



**City of Weslaco
Civil Service Commission
Special Meeting
December 12, 2023, 8:00 a.m.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Civil Service Commission of the City of Weslaco will hold a Special Meeting in the Legislative Chamber located inside City Hall, at 255 South Kansas Avenue for the purpose of discussing and considering the following items:

NOTE: If, during the meeting, discussion of any item on the agenda should be held in executive or closed session, the Commission will convene in such executive or closed session; whether or not, such item is posted as an executive session item at any time during the meeting when authorized by the provisions of the Texas Open Meetings Act.

- I. Call to Order
- II. Public Comments
- III. Approval of Minutes
October 26, 2023
- IV. New Business
 - A. Discussion and consideration to ratify the Fire Driver Promotional Examination that was held on October 2, 2023. Possible Action. Attachment.
 - B. Discussion and consideration to ratify the Fire Lieutenant Promotional Examination that was held on October 2, 2023. Possible Action. Attachment.
 - C. Discussion and consideration to ratify the Fire Captain Promotional Examination that was held on October 2, 2023. Possible Action. Attachment.
 - D. Discussion and consideration to ratify the Fire Entrance Examination that was held on November 30, 2023. Possible Action. Attachment.
 - E. Discussion and consideration to ratify the Police Lieutenant Promotional Examination that was held on November 13, 2023. Possible Action. Attachment.
 - F. Discussion and consideration to set date of January 15, 2024, for Police Sergeant Examination. Possible Action. Attachment.
 - G. Discussion and consideration to set date of January 15, 2024, for Police Lieutenant Examination. Possible Action. Attachment.
- V. Reports
 - A. Report on City Commission approval of amendment to Police Union Collective Bargaining Agreement for expedited hiring of entry level police officers.

VI. Executive Session

Texas Government Code, Section 551 Open Meetings:

Section 551.145. Closed Meeting without Certified Agenda or Tape Recording; Offense; Penalty

- (a) A member of a government body commits an offense if the member participates in a closed meeting of the governmental body knowing that a certified agenda of the closed meeting is not being kept or that a tape recording of the closed meeting is not being made.
- (b) An offense under Subsection (a) is a Class C misdemeanor.

Section 551.146. Disclosure of Certified Agenda or Tape Recording of Closed Meeting; Offense; Penalty; Civil Liability

- (a) An individual, corporation, or partnership that without lawful authority knowingly discloses to a member of the public the certified agenda or tape recording of a meeting that was lawfully closed to the public under this chapter:

- (1) commits an offense; and

- (2) is liable to a person injured or damaged by the disclosure for:

- (A) actual damages, including damages for personal injury or damage, lost wages, defamation, or mental or other emotional distress;

- (B) reasonable attorney fees and court costs; and

- (C) at the discretion of the trier of fact, exemplary damages.

- (b) An offense under Subsection (a)(1) is a Class B misdemeanor.

- (c) It is a defense to prosecution under Subsection (a)(1) and an affirmative defense to a civil action under Subsection (a)(2) that:

- (1) the defendant had a good reason to believe the disclosure was lawful; or

- (2) the disclosure was the result of a mistake of fact concerning the nature or content of the certified agenda or tape recording. (Added by Acts 1993, 73rd Leg., ch 268, section 1, eff. Sept. 1, 1993.)

NOTE: Any documentation related to the following items will be maintained as part of the certified agenda.

A. Personnel - Discussion regarding 3-month evaluation of the Interim Civil Service Director.

VII. Possible Action on what is discussed in executive session.

VIII. Adjournment

I hereby certify this Notice of a Special Meeting of the Civil Service Commission was posted in accordance with the Open Meetings Act on the outside bulletin board at City Hall of the City of Weslaco, located at the 255 South Kansas Avenue entrance, visible and accessible to the general public during and after regular working hours. The notice was posted on this 6th day of December 2023 on or before 5:00 p.m. and will remain posted continuously for at least 72-hours proceeding the scheduled time of this meeting in accordance with Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code.

/s/ Christine Lucio, Interim Civil Service Director

NOTE: If any accommodation for a disability is required, please notify the Civil Service Office 48 hours prior to the meeting date at (956) 447-3435.

PURSUANT TO SECTION 30.06, PENAL CODE (TRESPASS BY LICENSE HOLDER WITH A CONCEALED HANDGUN), A PERSON LICENSED UNDER SUBCHAPTER H, CHAPTER 411, GOVERNMENT CODE (HANDGUN LICENSING LAW), MAY NOT ENTER THIS PROPERTY WITH A CONCEALED HANDGUN".

“DE ACUERDO CON LA SECCION 30.06 DEL CODIGO PENAL (INGRESO SIN AUTORIZACION DE UN TITULAR DE UNA LICENCIA CON UNA PISTOLA OCULTA), UNA PERSONA CON LICENCIA SEGUN EL SUBCAPITULO H, CAPITULO 411, CODIGO DEL GOBIERNO (LEY SOBRE LICENCIAS PARA PORTAR PISTOLAS), NO PUEDE INGRESAR A ESTA PROPIEDAD CON UNA PISTOLA OCULTA”.

"PURSUANT TO SECTION 30.07, PENAL CODE (TRESPASS BY LICENSE HOLDER WITH AN OPENLY CARRIED HANDGUN), A PERSON LICENSED UNDER SUBCHAPTER H, CHAPTER 411, GOVERNMENT CODE (HANDGUN LICENSING LAW), MAY NOT ENTER THIS PROPERTY WITH A HANDGUN THAT IS CARRIED OPENLY".

“DE ACUERDO CON LA SECCION 30.07 DEL CODIGO PENAL (INGRESO SIN AUTORIZACION DE UN TITULAR DE UNA LICENCIA CON UNA PISTOLA A LA VISTA), UNA PERSONA CON LICENCIA SEGUN EL SUBCAPITULO H, CAPITULO 411, CODIGO DEL GOBIERNO (LEY SOBRE LICENCIAS PARA PORTAR PISTOLAS), NO PUEDE INGRESAR A ESTA PROPIEDAD CON UNA PISTOLA A LA VISTA”.
