

# County of Nueces



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**BARBARA CANALES**  
County Judge  
Nueces County Courthouse, Room 303  
901 Leopard Street  
Corpus Christi, Texas 78401-3697

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## COMMISSIONERS COURT RESOLUTION Honoring Dr. William Burgin Jr.

**WHEREAS**, Dr. William Burgin Jr. was born October 3, 1934 in Rockford Illinois to Mary Ellen Burgin, and William Burgin Sr. In 1953 he graduated from Spring Hill College in Mobile Alabama. He is married to Marilyn Burgin. They had 5 sons, William III, Patrick (deceased), Karl, Christopher, Jonathan, and was a guardian of three Vietnamese War Orphans, Long, Hoa and Duc Tran, (Brothers); and,

**WHEREAS**, in 1961 he attended Medical School at the University of Nebraska, College of Medicine, in Omaha, Nebraska. He graduated with an MD degree; and,

**WHEREAS**, Dr. Burgin Jr. was a Commander in the Military, USA Medical Department Activity, Commander, Darnel Army Community Hospital, and III Corps Surgeon, FT Hood. Dr. Burgin received the following awards: Army Commendation Medal in 1966, Army Legion of Merit in 1975; With Oak Leaf Cluster in 1979; with 2<sup>nd</sup> Oak Leaf Cluster in 1983, "A" Prefix: Professional Designator by Department of the Army; and Expert Field Medical Badge, in 1981; and,

**WHEREAS**, Dr. William Burgin Jr. became the Medical Director of Respiratory Care at Memorial Medical Center in Corpus Christi, TX in 1998, and;

**WHEREAS**, Dr. William Burgin, Jr. held the position as Nueces County TB Control Officer starting in 1988 and went on to hold the position of Local Health Authority for the City of Corpus Christi – Nueces County Public Health District starting in 2005

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE NUECES COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT** hereby honors Dr. Will Burgin, Jr. for his many accomplishment as a local health authority; the court further recognizes Dr. Burgin for his stellar medical career.

**DULY ADOPTED BY VOTE OF THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF NUECES COUNTY, TEXAS, ON THIS THE 20<sup>th</sup> DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2019.**

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ATTEST:

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**KARA SANDS**, County Clerk