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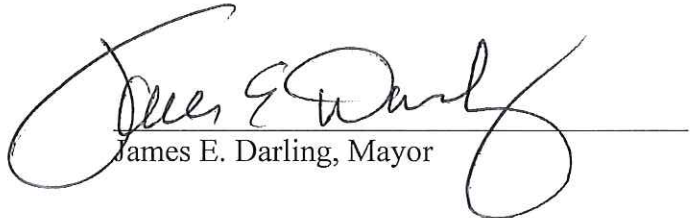
JAMES E. DARLING
MAYOR

May 31, 2016

EXECUTIVE SIGNING DECLARATION

Today, in my capacity as Mayor and Chief Executive Officer of the City of McAllen I am signing Ordinance No: 2016-38 passed at the McAllen City Commission meeting held on May 23, 2016 amending the McAllen Code of Ordinances Chapter 138, Article V, Division 13- Heart of the City Overlay Districts to revise restrictions pertaining to the Economic and Cultural Overlay District. Further, and without diminishing the full force and credit of Ordinance No: 2016-38 on its face, and in my capacity as the Presiding Officer of the May 23rd McAllen City Commission meeting, it is my opinion that the language of the ordinance does not accurately reflect the intentions and desires of the McAllen City Commission with respect to its intended application to the Economic and Cultural Overlay District.

Therefore, I am exercising the authority I have as Mayor of the City of McAllen to instruct staff to place this item on the next agenda for the meeting of the McAllen City Commission for clarification and reconsideration. Furthermore, I am requesting staff to abstain from implementing or enforcing any changes under Ordinance No: 2016-38 until the City Commission has the opportunity to provide further guidance.


James E. Darling, Mayor