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Lindsey Webb, Mayor

NOTICE OF EMERGENCY MEETING

Notice is hereby given of an **Emergency Meeting of the Abernathy City Council**, as authorized by Section 551.045 of the Texas Local Government Code, to be held Council Chambers of the City Hall Building, 811 Ave. D, Abernathy, Texas on Wednesday, April 1, 2020 at _____5:15 p.m.

SUPPLEMENTAL NOTICE OF MEETING BY VIDEO/TELEPHONE CONFERENCE

In accordance with order of the Office of the Governor issued March 16, 2020, the City Council of the City of Abernathy will conduct this Emergency Meeting in the Council Chambers of the City Hall Building, 811 Ave. D, Abernathy, Texas by allowing some members of the City Council to participate by telephone conference in order to advance the public health goal of limiting face-to-face meetings (also called "social distancing") to slow the spread of the Coronavirus (COVID-19). Some members of the City Council may participate in this meeting remotely through teleconference providing for two-way audio communication for each member of the City Council.

<u>Public access:</u> The public will be allowed to attend the meeting provided that no more than ten total people are present in the Council Chambers at once inclusive of the members of the City Council and City staff. In the event there are more than ten people present in the Council Chambers, the Mayor may take reasonable steps to assure that all individuals maintain a social distance of at least six (6) feet separation.

<u>Public Comment:</u> Individual citizens desiring to address the Council during the public comment session may do so about any item on the agenda. All citizens desiring to speak during must sign up on the sign-in sheet and comments will be limited to three (3) minutes per person.

This meeting will be recorded and the recording will be available to the public in accordance with the Open Meetings Act upon written request.

AGENDA

- I. Call to Order
- II. Welcome Guests
- III. Invocation
- IV. Public Comment (see procedures outlined above)
- V. Discussion/Action Items
 - A. Consider a resolution to renew, extend, modify or amend the Mayoral Declaration of Local Disaster due to a public health emergency as it relates to COVID-19 dated March 25th and March 31, 2020.
- VI. Adjournment

The Council may enter closed session at any time during the meeting in accordance with the provisions of Texas Open Meetings Act, Tex. Gov't Code Chapter 551 et. seq. This meeting is also being conducted in accordance with the Disabilities Act (42 U.S.C. 1991). The facility where the meeting is held is wheelchair accessible and handicapped parking is available. Other handicapped services are available upon request if received at least 48 hours prior to the meeting.