BURNET COUNTY EMERGENCY SERVICES DISTRICT NO. 7

Agenda

August 25, 2025

Notice is hereby given that a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Burnet County Emergency Services District No. 7 will be held on **Monday, August 25, 2025, at 5:30 p.m.**, at the Hill Country Community Foundation Building / S.H. Reed Building at 402 E. Jackson Street, Burnet, Texas 78611, for the following purposes:

- 1. Call meeting to order;
- 2. Public Comment on Agenda Items: Individual members of the public may address the Board for a maximum of three minutes per person per agenda item. Individuals may address the Board once per item. Members of the public may collectively address the Board for a total of thirty minutes per item on the agenda. Members of the public will speak on an agenda item after comments on the item are called for by the presiding officer, but before Board discussion and consideration of the item.

BUDGET, PUBLIC HEARING and TAX RATE

- 3. Consider taking action regarding budget for fiscal year October 1, 2025 to September 30, 2026;
- 4. Conduct a public hearing on the proposal to increase property taxes;
- 5. Take a record vote on the District's 2025 tax rate, adopt an Order Levying Taxes, authorize filing the Order with the Burnet County Tax Assessor/Collector; and
- 6. Acknowledge and approve posting of statement regarding adopted tax rate to home page of District website;

REPORTS

- 7. Receive monthly report from the Treasurer and consider:
 - (a) approval of payment of monthly bills and invoices;
 - (b) approval of monthly financial report; and
 - (c) current year budget amendments as necessary;
- 8. Receive monthly report from Burnet Volunteer Fire Department regarding financial matters, training, management activities, membership, and emergency operations and out of station times (including breakdown by apparatus) and call volume for fire/rescue calls and for EMS calls;
- 9. Receive monthly report from Lampasas Volunteer Fire Department regarding financial matters, training, management activities, membership, and emergency operations and out of station times (including breakdown by apparatus) and call volume for fire/rescue calls and for EMS calls;

10. Receive monthly report from the City of Burnet Fire Department regarding financial matters, training, management activities and personnel, membership, and emergency operations and out of station times (including breakdown by apparatus) and call volume for fire/rescue calls and for EMS calls;

DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS

- 11. Review and consider approval of the July 28, 2025, regular meeting minutes and the August 11, 2025 budget workshop minutes;
- 12. Discuss and consider approval of engagement letter for auditor to conduct FY25 audit;
- 13. Discuss water rescue capabilities of and training for the City of Burnet Fire Department and Burnet Volunteer Fire Department and consider taking related action;
- 14. Receive status report on strategic planning issues, discuss short-term and long-term goals for the District, and consider taking any necessary action;
- 15. Public Comment: Individual members of the public may address the Board for a maximum of three (3) minutes regarding general topics that are not on the current agenda. Members of the public may collectively address the Board for a total of thirty minutes on items not on the current agenda. In accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, any response to a public comment that is made on an item that is not on the published final agenda will be limited to a statement of factual information or a statement of existing policy given in response to the public comment. Any deliberation or decision by the Board must be limited to a proposal to place the subject on a future agenda; and
- 16. Discuss agenda, time, and date for next meeting.

A packet containing all supportive documentation for this agenda is available for inspection at the offices of The Carlton Law Firm, P.L.L.C., 4301 Westbank Drive, Suite B-130, Austin, Texas 78746, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

Roy Hallmark, Secretary for Burnet County Emergency Services District No. 7

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The Board may retire to Executive Session any time between the meeting's opening and adjournment for any purpose authorized by the Texas Open Meetings Act, including, but not limited to: consultation with legal counsel (Section 551.071 of the Texas Government Code); discussion of real estate acquisition (Section 551.072); gifts and donations (Section 551.073); personnel matters (Section 551.074) and/or security personnel, security devices or security audits (Sections 551.076 or 551.089). Action, if any, will be taken in open session.