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Harlingen Mayor, County Judge, & Health Care Partners to Discuss COVID-19 Surge and Impact on Hospitals

HARLINGEN, Texas—Mayor Chris Boswell, Cameron County Judge Eddie Treviño, Jr., and local Health Care partners will hold a joint press conference on August 27, 2021, to discuss an ongoing hospital capacity overload and staffing shortage, as well as, testing, vaccines, and the Regional Infusion Center. The public can watch it live via the City's website at <http://myharlingen.us/>

What:

COVID-19 Community Update

Who:

Mayor Chris Boswell

Cameron County Judge Eddie Treviño, Jr.

Manny Vela, CEO, Valley Baptist Health System & Valley Baptist Medical Center

Matt Wolthoff, CEO, Harlingen Medical Center

Dr. Michael Mohun, City of Harlingen Health Authority

Rene Perez, RN, BSN, Paramedic Director of Patient Transport Services at South Texas Emergency Care Foundation, Inc. (STEC)

Esmeralda Guajardo, Cameron County Health Administrator

When & Where:

Friday, August 27, 2021, 1:30 p.m.

Harlingen City Hall 118 E. Tyler

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