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District 3

*Jesus Gundara Jr.*  
District 4

**NOTICE OF REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING OF THE  
CITY COUNCIL  
OF THE  
CITY OF SOCORRO**

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THE FACILITY IS WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE AND ACCESSIBLE PARKING SPACES ARE AVAILABLE, REQUESTS FOR ACCOMMODATION FOR INTERPRETIVE SERVICES MUST BE MADE, 48 HOURS PRIOR TO THIS MEETING. PLEASE CONTACT THE CITY CLERK'S OFFICE AT (915) 858-2915 FOR FURTHER INFORMATION.  
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOCORRO, TEXAS WILL BE HELD ON THURSDAY, THE 5<sup>TH</sup>, DAY OF JANUARY, 2012, AT 6:00 P.M AT THE CITY HALL CHAMBERS, 860 N. RIO VISTA RD., SOCORRO, TEXAS AT WHICH TIME THE FOLLOWING WILL BE DISCUSSED:

1. Call to order
2. Pledge of Allegiance and a Moment of Silence
3. Establishment of Quorum

**PRESENTATIONS:**

4. *Recognition of the Civil Service Commission, Museum Commission and the Historical Landmark Commission.* *Gloria M. Rodriguez*

5. *Public Comment*

**PUBLIC HEARING:**

6. *Public Hearing* on an ordinance of a curfew violation for minors under the age of 17 and establishing exceptions and defenses thereto; creating the offense of encouraging or assisting in the commission of a curfew offense; providing for the enforcement procedures; providing for the severability of all provisions and for a review of ordinance penalty. *A. Vidales, Jr.*

**CONSENT AGENDA:**

7. **Approval** of Special Council Meeting Minutes of 12/12/11. **A. Vidales, Jr.**
8. **Approval** of Socorro Elected Officials to attend the Elected Officials' Conference sponsored by the Texas Municipal League, February 17 through February 19-2012. **Jesus Gandara, Jr.**
9. **Approval** Of Human Resources Department and Civil Service Commissioners to attend the Texas Municipal Human Resources Association TxPERLA and Civil Service training February 29 through March 2, 2012. **Jesus Gandara, Jr.**
10. **Approval** of City of Socorro Public Funds Investment Officers to attend the Public Funds Investment training sponsored by the Texas Municipal Clerks Association, April 12 and 13, 2012. **Jesus Gandara, Jr.**

**REGULAR AGENDA:**

11. **Second Reading and Adoption** on an Ordinance of a Curfew Violation for Minors Under the Age of 17 and Establishing Exceptions and Defenses thereto; Creating the Offense of Encouraging or Assisting in the Commission of a Curfew Offense; Providing for the Enforcement Procedures; Providing for the severability of all provisions and for a review of Ordinance Penalty. **A. Vidales, Jr.**
12. **Discussion and action** on approval to have the Planning and Zoning Department send out a letter to El Paso County Water Improvement District #1. The letter should address the issue of having the canals, drains and spurs that run through the City of Socorro cleaned of brush, trash and dead animals for the safety and welfare of the community. **Guillermo Madrid, Jr.**
13. **Excuse** absent Council Members. **A. Vidales, Jr.**

**EXECUTIVE SESSION:**

The City Council will retire into EXECUTIVE SESSION pursuant to Section 3.08 of the City of Socorro Charter and the Texas Government Code, Sections 551.071 – 551.076 to discuss any of the following: (The items listed below are matters of the sort routinely discuss in Executive Session, but Council may move to Executive Session any of the items on this agenda, consistent with the terms of the Open Meetings Act.)

Section 551.071 CONSULTATION WITH ATTORNEY  
Section 551.072 DELIBERATION REGARDING REAL PROPERTY  
Section 551.073 DELIBERATION REGARDING PROSPECTIVE GIFT  
Section 551.074 PERSONNEL MATTERS  
Section 551.076 DELIBERATION

***Discussion on the following:***

14. **Discussion** on qualifications of individuals for employment and for appointment to Boards & Commissions, job performance of employees, real estate acquisition and receive legal advice from City Attorney regarding legal issues affecting these matters. **Blanco, Ordonez & Wallace, P.C.**

15. *Discussion* regarding pending litigation and receive status report regarding pending litigation.

*Blanco, Ordonez & Wallace, P.C.*

*Open Session:*

16. *Discussion and action* on legal advice received by Legal Counsel in executive session.

*A. Vidales, Jr.*

17. *Discussion and action* on advice received from City Attorney in closed session.

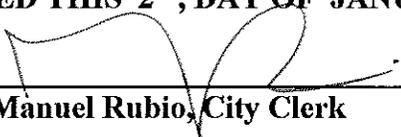
*A. Vidales, Jr.*

18. *Adjourn*

*A. Vidales, Jr.*

DATED THIS 2<sup>nd</sup>, DAY OF JANUARY, 2012.

By:

  
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Manuel Rubio, City Clerk

I, the undersigned authority, hereby certify that the above notice of the meeting of the City Council of Socorro, Texas is a correct copy of the notice and that I posted this notice at least Seventy-two (72) hours preceding the scheduled meeting at the City Administration Building, 124 S. Horizon Blvd., in Socorro, Texas.

DATED THIS 2<sup>ND</sup>, DAY OF JANUARY, 2012.

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