

AGENDA
FORT BEND SUBSIDENCE DISTRICT
REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
VIA AUDIO/VIDEO CONFERENCE AND IN PERSON
RICHMOND, TEXAS 77469
November 18, 2020 at 3:00 PM

Notice is hereby given to all interested members of the public that the Board of Directors of the Fort Bend Subsidence District will hold a regular public meeting via audio and video conference call pursuant to Texas Government Code, Section 551.125, and as modified by the Governor of Texas who ordered suspension of various provisions of the Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551, Government Code, effective March 16, 2020, in accordance with the Texas Disaster Act of 1975 (See the Governor's proclamation on March 13, 2020, certifying that the COVID-19 pandemic poses an imminent threat of disaster and declaring a state of disaster for all counties in Texas).

- A. Call to Order.
- B. Pledge of Allegiance.
- C. Accept Comments from Members of the Public.
- D. Approval of the Minutes of the Regular Board Meeting, October 28, 2020.
- E. Approval of the Minutes of the Board Budget Workshop, November 4, 2020.
- F. Receive Hearing Examiner's Report and Consider Granting, Denying or Amending Applications for Water Well Permits Heard at the November 5, 2020, Hearing.
- G. Consider a Resolution Adopting a Budget for the Fort Bend Subsidence District for the Period Beginning January 1, 2021, and Ending December 31, 2021, and Authorizing an Interlocal Agreement with the Harris-Galveston Subsidence District.
- H. Consider a Resolution Authorizing the Execution of a Joint-Funding Agreement with the United States Geological Survey to Provide for a Cooperative Research Program for the Collection and Publication of Water Resource and Subsidence Data for the Year Ending December 31, 2021; and Authorizing the Expenditure of Funds.
- I. Receive Briefing from District Staff on the Monthly Financial Statement.
- J. Receive Briefing from District Staff on the Joint Regulatory Plan Review.
- K. General Manager's Report – The General Manager will brief the Board on pertinent operational and management issues that the District, its employees, or consultants have encountered since the last regular Board meeting.
- L. Consultation with the General Counsel on Recent Litigation on Groundwater Issues.

1. Fazzino vs. Brazos Valley Groundwater Conservation District (Federal District Court-Waco Division)
2. Cockrell Investment Partners, Ltd. vs. Middle Pecos Groundwater Conservation District (Pecos County District Court)
3. San Jacinto River Authority v. City of Conroe and City of Magnolia (9th Court of Appeals)
4. Mountain Pure TX LLC vs. Neches and Trinity Valleys Groundwater Conservation District, (Petition to Texas Supreme Court)

M. Executive Session, if necessary.

The Board may meet in Closed Session on any item listed above if authorized by the Texas Open Meetings Act, Tex. Gov't Code Ch. 551.

If, during the course of the meeting covered by this Agenda, the Board shall determine that an executive session of the Board, should be held or is required in relation to any item included in this Agenda, then such executive session, as authorized by the Texas Open Meetings Act, will be held by the Board at the date, hour, and place given in this Agenda concerning any and all subjects and for any and all purposes permitted by Sections 551.071-551.084 of the Texas Government Code, including, but not limited to, Section 551.071 – for the purpose of a private consultation with the Board's attorney on any or all subjects or matters authorized by law.



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