

**NOTICE OF A SPECIAL MEETING
HIDALGO COUNTY EMERGENCY SERVICES DISTRICT NO. 1**

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners of the Hidalgo County Emergency Services District No. 1 (“the District”) will hold a Regular Meeting on Monday, May 18, 2026, at 12:00 p.m. at the Law Office of Richard S. Talbert, 612 S. Texas Blvd., Weslaco, Hidalgo County, Texas. The purpose of the meeting will be to consider and take possible action on the following matters:

NOTE: If, during the course of the meeting, any discussion of any item on the agenda should be held in executive or closed session, the Hidalgo County Emergency Services District No.1 will convene such executive or closed session in accordance with Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code.

- I. Establish a quorum
- II. Public Comments
- III. New Business – discussion and possible action
 - A. Paul Villarreal, Jr., Tax Assessor-Collector – Monthly Collection Report
 - B. City of Weslaco – Interlocal Governmental Agreement – Ambulance Services (IGAAS) - Status report on current IGAAS from October 1, 2024, to September 30, 2026; Approval of quarterly contract payment for period January, February and March 2026; Status of extending current IGAAS relating to ambulance services after September 30, 2026, and entering into new contract relating to rural fire calls for 2027 calendar year
 - C. Hidalgo County Ad Hoc Committee on Emergency Services – discussion and possible action on proceedings related to county-wide review of provision of emergency services (ambulance and fire) vis a vis existing Emergency Service Districts and related funding mechanisms within the District and Hidalgo County.
 - D. Canvassing of Results of election on May 2, 2026, related to possible increase in maximum authorized Tax Rate - discussion and possible action on canvassing of election results held May 2, 2026, including of possible approval Canvassing Order based on results provided by the Hidalgo County Elections Office.
 - E. Attorney’s Fees for collection of delinquent property taxes - Status Report and authorization to pay current attorney fees on delinquent tax collection accounts as per collection reports from Hidalgo County Tax Office and statements from Linebarger, Goggan, Blair & Sampson, LLP
 - F. Texas State Association of Fire and Emergency Districts/SAFE-D – membership, training requirements available, reporting requirements and related matters,

including reimbursement of expenses incurred by Commissioners in participating in required training

- G. Status on recommendation to Hidalgo County Commissioner David Fuentes on the re-appointment of three (3) Commissioners for additional two (2) year term from January 1, 2026 to December 31, 2027.
- H. Status update on 2025 Audit
- I. 2026 Tax Rate – discussion on preliminary issues
- J. 2027 Budget – discussion on preliminary issues

IV. Adjournment

I, Richard S. Talbert, Attorney and authorized representative for the Hidalgo County Emergency Services District No.1, do hereby certify, that I posted a true and correct copy of the foregoing Notice of the Regular Meeting of the Commissioners of Hidalgo County Emergency Services District No. 1 at 612 S. Texas Blvd., Weslaco, Texas [the administrative office of the District] and delivered a copy by e-mail transmission to the County Clerk of Hidalgo County, Texas, for posting at the Hidalgo County Courthouse in accordance with the requirements of law not later than 5:00 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, May 12, 2026.



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Emergency Services District No. 1