## NAVARRO COUNTY EMERGENCY SERVICES DISTRICT NO. 1 Minutes from REGULAR MEETING 06-14-2022

1. Call to order and establish quorum -

Meeting was called to order at 6:00 pm. Quorum was established. President – **Stapleton**, Vice President - **Snyder**, Treasurer – **Kilgore**, Assistant Treasurer – **Smith** and Secretary – **Latta.** 

2. Citizen Comment and Announcements -

Update regarding Mustang VFD, currently non-operational. Current response area handled by Angus VFD. County Fire Assn. will request additional funding per truck from Navarro County Commissioner's Court.

3. Review and approve minutes from the 05-10-2022 meeting -

Minutes from 05-10-2022 regular meeting were accepted as presented. Commissioner Snyder made a motion to approve minutes, seconded by Commissioner Smith. Motion was approved

4. Discussion, review, and possible action on Treasurer's report -

Treasurer's report was straight forward as usual. Advised that 94.6 of yearly tax collections were in.

ESD #1VFD credit card usage policy and application -credit application signed, modifications to card usage guidelines will be modified.

5. <u>Discussion and possible action on Paying of ESD and VFD Expense</u>

Check transaction report indicated 5 checks; total expenses were \$5215.8, includes GOOGLE.

Treasurer Kilgore made a motion to pay ESD expenses as submitted, seconded by Commissioner Smith. Motion was approved.

6. <u>Discussion regarding the 2022-23 Volunteer Departments budget requests-</u>

Preliminary budgets and inventory updates for July meeting – ESD #1 and 287 RC turned in budget requests at this meeting.

Set July Budget Workshop date - Budget Presentations - Setup for Monday July 18th.

7. Review VFD's Monthly Fire Reports -

Grass fires were up for month, probably remain high until County receives rain. ESD VFD and Kerens VFD revised mutual aid dispatch procedure – ESD #1 and KVFD with both be paged out for their respective call outs by NCSO COMM.

8. <u>Discussion and possible action ESD Fire Station acquisition</u> Real progress is being made on finalizing acquisition, only a few hoops remaining.

Revised Purchase agreement and prepared Lease agreement – copies in ESD notebook. President Stapleton a motion, ESD to prepare the documents as described in the purchase agreement and lease agreement to be presented to Micro Title to purchase the property at 801 Northeast 2<sup>nd</sup> Street in Kerens, TX. Second was by Commissioner Smith.

President Stapleton requested a confirmation voice vote by ESD Commissioners, Smithyes, Kilgore – yes, Stapleton – yes, Latta -yes, Snyder – yes. Motion vote was unanimous.

Additional inspections and survey prior to closing date – decided not required. Title Insurance – will be handled by Micro Title in Corsicana. President Stapleton will take care of this.

9. Discussion and possible action regarding any open Action Item -

 TXU service rate – Stapleton will talk with Powell Mayor Clay about current electric Utility rate, appears high.

Audit to Commissioner's Court – ready to deliver Powell ESD #1 is transferring surplus equipment to Kerens VFD.

10. ADJOURN - at 7:02 pm

Jeff Stapleton - President