

HARRIS COUNTY EMERGENCY SERVICES DISTRICT NO. 50

Minutes of Meeting of Board of Commissioners
August 4, 2025

The Board of Commissioners (“Board”) of Harris County Emergency Services District No. 50 (“District”) met on August 4, 2025 at 1210 Dell Dale, Channelview, Texas, in accordance with the duly posted notice of the meeting, with a quorum present, as follows:

Jim Owens, President
Michael Burr, Vice President
Brenda Biggers, Secretary
Robert Ballew, Treasurer
Alma Cedillo, Asst. Secretary/Asst. Treasurer

And the following absent:

None.

Also present were Mr. Bob Ideus, Mr. Jimmy Sumbera, Chief Ryan Thistle, and Mr. Wm. Scott Smith.

The meeting was called to order and declared open for such business as might regularly come before it.

1. The Board opened the floor for public comment. No public comment was presented.
2. The Board unanimously approved the minutes of the July 7 and July 21, 2025 meetings.
3. The Board reviewed the tax assessor-collector’s report indicating that 2024 property taxes were 97.8% collected. Upon motion duly made, seconded and unanimously carried, the Board approved the tax assessor-collector’s report and the checks drawn on the tax fund.
4. The Board considered the proposed tax rate for the year 2025. Based on the calculations prepared by the Harris County Office, it appears that the District is able to assess its complete \$0.05 per \$100 valuation tax rate approved by the voters at creation. Upon motion duly made, seconded and unanimously carried, the established a proposed tax rate of \$0.05 per \$100 valuation, authorized calling a public hearing at the September 2, 2025 Board meeting to consider the tax rate and vote on the tax rate at that same meeting.
5. Mr. Ideus presented the bookkeeper’s report. Upon motion duly made, seconded and unanimously carried, the Board approved the bookkeeper’s report and

the checks listed thereon.

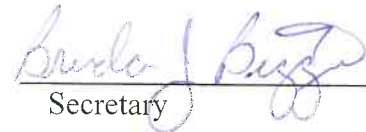
6. The Board then considered an amendment to the budget for the remainder of the 2025 fiscal year. The adjustment would be a \$190,352 increase to payroll and payroll tax as well as the retirement plan. Upon motion duly made, seconded and unanimously carried, the Board approved the budget amendment as presented.

7. Mr. Sumbera presented the administrator's report.

8. Commissioner Owens presented the update from the ECOM dispatch center for the prior month.

9. Chief Thistle presented the fire chief's report indicating that there were 353 calls for EMS service with 3 mutual aid calls into the District for EMS. There were 121 fire suppression calls. Chief Thistle presented an update on training and the testing that is ongoing with respect to promotions within the department.

There being no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned.


Secretary