

Agenda

Hill Country Transit District
Board of Directors Meeting
September 28, 2023 at 1:30pm

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the members of the Hill Country Transit District (HCTD) Board of Directors will hold a Regular Meeting on September 28, 2023, at 1:30pm at the Central Texas Council of Governments Building Room D8, located at 2180 North Main Street, Belton Texas, 76513 and by Zoom Video Conference at which time the following agenda will be discussed.

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CALL TO ORDER

RIGHT TO ENTER INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION: The Hill Country Transit District BOARD OF DIRECTORS may go into closed session under the Texas Open Meetings Act. In accordance with Texas Government Code, Section 551.071, consultation with attorney for any legal issues, under Section 551.072 for real property issues; under Section 551.074 for personnel matters, or under Section 551.076, for deliberation regarding the deployment or implementation of security personnel or devices; arising regarding any item listed on this agenda.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Notice is hereby given that, in accordance with the Hill Country Transit District Meeting Rules and Protocols, any person may offer comments to the Hill Country Transit District Board at this meeting on any item listed on the agenda. Each speaker will be given a total of three (3) minutes at the beginning of each agenda item to address the Board.

Anyone wishing to speak shall be courteous and cordial. Speakers making personal, impertinent, profane, or slanderous remarks may be removed from the meeting. Unauthorized remarks from the audience, stamping of feet, whistles, yells, clapping and similar demonstrations will not be permitted.

Citizens that are not able to participate in-person must email his or her public comment to Sara Hernandez at sara@takethehop.com no later than 3:00 pm on Wednesday, August 23, 2023, to ensure the comment will be distributed to Board Members prior to the meeting.

The Board of Directors is not permitted to take action on any subject raised by a speaker during Public Comments. However, the HCTD Board of Directors may have the item placed on a future agenda for action; refer the item to the HCTD Administration for further study or action; briefly state existing HCTD policy; or provide a brief statement of factual information in response to the inquiry.

I. CONSENT ITEMS

1. Approval of minutes from the meeting held on August 24, 2023.

II. ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION AND CONSIDERATION

1. **Consider Authorizing** the Chairman of the Board of Directors and the General Manager to finalize and approve an Intergovernmental Support Agreement (IGSA) with Fort Cavazos for Transit Services
2. **Consider Approval** of HCTD Tuition Reimbursement Program
3. **Discuss and Consider** Changes to the HCTD Bylaws, Removal of Hamilton County and Mills County board seats and membership from the Hill Country Transit District
4. **Consider Authorizing** the General Manager to execute an Interlocal Agreement with Hamilton County and Mills County to provide Rural Transit Services
5. **Consider Authorizing** the General Manager to execute Interlocal Agreements with Cities and Counties
6. **Discuss and Consider** Facility consolidation options
7. **Discuss** Rural and Urban Advisory Committees meeting participation and need
8. **Discuss** Statewide Multimodal Short Range Transit Plan
9. **Discuss** NEMT Contract Renegotiated Rate Structure

1. FUTURE DISCUSSION ITEMS

1. Set next meeting date.
2. Human Resources Personnel headcount and pay structure. Recruiting and ensuring competitive pay.
3. Grants and Financials Update
4. Revisit Strategic Plan – Progress and path forward.

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