

# 16001 Socorro Road Fabens, Texas 79838

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## **NOTICE OF A REGULAR MEETING**

Date: Tuesday, April 19, 2022

**Time:** 6:00 PM

Place: El Paso County Emergency Services District #2 – Board Room

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DUE TO THE STATE OF EMERGENCY AND/OR LOCAL DISASTER CAUSED BY THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC AND THE FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL GUIDANCES, ORDERS AND DECLARATIONS OF DISASTER RELATED THERETO, THE DISTRICT MAY EXERCISE ITS AUTHORITY TO HOLD THE MEETING VIA VIDEOCONFERENCE AND/OR TELEPHONE CONFERENCE CALL OR OTHER REMOTE PROCEDURES BECAUSE OF THE DIFFICULTY AND RISKS OF CONVENING A QUORUM IN ONE LOCATION. THE MEETING MAY BE ACCESSED BY THE PUBLIC VIA WEB:

https://hype.onescreensolutions.com/epcountyesd2

**Posted:** Thursday, April 14, 2022

All matters listed on this agenda may be discussed in executive session at the option of the El Paso County Emergency Services District #2 Commissioners following verbal announcement if an appropriate exception to the open meeting requirement of the Texas Open Meetings Act is applicable.

Call meeting to order

Pledge of Allegiance

Prayer

- 2. Establishment of Quorum
- 3. Public comments: must notify the board to speak on certain agenda items. (5 minutes) Public can comment by calling: (915) 213-3008

Pin Code: 407 745 738# or if in person sign in sheet will be provided.



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## **Consent Agenda**

- 4. Discuss and approve the minutes of the regular meeting held on March 15, 2022.
- 5. Discussion and action on the financial report.
  - Report on the bank balances.
     Money market, operation account, inspection account
    - Bank reconciliations
    - Check registers attached
    - Department profit & loss budget vs. actual

## Regular Agenda

- 6. Discussion on Communications Report by Elva Ramos. Submitted By: Chief Esparza
- 7. Discussion on personnel matters report by Tommy Cano. Submitted By: Chief Esparza
- 8. Discussion on monthly report by Chief Esparza. Submitted By: Chief Esparza
- 9. Discuss and take action on amending the FY 21-22 Budget. Submitted By: Chief Esparza
- 10. Discuss and take action on the Chase bank excess collateral. Submitted By: Chief Esparza
- 11. Discuss and take action on approving the repairs to RP701 VIN# ADAN7165 to replace air pump shift assembly, pump engage switch, solenoid air valve parts ordered from DACO Fire Equipment in the amount of \$2,104.91, repairs to B702 VIN # 7J460596 to replace condenser assembly parts ordered at Border International in the amount of \$2,763.34, repairs to P803 VIN# YA000398 parts ordered from Siddons-Martin in the amount of \$4,466.88, and replace tires to P802 VIN # XH671763 from Redburn Tire Company in the amount of \$3,097.36.

Submitted By: Chief Esparza



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- 12. Discuss and take action on approving the purchase of a lift for the maintenance department in the amount of \$27,223.09 from Rotary Lift.

  Submitted By: Chief Esparza
- 13. Discuss and take action on allowing one member of the Montana Vista Fire Rescue attend Basic EMT Course at ProAction tuition fees, uniform, background check, vaccines and certification. Total amount is \$2,220.00.

  Submitted By: Chief Esparza
- 14. Discuss and take action on authorizing to pay the difference to Blackboard Platform in the amount of \$5,301.00. The total will to be off set with grant provided by Texas A&M Forest Service.

Submitted By: Chief Esparza

- 15. Discuss and take action on amending Employee Handbook. Submitted By: Chief Esparza
- 16. Discuss and take action on ratifying the purchase of fuel from C&R Distributing in the amount of \$2,163.48.

  Submitted By: Chief Esparza
- 17. Discuss and take action on approving pump testing for West Valley Fire Department's pumpers, tanker, quint and brush truck from Firefighter Trucks, Inc. in the amount of \$2,250.80.

  Submitted By: Chief Esparza
- 18. Discuss on approving and allowing District staff and the Board of Commissioners from ESD2 to attend the Safe-D 2023 Annual Conference [Feb. 2, 2023 – Feb. 4, 2023] in Round Rock, Texas, to include travel expenses, training registration fees and per-diems.

Submitted By: Chief Esparza

- 19. Discuss and take action on replacement computers for the Board of Commissioners. Submitted By: Chief Esparza
- 20. Discuss and take action on all the old Scott SCBA Airpacks. Submitted By: Chief Esparza



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## **Executive Session**

21. Discussion on legal and personnel matters. Submitted By: Chief Esparza

22. Discuss and take action on unauthorized use of district vehicles.

Submitted By: Chief Esparza

## **Regular Session**

23. Take action on legal and personnel matters.

Submitted By: Chief Esparza

24. Take action on unauthorized use of district vehicles.

Submitted By: Chief Esparza

25. Discuss and approve the next meeting to take place on 6:00P.M via web and open to the public in person. Submitted By: Chief Esparza

## 26. Adjournment.

The District reserves the right to consider and take action on the above agenda items in any order. It also reserves the right to enter into a closed meeting on any agenda item as allowed by law. A Citizens Comment Form must be filed with the Secretary at least 10 minutes prior to the beginning of the meeting for an individual to be allowed to speak during Citizen Comment. By completing the Citizen Comment Form, the individual understands and acknowledges that the public is not entitled to choose the items to be discussed or to speak about items not on the agenda, but that this opportunity is provided as a privilege. The individual executing the Citizen Comment Form understands that he/she is provided a limited amount of time, and that he/he may not be allowed to continue to address the Board of Emergency Services Commissioners if the comments are rude, disparaging or defamatory to any individual or entity, or the comments become disruptive to the good order of the meeting. If at a meeting of a governmental body, a member of the public or of the governmental body inquiries about a subject for which notice has not been given as required by the Texas Open Meetings Act, the notice provisions of the Texas Open Meetings Act do not apply to a statement of specific factual information given in response to the inquiry; a recitation of existing policy in response to the inquiry; or, any deliberation of or decision about the subject of the inquiry shall be limited to a proposal to place the subject on the agenda for a subsequent meeting. It should be noted that pursuant to Section 38.13, Texas Penal Code, HINDERING PROCEEDINGS BY DISORDERLY CONDUCT: (a) A person commits an official proceeding by noise or violent or tumultuous behavior or disturbance; (b) A person commits an official proceeding by noise or violent or tumultuous behavior or disturbance; (c) An offense under Section 38.15, Texas Penal Code is a Class A misdemeanor.