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**Hardin County Emergency**

**Services District No. 6**

**Agenda for the Regular Meeting of September 10, 2024 at 6:30 PM**

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners of Hardin County ESD 6, on Tuesday September 10 2024, will hold a 6:30 PM meeting at Silsbee Fire Department, 1205 N 5th St., Silsbee, Texas 77656. HCESD6 may hold the meeting under the provision of Government Code 551.127 which a quorum will be present.

1. Call to Order.
2. Opening Prayer, Pledge of Allegiance, and roll call.
	1. Board
		1. Robin Jones- Fire Chief
		2. David Andersen – President
		3. Randal Stephens – Vice President
		4. Tommy Bartosh – Treasurer
		5. Jason Griffin – Assistant Treasurer
		6. Joe Clark – Secretary
		7. Kate Leverett- Attorney-Germer P.L.L.C.
	2. Recognize Visitors- Please see sign-in sheet
3. Public Comments – Limited to 3 minutes; no formal action, discussion, deliberation, or comment will be made by the Board of Commissioners.
4. Ambulance Report- Jason Cooper, Acadian
	1. Please see report
5. Fire Chief’s Report: Runs for August 2024-**67**, Runs Year to date 2024-**412**
	1. Please see report

Fire calls- **13**, Emergency Medical Calls- **41**, Hazardous Condition calls- **4**, Service- **4**, False Alarms- **5**

1. Consent Agenda Items:
	1. Approval of last meeting minute
		1. Approved by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
	2. Treasurer’s Report- Tommy Bartosh- Please see report
		1. Approved by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
	3. Payment of Accounts Payable-Please see report
		1. Approved by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
2. Business
	1. Review/ Discuss- Commissioner Clark met with Cravens Insurance representative Jennifer Brandenburg to discuss current questionnaire, past policies and their coverage, quotes and renewal options
	2. Review/ Discuss- Commissioner Clark is requesting to a discussion on personal hours and wages
	3. Review/ Discuss- How/When/where to recognize the former/previous Board Members: IE: @ board mtg, Dinner out etc.
	4. Review/ Discuss- EMS Contract renewal
	5. Review/ Discuss- Update- Fema Grant Completion
	6. Review/ Discuss- Communications with McInnis Construction re: Building repairs
	7. Review/ Discuss- National Safety Council- CEVO Coaching the Emergency Vehicle Operator 4 Fire Instructor Kit USB (Total **$606.00**)
3. Action Items
	1. Review/ Approve- Commissioner Bartosh- Update on the radio console at the Silsbee Police Department that’s dedicated to the fire department for communication between dispatch and fire department
	2. Review/ Approve- Chief Robins seeking approval for purchase of lockers for swift water team- **$2300.00 each**- Total needed- **2** for a total of **$4,600.00**
	3. Review/ Approve- Chief Robins requesting a discussion on Christmas budget/gifts
	4. Review/ Approve- Chief Robins request for Parade Candy- Totaling **$1,600.00** (**$800.00** for Homecoming and **$800.00** for Christmas Parade)
	5. Review/ Approve- Chief Robins seeking approval to purchase replacement steam lights for truck- **$210.00 each**- Total of **6** needed for a total of **$1260.00**
	6. Review/ Approve- Chief Robins requesting approval for **one volunteer** wanting to take the open water diving course at **$600.00**, **peridium, and** **3 days of travel expenses** to further training and skill
4. Executive Session

Adjourn- \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Time- \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Notes to the Agenda:

1. The board may vote and/or act upon each of the items listed in this agenda
2. Persons with disabilities who plan to attend this meeting and who may need assistance should contact Chief Robin Jones at 409-385-4761 prior to the meeting so that the appropriate arrangements can be made.

This is to certify that I, David Andersen, posted this agenda on the Official Bulletin Board of the HCESD6 at 1205 N. 5th St. Silsbee on September 6, 2024 @ 2:10 PM, which is also accessible to the public 24 hours a day on the county services district website [www.hcesd6.org](http://www.hcesd6.org)

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 David Andersen- President

Government Code 551, Subchapter D

Section 551.071 – Consultation with District’s Attorney regarding possible litigation

Section 551.072 – Deliberation about real property

Section 551.071 – Matters of Personnel

Section 551.076 - To Deliberate the Deployment or Specific occasions for implementation of security personnel or devices.

If, during the course of the meeting covered by this Notice, the Board should determine that a closed or executive session of the Board should be held or is required in relation to any agenda item included in this Notice, then such closed or executive meeting or session, as authorized by the Texas Open Meeting Act, will be held by the Board at the date, hour, and place given in this Notice concerning any and all subjects for any and all purposes permitted by §551.071-551.084 of the Texas Government Code and the Texas Open Meetings Act, but not limited to, §551.071 – for the purpose of a private consultation with the Board’s attorney on any or all subjects or matters authorized be law.