

PUBLIC MEETING

A public meeting is being held on December 16, 2025 from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at the Brownsville Public Library Southmost Branch located at 4320 Southmost Rd., Brownsville, TX to discuss the City of Brownsville's proposed project to construct a detention pond that will collect runoff and to provide flood management to the area. Project will be located approximately 1,300 LF south of the intersection of Burton Dr. and E. 14th St. in Brownsville, TX.

One of the purposes of this meeting is to discuss the potential environmental impacts of the project and alternatives to it. This project involves construction in the 100-year floodplain. Alternatives to construction in a floodplain, potential impacts to floodplains, and proposed mitigation measures will be addressed during the public meeting.

The total estimated cost of the project is \$1,545,000. There will be no impacts to the typical monthly bills of residents. No user rate increase, connection fee, tax, or surcharge will be required to finance this project. An application for financial assistance for the project has been filed with the Texas Water Development Board, P.O. Box 13231, Austin, Texas, 78711-3231.

An Environmental Information Document for the project has been prepared which will be available for public review at City Engineer's Office at 404 E. Washington St., Brownsville, TX between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. for 30 days following the date of this notice. Written comments on the proposed project may be sent to Carlos Lastra, 404 E. Washington Street, Brownsville, TX or emailed to carlos.lastra@brownsvilletx.gov for a period of 10 days after the public meeting ending December 26, 2025. Written comments may also be sent to the Texas Water Development Board, Attn: Environmental Reviewer, Regional Water Project Development, 1700 North Congress Avenue, P.O. Box 13231, Austin, Texas 78711-3231.