

*Trini Lopez*  
Mayor

*Sergio Cox*  
At Large

*Jesus S. Hernandez*  
District 1



*Tommy A. Faulkner*  
District 2/ Mayor Pro Tem

*Jose Hernandez Jr.*  
District 3

*Jesus Gandara 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 18<sup>TH</sup>, DAY OF JUNE, 2009, 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:**  
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- 1. Call to order**
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance and a Moment of Silence**
- 3. Establishment of Quorum**

**PRESENTATIONS:**

- 4. *Recognition* of the 2008-2009 Socorro High School Varsity Baseball Team Class 5A State Champions.**  
*Mayor Trini Lopez*
- 5. *Presentation* of new legal topics dealing with recent state legislature changes, state court rulings, and federal court rulings affecting the City of Socorro, Texas.**  
*Jesus Gandara Jr.*
- 6. Open Forum**

**CONSENT AGENDA:**

- 7. *Approval* of Regular Council Meeting minutes of 05/07/09 and 05/21/09.  
(Tabled meeting 06/04/09).**  
*Olivia Navarro*

**REGULAR AGENDA:**

8. ***City Manager's Report*** on the status of *Budget preparation for 2009/2010.*  
(As per meeting of 02/07/08) ***Manny Soto***
9. ***Discussion and action*** on *procedures currently being used by the Code Enforcers for ordinance violations.* (Tabled meeting of 06/04/09) ***Tommy A. Faulkner***
10. ***Discussion and action*** on *status of the Budget Workshops* for the purpose of arranging *the 2009-2010 budget.* Need report from Interim City Manager.  
***Sergio Cox***
11. ***Discussion and action*** on approval to *overlay Bovee Rd.* ***Mayor Trini Lopez***
12. ***Discussion and action*** to *Accept the Independent Auditor's Report* conducted by Strickler & Prieto, LLP *FYE 09/30/08* for the City of Socorro, Texas. ***Mary Medina***
13. ***Discussion and action*** on approval to *enter into a contract for Engineering Services* for the City of Socorro, Texas. ***Sam Leony***

*The following items are added to the Regular Agenda for the meeting of June 18, 2009*

**ADDENDUM THE REGULAR AGENDA:**

14. ***Discussion and action*** on the status of hiring an in-house Grant Writer.  
***Tommy A. Faulkner***
15. ***Discussion and action*** on the *Interim City Manager's Contract* with the City of Socorro, Texas as per City Charter Section 4.01. ***Tommy A. Faulkner***
16. ***Discussion and action*** on approval to permanently remove the rear entrance door into the Mayor's Office due to security reasons since all visitors are not required to use the Administration's Building front door as per Council approval of May 21, 2009.  
***Tommy A. Faulkner***
17. ***Discussion and action*** on creating a policy for the use of the City of Socorro's Administration vehicle by Mayor and Council. ***Tommy A. Faulkner***
18. ***Discussion and action*** on approval to return the unauthorized used Drum Roller purchase and to have it replaced with a new Drum Roller. ***Tommy A. Faulkner***
19. ***Discussion and action*** on approval to name one of the City of Socorro's streets after Coach Chris Forbes. ***Tommy A. Faulkner***
20. ***Discussion and Action*** on purchasing new city limit signs welcoming people to the City of Socorro reading as follows: "Welcome to the City of Socorro Home of the Socorro High School 2009 5-A State Baseball Champions". Signs to be placed on all main arteries entering the City. (i.e. North Loop, Socorro Rd., Horizon Blvd. and Alameda Ave. /TX20). ***Sergio Cox***

**21. Discussion and action** on approval of a permit for a Socorro High School Parade on Horizon Blvd. and Alameda Ave. and for a permit to ignite fireworks. **Mayor Lopez**

**22. Discussion and action** on approval to submit a grant application to TDHCA for the Weatherization Assistance Program. **Mayor Lopez**

**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 REGARDING SECURITY DEVICES

***Discussion on the following:***

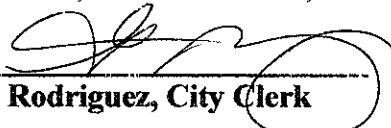
**23.** Receive status report and legal advice from Defense Counsel in pending civil litigation. **Blanco, Ordonez, and Wallace, P.C.**

**Open Session:**

**24. Discussion and action** regarding Defense Counsel's recommendations in pending civil litigation. **Blanco, Ordonez, and Wallace, P.C.**

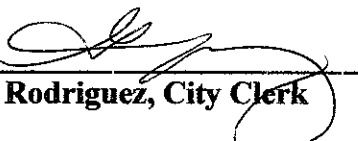
**25. Adjourn**

**DATED THIS 15<sup>TH</sup>, DAY OF JUNE, 2009.**

By:   
**Georgina Rodriguez, 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 15<sup>TH</sup>, DAY OF JUNE, 2009.**

By:   
**Georgina Rodriguez, City Clerk**

Agenda posted:  4:55 p  
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