



NOTICE OF OPEN MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS SOUTHWESTERN TRAVIS COUNTY GROUNDWATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT

Wednesday, September 13, 2023, at 9:30 AM
8656 W Highway 71, Building A, Suite 224, Austin, Texas 78735

To access the meeting by phone, call 1-346-248-7799 (Toll Free) and use Meeting ID 371 327 2679. The meeting can also be accessed by computer audio and video at <https://zoom.us/j/3713272679> using the same Meeting ID.

AVISO DE REUNIÓN ABIERTA DE CONSEJO DIRECTIVO DISTRITO DE CONSERVACIÓN DE AGUAS SUBTERRÁNEAS DEL SUDOESTE DEL CONDADO DE TRAVIS

miércoles 13 de septiembre de 2023 a las 9:30 AM
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MEETING AGENDA (AGENDA DE LA REUNIÓN)

- 1. Call to order, declare meeting open to the public, take roll and declare quorum status.**
- 2. Announcements.**
- 3. Public comments.**

This is an opportunity for citizens to address the Board regarding a matter that is not on the agenda. Comments on agenda items must be made when the agenda item is addressed by the Board. There is a three-minute time limit on individual citizen comments. Up to five minutes of speaking time may be given to a person speaking on behalf of a group of five or more citizens. Board members may not respond to questions asked during the Public Comment portion of the meeting.

- 4. Discuss and possibly act on approving previous meeting minutes.**
 - a. August 23, 2023 – Regular SWTCGCD Board Meeting
- 5. Conduct a Public Hearing to receive input regarding proposed District Fee Schedule for FY 2024.** (Director Scadden, General Counsel)
- 6. Discuss and possibly act on matters related to proposed District Fee Schedule for FY 2024, including Resolution to adopt District Fee Schedule for FY 2024.** (Director Scadden, GM Cockrell)
- 7. Conduct a Public Hearing to receive input regarding proposed District budget for FY 2024.** (Director Scadden, General Counsel)

- 8. Discuss and possibly act on matters related to proposed District budget for FY 2024, including Resolution to adopt District Budget for FY 2024.** (Directors Scadden, Urie, and Van Ackeren; GM Cockrell)
- 9. Discuss and possibly act on matters related to Certification of Unopposed Candidates for November 7, 2023 Directors Election (*Discutir y posiblemente actuar sobre asuntos relacionados con la Certificación de candidatos sin oposición para la elección de directores del 7 de noviembre de 2023*).** (Director Van Ackeren, GM Cockrell)
- 10. Discuss and possibly act on matters related to Order of Cancellation for November 7, 2023 Directors Election (*Discutir y posiblemente actuar sobre asuntos relacionados con la Orden de Cancelación para la Elección de Directores del 7 de noviembre de 2023*).** (Director Scadden, GM Cockrell)
- 11. Receive, discuss, and take action as necessary for Board Committee Reports.**
 - a. Finance (Director Urie and Pete Golde)
 - b. Legislative (Director Davis, General Counsel)
 - c. Science & Outreach (Directors Hunt, Leva, and Norton)
 - d. Rules (Directors Davis, Hunt, and Norton)
- 12. General Manager's Report.** (GM Cockrell)
 - a. Summary of permitting, application, and registration inquiries and submissions
 - b. Regulatory items and updates related to TWDB, TCEQ, GMAs, and other organizations
 - c. Overview of current District groundwater monitoring program
 - d. Other items of interest not requiring Board action
- 13. Discuss and possibly act on matters related to District drought stage status.** (Director Norton, GM Cockrell)
- 14. Discuss and possibly act on matters related to FY 2023 Interlocal Agreement with Travis County, including invoice from LRE Water for regional hydrogeologic study.** (GM Cockrell)
- 15. Discuss and establish possible agenda items for future Board Meetings.**
- 16. Discuss and possibly act on setting the date, time, and location for the next Board Meeting.** (October 11, 2023, is the second Wednesday in October)
- 17. Adjourn.**

The above agenda schedule represents an estimate of the order for the indicated items and is subject to change at the discretion of the Board's presiding officer.

At any time during the meeting and in compliance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551, Government Code, Vernon's Texas Codes, Annotated, the Southwestern Travis County Groundwater Conservation District Board may meet in executive session on any of the above agenda items or other lawful items for consultation concerning attorney-client matters (§551.071); deliberation regarding real property (§551.072); deliberation regarding prospective gift (§551.073); personnel matters (§551.074); and deliberation regarding security devices (§551.076). Any subject discussed in executive session may be subject to action as a posted agenda item during an open meeting.

GUIDELINES FOR PARTICIPATION

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September 13, 2023

Members of the public wishing to make comments during the meeting will be provided an opportunity to do so in person at the meeting or by participating in the video conference. The Board President will call on members of the public who wish to speak during the public comment period of the meeting or during the discussion of specific agenda items. Members of the public that wish to speak during the meeting are requested to notify SWTCGCD General Manager Lane Cockrell (generalmanager@swtcgcd.org) by noon on the day before the meeting to help facilitate meeting logistics. This meeting will be recorded, and the audio recording will be available upon request to Mr. Cockrell after the meeting.

You may join the SWTCGCD Board meeting remotely as follows:

Time:

September 13, 2023, 09:20 AM Central Time (US and Canada) – this early access time is to provide meeting participants an opportunity to get logged in. The formal meeting will be called to order at 9:30 AM.

Call-In Details:

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Note: You may be prompted to use a PIN in addition to the Meeting ID with the traditional call-in number. Please press # when instructed to bypass this prompt.