

**ERC RESOLUTION NO. 2021-1**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE ETHICS REVIEW COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF SAN MARCOS, TEXAS RECOMMENDING AN AMENDMENT TO THE SAN MARCOS CODE OF ETHICS TO REQUIRE ETHICS TRAINING FOR APPOINTED AND ELECTED CITY OFFICIALS AND CITY BOARD AND COMMISSION MEMBERS**

**RECITALS:**

1. The Ethics Review Commission (the "Commission") is required by Section 2.443 of the San Marcos City Code to meet at least once per year to review the Code of Ethics and is authorized to make recommendations to the city council regarding amendments.
2. The Commission has determined that the Code of Ethics currently contains no provisions that require elected and appointed city officials and board and commission members to receive ethics training.
3. The Commission finds that adopting an amendment to the Code of Ethics to require recurrent ethics training would remind elected and appointed officials and board and commission members of the ethics ordinances and requirements governing their service to the city and help prevent inadvertent ethics violations from occurring.

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE ETHICS REVIEW COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF SAN MARCOS, TEXAS:**

**PART 1.** The Commission hereby recommends that the City Council discuss and consider amending the Code of Ethics to require appointed and elected city officials and city board and commission members to attend ethics training within 30 days of the beginning of each term of office for the position to which he or she was elected or appointed.

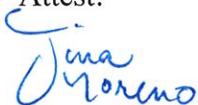
**PART 2.** This resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

**ADOPTED** on March 9, 2021.



Jonathan Lollar  
Chair

Attest:



Tina Moreno  
Recording Secretary