CITY OF NATALIA

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SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS 2078 STATE HWY 132 NORTH, NATALIA, TEXAS 18 MARCH 2024 at 5:30 P.M.

MINUTES

1. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Ortiz called the Special city council meeting to order at 5:30 pm.

ROLL CALL: Mayor Tommy Ortiz – Present

Alderman Mike Fernandez – Present

Alderman Ruby Vera – Present

Mayor Pro-Tem Sam Smith – Present

Alderman Darin Frazier - Present

Alderman Selica Vera – Present

Discussion/Consideration of Action Items

- 2. <u>Executive Session:</u> The City Council may meet in Executive Session Pursuant to Section 551.074, Personnel Matters, of the Texas Government Code, to discuss the following:
 - A) Review Applicants for position of Chief of Police.
 - B) Interview selected candidates for Chief of Police
 - C) Possible selection/deliberations for Chief of Police

Alderman Smith made a motion to convene into closed session at 5:30 pm, and Alderwoman R. Vera seconded the motion. Motion carried; 5-0.

- 3. <u>Regular Session:</u> The City Council reconvened into Regular Session at 7:04 pm, and if necessary, may act on items discussed in Executive Session:
 - A) Review Applicants for position of Chief of Police.
 - B) Interview selected candidates for Chief of Police
 - C) Possible selection/deliberations for Chief of Police

Alderwoman R. Vera made a motion to authorize the City Administrator to negotiate with the selected candidate for the Chief of Police position. Alderman Fernandez seconded the motion. Motion carried; 5-0

4. Adjournment

Attest:

Alderwoman S. Vera motioned to adjourn at 7:05 pm, and Alderman Fernandez seconded the motion. Motion carried; 5-0.

Passed and Approved this 15th day of April, 2024.

Approval:

Tommy Ortiz, Mayor /or/

Sam Smith, Mayor Pro-Tem

Nichole Bermea, Interim City Administrator/Secretary

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