

BASTROP-TRAVIS COUNTIES EMERGENCY SERVICES DISTRICT NO. 1

AGENDA

December 19, 2023

Notice is hereby given that a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Bastrop-Travis Counties Emergency Services District No. 1 will be held on **Tuesday, December 19, 2023, at 6:30 p.m.**, at the McDade Fire Station, 224 El Paso Street, McDade, Texas, for the following purposes:

1. Pledge of Allegiance;
2. Call meeting to order;
3. Public Comment: Members of the public may address the Board for a collective total of 10 minutes regarding general topics that are not on the current agenda. In accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, any response to a public comment that is made on an item that is not on the published final agenda will be limited to a statement of factual information or a statement of existing policy given in response to the public comment. Any deliberation or decision by the Board must be limited to a proposal to place the subject on a future agenda;
4. Public Comment on Agenda Items: Members of the public may comment on any agenda item listed below. Members of the public may speak for up to three minutes per agenda item on which they comment. Members of the public will speak on an agenda item after the item is called by the presiding officer, but before Board consideration of the item;

ADMINISTRATIVE

5. Approve and accept Statement and Oath of Office for commissioner appointed to fill unexpired term;
6. Discuss and consider election of officers;

PRESENTATION AND REPORTS

7. Presentation by Amy Miller on Trash Consolidation Program;
8. Presentation by Jacob Ericksin and Jacob Goldman with Streamline Connect on website services;
9. Presentation by Leslie Levy with IT-Voice Technology Simplified;
10. Receive monthly report from the Treasurer and consider:
 - (a) approval of payment of monthly bills and invoices;
 - (b) approval of monthly financial report; and
 - (c) action regarding amendments to budget for FY23 and/or FY24;
11. Receive monthly report regarding District emergency operations, apparatus, response times, call volume, training, budget, management activities, personnel issues, and membership;
12. Receive monthly Commissioner activity reports;

DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS

- 13. Discuss and consider approval of minutes for the November 21, 2023 regular meeting;
- 14. Discuss and consider action on presentation by Streamline Connect to approve engagement of website consultant;
- 15. Review and discuss the District Chief’s signing authority and amount limitations for District bank accounts;
- 16. Review and discuss Texas County & District Retirement System (TCDRS) Plan Agreement for 2024 plan year and consider taking action to approve Agreement;
- 17. Review and consider taking action to approve Release of Pledge Collateral document;
- 18. Discuss and consider taking action on personnel evaluations;
- 19. Discuss and consider taking action on bids for IT support;
- 20. Discuss and consider attending Annual SAFE-D Conference, scheduled for February 22-24, 2024, at the Irving Convention Center;
- 21. Discuss investment accounts and consider taking action to authorize the transfer of funds;
- 22. Discuss and consider submitting required annual report to the Division of Emergency Management through SAFE-D website;
- 23. Discuss need to call May commissioner election and terms expiring for Commissioner McCullough, Commissioner Benson and Commissioner Mogonye;
- 24. Discuss agenda items, time, and date for next meeting.

A packet containing all supportive documentation for this agenda is available for inspection at The Carlton Law Firm, P.L.L.C., 4301 Westbank Drive, Suite B-130, Austin, Texas between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday and at the District Office located at 111 N. Avenue C, Elgin, Texas between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

/s/ Matt Benson
Matt Benson, Secretary

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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); discussion of real estate acquisition (Section 551.072); discussion regarding a prospective gift to the District (Section 551.073); and/or deliberation regarding security devices or security audits (Section 551.076). Action, if any, will be taken in open session.