

Comal County Emergency Services District No. 1

Regular Meeting Agenda

August 5, 2016

NOTICE is hereby given that a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Comal County Emergency Services District No. 1 will be held Friday, the 5th day of August, 2016 beginning at **5:00 p.m.**, at the Emergency Services Building, 353 Rodeo Drive, Spring Branch, Texas, 78070 for the following purposes:

DISCUSSION / ACTION ITEMS

1. Call meeting to order.

WORKSHOP AGENDA

Public Comments: In accordance with the Texas Attorney General's opinion, any public comment that is made on an item that is not on the published agenda will only be heard by the Board of Commissioners. No formal action, discussion, nor comment will be made by the Board of Commissioners. Citizens' Comments are limited to 3 minutes per citizen.

DISCUSSION / ACTION ITEMS (continued)

2. Approve July 21, 2016 regular meeting minutes.
3. Discuss, review, and consider monthly financial reports from Commissioner Zunker.
4. Consider and approve bills/invoices to be paid.
5. ESD Council Report (if met since last report) – Commissioners Gonser and Hicks.
6. Discuss Council Committee meetings, if any – Commissioners Gonser and Hicks.
7. Carryover from previous meeting - discuss and approve the monthly payment to be made by ESD1 in 2017 to the service provider in accordance with Section 5.01 C (1) of the Joint Agreement.
8. Discuss and consider adopting the 2017 annual budget for Emergency Services District No 1.
9. Discuss and consider taking action regarding the 2016 tax rate, including:
 - a) Establishing proposed tax rate
 - b) Taking record vote and consider scheduling public hearings – dates to be recorded
 - c) Authorizing publications of "Notice of Public Hearings on Tax Increase" and/or "Notice of Effective Tax Rate" in the *New Braunfels Herald-Zeitung* to be printed on selected & recorded date/s
10. Follow up on previous agenda item: "Consider the request for ESD1 commissioners to identify perceived problems with both the Interlocal Agreement and the Joint Agreement. This request was called for and agreed to in a meeting on July 8, 2016 with commissioners Barnett & Graf from ESD4, commissioners Bullock & Rarick from ESD5 and commissioners Zunker & Scheffler from ESD1."
11. Discuss agenda time and dates for next meetings.
12. Adjorn.

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John Scheffler, President

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