



CITY OF EAGLE PASS
AGENDA
CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING
Council Chambers, City Hall
100 S. Monroe Street, Eagle Pass,
Maverick County, Texas
Tuesday, May 19, 2026 at 5:30 PM

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

MOMENT OF REVERENCE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CITIZENS COMMUNICATIONS AND RECOGNITIONS

1. Presentation of Proclamation for:
 - Building Safety Month
 - National Bike Month
2. Recognition to Mayor's Youth Council Liaison Valeria Gonzalez.

CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS

3. Second reading of an ordinance of the City of Eagle Pass, Texas, supplementing Chapter 19, Article I, Section 19-22, of the Code of Ordinances to establish child safety zones and residency restrictions requiring registered sex offenders whose offenses involved children to reside at least 1,500 feet from any location where children commonly gather.
4. Third and final reading of an ordinance of the City of Eagle Pass, Texas, amending Chapter 23, Article II, Section 23-25 (b) and adding 23-13.2, of the Code of Ordinances by removing 23-25(b) value-based fees and adding 23-13.2 to include a fee schedule.

ORDINANCE(S)

5. Introductory ordinance of the City of Eagle Pass, Texas amending Chapter 5, Article III, Section 5-32, of the Code of Ordinances to include North Ridge

Subdivision, Block 1, Lot 1 (2427 Del Rio Blvd) within the areas in which the sale of alcoholic beverages for consumption on the premises is permitted.

6. Introductory ordinance of the City of Eagle Pass, Texas amending Chapter 5, Article III, Section 5-32, of the Code of Ordinances to include Vista Hermosa Commercial Subd, Block 1, Lot 2, Acres 1.3 (2093 N. Veterans Blvd) within the areas in which the sale of alcoholic beverages for consumption on the premises is permitted.
7. Introductory ordinance of the City of Eagle Pass, Texas amending Chapter 5, Article III, Section 5-32, of the Code of Ordinances to include Quirk Subdivision Unit #1, Lot 1 (4377 FM 1021) within the areas in which the sale of alcoholic beverages for consumption on the premises is permitted.
8. Introductory ordinance of the City of Eagle Pass, Texas, amending Chapter 16, Article 31, section 16-31 of the Code of Ordinances regarding junked vehicles, by amending the definition of junked vehicle to align with the Texas Transportation Code Chapter 683.

RESOLUTION(S)

9. Consider and act upon a Resolution of the City Council of the City of Eagle Pass, Texas, expressing support for the submission of a Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) Implementation Grant application to the United States Department of Transportation, incorporating a Safe Routes to School component, and authorizing the City Manager to execute all related documents.

OTHER BUSINESS

10. Consideration and possible action to approve the Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) Comprehensive Safety Action Plan for the City of Eagle Pass.
11. Presentation and discussion regarding the City of Eagle Pass Comprehensive Plan update by The University of Texas at San Antonio.
12. Discussion and possible action on a summer schedule for the City of Eagle Pass employees.
13. Discussion and possible action to approve Requisition 5240 in the amount of \$183,615.00 for the purchase of a New Marathon Gemini Xtreme Horizontal Baler & New Marathon Pit Infeed Conveyor from HMS Recycling Equipment Sales and Services for the Public Works Department- Recycling Center through Sourcwell Contract #010825-MEC, and authorize the issuance of a Purchase Order (P.O.) in accordance with City procurement policies.
14. Consideration and possible approval/rejection of RFP#2026-014 – City of Eagle Pass Patsy Winn Blvd Extension Project and authorize the City Manager

to negotiate and execute the contract.

15. Consideration and possible action to allow City Manager to enter into an agreement with LJA for Camino Real International Bridge Expansion Design.
16. Discussion and possible action authorizing the City Manager to negotiate and execute an agreement with Corazon Ministries, Inc. for the placement and operation of Naloxone vending machines at Fire Station #1 for the purpose of increasing public access to opioid overdose reversal medication and related harm reduction resources.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

The City Council reserves the right to adjourn into executive session at any time during this meeting to discuss any posted agenda item when authorized by Texas Government Code, Chapter 551, Subchapter D, Sections 551.071 (Consultation with Attorney), 551.072 (Deliberations about Real Property), 551.073 (Deliberations about Gifts and Donations), 551.074 (Personnel Matters), 551.076 (Deliberations about Security Devices), and/or 551.087 (Economic Development). Following a closed session, the open meeting will reconvene at which time action, if any, may be taken.

17. Executive Session pursuant Texas Government Code, Chapter 551, Section 551.071 update, discussion, and possible action regarding Cause No. 25-08-44756MCV, *Oscar Augusto Gutierrez and Norma Gutierrez, et al vs. City of Eagle Pass*, in the 293rd District Court, Maverick, County, Texas, and any other incident matters thereto.

ADJOURNMENT

Entrance and parking spaces for disabled persons are available in front of City Hall.

CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned authority, do hereby certify that the above notice of the meeting of the City Council of the City of Eagle Pass is true and correct copy of said notice and was posted on the bulletin board located in the lobby at City Hall in a convenient place to the public, 100 South Monroe Street, Eagle Pass, Texas, and said notice was posted the 13th day of May 2026, at 6:30 p.m., which is more than three (3) business days prior to the meeting on the 19th day of May 2026.

Erika Rodriguez
City Secretary

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF EAGLE PASS, TEXAS, SUPPLEMENTING CHAPTER 19, ARTICLE I, SECTION 19-22, OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES TO ESTABLISH CHILD SAFETY ZONES AND RESIDENCY RESTRICTIONS REQUIRING REGISTERED SEX OFFENDERS WHOSE OFFENSES INVOLVED CHILDREN TO RESIDE AT LEAST 1,500 FEET FROM ANY LOCATION WHERE CHILDREN COMMONLY GATHER; PROVIDING THAT THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BE CUMULATIVE; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING FOR PUBLICATION; AND DECLARING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Eagle Pass ("City") seeks to protect the health, safety, and welfare of its citizens; and

WHEREAS, the City has the authority pursuant to its police powers as a home-rule municipal corporation to adopt and enforce ordinances and regulations to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the public; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that protecting children from sexual abuse and predatory behavior is a legitimate and compelling governmental interest; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Chapter 62 of the Texas Code of Criminal Procedure, the Texas Legislature has established a system of registration for persons convicted of certain sexual offenses, including individuals convicted of sexual offenses against children; and

WHEREAS, persons required to register as a sex offender under Chapter 62 of the Texas Code of Criminal Procedure for offenses against children present a high risk of recidivism and a particular danger to children; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to reduce opportunities for contact between registered sex offenders and children by restricting where such offenders may reside in relation to areas where children commonly gather within City limits; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that establishing child safety zones around areas where children commonly gather will serve to protect children and promote the public safety and welfare; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that this ordinance is not intended to impose additional punishment on those required to register as sex offenders but to serve the civil and regulatory purposes of protecting children and preventing future victimization; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that establishing child safety zones around areas where children commonly gather will not completely prohibit registered sex offenders from residing within the City of Eagle Pass; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has considered the public testimony, Police Department recommendations, and relevant research regarding offender proximity and risk reduction; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined that the restrictions imposed by this ordinance are rationally related to legitimate public safety objectives and do not violate the constitutional rights of affected individuals; and

WHEREAS, the Eagle Pass City Council finds this ordinance to be reasonable and necessary to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the public.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EAGLE PASS, TEXAS THAT:

Section 1. The City of Eagle Pass Code of Ordinances, Chapter 19, Article I, by adding Section 19-22 is hereby supplemented as follows:

Sec. 19-22.- Sex Offender Residency Restrictions

a) Definitions.

For the purposes of this article, the following terms, words, and the derivations thereof shall have the meanings given herein:

- 1) Child safety zone means a premises where children commonly gather. The term includes a public or private school, public or private day-care facility, playground, public or private youth center, public swimming pool, video arcade facility, public park.**
- 2) Minor means a person younger than 17 years of age. Permanent residence means a place where a person abides, lodges, or resides for 14 or more consecutive days.**

- 3) Playground means any outdoor facility that is not on the premises of a school and that:
- (1) Is intended for recreation;
 - (2) Is open to the public or is open to a neighborhood or multi-family residential property containing more than two families; and
 - (3) Contains at least one play station intended for the recreation of children, such as slides, swing sets, and teeterboards.
- 4) Premises means real property and all buildings and appurtenances pertaining to the real property.
- 5) Registered sex offender means an individual who is required to register as a sex offender under Vernon's Ann. Code of Criminal Procedure Art. 62.
- 6) School means a private or public elementary or secondary school or a day-care center, as defined by Vernon's Ann., Human Resources Code § 42.002.
- 7) Temporary residence means a place where a person abides, lodges, or resides for a period of 14 or more days in the aggregate during any calendar year and which is not the person's permanent address, or a place where a person routinely abides, resides, or lodges for a period of four or more consecutive or nonconsecutive days in any month and which is not the person's permanent residence.
- 8) Video arcade facility means any facility that:
- (1) Is open to the public, including persons who are 17 years of age or younger;
 - (2) Is intended primarily for entertainment or recreational purposes; and
 - (3) Contains at least three video machines.
- 9) Youth center means any recreational facility or gymnasium that:
- (1) Is intended primarily for use by persons who are 17 years of age or younger; and
 - (2) Provides athletic, civic, or cultural activities.

b) Offense.

1) Generally.

(1) It is unlawful for a registered sex offender to establish a permanent or temporary residence within 1,500 feet of any child safety zone if the person is required to register because of a conviction involving a minor.

(2) A registered sex offender may not leave an exterior porch light or otherwise invite or entice trick-or-treaters to come to their residence on October 31st, or any other date set by the City for trick-or-treaters, between the hours of 4:00 p.m. and 11:00 p.m.

2) Evidentiary matters; measurements.

(1) It shall be prima facie evidence that this article applies to a person if that person's information appears on the central database maintained by the Texas Department of Public Safety as required by Vernon's Ann. C.C.P. art. 62.005.

(2) For the purposes of determining the minimum distance separation, the requirement shall be measured by following a straight line from the outer property line of the child safety zone.

(3) A map depicting the prohibited areas shall be maintained by the City. Said map will be available to the public for inspection at the City police department.

3) Culpable mental state not required. Neither allegation nor evidence of a culpable mental state is required for the offense defined under this section.

4) Affirmative defenses. It is an affirmative defense to prosecution that any of the following conditions apply:

(1) The registered sex offender entered into a residential lease, rental agreement, or purchase of a residence in a child safety zone prior to the date of the adoption of this article.

(2) The registered sex offender was a minor when he or she

committed the offense requiring such registration and was not convicted as an adult.

(3) The registered sex offender is a minor or a ward under guardianship.

(4) The child safety zone, as specified herein, within 1,500 feet of the permanent or temporary residence of the registered sex offender was opened after the person established the permanent or temporary residence and complied with all sex offender registration laws of the state.

(5) The registered sex offender maintains a permanent or temporary residence at a jail, prison, juvenile facility or other correctional institution or facility.

(6) The information on the sex offender registry database is incorrect, and, if corrected, this article would not apply to the person who was erroneously listed on the database.

5) *Exemption hearing.*

(1) A registered sex offender may petition the police chief or the police chief's designee, in writing, for an exemption from the requirements of this article.

(2) The police chief or the police chief's designee shall exempt a registered sex offender who established residency in a residence located within the specified distance of a child safety zone before the date this article is adopted. This exemption applies only to: a. Areas necessary for the registered sex offender to have access to and to live in the residence; and b. The period the registered sex offender maintains residency in the residence.

(3) The police chief or the police chief's designee may authorize an exemption from this article when, in their opinion, undue hardship will result from compliance or an individualized recidivist assessment indicates an exemption should be granted. In granting an exemption, the police chief or the police chief's

designee shall consider the probable effect the exemption will have upon the public health, safety, and welfare of the community.

c) Penalties.

Any person violating any provision of this article shall be fined not less than One Dollar (\$1.00) nor more than Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) for each offense, and a separate offense shall be deemed committed on each day during or on which a violation occurs. An offense under this article is a class C misdemeanor.

Section 2. This ordinance shall be cumulative of all provisions of ordinances of the City of Eagle Pass, Texas, except where the provisions of this ordinance are in direct conflict with the provisions of such ordinances, in which event the conflicting provisions of such ordinances are hereby repealed.

Section 3. It is hereby declared to be the intention of the City Council that the phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs and sections of this ordinance are severable, and if any phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph or section of this ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional by the valid judgment or decree of any court of competent jurisdiction, such unconstitutionality shall not affect any of the remaining phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs and sections of this ordinance, since the same would have been enacted by the City Council without the incorporation in this ordinance of any such unconstitutional phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph or section.

Section 4. The City Secretary of the City of Eagle Pass is hereby directed to publish the proposed Ordinance as required by Section 2-5 of the Charter of the City of Eagle Pass.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon passage.

**PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL AND APPROVED BY THE MAYOR
ON THIS ___ DAY OF _____ 2026.**

**AARON VALDEZ
MAYOR**

ATTESTED:

ERIKA RODRIGUEZ
CITY SECRETARY

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

ANA SOPHIA GARCIA
CITY ATTORNEY

ORDINANCE NO. 2026-

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF EAGLE PASS, TEXAS
AMENDING CHAPTER 5, ARTICLE III, SECTION 5-32, OF
THE CODE OF ORDINANCES TO INCLUDE NORTH
RIDGE SUBDIVISION, BLOCK 1, LOT 1 (2427 DEL RIO
BLVD), WITHIN THE AREAS IN WHICH THE SALE OF
ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES FOR CONSUMPTION ON THE
PREMISES IS PERMITTED; FINDING THAT THE
MEETING AT WHICH THIS ORDINANCE IS PASSED IS
OPEN TO THE PUBLIC AS REQUIRED BY LAW;
PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND
ESTABLISHING AN EFFECTIVE DATE**

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
EAGLE PASS, TEXAS, as follows:**

SECTION 1. Section 5-32, Article III, Chapter 5 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Eagle Pass, Texas, is hereby amended by adding at the end of the description, therein contained, of the areas in which alcoholic beverages may be sold, given, or dispensed, or delivered for consumption on the premises, the following language to-wit:

“North Ridge Subdivision, Block 1, Lot 1 (2427 Del Rio Blvd)”

SECTION 2. If any section, part, or provision of this Ordinance is declared unconstitutional or invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, then, in that event, it is expressly provided, and it is the intention of the City Council in passing this Ordinance that its parts shall be severable, and all other parts of this Ordinance shall not be affected thereby, and they shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 3. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its final passage in accordance with the City Charter of the City of Eagle Pass.

**READ, PASSED, AND APPROVED ON FIRST READING, on this 19th Day of May A.D.,
2026.**

ATTEST:

Aaron Valdez
Mayor

Erika Rodriguez
City Secretary

AYES:
NAYS:
ABSTAINED:
ABSENT:

READ, PASSED, AND APPROVED ON SECOND READING, this st Day of ____ A.D., 2026.

ATTEST:

Aaron Valdez
Mayor

Erika Rodriguez
City Secretary

AYES:
NAYS:
ABSTAINED:
ABSENT:

READ, PASSED, AND APPROVED ON THIRD AND FINAL READING this --th Day of _____, A.D., 2026.

ATTEST:

Aaron Valdez
Mayor

Erika Rodriguez
City Secretary

AYES:
NAYS:
ABSTAINED:
ABSENT:

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:

Ana Sophia Garcia
City Attorney

ORDINANCE NO. 2026-

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF EAGLE PASS, TEXAS
AMENDING CHAPTER 5, ARTICLE III, SECTION 5-32, OF
THE CODE OF ORDINANCES TO INCLUDE VISTA
HERMOSA COMMERCIAL SUBD, BLOCK 1, LOT 2,
ACRES 1.3 (2093 N. VETERANS BLVD, WITHIN THE
AREAS IN WHICH THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC
BEVERAGES FOR CONSUMPTION ON THE PREMISES IS
PERMITTED; FINDING THAT THE MEETING AT WHICH
THIS ORDINANCE IS PASSED IS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC
AS REQUIRED BY LAW; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY
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“Vista Hermosa Commercial Subd, Block 1, Lot 2, Acres 1.3 (2093 N. Veterans Blvd”

SECTION 2. If any section, part, or provision of this Ordinance is declared unconstitutional or invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, then, in that event, it is expressly provided, and it is the intention of the City Council in passing this Ordinance that its parts shall be severable, and all other parts of this Ordinance shall not be affected thereby, and they shall remain in full force and effect.

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Ana Sophia Garcia

City Attorney

ORDINANCE NO. 2026-

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF EAGLE PASS, TEXAS
AMENDING CHAPTER 5, ARTICLE III, SECTION 5-32, OF
THE CODE OF ORDINANCES TO INCLUDE QUIRK
SUBDIVISION UNIT #1, LOT 1 (4377 FM 1021) WITHIN
THE AREAS IN WHICH THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC
BEVERAGES FOR CONSUMPTION ON THE PREMISES
IS PERMITTED; FINDING THAT THE MEETING AT
WHICH THIS ORDINANCE IS PASSED IS OPEN TO THE
PUBLIC AS REQUIRED BY LAW; PROVIDING A
SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND ESTABLISHING AN
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“Quirk Subdivision Unit #1, Lot 1 (4377 FM 1021)”

SECTION 2. If any section, part, or provision of this Ordinance is declared unconstitutional or invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, then, in that event, it is expressly provided, and it is the intention of the City Council in passing this Ordinance that its parts shall be severable, and all other parts of this Ordinance shall not be affected thereby, and they shall remain in full force and effect.

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Mayor

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Mayor

Erika Rodriguez
City Secretary

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ATTEST:

Aaron Valdez
Mayor

Erika Rodriguez
City Secretary

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ABSENT:

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:

Ana Sophia Garcia
City Attorney

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF EAGLE PASS, TEXAS, AMENDING CHAPTER 16, ARTICLE 31, SECTION 16-31 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES REGARDING JUNKED VEHICLES, BY AMENDING THE DEFINITION OF JUNKED VEHICLE TO ALIGN WITH THE TEXAS TRANSPORTATION CODE CHAPTER 683; PROVIDING THAT THIS ORDINANCE SHALL BE CUMULATIVE; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; AND DECLARING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Eagle Pass ("City") finds that junked vehicles constitute a public nuisance and desires to regulate and abate such vehicles in accordance with Chapter 683 of the Texas Transportation Code; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to amend Chapter 16, Article 31 of the Code of Ordinances to align the City's definition of "junked vehicle" with Texas Transportation Code Section 683.071(a) and (b)(1), including vehicles that are self-propelled, wrecked, dismantled, partially dismantled, discarded, or inoperable, and which display an expired license plate or do not display a license plate.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EAGLE PASS, TEXAS THAT:

Section 1. The City of Eagle Pass Code of Ordinances, Chapter 16, Article 31, by amending Section 16-31 is hereby supplemented as follows:

Sec. 16-31. - Junked vehicle to be a public nuisance.

"Junked vehicle" shall mean every self-propelled mechanical device, in, upon or by which any person or property is or may be transported or drawn upon a public highway, including motor vehicles, commercial motor vehicles, truck-tractors, trailers and semitrailers, but excepting devices moved by human power or used exclusively upon stationary rails or tracks, and which:

(1) Does not have lawfully attached to it:

- a. An unexpired license plate; or
- b. A valid motor vehicle inspection certificate; and ~~or~~

(2)

Is:

- a. Wrecked, dismantled or partially dismantled, or discarded; and
- b. Inoperable and has remained inoperable for more than:
 - 1. Forty-eight (48) consecutive hours, if the vehicle is on public property; or
 - 2. Thirty (30) consecutive days, if the vehicle is on private property and is visible from public property or right-of-way.

Section 2. This ordinance shall be cumulative of all provisions of ordinances of the City of Eagle

Pass, Texas, except where the provisions of this ordinance are in direct conflict with the provisions of such ordinances, in which event the conflicting provisions of such ordinances are hereby repealed.

Section 3. It is hereby declared to be the intention of the City Council that the phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs and sections of this ordinance are severable, and if any phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph or section of this ordinance shall be declared unconstitutional by the valid judgment or decree of any court of competent jurisdiction, such unconstitutionality shall not affect any of the remaining phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs and sections of this ordinance, since the same would have been enacted by the City Council without the incorporation in this ordinance of any such unconstitutional phrase, clause, sentence, paragraph or section.

Section 4. This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon passage.

**PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL AND APPROVED BY THE MAYOR ON THIS
_____ DAY OF _____ 2026.**

**AARON VALDEZ
MAYOR**

ATTESTED:

**ERIKA RODRIGUEZ
CITY SECRETARY**

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

**ANA SOPHIA GARCIA
CITY ATTORNEY**

RESOLUTION NO. 2026 -

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION WITH THE US DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, FY26 SAFE STREETS AND ROADS FOR ALL (SS4A) IMPLEMENTATION GRANT PROGRAM; COMMITTING A TWENTY PERCENT (20%) LOCAL MATCH FOR THE PROPOSED SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL PROJECT; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ACT ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF EAGLE PASS IN ALL MATTERS RELATED TO THE APPLICATION; AND PLEDGING THAT IF A GRANT IS RECEIVED THE CITY OF EAGLE PASS WILL COMPLY WITH THE GRANT REQUIREMENTS OF THE US DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

WHEREAS, the City of Eagle Pass is committed to improving roadway safety, reducing traffic-related fatalities and serious injuries, and enhancing transportation infrastructure for all roadway users, including pedestrians, bicyclists, motorists, and transit users; and

WHEREAS, the City of Eagle Pass is committed to improving roadway safety, reducing traffic-related fatalities and serious injuries, and enhancing transportation infrastructure for all roadway users, including pedestrians, bicyclists, motorists, and transit users; and

WHEREAS, the City of Eagle Pass desires to submit an application for **FY2026 SS4A Implementation Grant** funding to support eligible transportation safety improvements and related infrastructure initiatives identified through the City's safety planning efforts; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds it in the best interest of the City of Eagle Pass to apply for such funding and to provide any required local matching funds associated with the project; and

WHEREAS, the City Council designates the City Manager as the grantee's authorized official. The authorized official is given the power to apply for, accept, reject, alter or terminate the grant on behalf of the applicant agency.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EAGLE PASS, TEXAS;

SECTION 1. The City Council hereby authorizes the submission of an application to the United States Department of Transportation for the FY2026 Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) Implementation Grant Program.

SECTION 2. That if the project is funded, the City of Eagle Pass will comply with all federal grant requirements of the U.S. Department of Transportation.

SECTION 3. Grant funds received under this program shall be used solely for the purposes authorized by the United States Department of Transportation and in accordance with the approved grant application.

READ, PASSED, AND APPROVED, this 19th day of May, A.D., 2026.

ATTEST:

Aaron Valdez
Mayor

Erika Rodriguez
City Secretary

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

MEETING DATE: 05/19/2026	SUBJECT OF DELIBERATION: Consider and act upon a Resolution of the City Council of the City of Eagle Pass, Texas, expressing support for the submission of a Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) Implementation Grant application to the United States Department of Transportation, incorporating a Safe Routes to School component, and authorizing the City Manager to execute all related documents.	
REQUESTED BY: Administration		DEPARTMENT SOURCE: N/A
BACKGROUND/PREVIOUS ACTION: The City of Eagle Pass was previously awarded the SS4A FY24 grant from the U.S. Department of Transportation to develop a safety comprehensive safety action plan aimed at improving roadway safety conditions throughout the community. The proposed FY26 SS4A Implementation Grant application would build upon and advance the City's ongoing safety planning efforts by seeking federal funding for the implementation of eligible infrastructure and roadway safety improvements identified through the Comprehensive Safety Action Plan process.		
COST: Total Project Cost: \$10.4M Local Match Requirement: 20% or \$2.1M		BUDGETED or FUNDING SOURCE: N/A
RECOMMENDATION FROM DEPARTMENT DIRECTOR: Approve the Resolution		
FINANCE DIRECTOR'S COMMENTS:		
CITY MANAGER'S COMMENTS:		
LEGAL COUNSEL COMMENTS:		
ATTACHMENTS:		
SUGGESTED MOTION:		

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION





City of Eagle Pass

TEXAS, USA

May 7, 2026

City of Eagle Pass
Finance Department- Purchasing Division

RE: REQ 5240- Recommendation to Proceed to City Council

Good day City Manager Homero Balderas,

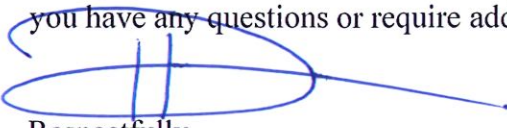
Attached for your review is a request from Public Works (Recycling Division) to proceed with a purchase outlined in REQ 5240 in the amount of \$183,615.

This purchase is being made through Sourcewell Contract #010825-MEC and has been reviewed by the Purchasing Division. We confirm that it meets all applicable procurement policies, cooperative purchasing requirements, and City guidelines.

Additionally, I have attached email confirmations from department leadership indicating their approval to move forward and requesting that we seek your recommendation prior to advancing this item.

As this purchase exceeds the \$100,000 threshold, it requires your recommendation before being presented to City Council for final approval and authorization to execute.

Please review the attached documentation and return this memo signed if you approve. Should you have any questions or require additional information, our office is ready to assist.


Respectfully,
Heber Ruiz
Purchasing Manager
City of Eagle Pass

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Homero Balderas
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Special meeting
5/19/26

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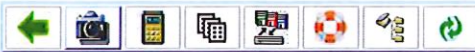
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Approval Userid	Fiscal Year	Department	Requisition Number	Requisition Date	Total Requisition Amount	Status	G L
hruiz	2026	PUBLICWORKS	5240	05/04/2026	\$183,615.00	Director Appvd	

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Fiscal year **2026** Dept name **PUBLICWORKS** Requisition number **5240**

Position



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Item	Qty	Account Number	Description	Sch Dlv	Stat	PO #	Amount
1	1.00	58-4960-424-5	NEW MARATHON GEMINI	No	I	0	119,055.00
2	1.00	58-4960-424-5	NEW MARATHON PIT INFEE	No	I	0	33,315.00
3	1.00	58-4960-424-5	PIT PLATES	No	I	0	2,310.00
4	1.00	58-4960-424-5	UPPER PHOTOCCELL FOR	No	I	0	2,040.00
5	1.00	58-4960-424-5	INSTALLATION & TRAINING	No	I	0	15,950.00
6	1.00	58-4960-424-5	OFFLOADING EQUIPMENT &	No	I	0	2,500.00
7	1.00	58-4960-424-5	FREIGHT	No	I	0	8,445.00
Totals 7.00							183,615.00



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Work with Requisition Details



Fiscal year	2026	Dept name	PUBLICWORKS	Requisition number	5240
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Position 2

Item	Qty	Account Number	Description	Sch Div	Stat	PO #	Amount
1	1.00	58-4960-424-5-2424	NEW MARATHON GEMINI	No	I	0	119,055.00
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Totals		7.00					183,615.00



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Requisition Master Inquiry



Details	Responses	Copy Req	Buyer Notes	Print Req	Comments	History	Budget Test
			Create PO	Reject			

Docs Exist

	Main	Other	
Department userid	jhernandez	Department name	PUBLICWORKS
Fiscal year	2026	Requisition number	5240
Requisition date	05/04/2026	Date item needed	05/05/2026
Delivery location code	PWR	Emergency	No
Special information	MARATHON HORIZONTAL BALER W/CONVEYOR SOURCEWELL #010825-MEC		
Requisition comments	BALER MACHINE IS BEING REPLACED WITH INSURANCE CLAIM FUNDS; OLD BALER WAS LOST IN THE FIRE		
Supplier info part 1	HMS RECYCLING EQUIPMENT/TOTAL \$183,615.00		
Supplier info part 2			
Supplier info part 3			
Preferred vendor	6566	CRAIG FOUTS & SONS INC	
Is this purchase IT related?	No	Will all or part of this expenditure be funded through a grant?	No





Business Proposal

For



Mr. Jerry Martinez

New Marathon Gemini Xtreme Horizontal Baler System

April 14th, 2026

9450 W US 30
Wanatah, Indiana
46390
(219) 733 - 2108

Prepared by Chris Fouts

chris@hoosiermachinery.com

HMS Recycling Equipment

HMS Recycling Equipment are experts at maximizing productivity and reducing costs through providing the best recycling equipment and Service to meet our customer needs. Our goal is to thoroughly understand your specific situation and then recommend a custom solution. Upon your agreement, we then make the idea a reality.

Many Options

HMS offers a wide variety of recycling equipment and balers that can be customized to your organization's requirements. HMS will install, train, and maintain recycling equipment at your locations nationwide. We specialize in two ram baler and Material Recovery Facility sales and service. We offer new, reconditioned, and used systems.

Service

HMS has a staff of highly trained service technicians capable of repairing and maintaining most types of recycling equipment. We provide routine and major service nationwide.

If it's a structural, mechanical, hydraulic, electrical, or programming issue, we are your experts in repair and maintenance of Balers, Sort Systems, and Conveyers.

Preventative maintenance can be performed on a quarterly or bi-annual basis. The advantage is preventative maintenance can minimize potential serious issues and keep your machinery running properly.

Bottom Line

HMS will work with your organization to provide the right solution, every time. HMS can install, remove, move and service all your equipment needs. Our culture is focused on complete customer satisfaction, and no excuses!

What are the needs of your Organization?



Types of Balers

- Two Ram
- Auto Tie Horizontal
- Manual Tie Horizontal
- Vertical



Types of MRF Equipment

- Conveyors
- Sort Systems
- Optical Sorters
- Shredders

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The HMS Advantage

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HMS is your one stop for recycling equipment needs. We care about long-term relationships and always work to do the right thing for our customers.

Commitment

- Understand the needs of the customer
- Agree to the most efficient and cost-effective solutions
- Meet and exceed the customer's needs
- Fix issues in a timely manner

Experience

HMS service technicians are experts at installing, repairing, moving, and maintaining all types of recycling equipment. Technicians are cross trained in rigging, structural, hydraulic, and electrical service. We have over 100 years of combined recycling machinery experience within our management team alone.

The only industry we serve is the recycling business. Our singular focus drives HMS employees to be experts with your recycling equipment needs.



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Recommendation

Features of Recommended System

New Marathon Gemini Xtreme Closed-End Horizontal Baler

20 HP Motor
(2) 6" Cylinders – 147,300 lb. Platen Force
Feed Opening: 57" x 35"
System Pressure: 3,000 psi
Cycle Time: 34 Seconds
Bale Size: 60" x 30" x 48"
Bale Weight: Up to 1,400 lbs. (OCC)
Closed End, Ejects Straight Out
Full Ram Penetration

New Marathon Pit Infeed Conveyor

48" Wide
Slider Bed Belt w/ Cleats
Feeds Over Cylinders
Pit-Style Conveyor



*Sample photos of Marathon Gemini Horizontal *

Sold NEW

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Investment

Equipment

New Marathon Gemini Xtreme Horizontal Baler	\$119,055
New Marathon Pit Infeed Conveyor	\$33,315
- Pit Plates	\$2,310
- Upper Photocell for Conveyor Control	\$2,040

Shipping and Installation

Installation and Training	\$15,950
- Move new baler into position	
- Assemble power unit	
- Test unit thoroughly	
- Train customer on usage	
Offloading Equipment and Forklift Rental	\$2,500
Freight to Eagle Pass, TX (3/5/26 Pricing)	\$8,445
Turnkey Installation Price	\$183,615

TERMS:

50% DEPOSIT, 50% PRIOR TO SHIPPING FROM MANUFACTURER

AVAILABILITY:

8-10 Weeks from Receipt of Deposit

WARRANTY:

5 Yr. Structural, 1 Yr. Parts, 1 Yr. Labor

FINAL 3 PHASE CONNECTION AND BALING WIRE NOT INCLUDED IN ABOVE PRICING.

SOURCEWELL CONTRACT #: 010825-MEC

HMS Recycling Equipment Implementation Schedule

Timeline of Events – Baler Install

- Order Placed
- Installation Date – 8-10 Weeks after Order Placed
- Follow Up Meeting 30 days later to ensure satisfaction

Installation

- 1-Day onsite, training immediately after

Training

- After installation, operation, and maintenance

Follow Up Meeting

- A chance to formally discuss equipment performance and expectations met.



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9450 W. US Highway 30

Wanatah, IN 46390

Phone: 219-733-2108

Toll Free: 855-33-BALER

Fax: 219-733-2109

Re: REQ 5240 – Approval to Proceed

From Heber Ruiz <hruiz@eaglepasstx.gov>

Date Thu 5/7/2026 11:15 AM

To Valeria Mendoza <vmendoza@eaglepasstx.gov>; Felix Castillo <fcastillo@eaglepasstx.gov>

Cc Luissana Ramirez <luissana.ramirez@eaglepasstx.gov>

I'll make sure to advice the department to take it to council for final approval before PO is issued.

(Account has been updated)

Respectfully,



HEBER RUIZ
Purchasing Manager

FINANCE DEPARTMENT- PURCHASING DIVISION

Office: 830-773-1111 Ext.1023

Email: hruiz@eaglepasstx.gov

Office: 100 S Monroe St., Eagle Pass, Texas 78852



City of Eagle Pass

From: Valeria Mendoza <vmendoza@eaglepasstx.gov>

Sent: Thursday, May 7, 2026 11:14 AM

To: Heber Ruiz <hruiz@eaglepasstx.gov>; Felix Castillo <fcastillo@eaglepasstx.gov>

Cc: Luissana Ramirez <luissana.ramirez@eaglepasstx.gov>

Subject: Re: REQ 5240 – Approval to Proceed

Please update the expense account number for REQ 5240 to **58-4960-424-5-2424** and this will require Council approval prior to issuance of a Purchase Order due to it exceeding \$100K.

Thank You,



Valeria Mendoza

Assistant Finance Director

(830) 773-111 ext. 2026

vmendoza@eaglepass.tx.gov

<https://www.eaglepass.tx.gov>

100 S Monroe St, Eagle Pass, TX 78852

From: Heber Ruiz <hruiz@eaglepasstx.gov>

Sent: Thursday, May 7, 2026 10:54 AM

To: Felix Castillo <fcastillo@eaglepasstx.gov>; Valeria Mendoza <vmendoza@eaglepasstx.gov>

Cc: Luissana Ramirez <luissana.ramirez@eaglepasstx.gov>

Subject: REQ 5240 – Approval to Proceed

Good morning,

I currently have REQ 5240 pending on my end.

For your review, I have attached screenshots from STW (you may also access STW for a more in-depth review), along with the Sourcewell proposal (co-op quote) associated with this request.

I am seeking your written confirmation to proceed and route this REQ to Administration for final approval prior to issuing the PO, as the total transaction amount is \$183,615, which exceeds the \$20,000 threshold.

Additionally, the account currently being utilized is 58-4960-424-5. If this should be updated to an account that includes a project code, please advise so we can make the necessary adjustment.

Please let me know if you need any additional information.

Respectfully,



HEBER RUIZ

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