

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

Esteban Guerra, Chairman  
John Wood, Secretary  
Sergio Tito Lopez, Commissioner

Ralph Cowen, Vice Chairman  
John Reed, Commissioner

Eduardo A. Campirano, Port Director and CEO

**NOTICE A SPECIAL BOARD MEETING OF THE  
BROWNSVILLE NAVIGATION DISTRICT**

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners of the Brownsville Navigation District will meet on **Tuesday, October 31, 2023** in the Board Room located at 1000 Foust Road, Brownsville, Cameron County, Texas. The Board of Commissioners will convene in a **Special Board Meeting at 3:00 p.m.**

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- 1. Call to Order.
- 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. Executive Session.

Adjourn into executive session, as authorized by Chapter 551 of the Government Code to deliberate the appointment of a Port Director and CEO (§ 551.074).

- 4. Possible ACTION on matters or items discussed in Executive Session.

5. 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 October 31, 2023 Agenda of items to be considered by the Brownsville Navigation District Commission was posted on the Bulletin Area at the BND Building on October 27, 2023. I further certify that the Agenda was posted on the BND's website and can be downloaded by accessing: [www.portofbrownsville.com](http://www.portofbrownsville.com).**



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**Esteban Guerra, Chairman of the Board**