

TRAVIS COUNTY EMERGENCY SERVICES DISTRICT NO. 8

AGENDA

January 17, 2023

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Travis County Emergency Services District No. 8 will be held on **Tuesday, January 17, 2023 at 5:30 p.m.**, at Station 801, located at 801 Bee Creek Road, Spicewood, Texas 78669, for the following purposes:

1. Call meeting to order;
2. Public Comment: Members of the public may speak for up to three (3) minutes regarding general topics or specific agenda items. In accordance with the Texas Attorney General's opinion, any public comment that is made on an item that is not on the published final agenda will only be heard by the Board of Commissioners. No formal action, discussion, deliberation, nor comment will be made by the Board of Commissioners;
3. Public Comment on Agenda items: Individual members of the public may address the Board for a maximum of three minutes per person per agenda item. Individuals may address the Board once per item. Members of the public will speak on agenda items before Board consideration of item. Members of the public who wish to speak on agenda items or make a public comment must complete speaker cards prior to the beginning of the Board meeting.
4. Board of Commissioners to honor Kristy Quigley for her many years of service to Pedernales Fire Department.

Administrative


5. Introduction of Bruce Mills to the Board of Commissioners;
6. Approve and accept statements and oaths of office for appointment of Commissioners;
7. Action regarding election of officers for Board of Commissioners;

Discussion/Action Items

8. Approval of Minutes from the 12/14/2022 Board meeting;
9. Receive report from Administrative Manager and consider taking related action, including:
 - a) Approval of monthly bills, invoices, and checks, including processing of payroll;
 - b) Approval of financial report;
 - c) Review and approve quarterly investment report;
10. Discuss and consider approval of Resolutions for the Board of Commissioners to express opposition to certain Texas Municipal League legislative initiatives, specifically:
 - a) Resolution to Oppose Legislation Allowing Unilateral Withdrawal from an ESD's Jurisdiction;
 - b) Resolution to Oppose Legislation Requiring Municipal Consent for an ESD to Extend Services into the Municipality's Extra-territorial Jurisdiction;
 - c) Resolution to Oppose Legislation Requiring an ESD to Enter into a Sales and Use Tax "Sharing" Agreement when a Municipality Annexes Territory Included in an ESD; and
 - d) Resolution to Oppose Legislation Limiting an ESD's Ability to Represent its Legislative Interests
11. Discuss and consider taking action on jurisdictional options;

12. Identify, prioritize and consider taking action on strategic management activities, including:
 - Briarcliff ETJ Project;
 - Options for Station 805;
 - Records Management Program; and
 - Legislative update
13. Discuss and consider taking action on Resolution to designate old Mobile Data Computers as surplus property for sale.
14. Receive monthly Fire Chief report and consider taking appropriate actions;
 - Emergency operations, response times, call volume;
 - Training;
 - Management activities, personnel, budget FY 2022/2023, and community impact;
 - Discuss and consider taking action on RFQ for station 801
 - Apparatus needs.
 - Discuss and consider taking action on Resolution to designate Engine 804 as surplus property for sale.
15. Receive monthly report from the District's attorney regarding pending litigation matters, contract issues, and legislative efforts and consider taking related action;
16. Review and possibly update Resolution Designating Authorized Persons to District Account;
17. Receive report from Pedernales Association of Firefighters regarding fundraising efforts, social and membership events, and unresolved issues discussed at the Chief/Association/Board (aka "CAB") Committee meeting;
18. Discuss agenda, time and date for next meeting; and
19. Adjourn.

A packet containing all supportive documentation for this agenda is available for inspection at 801 Bee Creek Road, Spicewood, Texas 78669, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.



John Carlton, Attorney for
Travis County ESD #8

The Board may retire to Executive Session any time between the meeting's opening and adjournment for any purpose authorized by the Texas Open Meetings Act, including but not limited to: consultation with legal counsel (Section 551.071 of the Texas Government Code); personnel matters (Section 551.074) and/or discussion of real estate acquisition (Section 551.072). Action, if any, will be taken in open session.

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