NOTICE OF PUBLIC BUDGET HEARING

BE IT KNOWN that on Thursday, September 15, 2016, beginning at 6:00 o'clock, p.m., the City Council of the City of Freeport, Texas, will conduct a PUBLIC HEARING at the Police Department Municipal Courtroom of the City of Freeport, Texas, located therein at 430 North Brazosport Boulevard, on the PROPOSED BUDGET of the City for the FISCAL YEAR 2016-2017, which may be EXAMINED on request at the Office of the City Manager, 200 West Second Street, Freeport, Texas 77541, during normal business hours, or on line at www.freeport.tx.us. WRITTEN COMMENTS concerning the budget must be mailed to arrive at or be delivered in person to the office of the City Manager at such physical address prior to 5:00 p.m. on the day of such hearing. VERBAL COMMENTS will be accepted at the time of the hearing.

THIS BUDGET WILL RAISE MORE TOTAL PROPERTY TAXES THAN LAST YEAR'S BUDGET BY \$79,896 OR 3.23%, AND OF THAT AMOUNT, \$88,540 IS TAX REVENUE TO BE RAISED FROM NEW PROPERTY ADDED TO THE TAX ROLL THIS YEAR.

Delia Muñoz, City Secretary City of Freeport, Texas