

MEETING MINUTES
FLORESVILLE CITY COUNCIL
REGULAR MEETING JANUARY 08, 2026, 6:00 PM
FLORESVILLE CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS
1120 D STREET, FLORESVILLE, TEXAS 78114

Call meeting to order: *Mayor Morales Cantu called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm*

Invocation: *Reverend Brooks*

Recite U.S. Pledge of Allegiance & Texas Pledge: *Pledges recited*

Establish Quorum: *Mayor Morales Cantu presided over Council Member Ximenez, Morones, Flores and Cantu. Council Member Lamberth joined via Zoom*

Citizen Comments: *None*

1.PUBLIC HEARING- *P&Z meeting was cancelled Public Hearing is postponed*

- a. **A request to amend the Future Land Use Plan Map for an area in the general vicinity of 1303 Hospital Blvd.**

- b. **A request to rezone a property from Residential Single Family "R-1" to Business "B" at 1303 Hospital Blvd.**

2. COUNCIL COMMENTS:

1. **Mayor Pro Tem Marissa Ximenez –** *No comment*
2. **Mario Morones -** *No comment*
3. **Jake Lamberth -** *No comment*
4. **Frances Flores-** *No comment*
5. **Felix Cantu -** *No comment*
6. **Mayor Gloria Morales Cantu-** *Announcements*

Moved to Executive session

3. OLD BUSINESS

- a. **Consideration and action to approve meeting minutes for the Regular Council Meeting on December 11, 2025.**
Council Member Ximenez made a motion to approve. Council Member Morones seconded the motion. Motion carried 4/0

NAME	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Mayor Morales Cantu				
Council Member Ximenez	x			
Council Member Morones	x			
Council Member Lamberth				x
Council Member Flores	x			
Council Member Cantu	x			
Motion Carries 4/0				

4. PRESENTATION/DISCUSSION- *Presentations given*

a. C Street Update- *Requested item to be on next meeting*

5. NEW BUSINESS

a. Consideration and action to approve Proclamation #2026-006- Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
Council Member Flores made a motion to approve. Council Member Cantu seconded the motion. Motion carried 4/0

NAME	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Mayor Morales Cantu				
Council Member Ximenez	x			
Council Member Morones	x			
Council Member Lamberth				x
Council Member Flores	x			
Council Member Cantu	x			
Motion Carries 4/0				

Citizen Comment: *None*

b. Consideration and Action to approve Proclamation #2026-007- National Law Enforcement Appreciation Day

Council Member Flores made a motion to approve. Council Member Morones seconded the motion. Motion carried 4/0

NAME	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Mayor Morales Cantu				
Council Member Ximenez	x			
Council Member Morones	x			
Council Member Lamberth				x
Council Member Flores	x			
Council Member Cantu	x			
Motion Carries 4/0				

Citizen Comment:

Moved to agenda item e

c. Consideration & Action on an amendment to the Future Land Use Plan Map for an area in the general vicinity of 1303 Hospital Blvd.

P&Z meeting cancelled – No Quorum

Citizen Comment

- d. **Consideration & Action on a request to rezone a 1.531-acre tract of land located at 1303 Hospital Blvd, rezoning from R-1 Single Family Residential to B, Business.**

P&Z meeting cancelled – No Quorum

Citizen Comment

Council Member Lamberth returned to the meeting at 6:57 pm

- e. **Consideration and possible action to approve issuing an RFQ for the Floresville Sports Complex field renovations and to authorize the Interim City Manager to negotiate on behalf of the City.**

Council Member Flores made a motion to approve. Council Member Ximenez seconded the motion. Motion carried 4/0

NAME	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Mayor Morales Cantu				
Council Member Ximenez	x			
Council Member Morones	x			
Council Member Lamberth	x			
Council Member Flores	x			
Council Member Cantu				x
Motion Carries 4/0				

Citizen Comment: *Reverend Brooks*

- f. **Consideration and possible action to approve an RFP for the audio-visual system upgrade at the Floresville Event Center.**

Council Member Ximenez made a motion to approve. Council Member Morones seconded the motion. Motion carried 5/0

NAME	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Mayor Morales Cantu				
Council Member Ximenez	x			
Council Member Morones	x			
Council Member Lamberth	x			
Council Member Flores	x			
Council Member Cantu	x			
Motion Carries 5/0				

Citizen Comment: *None*

- g. **Consideration and action to approve Resolution #2026-003 – A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Floresville, Texas (“City”), approving a policy of the City Council of the City of Floresville establishing rules and parameters for the use of City Council line item funds and the City’s purchase of tables and/or seats for the City Council for local and/or regional events; and establishing an effective date.**

Council Member Ximenez made a motion to accept the edits as proposed today for Resolution 2026-003. Council Member Morones seconded the motion. Motion carried 5/0

NAME	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Mayor Morales Cantu				
Council Member Ximenez	x			
Council Member Morones	x			
Council Member Lamberth	x			
Council Member Flores	x			
Council Member Cantu	x			
Motion Carries 5/0				

Citizen Comment: *None*

6. EXECUTIVE SESSION

****Executive Session in accordance with Texas Government Code Chapter 551****

The Floresville City Council may at any time during the meeting close the meeting and hold an executive session pursuant to the Texas Open meetings Act codified as Chapter 551, Texas Government Code which permits closed meetings pursuant to Section 551.071 for purposes of consulting with its attorneys; Section 551.072 deliberating about real property; section 551.073, deliberating about gifts, and donations; section 551.074 deliberating about personnel matters; Section 551.076 deliberating about security devices; Section 551.084 regarding exclusion of witness in connection with an investigation; Section 551.086 deliberating, voting, and taking action as a power utility on a competitive matter; Section 551.087 deliberating about economic development negotiations; and Section 551.088 deliberating about test items to discuss and/or deliberate any of the posted matters to be considered during the open meeting. If it does go into Executive Session, the Floresville City Council may deliberate in executive session, vote on the matter in open session, and announce it for the minutes.

Council Member Flores made a motion to go into executive session for item #2 at 6:05 pm. Council Member Morones seconded the motion. Motion carried 5/0

NAME	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Mayor Morales Cantu				
Council Member Ximenez	x			
Council Member Morones	x			
Council Member Lamberth	x			
Council Member Flores	x			
Council Member Cantu	x			
Motion Carries 5/0				

Council came back out. Council Member Flores made a motion for reconsideration for the City Council to meet in closed session pursuant to Texas Government Code Section 551.074, personnel matters, and Section 551.071, to consult with legal counsel on the following matters: Arbitration of claim of Stefano Cantu v. City of Floresville. Council Member Morones seconded the motion. Motion carried 4/0 at 6:09 pm

Council Member Cantu recused himself

NAME	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Mayor Morales Cantu				
Council Member Ximenez	x			
Council Member Morones	x			
Council Member Lamberth	x			
Council Member Flores	x			
Council Member Cantu				
Motion Carries 4/0				

Council Member Morones made a motion to go into Executive Session at 7:03 for **item #1**. Council Member Flores seconded the motion. Motion carried 5/0

NAME	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Mayor Morales Cantu				
Council Member Ximenez	x			
Council Member Morones	x			
Council Member Lamberth	x			
Council Member Flores	x			
Council Member Cantu	x			
Motion Carries 5/0				

a. The City Council will meet in closed session pursuant to Texas Government Code Section 551.074, personnel matters, and Section 551.071, to consult with legal counsel on the following matters:

1. **City Manager hiring process**

Council Member Morones made a motion to return from executive session at 7:57 pm for **item #1**. Council Member Flores seconded the motion. Motion carried 4/0

(Council Member Lambert left @ 7:57 pm)

NAME	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Mayor Morales Cantu				
Council Member Ximenez	x			
Council Member Morones	x			
Council Member Lamberth				x
Council Member Flores	x			
Council Member Cantu	x			
Motion Carries 4/0				

2. **Arbitration of claim of Stefano Cantu v. City of Floresville**

Council Member Morones made a motion to return from Executive Session at 6:44 pm for **item #2**. Council Member Ximenez seconded the motion. Motion carried 3/0

NAME	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Mayor Morales Cantu				
Council Member Ximenez	x			
Council Member Morones	x			
Council Member Lamberth				x
Council Member Flores	x			
Council Member Cantu				
Motion Carries 3/0				

Council Member Lamberth left for work call at 6:34 pm

b. ACTION FOLLOWING EXECUTIVE SESSION:

1. Consideration and action to approve the hiring process

No Action

Citizen Comment: *None*

2. Arbitration of claim of Stefano Cantu v. City of Floresville

Council Member Flores made a motion to approve the proposed settlement of the arbitration in accordance with the terms discussed in Executive Session. Council Member Morones seconded the motion. Motion carried 3/0

Councilperson Cantu recused himself

NAME	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Mayor Morales Cantu				
Council Member Ximenez	x			
Council Member Morones	x			
Council Member Lamberth				x
Council Member Flores	x			
Council Member Cantu				
Motion Carries 3/0				

Citizen Comment: *None*

Back to old business

7. ADJOURN: 7:59 pm

Gloria Morales Cantu – Mayor

Attest:

Evelyn Garcia -City Secretary