

THE STATE OF TEXAS §
COUNTY OF DIMMIT §
CITY OF CARRIZO SPRINGS §

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the City Council of the City of Carrizo Springs, Texas has called a **Special Session** at the City Hall Municipal Building, 308 West Pena Street, Carrizo Springs, Texas, 78834 on **Monday, September 8, 2025** commencing at **5:30 p.m.** for considering the following items of business:

CALL THE MEETING TO ORDER

Mayor Mario Ruiz called the meeting to order at approximately 5:30 p.m.

ROLL CALL & ESTABLISHMENT OF QUORUM

The Council conducted their own roll call and declared the following Councilmembers present:

Mario Ruiz	Mayor
Sofia Morones	Mayor Pro Tem
Noel Galvan	Councilor
Estanislado Z. Martinez	Councilor
Anika Santana	Councilor (Arrived at 5:38 p.m.)
Azalia Garcia	City Manager
Melissa M. Guerra	City Clerk

A quorum was established.

STAFF

Edgardo Castillo, Finance Director	Vennette M. Aguirre, Accounts Payable
Anita Ayala, Accounting Specialist	Ernest Flores III, HR Specialist

WELCOME & RECOGNITION OF GUESTS

Mayor Mario Ruiz welcomed and recognized all guest present.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The City Council recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

CITIZEN'S COMMENTS

No citizen comments.

2025-2026 FISCAL YEAR BUDGET WORKSHOP

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A. OPEN BUDGET WORKSHOP

Mayor Mario Ruiz open the 2025-2026 Fiscal Year Budget Workshop at 5:30 p.m.

Finance Director Edgardo Castillo states to Council that there is \$63,000 in the budget that has not been allocated. Mr. Castillo recommends allocating the \$63,000 to repair the City Hall roof. Councilor Noel Galvan states that the City Hall is old and has mold including asbestos. Councilor Estanislado Z. Martinez recommends building a new

City Hall instead of investing so much money on a new roof. Finance Director Edgardo Castillo states that it would cost 2 million dollars to build a new City Hall.

Councilor Noel Galvan also recommends hiring an additional Marshal Deputy with the \$63,000. Mayor Pro Tem asks what the cost would be to hire an additional Marshal Deputy. Finance Director Edgardo Castillo states that it would cost \$65,000.

Mayor Pro Tem Sofia Morones recommends issuing the Womens Shelter \$5,000 from the General Fund.

B. CLOSE BUDGET WORKSHOP

Mayor Mario Ruiz closed the budget workshop at 7:23 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion made by Councilor Noel Galvan , seconded by Mayor Pro Tem Sofia Morones to adjourn.

Vote for approval 5 - 0 (unanimous).

Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned approximately at 7:25 p.m.

/s/Mario Ruiz
Mario Ruiz, Mayor
City of Carrizo Springs

ATTEST:

/s/Melissa M. Guerra
Melissa M. Guerra, City Clerk
City of Carrizo Springs