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San Benito Moves Forward After Petition Review

A petition to recall the elected San Benito City Commission was submitted and thoroughly reviewed in accordance with the city charter. After careful examination, the petition was found insufficient as it did not meet the necessary requirements outlined in the charter.

With this matter resolved, the City Commission will continue its work as the community's democratically elected body serving San Benito. The City Commission remains focused on its priorities: supporting local businesses, fostering new residential development, and attracting new businesses to San Benito.

"As your elected mayor and city commission, chosen by the majority to serve this community, we've remained committed to progress and staying focused on the positive," said Mayor Rick Guerra. "We will continue to serve as we were elected to do, and we invite citizens to share their ideas on how we can improve San Benito together."

In that spirit of collaboration, the City of San Benito is hosting a community workshop on Wednesday, Nov. 13, to gather input from residents and business owners on the future of the city as it develops a new comprehensive plan. The workshop will take place at the San Benito Municipal Building, 485 N. Sam Houston Blvd., from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m.

This event provides an opportunity for everyone to engage and share ideas on how to make San Benito an even more vibrant, thriving community. Topics may include parks, recreation, community events, and more. Together, we can shape the future of San Benito.