

Travis County Commissioners Court Agenda Request

Meeting Date: June 26, 2012

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Elected/Appointed Official/Dept. Head: Margaret J. Gomez

Commissioners Court Sponsor: Margaret J. Gomez

AGENDA LANGUAGE:

Approve Proclamation declaring June 30, 2012 El Barrio Veteran's Parade Day.

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Proclamation

- WHEREAS, Travis County acknowledges and honors all those men and women that have served in the armed forces in defense of the United States; and,
- WHEREAS, El Concilio, a Coalition of Mexican-American Neighborhoods in East Austin, seeks to recognize the service of Travis County men and women and honor them with a Pre-4th of July "El Barrio Veteran's Parade" within the neighborhood of East Austin; and,
- WHEREAS, The League of United Latin American Citizens (LULAC) District 12 shares the desire of El Concilio to recognize and honor the men and women of Travis County and others who have served or are currently serving in our armed forces; and,
- WHEREAS. On Saturday, June 30, 2012, "El Barrio Veteran's Parade" led by the Tejanos in Action Color Guard, will start down East Cesar Chavez Street, at 10:00 AM and travel West to Chicon Street where it will turn South on Chicon St. and turn East on Jesse Segovia Street to Fiesta Gardens at Edward Rendon Park to join the Cristo Rey Catholic Church Jamaica; and,
- WHEREAS, Certain other neighborhood businesses, such as IBC BANK, Austin Energy and the East Side Lumber Company wish to support El Concilio and LULAC District 12 in their efforts; and,
- WHEREAS, Travis County residents are asked to honor our soldiers, both past and present.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED THAT THE TRAVIS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT HEREBY DECLARES SATURDAY, JUNE 30, 2012, AS EL BARRIO VETERAN'S PARADE DAY AND SUPPORTS AND APPLAUDS THE EFFORTS OF EL CONCILIO AND LULAC DISTRICT 12 TO SPONSOR EL BARRIO VETERAN'S PARADE.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, WE HAVE HEREUNTO SET OUR HANDS THIS 26^{th} DAY OF JUNE 2012.

SAMUEL T. BISCOE County Judge

RON DAVIS Commissioner, Precinct 1 SARAH ECKHARDT Commissioner, Precinct 2

KAREN HUBER Commissioner, Precinct 3 MARGARET J. GÓMEZ Commissioner, Precinct 4



LULAC District No.12 and El Concilio Mexican-American Neighborhood

PRESENT





HONORING WAR VETERANS FROM THE NEIGHBORHOOD **BOTH LIVING & DECEASED**

SYLUTRIDIANY

Parade begins at IBC BANK
Pleasant Valley & Cesar Chavez

and concludes at EDWARD RENDON PARK At Festival Beach (Cristo Rey Jamaica/Festival in action)

Join us at the Jamaica for food, fun and customer service oriented information.

> For more information please contact Marcos De Leon 576-7805