THE STATE OF TEXAS § BROWNSVILLE NAVIGATION DISTRICT § COUNTY OF CAMERON §

John Wood, Chairman Sergio Tito Lopez, Secretary Ralph Cowen, Commissioner John Reed, Vice Chairman Carlos R. Masso, Commissioner

Eduardo A. Campirano, Port Director and CEO

NOTICE OF A REGULAR BOARD MEETING OF THE BROWNSVILLE NAVIGATION DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners of the Brownsville Navigation District will meet on **Wednesday**, **April 04**, **2018** in the Training Room located at The Port of Brownsville Police Command Center, 2993 N. Indiana Avenue, Suite B, Brownsville, Cameron County, Texas. The Board of Commissioners will convene in a **Regular Board Meeting at 5:30** P.M.

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REGULAR MEETING:

1. Call to Order.

INVOCATION

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

2. Public Audience.

If you wish to address the Board of Commissioners during the Public Audience portion of today's meeting about either an **item on this agenda or other issue**, please print your name and the agenda item or topic of discussion you wish to address on the Sign-In-Sheet located at the Reception Desk.

In accordance with BND Policy, only those persons who have signed up on the list shall be heard. The speaker must limit remarks to three minutes. The Board shall allot no more than 30 minutes for the Public Audience portion of the meeting. Complaints and concerns for which other channels of resolution are provided shall be directed through those channels. If the Chairman of the Board determines that a person has not attempted to resolve a matter administratively, the person shall be directed to the appropriate individual for attempted resolution before bringing the matter to the Board. A complaint against specific employees or officers of the BND shall be heard in a Closed Meeting, as authorized by the *Texas Government Code Title 5 – Sections 551.074(1) and (2)*. If your topic concerns a complaint against a specific employee or officer, please note this on the sign-in sheet. You must make your points on issues in a constructive and courteous fashion pursuant to *Robert's Rules of Order*.

- 3. Receive Directors Reports
 - a. Monthly Summary Report
 - b. Marketing Update

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CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS

All Consent Agenda Items listed are considered to be routine by the BND Commission and will be approved in one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless at least one BND Commissioner so requests, in which event the item will be removed from the Consent Agenda and considered separately in the Regular Agenda.

- 4. Consideration and ACTION on the following Consent Agenda Items:
 - a) Approval of the Minutes of the Regular Board Meeting of March 21, 2018.
 - b) Approval to authorize payments over \$25,000.00. (SF)

	Vendor	Purpose	Amount	
1	CCRMA	Port's share of cost for the development of the environmental document SH32 Port Connector Road Project	\$33,822.56	72
2	Vulcan Materials Company	Crushed limestone	\$78,095.62	95
3	Triton Marine Construction	Oil Dock No. 6 Construction, Oil Dock No. 3 Fender System Replacement & Facility Enhancements, & Maintenance Dredging	\$720,350.91	112

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PRESENTATION

5. Presentation by Mr. Desi Martinez and the Los Fresnos Chamber of Commerce on 148 collaborating on economic development opportunities in the region.

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ACTION ITEMS

6. Consideration and ACTION on Assignments, Negotiations, Easements, Subleases, and Contracts in General: (BR)

7. Consideration and ACTION to adopt a Resolution granting certain tax exemptions 154 to certain historic sites under the 2018 Historic Preservation Plan. (DLD)

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BIDS/AGREEMENTS/PURCHASES

- 8. Consideration and ACTION to authorizing the execution of an Interlocal Agreement 20 between Cameron County, Cameron County Regional Mobility Authority and the Brownsville Navigation District for the Development of the Design/Engineering Plans for the Port Connector Road Project. (EAC)
- 9. Consideration and ACTION on bids received for the annual contract for Disposal of 205 Oily Water from the Fishing Harbor Sewer Treatment Plant and form Ballast Pit No. 2. (AC)
- 10. Consideration and ACTION on bids received for the 2018 calendar year contract of 207 Geogrid Reinforcement material for roadway and patio base. (AC)
- 11. Consideration and ACTION on Change Order No. 2 to the Keppel AmFELS Water 223 Line Relocation project, for the purpose adjusting the contract time due to weather delays. (AC)

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EXECUTIVE SESSION:

- 12. Adjourn into Executive Session, as authorized by Subchapter D of Chapter 551 of the Government Code to discuss with attorneys pending or contemplated litigation, and matters in which the duty of the attorneys under the Rules of Professional Conduct clearly conflict with Chapter 551; to conduct deliberations regarding real property (§551.072); to deliberate the deployment of security personnel or devices (§551.076); to deliberate the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of a public officer or employee (§551.074); and to conduct deliberations regarding economic development negotiations (§551.087).
- 13. Possible ACTION on matters or items discussed in Executive Session.
- 14. Adjournment.

NOTE: The Board of Commissioners reserves the right to discuss any items in Executive Session whenever authorized under the Texas Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551, Title 5 of the *Texas Government Code*.

NOTE: The Brownsville Navigation District does not discriminate on the basis of disability in the admission of, access to, treatment of, or employment in its programs, activities, or public meetings. Any individual with a disability in need of an accommodation is encouraged to contact the Director of Human Resources by Monday, no later than 5:00 P.M., to make proper arrangements.

I certify that a copy of the April 04, 2018 Agenda of items to be considered by the Brownsville Navigation District Commission was posted on the Bulletin Area at the BND Building on March 29, 2018. I further certify that the Agenda was posted on the BND's website and can be downloaded by accessing: www.portofbrownsville.com.

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