Travis County Emergency Services District No. 10

Regular Meeting Minutes March 19, 2025

1. CALL TO ORDER AND ESTABLISH QUORUM:

President Reid called the meeting to order at 7:08 p.m. A quorum was present with Commissioners Glen Reid, Mollie Clakley, Ken Campbell, and Jeff La Force present. Commissioners Cantor was absent, having previously resigned.

2. <u>CITIZEN REGONITION AND COMMENTS:</u>

The following citizens were present:

- 1. Buddy Crain;
- 2. Drew Garcia.

There were no Citizen's Comments.

3. <u>REVIEW AND APPROVE ALL MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS REGULAR MEETINGS NOT PREVIOSLY APPROVED:</u>

MOTION: Commissioner Clakley moved to approve the January and February Regular Meeting minutes; Commissioner La Force second; approved unanimously.

4. TREASURER'S REPORT:

Comm. Clakley present the Treasurer's Report, and reported that 5 checks have not cleared, including 4181, 4204, 4245, 4263, and 4265.

5. **BUDGET REPORT:**

Chief Crain passed out the Budget Report, attached.

6. STATUS OF FIRE STATION PROPERTY IMPROVEMENTS:

Nothing to report.

7. COMMUNITY DISASTER PREPAREDNESS WORKSHOP:

The workshop occurred, but attendance was low with representatives of the Texas Forest Service and Austin Fire Department making good presentations.

8. <u>REGISTRATION FOR TEXAS EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE</u> FOR COMMISSIONER JOHNSTON:

Comm. Johnston's attendance at the TDEM conference will cost approximately \$2,000.00

MOTION: Comm. Campbell moved to approve Comm. Johnston's attendance at the TEMC for up to \$2,000.00; Comm. La Force second; approved unanimously.

9. INCREASING DISTRICT RETIREMENT CONTRIBUTION TO 14%:

Chief Crain explained issues with the current District contribution to paid personnel retirement program.

MOTION: Comm. Clakley moved to change the funding formula for retirement contributions from the District to 14% from 12%; Comm. La Force second; approved unanimously.

10. FIRE CHIEF'S REPORT:

Chief Crain delivered the Fire Chief's Report as follows:

- 1. The District received \$162,232.00 from Travis County for the SLFRF grant for communications equipment;
- 2. Audit is complete and there we no issues and auditor will make presentation of audit next month;
- 3. There were 50 calls in February with 11 being mutual aid;
- 4. HVAC system is still an issue and he is working on it.

A committee of Chief, President Reid, and Comm. Campbell will work on address the HVAC issues.

11. ADJORNMENT:

Motion to adjourn by Commissioner Campbell; second by Commissioner La Force; approved unanimously and the meeting was adjourned at 8:53 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Ken Campbell Secretary