



CITY OF LA MARQUE
KEEP LA MARQUE BEAUTIFUL COMMISSION
REGULAR MINUTES of
April 10, 2024

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

Chairperson Gonzales called the meeting to order at 6:00PM.

2. ROLL CALL PRESENT:

Chairperson Lyndsey Gonzales

Vice-Chairperson Re'chard Loftis

Commissioner Kathy Herrin

Commissioner Ashley Gooden

ABSENT:

Commissioner Terry Pettijohn

CITY OFFICIALS:

Councilmember James Ross

Code Enforcement Supervisor Jose Hernandez

Code Enforcement Administrative Assistant Myrna Sanchez

3. INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Commissioner Herrin, gave the invocation and Vice-Chairperson Loftis, led the pledge

4. PRESENTATIONS

NONE

5. CITIZENS PARTICIPATION

NONE

6. OLD BUSINESS

6.1. Discussion/possible action regarding the purchasing of promotional items and attaining updated quotes

Chairperson Gonzales stated the commission is lowering the quantity of purchasing promotional items to put money aside for signs, and will provide an updated quote at the next meeting.

NO ACTION TAKEN

- 7.II. Discussion/possible action for updates and assignments from the Keep Texas Beautiful Pilot Program for initiatives to reduce plastic use in city restaurants, pladdling, plogging, and pliking to be assigned to a Commissioner

Commissioner Herrin made a motion to table this item due to time constraints. Vice-Chairperson Loftis seconded. **MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

- 6.III. Discussion/possible action regarding updates to the Commission website

Chairperson Gonzales noted there are discrepancies on the Keep La Marque Beautiful website and it needs adjustments. Staff Liaison Sanchez stated she would look into this.

NO ACTION TAKEN

6. IV. Discussion/possible action regarding quotes for mural painting for police station and library walls

Vice-Chairperson Loftis requested the opportunity to partner with the Parks Board to potentially split the cost on the mural paintings. Staff Liaison Sanchez stated she will reach out to the Parks Board Liaison.

NO ACTION TAKEN

- 8.V. Discussion/possible action regarding the purchase of citywide street signs

Vice-Chairperson Loftis made a motion to give \$5,000.00 dollars to the street signs. Commissioner Gooden seconded. **MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY**

9. NEW BUSINESS

- 9.1. Discussion/possible action regarding The Great American Clean Up and the purchasing of clean-up gear

NO ACTION TAKEN

10. REQUESTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Chairperson Gonzales announced that she spoke with Mandy at the Economic Development Corporation and discussed the possibility of Keep La Marque Beautiful Commissions assistance in landscaping the 4 corners of their building. No motion was made, however Vice Chairperson Loftis agreed to the partnership.

Commissioner Gooden announced her membership to Zeta Phi Beta Sorority Incorporated.

10. ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Herrin made a motion to adjourn 7:08PM. Vice-Chairperson seconded.

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Lyndsey Gonzales

Chairperson

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