

# **Henderson County Emergency Services District No. 8**

## **Notice of Special Meeting – August 4, 2025**

In compliance with the provisions of Chapter 551, Texas Government Code, notice is hereby given of a special meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Henderson County Emergency Services District No. 8, to be held at **10:00 am on August 4, 2025, at District 8 Fire Rescue Station #2, 6410 County Road 4511, Athens, Texas 75752** for the following purposes:

1. Call meeting to order;

### **PUBLIC COMMENT**

2. Public Comment: Members of the public may speak for up to three minutes on any agenda item listed below. Additionally, members of the public may speak on topics not listed on the posted agenda. In accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, any response to a public comment that is made on an item that is not on the posted final agenda will be limited to a statement of factual information or a statement of existing policy given in response to the public comment. Any deliberation or decision by the Board regarding public comment on items not on the posted agenda must be limited to a proposal to place the subject on a future agenda.

### **DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS**

3. Consider taking action regarding 2025-26 budget;
4. Discuss, consider and take action regarding 2025 tax rate, including
  - a. establishing proposed tax rate;
  - b. taking record vote and scheduling public hearing;
  - c. authorizing expense and publication of “Notice of Public Hearing on Tax Increase” in the newspaper; and
  - d. acknowledging and approving posting of “Notice About 2025 Tax Rates” and Notice of Public Hearing on Tax Increase” to home page of District website.

5. Discuss, consider and take action returning required form to the Henderson County Tax Office;
6. Adjourn.

DATE: August 4, 2025



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Phil Elery

President/Commissioner

Henderson County Emergency Services District #8

The Board may retire to Executive Session any time between the meeting's opening and adjournment for any purpose authorized by the Texas Open Meetings Act, including but not limited to: consultation with legal counsel (Section 551.071 of the Texas Government Code); personnel matters (Section 551.074); discussion of real estate acquisition (Section 551.072); discussion regarding a prospective gift to the District (Section 551.073); and/or deliberation regarding security devices or security audits (Sections 551.076 and 551.089). Action, if any, will be taken in open session.

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