- Proximity to Austin
- Implement first phase of parks master plan
- SH-130 has great properties but not city-owned property
- Undeveloped lots on Square and north / northwest of Square
- Long-tenured elected leadership
- Increase community involvement
- To develop positive relationship with County, School, and organizations
- Quality economic growth
- Franchise recreational or entertainment venues (theaters, bowling, outlets, concerts, water parks)
- Community college campus
- Increased communication needed with ISD for school planning, infrastructure, etc.

- Expand walking / biking opportunities for exercise and community involvement
- Lockhart Springs (natural spring)
- Lockhart State Park transfer to City
- Potential residential development around golf course
- Development within historic district
- School district growth
- Housing growth
- Business growth
- St. Paul Church and other redevelopment opportunities
- Hospital / medical facilities
- Public bathrooms downtown
- Develop Industrial Park
- More involvement with San Marcos Greater Partnership
- Partnership with Austin Chamber
- EDC \$ will go further today than in 2 years (spec buildings, parking)

## Threats

- Economic recession
- Voter turnout
- Government shutdown
- Citizen input
- Natural disaster
- Leadership in government
- Lack of economic development direction
- Competition from other cities
- Lack of resources
- Building maintenance
- Technology cyber security
- Surging population
- Infrastructure improvement
- Maintaining reputation

- Planning without follow through
- Lack of educated workforce skilled labor
- Crime
- Lack of workforce people
- Retention and hiring
- Youth retention
- School quality
- Lack of industry
- Lack of racial unity
- Micro-managing
- Other utilities providers
- Homeless services transportation
- Types of future growth

## Start/Stop/Continue

The facilitator guided the Management Team through an exercise that challenged them to brainstorm things that the City really needed to begin doing, what they should stop doing that could be a waste of resources, and what must they continue doing, regardless of circumstances. Below are their responses. Note that there are no right or wrong items; these are merely individuals' opinions about the things that should and shouldn't change in Lockhart. Just because one person has a certain opinion on a topic, that does not imply anyone else shared that opinion.

## Start

- Space allocation study
- Renovate City buildings construct
- Downtown bathrooms
- Improve salaries salary survey
- Staff development program / policies / procedures
- Consistency in purchasing
  - Revamp purchasing policy
- Replacing capital equipment / vehicles vehicle fund
- Mandatory single stream recycling
- IT department, in-house City Engineer
- New technology in terms of equipment, network, server, software
- Re-assess who is in charge of downtown redevelopment
  - o Name which entity (or entities) funds downtown redevelopment initiatives
  - o Name which entity (or entities) manages downtown redevelopment initiatives
- 2020 Comprehensive Master Plan Update that includes a future land use plan and map

# Stop

- In-house utility billing (consider outsourcing)
- Outsourcing IT (consider bringing in-house)
- Repetitive useless paperwork (paperwork/policies must be updated and streamlined)
- Increasing overtime in fire and police (hire more to fix this issue)
- Using outdated equipment
- Hand -picking collections of recycled goods (business pick up)
- Laying asphalt driveway approaches for "free"
- Demolition of condemned houses stop doing in-house (needs to be outsourced)

## Continue

- Meeting with County, City, School, Chamber, EDC
- Implementing 2020 Plan and Updates
- Attracting businesses growth
- Providing superior service
- Redeveloping Downtown
- Implement Parks Master Plan
- Being a great place to work
- Public investments along SH-130
- Supporting festivals / movie projects
- Financial planning
- Embracing tourism

# **Goal 1: Economic Development / Planning**

Strategies
1. Partner with LISD and local youth organizations to encourage careers in local emergency services (Fire and Police)
2. Reassess who is in charge of managing and funding downtown development and tourism
3. Attract a post-secondary education campus / facility
4. Complete updating our development ordinances
5. Consider development tools to facilitate attraction / recruitment to SH 130 corridor
6. Bring utilities, assist assembling parcels, rezoning tracts along SH 130
a) Shovel ready
b) Pursue prospects
7. Start investing in more property for growth
8. Explore next industrial park
9. HOT (Hotel Occupancy Tax) Funds – revamp structure
10. Economic Development Strategic Plan
11. Robust LEDC website

#### Goal #1 KPIs / Metrics:

- Did we partner with LISD & other youth organizations to encourage emergency services careers?
- Did we reassess downtown development and tourism initiatives and who leads each?
- Did we initiate efforts to attract a post-secondary educational institution or facility to Lockhart?
- Did we completely update our development ordinances?
- □ Did we brainstorm development tools for SH-130 development?
- Did we bring utilities and assemble parcels along SH-130?
- □ Did we develop shovel-ready development sites?
- □ Did we market those sites to prospective investors?
- Did we develop plans for our next industrial park?
- □ Did we revamp the way HOT funds are structured?
- Did we develop and implement an Economic Development Strategic Plan?
- □ Did the Lockhart EDC revamp their website to better attract investment?

## Goal 2: Quality of Life / Quality of Facilities

Strategies
1. Invest money to improve the appearance of our town (streets, parks, entry signs)
2. Conduct a Space Study of City Buildings and facilities including City Hall
3. Improve the image of City facilities as needed
4. Update, renovate, and construct City facilities as needed
5. Implement the Parks Master Plan, improving the quality of life for community
6. Conduct a citywide quality of life citizen survey

#### Goal #2 KPIs / Metrics:

\$ amount invested in streets in 2019 and 2020? \$	
\$ amount invested in parks in 2019 and 2020? \$	

- \$ amount invested in gateway entry signs in 2019 and 2020? \$\_\_\_\_\_
- # of City facilities we improved the appearance of?
- □ Which facilities did we improve the image of?
- **D** Did we implement elements of the Parks Master Plan?
- Did we secure quotes on a Space Study of City buildings including City Hall?
- □ How many City-owned buildings did we renovate or retrofit?
- Did we conduct a citywide quality of life citizen survey?
- □ Did we address levels of service based on the citizen responses we received?
- Did we address levels of satisfaction based on the citizen responses we received?
- Did we address areas for improvement based on the citizen responses we received?

## **Goal 3: Staffing / Personnel**

Strategies
1. Consider hiring additional personnel (engineer, IT, etc.)
2. Conduct a staffing study that includes evaluating efficiencies and compensations
3. Right size staffing levels city-wide based on study results
3. Consider starting salaries that compete with surrounding communities
4. Be consistent with staff development / policies / purchasing procedures
5. Implement a staff development program (be consistent)
6. Start developing / preparing current staff to take on leadership roles within the organization in the future
7. Bi-lingual staff
8. Customer service / experience excellence training

#### Goal #3 KPIs / Metrics:

# of new positions in 2019 and 2020?

- Did we perform a staffing efficiency/compensation study?
- Did we right-size our salaries based on that study by the end of 2020?
- Did we develop new consistent policies and procedures regarding professional development of staff?
- Did we develop new consistent policies and procedures regarding purchasing/procurement?
- Did we create and implement a new staff development program to ensure everyone has training opportunities?
- Did we begin grooming current staff for future leadership roles?
- □ How many staff do we have on a leadership track by the end of 2020?
- # of new employees added in 2019 and 2020 who are bilingual?
- Did we deliver Customer Experience Excellence training to every City employee?

## Goal 4: Procedures / IT / Software and Hardware

1.	Conduct a Technology Assessment that yields specific recommendations
2.	Improve technology / create specific strategies to have better IT support based on Assessment results
3.	Upgrade all technology-related issues as recommended – desktops, servers, software, equipment, and peripherals
4.	Start replacing old equipment
5.	Provide superior service by keeping technology up to date and being able to communicate with the public (keep an open line of communication through website)
6.	Carefully weigh all the pros and cons of considering bringing IT in-house
7.	Upgrade the operating system
8.	Streamline technology hardware, software processes within the City, based on Assessment recommendations
9.	Upgrade all equipment and software and be trained on specific software to be used to maximum potential
10.	Explore implementing downtown Wi-Fi

### Goal #4 KPIs / Metrics:

- Did we conduct a Technology Assessment?
- Did we secure top quality technology support across all departments by the end of 2020?
- Did we upgrade our desktop computers?
- % of employees who received upgraded computers by the end of 2020 (from 2018 numbers)?
- Did we upgrade our servers?
- Did we upgrade our computer software, subscriptions, and licenses?
- Did we upgrade our peripherals?
- Did we upgrade our other technology equipment?
- Did we establish an IT policy for updates and replacements that will keep us up-to-date from now through the future?
- Did we carefully weigh all the pros and cons of keeping IT outsourced vs. bringing it in-house?
- Did we upgrade our City operating system?
- □ Did we streamline our City technology processes?
- Did we secure training for staff to use all new equipment properly and efficiently?
- Did we investigate implementing WiFi throughout Downtown Lockhart?

## **Goal 5: Public Safety**

Strategies
1. Provide quality public safety to all citizens of Lockhart
a) Develop a specific Retention Strategy first
b) Develop a specific Hiring Strategy
c) Long-term public safety facility planning
d) Develop an equipment replacement schedule
e) Ensure use of best practices / standards (research best practices, then implement)
f) Evaluate Accreditation opportunities

#### Goal #5 KPIs / Metrics:

# of new law enforcement officers hired in 2019?

# of new law enforcement officers hired in 2020?

% law enforcement officers retained?

# of new firefighters hired in 2019?

# of new firefighters hired in 2020?

% firefighters retained?

- Did we develop a long-term public safety facilities plan?
- Did we develop a public safety equipment replacement schedule?
- Did we implement that new replacement schedule?
- Did we research and record best practices across the country regarding public safety policy?
- Did we make any modifications to our public safety policies based on that research?
- Did we explore and evaluate Accreditation opportunities?

## Conclusion

At the end of the planning retreat, the facilitator reminded all the participants that these goals would only be achieved if they held true to their commitments today to implement these specific strategies and tactics.

She reminded them that they are one team working toward one vision. The participants agreed to use this document regularly throughout 2019 and 2020 to track progress and measure accomplishments.

		CITY COUNCIL FY 18-19 GOALS (FINAL COMBINED)			
PRIORITY ORDER					
COUNCILMEMBER	PRIORITY	FY 18-19 GOALS			
CASTILLO	1	Infrastructure Improvements: streets			
GONZALES-SANCHEZ	1	Hire A City Manager			
MCGREGOR	1	Economic development, creating and retaining jobs, grocery campaign.			
MENDOZA	1	Pay Raise City Employees.			
MICHELSON	1	Public relations position/ get the word out about Lockhart (promoting)			
WESTMORELAND	1	Infrastructure Improvements: streets			
WHITE	1	Economic development, creating and retaining jobs, grocery campaign.			
CASTILLO	2	Economic development, creating and retaining jobs, grocery campaign.			
GONZALES-SANCHEZ	2	All Department Heads to Budget Salary Increases for all City Employees.			
MCGREGOR	2	Work with LISD to establish a community recreation center at the Adams Gym, per under Parks			
MENDOZA	2	Economic development, creating and retaining jobs, grocery campaign.			
MICHELSON	2	Signage in Lockhart (highway, downtown, and toll) / Wayfinding, branding,,,,)			
WESTMORELAND	2	Signage in Lockhart (highway, downtown, and toll) / Wayfinding, branding,,,,)			
WHITE	2	Public relations position			
CASTILLO	3	Continued police community committee involvement, neighborhood watch, gang awareness			
GONZALES-SANCHEZ	3	Infrastructure: Continue City Infrastructure: Drainage, Street Repairs, Completion of Curbing, Brighter Lighting in Neighborhoods			
MCGREGOR	3	Prepare Fire Station #3 (so we can have existing station remodeled)			
MENDOZA	3	Continued police community committee involvement, neighborhood watch, gang awareness			
MICHELSON	3	Prepare Fire Station #3 (so we can have existing station remodeled)			
WESTMORELAND	3	More enforcement of codes directed at unsightly properties			
WHITE	3	Wayfinding, branding, develop new entry sign and city markers			
CASTILLO	4	City Facilities: Maintenance and repairs Economic Development: Recruit more businesses especially retail and continue efforts; contact existing and vacant building owners to see if they are willing to work with the City of Lockhart to bring retail businesses and specialty shops, as well as industrial. Purchase buildings and land when on the market for possible new			
GONZALES-SANCHEZ	4	businesses for the city.			
MCGREGOR	4	Public relations position work with social media/ get the word out about Lockhart			
MENDOZA	4	City Facilities: Maintenance and repairs			

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		PRIORITY ORDER
COUNCILMEMBER	PRIORITY	FY 18-19 GOALS
MICHELSON	4	Refurbish City Hall inside (making it more inviting)
WESTMORELAND	4	Move forward with St Paul property project
WHITE	4	Park improvements- consider medium to long range plan for Town Branch development
CASTILLO	5	Affordable housing
GONZALES-SANCHEZ	5	Police Task Force: Budget extra funds for a Police Task Force, a Narcotics Officer and a Mental Health Officer to address any drug and gang related problems and mental issues our city is being faced not only on the East side of our city but citywide. Budget for updated training for our police officers. There is a lot of training that is free but a lot additional money for registration fees and course material.
MCGREGOR	5	Free public wifi on the square
MENDOZA	5	Parks improvements
MICHELSON	5	Continued police community committee involvement, neighborhood watch, gang awareness
WESTMORELAND	5	Angled parking downtown: N Main and N Commerce Sts(change during downtown drainage project)
WHITE	5	Continued police community committee involvement, neighborhood watch, gang awareness
CASTILLO	6	Wellness for employees

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# CITY COUNCIL FY 18-19 GOALS Category Order and Comments by City Manager

Council agreed at February 13 meeting that each Councilmember will submit at least 5 category goals in priority order to the City Manager to be considered by Council at first meeting in March, 2018

CM NITIALS	PRIORITY #	GOALS IDENTIFIED BY COUNCIL FOR FY 18-19: SORTED BY CATEGORY FINAL LIST BY COUNCIL PRIORITIZED BY CATEGORY: SUBMIT TO CITY MGR BY MARCH 1 PLEASE	SUGGESTED FUNDING SOURCE BY COUNCILMEMBER	SORTED BY CATEGORY	
		Improve communication between City and Chamber of Commerce	In-House	Chamber	
		City Facilites	GF	City Bldgs	
	1	Refurbish City Hall inside (making it more inviting)	Gen Fund	City Bldgs	
		Prepare Fire Station 3 (so we can have main station remodeled)	Gen Fund	City Bldgs	
		Hire A City Manager. Hire a City Manager that is Well Rounded and Experienced and Will Help our City to Continue to Grow for the right and positive reasons. To hire a City Manager that will allow our Department Heads to Grow and Improve Our Departments with their recommended suggestions not only from our department heads but from our employees. Working Smarter not Harder.	GF	City Manager	
		More code enforcement of codes directed at unsighlty properties Continue demo of unsafe structures and pursue liens aggressively	In-House GF	Code Enforc Code Enforc	
		Convention Center. Our city is growing and there are too many events, programs and conferences that are going to other surrounding areas to have these events and those surrounding area businesses are benefitting and money is being spent in those areas instead on money being spent in our city. Granted, we do have meeting facilities in our city but these meeting facilities do not accommate the number of people for the above events that have been mentioned.	GF	Convention Center	
			GF	Downtown	
-		Economic development, creating and retaining jobs, grocery campaign	general fund, LEDC	Econo Devl	
			GF	Econo Devl	
		Economic Development: Recurit more businesses especailly retail and continue efforts; contact existing and vacant building owners to see if they are willing to work with the City of Lockhart to bring retail businesses and speciality shops, as well as industrial. Purchase buildings and land when on the market for possible new businesses for the city. Art Galleries and Music Venues have increased within our downtown area and though many mont appreciate these type of business and or venues, it is good for our downtown and its livelihood. Let's work on getting more of the speciality shops and boutiques in or around the sqaure.	Gen Fund	Econo Devl	
			GF	Employees	
-			GF	Employees	
		Treaties for employees	GF	Employees	
			GF	Employees	
			GF	Housing	
			GF	Infrastructure	
			GF	Infrastructure	
		Improve Streets (repairs)	In-House	Infrastructure	

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		Infrastructure: Continue City Infrastructure: Drainage, Street Repairs, Completion of Curbing, Brighter Lighting in Neighborhoods	GF	Infrastructure	
		Angled parking for N Main and N Commerce Streets (change during downtown project)	In-House	Parking Downtown	
		Parking around and surrounding the square. Issues with larger vehicles parked in areas that are narrow and that make it hard to see oncoming traffic. Our city is growing and we have been very fortunate with our parking however, it is a concern especially when you have the bigger and wider trucks that are parked in an area that is for a moderate size car. It becomes a			
		hazard and a blind spot when trying to reverse out of the parking space and a blind spot for any and all pedestrians.	GF	Parking Downtown	
		Continue to work on City Park improvements	Gen Fund	Parks	
		Revive all City parks	Grants	Parks	
		Work with LISD to establish a community recreation center at Adams Gym, perhaps under Parks (PUBLIC HEALTH/PARKS)	General Fund/Parks & Rec	Parks	
		Add 3 positions to the Parks Department, to help facilitate other improvements (PARKS)	General Fund/Parks & Rec	Parks	
		Park improvements - consider medium to long range Town branch development	GF	Parks	
		Develop a dog park as part of the Stueve Lane Monte Vista Tract (PARKS/ANIMAL SHELTER/PUBLIC HEALTH)	General Fund/Parks & Rec	Parks	
		Parks Improvemens: Purchase and update the park equipment to provide safe and fun filled parks for all to use.	GF	Parks	
		Start Planning for 2040 plan	GF	Planning	
		Police	GF	Police	
		Continued Police Community committee involvement, neighborhood watch, gang awareness	GF	Police	
		Work with Police Department to bring back drug enforcement program	Gen Fund	Police	
		Get back to Neighborhool Townhall Meetings	GF	Police	
		Police Task Force: Budget extra funds for a Police Task Force, a Narcotics Officer and a Mental Health Officer to address any drug and gang related problems and mental issues our city is being faced not only on the East side of our city but citywide. Budget for updated training for our police officers. There is alot of training that is free but alot additonal money for registration fees and course material. I am grateful that the Police Department did invest in our Drug Dog and is being utilizied			
			GF	Police	
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		Public relations position to deal with social media	GF	Public Relations	
		deetile word outdoout boomme (promoting)	Gen Fund	Public Relations	
		Sidewark repair and expansion	GF	Sidewalks	
		Signage in Lockhart (highway, downtown, and toll road)	Gen Fund GF	Signage	
		raymenig or and ing accelop new end y or in and end property managed		Signage	
		Move Forward with St Paul property project	In·House	St Paul Gift	
		Devlop an oral history project to support a future "Walking Tour" app for Lockhart (ECONOMIC DEV/DOWNTOWN)	General Fund/Fundraising	Tourism	
		More Events to Attract Tourism in Lockhart and Include Way Finding Signage (Hotels and Restaurants). Added events, especially the events that are free to the public do very well for the city as well as for the businesses and tourism. I welcome			
		new events to the city but need to be selective in the events that we do host.	cr.		
			GF	Tourisn Utility Customers	

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		Access to Municipal Court for Utility Payments	In-House	Utility Customers
		Free public wifi on the square as part of the redevelopment on the North side (ECONOMIC DEV/DOWNTOWN)	CAPCOG Grant?	Wifi
		Free public wifi on the square as part of the redevelopment on the North side	GF	Wifi

CM	PRIORITY #	GOALS IDENTIFIED BY COUNCIL FOR FY 18-19: SORTED BY CATEGORY	SUGGESTED FUNDING SOURCE BY COUNCILMEMBER	SORTED BY CATEGORY	CITY MANAGER COMMENTS
BW	7	Improve communication between City and Chamber of Commerce	In-House	Chamber	City Staff works together with Chambers on all their events by being a co-sponsor with many in-kind services. Robert Tobias attends their meetings and periodically makes presentations about Economic Development issues.
IC	4	City Facilities	GF	City Bldgs	Budget for roofs and major repairs
EFF M	5	Refurbish City Hall inside (making it more inviting)	Gen Fund	City Bldgs	Working on it; repairs to ceiling in progress, restrooms to be refurbished and replace signage with more informative directions.
EFF M	7	Prepare Fire Station 3 (so we can have main station remodeled)	Gen Fund	City Bldgs	New plans will be prepared working with new Chief who has different ideas than the previous Chief
AGS	1	Hire A City Manager. Hire a City Manager that is Well Rounded and Experienced and Will Help our City to Continue to Grow for the right and positive reasons. To hire a City Manager that will allow our Department Heads to Grow and Improve Our Departments with their recommended suggestions not only from our department heads but from our employees. Working Smarter not Harder.	GF In-House	City Manager	I concur. The current City Mgr has rode back of garbage trucks, climbed electrical poles, worked water/sewer/asphalt/concrete projects, and has been a utility collections clerk, and during these experiences learned the value of suggestions for change that comes from employees in such positions. All department heads/supervisors are encouraged to listen to employees who have constructive ideas that would benefit in performing assigned tasks. City Mgr has also learned there are employees who keep there hands in their pockets and talk while everyone else is working and these are the same ones who are often found to be dishonest in their paperwork, sleep on the job, and have a poor attendance record. Will continue to address as complaints come in and as found during investigation outlings.
3W		More code enforcement of codes directed at unsightly properties		Code Enforc	during investigation outings. Will continue to address and City Attorney exploring process to
AGS		Continue demo of unsafe structures and pursue liens aggressively Convention Center. Our city is growing and there are too many events, programs and conferences that are going to other surrounding areas to have these events and those surrounding area businesses are benefitting and money is being spent in those areas instead on money being spent in our city. Granted, we do have meeting facilities in our city but these meeting facilities do not accommodate the number of people for the above events that have been mentioned.	GF GF	Code Enforc	HOT funds and/or Bond Issue. Maintenance funds will be a minimum of \$150,000 annually not including director's salary, utilities, and insurance.
.w		Downtown improvements-lighting, pedestrian safety, south plaza idea? Sculpture? Sidewalk mosaics?	GF	Downtown	CAPCOG/CO project will address
w	1	Economic development, creating and retaining jobs, grocery campaign	general fund, LEDC	Econo Devl	Robert Tobias working with several companies now

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JEFF M	3	Expand economic development (by helping to spread the word & being more involved)	Gen Fund	Econo Devl	Robert Tobias is involved with the San Marcos Partnership, local chambers, and with downtown businesses on a regular basis. Leads from the Governor's office and the Austin Chamber are also pursued as applicable.
AGS		Economic Development: Recruit more businesses especially retail and continue efforts; contact existing and vacant building owners to see if they are willing to work with the City of Lockhart to bring retail businesses and specialty shops, as well as industrial. Purchase buildings and land when on the market for possible new businesses for the city. Art Galleries and Music Venues have increased within our downtown area and though many not appreciate these type of business and or venues, it is good for our downtown and its livelihood. Let's work on getting more of the specialty shops and boutiques in or around the square.	GF	Econo Devl	The problem is that many of the property owners downtown do not have the funds to customize their buildings to support specialty shops which most the time are not willing to spend money on a building. Rob Tobias is exploring ways to address this issue.
JUAN M	1	Pay raise across the board	GF	Employees	Estimated Costs Including Benefits: For each 1% for non-civil service= \$52,000 For each 1% for civil service = \$28,000
AGS	2	All Department Heads to Budget Salary Increases for all City Employees.	GF	Employees	See above
IC	5	Wellness for employees	GF	Employees	City provides good health insurance (\$586 per month each) with wellness plans for employees; many Cities have stopped this benefit and only provide a stipend for insurance.
AGS		Employee: Possible additional Employee Holiday Time Off-Alternating System. Even though this has been discussed and the reasons for why it cannot be done, I would like to see a time off alternating system, especially during the holidays. I did appreciate that the city employees were allowed to stay home during our icy, sleet and snow days. The safety of our	GF	Employees	City employees with vacation leave and holiday time are off 23 days a year with pay which is more than a month of work days. The only holidays not given that we found are Columbus Day and Texas Independence Day. Employee safety is very important, however, some employees must come in to make conditions safe for residents and to respond to emergency conditions and that responsibility belongs to each department head who determines based on staff levels and skills time off during holiday times.
AGS		Subdivision development to attract more businesses to Lockhart. Increase the number of homes, apartments, housing. Our city is growing with new citizens wanting to make Lockhart their home but due to the number of	GF	Housing	6 housing projects in place at different phases. City Manager recommended incentives to builders three years ago which Council approved and during the time it was in place it produced more housing. As a result, more engineering of subdivisions has begun.
C	1	Infrastructure	GF	Infrastructure	\$400,000 or more yearly needed for streets
LW	2	Infrastructure improvement- uncurbed streets, street rehab	GF	Infrastructure	See above. It will take a major bond issue to address all streets that do not have curbs.
BW	3	Improve Streets (repairs)	In-House	Infrastructure	See above.

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AGS	3	Infrastructure: Continue City Infrastructure: Drainage, Street Repairs, Completion of Curbing, Brighter Lighting in Neighborhoods	GF	Infrastructure	For streets please see above. Brighter lighting is always a challenge in a city with so many trees. Lockhart still must comply with Senate Bill 5 which regulates power usage. Several cities have passed an ordinance that does not allow for the planting of trees within 15' of the right of way to improve lighting of streets and reduce tree trimming around power lines.
BW	4	Angled parking for N Main and N Commerce Streets (change during downtown project)	In-House	Parking Downtown	Scheduled with downtown improvements. Should also consider making 100 Blocks of N Main and N Commerce one- way and possibly consider other blocks downtown especially north/south streets.
AGS	10	Parking around and surrounding the square. Issues with larger vehicles parked in areas that are narrow and that make it hard to see oncoming traffic. Our city is growing and we have been very fortunate with our parking however, it is a concern especially when you have the bigger and wider trucks that are parked in an area that is for a moderate size car. It becomes a hazard and a blind spot when trying to reverse out of the parking space and a blind spot for any and all pedestrians.	GF	Parking Downtown	Scheduled with downtown improvements
EFF M	2	Continue to work on City Park improvements	Gen Fund	Parks	Master Plan near complete
BW	2	Revive all City parks	Grants	Parks	Master Plan near complete
КМ	2	Work with LISD to establish a community recreation center at Adams <u>Gym, perhaps under Parks (PUBLIC HEALTH/PARKS)</u> Add 3 positions to the Parks Department, to help facilitate other improvements (PARKS)	General Fund/Parks & Rec General Fund/Parks & Rec	Parks Parks	Mayor is visiting with LISD about this Approx. \$100,000 to budget not including equipment and vehicles
LW	3	Park improvements - consider medium to long range Town branch development	GF	Parks	Bond issue needed
км		Develop a dog park as part of the Stueve Lane Monte Vista Tract (PARKS/ANIMAL SHELTER/PUBLIC HEALTH)	General Fund/Parks & Rec	Parks	Estimate on this property is \$ 25000 using used fencing. Maintenance and insurance are also cost factors
AGS	8	Parks Improvements: Purchase and update the park equipment to provide safe and fun filled parks for all to use.	GF	Parks	Master Plan near complete
JUAN M		Start Planning for 2040 plan	GF	Planning	Needs to be done
IC	3	Police	GF	Police	Chief Pedraza is working on these issues. Recently issued update that was sent to Council.
LW	4	Continued Police Community committee involvement, neighborhood watch, gang awareness	GF	Police	See above
IEFF M		Work with Police Department to bring back drug enforcement program	Gen Fund	Police	See above
IUAN M	5	Get back to Neighborhood Townhall Meetings	GF	Police	Will get with Chief about this

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AGS	5	Police Task Force: Budget extra funds for a Police Task Force, a Narcotics Officer and a Mental Health Officer to address any drug and gang related problems and mental issues our city is being faced not only on the East side of our city but citywide. Budget for updated training for our police officers. There is a lot of training that is free but a lot additional money for registration fees and course material. I am grateful that the Police Department did invest in our Drug Dog and is being utilized by the school as well.	GF	Police	Chief Pedraza reports that Lockhart has two certified mental health officers, and he feels there is sufficient funding for training. He also reports that a new Narcotics Officer would cost about \$90,000 for salary/benefits, training, a vehicle, and all required equipment.
LW	10	High School cadet programs for police, fire, EMS	GF	Police/Fire	Will visit with department heads again about this
LW	6	Public relations position to deal with social media	GF	Public Relations	Position would cost with benefits about \$45,000 annually and would need more tasks to perform.
JEFF M	6	Public relations position to deal with social media	GF	Public Relations	See above
I.W		Sidewalk repair and expansion	GF	Sidewalks	Costs average about \$25 per linear foot
JEFF M		Signage in Lockhart (highway, downtown, and toll road)	Gen Fund	Signage	Wayfinding and Branding Committee in place
LW	5	Wayfinding, branding - develop new entry sign and city property markers	GF	Signage	See above
BW	5	Move Forward with St Paul property project	In-House	St Paul Gift	Working on costs associated with this projects which involve asbestos/lead paint survey and possible abatement, ADA restrooms, ADA entry ramp, kitchen changes, and other repairs.
КМ	5	Devlop an oral history project to support a future "Walking Tour" app for Lo More Events to Attract Tourism in Lockhart and Include Way Finding	General Fund/Fundraising	Tourism	Could be part of the Wayfinding and Branding Committee tasks
AGS		More Events to Attract Tourism in Lockhart and Include Way Finding Signage (Hotels and Restaurants). Added events, especially the events that are free to the public do very well for the city as well as for the businesses and tourism. I welcome new events to the city but need to be selective in the events that we do host.	GF	Tourism	Chambers receive HOT funds for tourism and City co-sponsors events that contribute to tourism.
JUAN M		Create a Good Neighbor program (Lockhart Utility Customers can add an additional amount to utility bill to help others)	GF	Utility Customers	Have pursued this in the past. Requires a Board or Committee that is willing to take on the tasks of selecting who and how much help can be provided to customers. Some Cities allocate the funds to existing organization that is willing to take on the project.
BW	6	Access to Municipal Court for Utility Payments	In-House	Utility Customers	Working to this; advertisements and office training needed.
км	1	Free public Wi-Fi on the square as part of the redevelopment on the North side (ECONOMIC DEV/DOWNTOWN)	CAPCOG Grant?	Wi-Fi	County Judge had indicated to Mayor that the County could do this.
UAN M		Free public wifi on the square as part of the redevelopment on the North side	GF	Wifi	See Above

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		LOCKHART CITY COUNCIL FY 17-18 GOALS		
		Category and Priority Order		
COUNCIL MEMBER	PRIORI TY	GOALS IDENTIFIED BY COUNCIL FOR FY 17-18 (as submitted by Councilmembers)	SUGGESTED FUNDING SOURCE BY COUNCILMEMBER	CATEGORY
			with GF Expiring debt saving	
вн	3	Continue Improving City Cemetery	and/or Cemetery Tax	CEMETERY
leff M		Refurbish City Hall in the inside (to make more inviting to the public) as well as doing some		CITY BLDGS
		landscaping outside		
BW		Spruce up and clean up City properies		CITY BLDGS
BH		Improve City Facilities Appearance	General Fund	CITY BLDGS
IC		City Facilities		CITY BLDGS
AGS		Convention Center		CONVENTION CT
IC	2	Crime		CRIME
AGS		Police Task Force: Budget extra funds for a Police Task Force, a Narcotics Officer and a Mental		CRIME
		Health Officer to address any drug and gang related problems and mental issues our city is		
		being faced not only on the East side of our city but citywide. Budget for updated training for		
		our police officers. There is alot of training that is free but alot additonal money for		
		registration fees and course material.		
Jeff M	4	Work with Police Department to bring back drug enforcement program		CRIME
LW	8	Fund for helping utility customers in need	???	CUSTOMER SERV
BW	2	Continue to change angle parking downtown: 200 Blk S Main, 100 Blk N Main, 100 Blk N Commerce, 200 Blk E Market; little time and expense invovled		DOWNTOWN
LW	2	Downtown improvements, bathrooms, electric, pedestrian safety, beautification, wifi, lighting	??	DOWNTOWN
AGS		Parking around and surrounding the square. Issues with larger vehicles parked in areas that are		DOWNTOWN
		narrow and that make it hard to see oncoming traffic		
LW	1	Expanding economic development department, budget, office, staff?, marketing	General fund, LEDC	ECCONOMIC DE
AGS	3	Economic Development: Recurit more businesses especailly retail and continue efforts; contact		ECCONOMIC DE
		existing and vacant building owners to see if they are willing to work with the City of Lockhart		
		to bring retail businesses and speciality shops, as well as industrial. Purchase buildings and		
		land when on the market for possible new businesses for the city.		
IC	3	Economic Development		ECCONOMIC DE
AGS	5	Subdivision development to attract more businesses to Lockhart.		ECCONOMIC DE
IM	5	Set up meetings with developers for more retail space shopping centers along US 183		ECCONOMIC DEV

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		Category and Priority Order		
COUNCIL	PRIORI		SUGGESTED FUNDING SOURCE	
MEMBER	ТҮ	GOALS IDENTIFIED BY COUNCIL FOR FY 17-18 (as submitted by Councilmembers)	BY COUNCILMEMBER	CATEGORY
		More Events to Attract Tourism in Lockhart and Include Way Finding Signage (Hotels and		
AGS	6	Restaurants)		ECCONOMIC DEV
\GS	1	All Department Heads to Budget Salary Increases for all City Employees.		EMPLOYEES
M	1	City Employee Raises		EMPLOYEES
М		House or fund gym membership/space (weight rm) in Senior Center area (cardio machine) for		EMPLOYEES
		City employees		
<b>AGS</b>	8	Employee: Possible additional Employee Holiday Time Off-Alternating System. Even though		EMPLOYEES
	-	this has been discussed and the reasons for why it cannot be done, I would like to see a time		
		off alternating system, especailly during the holidays.		
3W	1	ENFORCE ordinances that pertain to unsightly properties all over town		ENFORCEMENT
eff M	1	Enforce city ordinance regarding residential property		ENFORCEMENT
eff M	3	Continue to work on City Park improvements		PARKS
М	3	Do inventory of City properties to idenify areas for pocket parks	LEDC funds	PARKS
W		Park improvements	General fund	PARKS
вн	5	Parks Improvements	General Fund	PARKS
с	5	Parks		PARKS
AGS		Parks Improvemens: Purchase and update the park equipment to provide safe and fun filled		PARKS
		parks for all to use.		
W	7	Town branch cleanup and beautification	???	PARKS
M	4	Start process of Funding Sidewalks east of 183 connecting to the US 183 sidewalks		SIDEWALKS
W	6	sidewalk repair and expansion	general fund bond	SIDEWALKS
3H	1	IMPLEMENT SIGNAGE IN LOCKHART	General Fund (LEDC) and/or	SIGNAGE
			Hotel Tax	
W	4	wayfinding, branding	general fund	SIGNAGE
			Beneral rana	
W	5	Entry signs	general fund	SIGNAGE
eff M	6	Signage on Highway 183 and SH130 = directing people to Lockhart		SIGNAGE
3W	4			SR CITIZENS CTR
		Pursue opportunity to move Senior Citizens' Center to St Paul United Church of Christ Property		
С	1	Roads	Grants or impact fees	STREETS/INFRAS
- \GS		Infrastructure: Continue City Infrastructure: Drainage, Street Repairs, Completion of Curbing,		STREETS/INFRAS
		Brighter Lighting in Neighborhoods		.,
зн		Continue improving City Streets	Increase Transportation Fund	STREETS/INFRAS
eff M		Continue improving City Streets Continue to make improvements and redoing our city streets		STREETS/INFRAS
	5			STREETS/INFRAS

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ty Council Person	Goals Submitted	City Manager Comments
1 Castillo	Infastructure	Complete 2015 CO projects and need budget of \$250,000 per year f streets, continue water and sewer main replacements; continue elec distribution maintenance plan-get new substation on line. Replace be water raw water mains and find additional water for the future.
1 Gonzales-Sanchez	Department Heads to Budget Salary Increases for city employees so that we can keep our current city employees.	Est Cost Per % Increase Annually: Gen Fund (Not Civil Serv) 29,000; Gen Fund Civil Serv \$ 24,000; Other/Utilities: \$ 15,000- Add
1 Hilburn	Improve City Cemetery with GF Expiring debt saving and/or Cemetery Tax	Cemetery Tax up to 5 cents allowed by State Law. Expiring GF debt committed to Police and Fire increased pay rates. (\$132,000)
1 Mendoza	Find ways to use activity center for multi-purpose use. (basketball, volleyball). Funding source: Different companies in town	If approved by Council staff would approach local businesses
1 Michelson	Continue to improve infrastructure (drainage, street repairs) throughout the city	Complete 2015 CO and budget \$250,000 per year for street material
1 Westmoreland	Enforce ordinances that pertain to unsightly properties all over town. Make homeowners/residents (because some may be renters) take pride in their environment. It is an eyesore to drive around town and see overgrown properties, junked cars, and stacks of trash on porches, in yards and driveways. All levels of socio-economic residents in this town have shown evidence of being disrespectful to their environment.	City has no esthetics ordinance currently. The term "unsightly" is subjective and is difficult to prove in court.
1 White	Economic Development-expanding budget to get staff qualified to help Sandra with recruitment, working with LEDC to either build Spec building or invest in more property, Main St program to relieve Sandra of a lot of those duties	Main Street Program would require another person and funding to w with local businesses while Economic Development would conscent on new businesses and new jobs
2 Castillo	Economic Development	Need 12-15,000 sf of retail spaces with reasonable lease per sf and buildings that are 20 to 50,000 sf for industrial and maunufacturing
2 Gonzales-Sanchez	Infrastructure: Continue City Infrastructure: Drainage, Street Repairs, Completion of Curbing, Brighter Lighting in Neighborhoods	Complete 2015 CO projects and need budget of \$250,000 per year streets, continue water and sewer main replacements; continue elect distribution maintenance plan-get new substation on line. Replace b water raw water mains and find additional water for the future. Most streets that lack curbing will need to be totally reconstructed. Bright LED lights being experimented with since costs have come down.
2 Hilburn	Implement City Signage	Initial required funds up to \$40,000 if City Crew does the work; total could be more than \$70,000
2 Mendoza	New Park equipment. Funding Source: Each Councilmember responsible for a park and finding funding sources	Estimate: \$ 400,000 annually over next 4 years based on input from Parks Board Advisory Board
2 Michelson	Continue to improve ways to attract businesses to Lockhart	Need more 12-15,000 sf of retail spaces with reasonable lease per s and buildings that are 20 to 50,000 sf for industrial and maunufactur
2 Westmoreland	Create a policy for the residency of future administrative positions to live within the Lockhart city limits. If an administrator wants to be employed by the City of Lockhart, they need to reside here. Sharing in the daily lives of our citizens seems crucial to making decisions about Lockhart. They are paid by city taxes.	It is not legal to require all department heads to live in the City limits only the City Manager is required to do so. All non-24 emergency response employees must live within 25 mintues of City Limis
2 White	Continue street rehab	Need \$ 250,000 annually minimum for street work materials
3 Castillo	City Facilites	Not sure what this includes; can asses all departments for physical needs
	Economic Development: Recurit more businesses especailly retail and continue efforts ; contact existing and vacant bldg owners to see if they are willing to work with City to bring these small retail businesses, as well as industrial; possibly purchasing two downtown county buildings when on the market for possible new businesses in the downtown area. Stronger platform with LEDC with methods to sell Lockhart and attract businesses.	LEDC could fund another report but the company says our numbers should be good. Costs estimated \$22,500 for updating data and recruitment. Prime softgood companies constantly want to be on Highway 183 in 12-15,000 sf and at a reasonalbe cost per sf plus high

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			Current transportation monthly rate is \$ 4 for residential and others; \$260,000 annual which helps fund labor and equipment, but is not
			sufficient for materials. Another \$250,000 for materials is needed
31	Hilburn	Continue improving city streets: Increase Transportation Fund	annually.
	libann	Wi-Fi Free Zones Downtown Square. Funding source City Budget, School District, Downtown	
31	Vendoza	sponsors	Rough estimate is about \$12,000
		Refurbish City Hall	If atrium removed, add more offices estimated at \$45,000 and more
			outside landscaping estimated at \$ 5,000; elevator going in with
31	Vichelson		improvements to restrooms and offices
		Approach interested and future businesses cordially. Stringent ordinances (and the way they are approached), scare off some businesses. Let's be friendly in a positive way.	City Mgr respectfully requests names of such businesses. He has me with 18 business representatives over past 15 months that were look at Lockhart but did not come. Except for the non-residential exterior building esthetics ordinance, none of them indicated a problem with t current ordinances or with staff. The main problems were high land prices and the lack of "ready built retail and industrial buildings", and traffic counts were not high enough. Most thought the impact fee
			schedules were very reasonable compared to other cities. Will contin
3 \	Westmoreland	Devision restances for the constitution of the section of the sect	to work toward friendlier customer service with simplified ordinances.
		Park master plan to consider park bond issue, recreation dept and staff issues	Master Plan estimate: \$ 45,000, recreation dept est at least 60,000 for a recreational professional with another \$30,000 for
3 \	White		equipment and materials
			Est Cost Per % Increase Annually: Gen Fund (Not Civil Serv)
		E	29,000; Gen Fund Civil Serv \$ 24,000; Other/Utilities: \$ 15,000- Add
		Employees Wages	Cost FY 16-17 due to Civil Serv Pay Plan Expansions already
4 (	Castillo		apprroved: \$ 132,000
4 (	Gonzales-Sanchez	Police Task Force: Budget extra funds to bring back a much needed Police Task Force to address any drug and gang related problems this city is being faced with especially on the East side of our city. Possibly ask the County to assist with funding.	Initial required funds up to \$40,000 if City Crew does the work; total c could be more than \$70,000
		Continue working on bringing industry to Lockhart: Continue supporting Ms. Mauldin	LEDC is will have sufficient funding to be more aggressive starting F
4 ł	Hilburn		17
		Training Start up: Neighborhood Watch Training and Program: Police Budget	Have tried Neighborhood Watch Program in past but was not sustain
	Vendoza Vichelson	Improve signage on HWY 183 as well as SH130 = directing people to Lockhart	because of lack of participation. Willing to try again. Possibly use of some of the KTB grant money
41	VIICHEISON	Evaluate and/or change the degree of the angled parking along the 4 blocks off of the square.	
		This would be: Main Street from Market to Prairie Lea Street; Main Street from San Antonio	
		Street to Walnut Street; Commerce Street from Market Street to Prairie Lea Street, and	
		Commerce Street from San Antonio Street to Walnut Street. These parking spaces were made	
		before long vehicles were made! If ther are cars parked on both sides of the streets, only one	
		care can pass through at a time. Then it becomes a one lane street. I have witnessed a	Estimate to black out existing thermoplastic markings, redefine layou
		differenct angled parking arrangement, and it provides more room and is much safer for the	and apply new thermoplastic markings with angle parking =\$ 12,0
4	Westmoreland	drivers and pedestrians.	will probably loose 4 spaces per block. 2 on each side
	A.U. 1.	Branding and wayfinding—may be included in #1	Initial required funds up to \$40,000 if City Crew does the work; total of any the more than \$70,000
4	White		could be more than \$70,000
50	Castillo	Parks	Estimate: \$ 400,000 annually over next 4 years based on input from Parks Board Advisory Board
5 (	Gonzales-Sanchez	Subdivision development to attract more businesses to Lockhart	Working with 6 more subdivisons, either new or expanding, and poss one more very large one northwest.
5	SUNZAIES-SAIICHEZ	Improve tourism in Lockhart - City Council continue to work with and encourage Chambers of	
		Commerce to be more involved	
51	Hilburn		Council can make this directive to Chambers when dividing out HOT funds
	Vendoza	Finding more funding for Retail Market Study. Zip code demographics with reports. Funding LEDC	LEDC could fund another report but the company says our numbers should be good. Costs estimated \$22,500 for updating data and recruitment.

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y Council Person	Goals Submitted	City Manager Comments
	Work with LEDC or someone equivalent to build a building to help attract business	Need more 12-15,000 sf of retail spaces with reasonable lease per s
		Most softgood retailers want 12-15,000 on Hwy 183 at a reasonable
5 Michelson		price and increased traffic volumes
	Sidewalks to include lighting	Funding required; for example San Jacinto to Jr High estimate is
5 White		\$130,000 just for materials along Maple walkway
	More Events to Attract Tourism in Lockhart and Include Way Finding Signage (Hotels and	Initial required funds up to \$40,000 if City Crew does the work; total
	Restaurants)	could be more than \$70,000. Chambers could use HOT for more
6 Gonzales-Sanchez		tourism.
	Continue to work on City Park improvements	Estimate: \$ 400,000 annually over next 4 years based on input from
6 Michelson		Parks Board Advisory Board
6 White	Pursue possible ESD-EMS district	Legal issue with participation by County and City of Luling preferable
	Parks Improvemens: Purchase more park equipment to provide safe and fun filled parks for all	Estimate: \$ 400,000 annually over next 4 years based on input from
7 Gonzales-Sanchez	to use.	Parks Board Advisory Board
		Our population hurt in previous discussions, Will pursue again. They
	Start Talks With YMCA Austin again. Seek sponsors funding if necessary	usually want commitment for a minimum number of individuals and
7 Mendoza		families depending on population of not only City but its metro area
	Work on building a civic center/ recreation center	\$ 9 million plus land \$ 2.5 million for about 20,000 sf plus about
		\$240,000 annual maintenance costs and minimum of \$60,000 for
		utilities; estimated revenues offset is about \$60,000; take out recrea
		center and cost go down about 20%. It has been reported that Bastr
		spending over \$500,000 per year to operate its civic center. Revenu
7 Michelson		not covering costs.
7 White	Cemetery maintenance	Cemetery Tax up to 5 cents allowed by State Law
		Elevator and improvements to restrooms planned; better offices for
8 Gonzales-Sanchez	City Hall: Refurbish with Improvements and/or Upgrades	Connie and Sandra planned also.
		\$ 9 million plus land \$ 2.5 million for about 20,000 sf plus about
		\$240,000 annual maintenance costs and minimum of \$60,000 for
		utilities; estimated revenues offset is about \$60,000; take out recrea
		center and cost go down about 20%. It has been reported that Basti
		spending over \$500,000 per year to operate its civic center. Revenu
9 Gonzales-Sanchez	Convention Center	not covering costs.
		City emlpoyees now have 12 holidays and 1 personal holiday; time
		granted by seniority with department head responsible for keeping
		sufficient personnel to serve the public needs. Employees also recei
		at least 2 weeks of vacation time. Those employees required to work
0 Gonzales-Sanchez	Employee: Possible additional Employee Holiday Time off-Alternating system	holidays receive their normal pay plus holiday pay.

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									Future D	ebt Paymen	ts as of 9/30	18									TOTAL
Description	F	Paid Debt	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032	2033	2034	2035	DEBT
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Hotel Tax Fund 2016 GO Refunding				40.000	40.000	40.000	40.000	40.000	40.000	40.000	40.000	40.000	40,000								400,000
2010 GO Kelunding				40,000	40,000	40,000	40,000	40,000	40,000	40,000	40,000	40,000	40,000								400,000
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LEDC																					
2015 Tax & Revenue	100.00%		48,093	48,044	48,103	48,152	63,645	63,670	63,513	63,543	63,555	63,643	63,687	65,647	65,544	65,575	65,482	65,579	65,538	65,676	1,048,596
Total LEDC Fund P & I			48.093	48.044	48,103	48,152	63.645	63.670	63.513	63.543	63.555	63.643	63.687	65.647	65.544	65.575	65,482	65.579	65.538	65.676	-
Total LEDG Fullu F & I			40,095	40,044	40,103	40,152	03,045	03,070	03,513	03,545	03,555	03,043	03,007	05,047	05,544	05,575	05,402	05,579	05,550	05,070	1,048,390
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Drainage 2015 Tax & Revenue			100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	1,700,000
2010 Tax & Revenue			100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	-
Total Drainage Fund P	& I		100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	1,700,000
General Fund																					
2015 Tax & Revenue																					-
Total General Fund P &	1		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Debt Service Fund																					
2006 Tax & Rev CO's	100.00%		47,175	50,535	48,690	46,845															146,070
2006-A Tax & Rev CO's	02.009/		267,890	267,803	267,332	271,128															- 806,264
2000-A Tax & Rev CO'S	93.00%		207,090	207,003	207,332	271,120															- 000,204
2015 Tax & Revenue	TRNSF		186,594	186,302	186,653	186,945	279,275	279,421	278,487	278,662	278,735	279,261	279,523	291,203	290,590	290,773	290,222	290,798	290,554	291,374	4,548,778
2015 Tax & Revenue	12.00%		117,779	117,659	117,803	117,923	155,867	155,927	155,543	155,615	155,645	155,861	155,969	160,769	160,517	160,592	160,365	160,602	160,502	160,831	2,567,990
2016 GO Refunding	74.84%		171.056	346.930	361.150	353,161	656.899	666,927	661.698	666.974	673.111	670,566	678.350	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	- 5,735,766
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Total Debt Service Fund	d 14 & I		790,494	969,229	981,628	976,002	1,092,041	1,102,275	1,095,728	1,101,251	1,107,491	1,105,688	1,113,842	451,972	451,107	451,365	450,587	451,400	451,056	452,205	13,804,868
Total General Governm	ent		938,587	1,157,273	1,169,731	1,164,154	1,295,686	1,305,945	1,299,241	1,304,794	1,311,046	1,309,331	1,317,529	617,619	616,651	616,940	616,069	616,979	616,594	617,881	16,953,464
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Description Proprietary		Paid Debt	2018	2019	2020										1						TOTAL
		Paid Debt	2018	2019	2020																
Proprietary					2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032	2033	2034	2035	DEBT
rioprietary																					
Electric Fund																					
0040 CID I	30.81%		74 454	71,152	71.151	71.151	71.151	74 454	71.151	71.152	71.151	74 454	74 454	71.151	71,151	74 454	71.151	74.450			4 007 000
2013 SIB Loan	30.81%		71,151	71,152	71,151	71,151	71,151	71,151	71,151	71,152	71,151	71,151	71,151	71,151	71,151	71,151	71,151	71,152			1,067,268
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Total Electric Fund P & I		-	71,151	71,152	71,151	71,151	71,151	71,151	71,151	71,152	71,151	71,151	71,151	71,151	71,151	71,151	71,151	71,152	-	-	1,067,268
Water Fund																					
2006A Tax & Rev CO's	7.00%		20,164	20,157	20,122	20,408															60,687
2015 Tax & Revenue	49.60%		486,818	486,322	486,917	487,413	644,248	644,496	642,909	643,207	643,331	644,223	644,670	664,510	663,468	663,778	662,842	663,822	663,406	664,800	10,614,362
2016 GO Refunding	21.81%		49,849	101,103	105,247	102,919	191,435	194,357	192,833	194,371	196,159	195,418	197,686	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,671,528
2013 SIB Loan	35.80%		82,676	82,676	82,676	82.676	82.676	82,676	82.676	82.676	82,676	82.676	82,676	82.676	82.676	82,676	82.676	82,676			1,240,140
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Total Water Fund P & I		-	639,507	690,258	694,962	693,416	918,359	921,529	918,418	920,254	922,166	922,317	925,032	747,186	746,144	746,454	745,518	746,498	663,406	664,800	13,586,717
Sewer Fund																					
2015 Tax & Revenue	4.30%		42,204	42,161	42,213	42,256	55,852	55,874	55,736	55,752	55,773	55,850	55,889	57,609	57,518	57,545	57,464	57,549	57,513	57,643	920,197
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2016 GO Refunding	3.35%		7,657	15,529	16,166	15,808	29,404	29,853	29,619	29,855	30,130	30,016	30,364	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	256,744
2013 SIB Loan	33.39%		77,102	77,103	77,102	77,102	77,103	77,102	77,102	77,103	77,102	77,102	77,103	77,102	77,102	77,103	77,102	77,102			1,156,537
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Total Sewer Fund P & I			126,963	134,793	135,481	135,166	162,359	162,829	162,457	162,710	163,005	162,968	163,356	134,711	134,620	134,648	134,566	134,651	57,513	57,643	2,333,478
Total Proprietary Fund P	P&I	-	837,621	896,203	901,594	899,733	1,151,869	1,155,510	1,152,026	1,154,116	1,156,323	1,156,436	1,159,539	953,049	951,915	952,253	951,236	952,301	720,919	722,443	16,987,463
Grand Total			1.776.208	2.053.476	2.071.326	2.063.887	2.447.555	2.461.455	2.451.267	2.458.910	2.467.369	2.465.767	2,477,068	1.570.668	1.568.566	1.569.193	1.567.305	1.569.280	1.337.513	1.340.324	33.940.927

						City of Lockhart 2015 BOND PROGRAM
ost	Notes	Task Name	Duration	Start	Finish	2015 2016 2017
			- AND - CONSTRUCTION			_FebMarAprMayJun Jul AugSepOctNovDecJanFebMarAprMayJun Jul AugSepOctNovDecJanFebMarAprMayJun Jul AugSepOctNovDec
14,124,890.	00	TOTAL PROJECT COST				
\$2,068,024	.00 1	DRANING IMPROVEMENTS CONTRACT				dimensional second s
		1 - Mesquite/Wichita Street & Richland Drive				
		Surveying Proposal	17 days	Fri 3/6/15	Sun 3/22/15	
		Survey	30 days	Mon 3/23/15	Tue 4/21/15	
		Acquisition	120 days	Wed 4/22/15	Wed 8/19/15	- tomas and the second
		Engineering Design	90 days	Wed 4/22/15	Mon 7/20/15	
		Bid Ad/NTP	60 days	Tue 7/21/15	Fri 9/18/15	Territorian Contraction Contra
		Construction	180 days	Sat 9/19/15	Wed 3/16/16	
\$1,999,200.	.00 2	DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS CONTRACT 2 - Century Oaks/Market Street, & Ash/Comal Streets				
	und offendered	Surveying Proposal	17 days	Fri 3/6/15	Sun 3/22/15	
		Survey	30 days	Sat 4/25/15	Sun 5/24/15	
		Acquisition	150 days	Mon 5/25/15	Wed 10/21/15	
		Engineering Design	120 days	Mon 5/25/15	Mon 9/21/15	
		Bid Ad/NTP	60 days	Tue 9/22/15	Fri 11/20/15	
		Construction	180 days	Sat 11/21/15	Wed 5/18/16	
\$3,394,038	.00 3	DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS CONTRACT 3 - Downtown Improvements Project				
		Surveying Proposal	15 days	Sun 8/2/15	Sun 8/16/15	50-1
		Survey	45 days	Mon 8/17/15	Wed 9/30/15	ž
		Engineering Design	180 days	Thu 10/1/15	Mon 3/28/16	
		Bid Ad/NTP	60 days	Tue 3/29/16	Fri 5/27/16	TO TO THE PARTY OF
		Construction	365 days	Sat 5/28/16	Sat 5/27/17	
\$323,400.	.00 4	DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS CONTRACT 4 - Medina & US183 Project				
		Surveying Proposal	15 days	Sun 11/1/15	Sun 11/15/15	
		Survey	7 days	Mon 11/16/15	Sun 11/22/15	t t
		Acquisition	90 days	Mon 11/23/15	Sat 2/20/16	
		Engineering Design	60 days	Mon 11/23/15	Thu 1/21/16	+
		Bid Ad/NTP	60 days	Fri 1/22/16	Mon 3/21/16	+
		Construction	90 days	Tue 3/22/16	Sun 6/19/16	all consummer constrained and a second and a
\$1,764,000.	.00 5	FM 2001 ELEVATED TANK PROJECT	Country Store		all his setting	
		Surevying Proposal	15 days	Sat 1/2/16	Sat 1/16/16	87)
		Survey	15 days	Sun 1/17/16	Sun 1/31/16	*
		Acquisition	120 days	Mon 2/1/16	Mon 5/30/16	
		Engineering Design	90 days	Mon 2/1/16	Sat 4/30/16	
		Bid Ad/NTP	60 days	Sun 5/1/16	Wed 6/29/16	

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	Construction	365 days	Thu 6/30/16	Thu 6/29/17	FebMarAprMayJun Jul AugSepOctNovDecJan FebMarAprMayJun Jul AugSepOctNovDecJan FebMarAprMayJun Jul AugSepOctNovDec
\$1,355,516.00 6			110 0/30/10	110 0/29/17	45642 build water and a second
	Rd. to Existing Tank, SH 130 @ Hwy. 142, Borchert/Mockingbird, Control Valves, FM 2001				
	Surevying Proposal	15 days	Mon 1/18/16	Mon 2/1/16	
	Survey	30 days	Tue 2/2/16	Wed 3/2/16	
	Acquisition	150 days	Thu 3/3/16	Sat 7/30/16	
	Engineering Design	120 days	Thu 3/3/16	Thu 6/30/16	
	Bid Ad/NTP	60 days	Fri 7/1/16	Mon 8/29/16	
	Construction	300 days	Fri 9/2/16	Wed 6/28/17	
\$470,400.00 7	SH130 PUMP STATION PROJECT				
	Survey	7 days	Mon 4/25/16	Sun 5/1/16	b.
	Engineering Design	90 days	Mon 5/2/16	Sat 7/30/16	
	Bid Ad/NTP	60 days	Sun 7/31/16	Wed 9/28/16	
	Construction	270 days	Sun 10/2/16	Wed 6/28/17	
\$859,186.00 8	SH130/TOWN BRANCH SEWER PROJEC				
	Surveying Proposal	15 days	Fri 5/20/16	Fri 6/3/16	
	Survey	30 days	Sat 6/4/16	Sun 7/3/16	
	Acquisition	120 days	Mon 7/4/16	Mon 10/31/16	
	Engineering Design	90 days	Mon 7/4/16	Sat 10/1/16	
	Bid Ad/NTP	60 days	Sun 10/2/16	Wed 11/30/16	
	Construction	240 days	Mon 12/5/16	Tue 8/1/17	
1,891,126.00 9	WATER TRANSMISSION MAIN PROJECT				
	- Water Plant Transmission Main, MLK to FM 20 West Transmission Main				
	Surveying Proposal	17 days	Wed 11/16/16	Fri 12/2/16	<b>**</b> >
	Survey	30 days	Sat 12/3/16	Sun 1/1/17	<b>*</b>
	Acquisition	120 days	Mon 1/2/17	Mon 5/1/17	
	Engineering Design	90 days	Mon 1/2/17	Sat 4/1/17	2
	Bid Ad/NTP	60 days	Sun 4/2/17	Wed 5/31/17	±
	Construction	180 days	Mon 6/5/17	Fri 12/1/17	