

News From The City of Harlingen



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Listening Sessions Scheduled in Districts 5 & 1

HARLINGEN, Texas– The Harlingen City Commission plans to continue meeting with the community to hear concerns and ideas to formulate a plan on how to move the City forward. It began with a town hall meeting on June 30 and the Commission will continue the conversation by now holding gatherings in each of the City’s five districts. This is an opportunity for residents to share the concerns they have in their respective districts with the City Commission.

The first Listening Session will be in District 5 on Tuesday, July 26, 2022. It will be held at Vela Middle School from 5:30 to 7 p.m. District 5 Commissioner Rene Perez and the Harlingen City Commission invite residents of his district to attend and continue the conversation and fill out the City’s 2022 Survey.

The flyer for the District 5 Listening Session features the City of Harlingen logo at the top. Below the logo, it reads 'City of Harlingen Mayor and City Commission INVITE YOU TO'. A red banner contains the text 'District 5 Listening Session'. Below this, the location and date are listed: 'Vela Middle School, 801 S. Palm Blvd, Tuesday, July 26, 2022, 5:30 - 7:00 PM'. A small portrait of Rene Perez is shown. At the bottom, it says 'ALL CITY OF HARLINGEN RESIDENTS WELCOMED MORE INFO PLEASE CALL 956-216-5001'.

The flyer for the District 1 Listening Session features the City of Harlingen logo at the top. Below the logo, it reads 'City of Harlingen Mayor and City Commission INVITE YOU TO'. A red banner contains the text 'District 1 Listening Session'. Below this, the location and date are listed: 'Harlingen Arts & Heritage Museum, 2425 Boxwood, Thursday, August 4, 2022, 5:30 - 7:00 PM'. A small portrait of Ford Kinsley is shown. At the bottom, it says 'ALL CITY OF HARLINGEN RESIDENTS WELCOME MORE INFO PLEASE CALL 956-216-5001'.

A second Listening Session will be held in District 1 on Thursday, August 4, 2022, at the Harlingen Arts & Heritage Museum from 5:30 to 7 p.m.

District 1 Commissioner Ford Kinsley and the Harlingen City Commission encourage residents of District 1 to

attend and share their concerns and ideas on how to move Harlingen forward.

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Attendees will be asked to fill out a survey to rate their overall satisfaction with major categories and services provided by the City. It will also include an opportunity to identify services needed in the community. The survey can also be filled out online by visiting the City's website at <https://www.myharlingen.us/page/2022survey>.

Dates for the Listening Sessions for Districts 2, 3, and 4 will be announced soon.

Vela Middle School is located at 801 S. Palm Boulevard & The Harlingen Arts & Heritage Museum is located at 2425 Boxwood Street.

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