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NOTICE OF A REGULAR MEETING

Date: Tuesday, October 18, 2022

Time: 6:00 PM

Place: El Paso County Emergency Services District #2 – Board Room 16001 Socorro Road Fabens, Texas 79838

> THE MEETING MAY BE ACCESSED BY THE PUBLIC VIA WEB: https://hype.onescreensolutions.com/epcountyesd2

Posted: Friday, October 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.

1. Call meeting to order

Pledge of Allegiance

Prayer

- 2. Establishment of Quorum
- Public comments: must notify the board to speak on certain agenda items. (5 minutes) Public can comment by calling: (915) 213-3008
 Pin Code: 256 921 437# or if in person sign in sheet will be provided.

Consent Agenda

- 4. Discuss and approve the minutes of the special meeting held on September 26, 2022.
- 5. Discussion and action on the financial report.
 - a. Report on the bank balances.
 - Money market, operation account, inspection account
 - Bank reconciliations
 - Check registers attached
 - Department profit & loss budget vs. actual



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Regular Agenda

- 6. Discussion on Communications Report by Elva Ramos. Submitted By: Chief Esparza
- 7. Discussion on personnel matters report by Cano HR Group. Submitted By: Chief Esparza
- 8. Discussion on monthly reports by: Chief Esparza, all department heads. *Submitted By: Chief Esparza*
- 9. Discuss and take action on auditor's contract from SBNG. Submitted By: Chief Esparza
- 10. Discuss and take action on amending FY 21-22 Budget. Submitted By: Chief Esparza
- 11. Discuss and take action on amending FY 22-23 Budget. Submitted By: Chief Esparza
- 12. Discuss and take action on the excess collateral from Chase bank. Submitted By: Chief Esparza
- 13. Discuss and take action on the 10th Annual Holiday Dinner. Submitted By: Chief Esparza
- 14. Discuss and take action to ratify the invoice to EMS Life Academy for West Valley Fire Department's members to attend Basic EMT Class. Course total cost is in the amount of \$3,330.00 to include tuition, uniform, background check, drug screen, and immunizations. *Submitted By: Chief Esparza*
- 15. Discuss and take action to ratify the previously approved purchase of three mannequins for the West Valley Fire Department from DACO Fire Equipment. Total amount is \$12,294.53. Submitted By: Chief Esparza
- 16. Discuss and take action to ratify the purchase of a range for West Valley Fire Department from Economy Restaurant & Bar Supplies, in the amount of \$2,095.00. *Submitted By: Chief Esparza*
- 17. Discuss and take action to ratify the hail damage video camera replacement and installation for West Valley Fire Department from Sun City Communications, LLC in the amount of \$4,390.00. Submitted By: Chief Esparza



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18. Update on previous discussion on individual training for all fire departments and paid staff.

Submitted By: Commissioner Barnes

- 19. Discuss and take action on allowing two board members to attend the department business meeting to talk to the members about the direction the district is going and to answer questions the firefighters may have. *Submitted By: Chief Esparza*
- 20. Discuss and consider for approval: Resolution of the Board of Commissioners of the El Paso County Emergency Services District No. 2 regarding loan. *Submitted By: Chief Esparza*

Executive Session

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

Regular Session

- 23. Take action on legal matters. Submitted By: Chief Esparza
- 24. Take action on personnel matters. Submitted By: Chief Esparza
- 25. Discuss and clarify when an employee will receive a pay raise. Submitted By: Chief Esparza
- 26. Discuss and approve the next meeting to take place on ______ at 6:00P.M via web and open to the public in person. Submitted By: Chief Esparza

27. 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 offense if he intentionally hinders an official proceeding by noise or violent or tumultuous behavior or disturbance; (b) A person commits an offense if he recklessly hinders an official proceeding by noise or violent or tumultuous behavior or disturbance; (b) A person commits an offense if he recklessly hinders an official proceeding by noise or vio