# Minutes of Meeting April 11, 2019

A Special Meeting of the Port Commission of Port Freeport was held April 11, 2019 beginning at 3:59 PM at the Administration Building, 1100 Cherry Street, Freeport, Texas.

## Commissioners present:

Mr. Paul Kresta, Chairman

Mr. Shane Pirtle, Secretary

Mr. Bill Terry, Asst. Secretary

Mr. Rudy Santos, Commissioner

Mr. Ravi Singhania, Commissioner

### Staff Members Present:

Mr. Jason Cordoba, Legal Counsel

Ms. Phyllis Saathoff, Executive Director/CEO

Mr. Rob Lowe, Director of Administration/CFO

Mr. Al Durel, Director of Operations

Mr. Chris Hogan, Director of Protective Services

Mr. Jason Miura, Director of Business & Economic Development

Ms. Missy Bevers, Executive Assistant

Ms. Mary Campus, Controller

#### Absent:

Mr. John Hoss, Vice Chairman

# Also, present:

Mr. Chad Janosky, Bay-Houston Towing

Mr. Rick Stephanow, Gulf LNG Services

- 1. CONVENE OPEN SESSION in accordance with Texas Government Code Section 551.001, et. seq., to review and consider the following:
- 2. EXECUTIVE SESSION in accordance with Subchapter D of the Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code Section 551.001, et. seq., to review and consider the following:
  - A. Under authority of Section 551.072 (Deliberation of Real Property Matters) for discussion regarding:
    - 1. Discussion regarding the terms and conditions of a Lease Agreement between Port Freeport and G&H Towing Company.
- 3. RECONVENE OPEN SESSION to review and consider the following:
- 4. Discuss and consider approving a Lease Agreement between Port Freeport and G&H Towing Company.

Mr. Miura stated that G&H Towing has been a tenant of Port Freeport for a number of years and has a current lease which will expire in 2022. G&H has requested to enter into a new lease agreement for a primary term of 10 years for a tug docking facility. Staff recommends entering into the lease agreement which will be effective April 15, 2019 and with concurrent termination of the current lease.

A motion was made by Commissioner Pirtle to approve the lease agreement. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Santos with all Commissioners present voting in favor of the motion.

# 5. Adjourn.

With no further business before the Commission, the meeting adjourned at 4:01 PM.