## PROPOSITION 1

## Proposition 1 is a 911 Emergency Services Sales Tax

- The proposed .75 percent sales tax would amount to 7½ cents per every \$10.00 spent in Barton County.
- The current wireline tax only covers 32% of the 911 budget, leaving no room for badly needed equipment upgrades and additional training and staff.
- If passed, Barton County 911 Dispatch will be fully funded and able to implement and sustain the following service improvements.
  - NEXTGEN equipment upgrades such as "Text to 911",
    Geolocation on mobile calls, advanced mapping software and data, and enhanced coordination with other NEXTGEN counties.
  - Additional staff to eliminate call rollovers.
  - Staff EMD Training to allow dispatchers to assist with medical emergencies.

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