MINUTES OF THE AUGUST 25, 2022, SPECIAL MEETING OF HARRIS COUNTY EMERGENCY SERVICES DISTRICT NO. 8

A Special Meeting was duly called of **HARRIS COUNTY EMERGENCY SERVICES DISTRICT NO. 8,** which was held on August 25, 2022, at the District's facility located at 29530 Quinn Rd., Tomball, Texas 77375.

The Meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by MARCIA MOORE-SWINEHEART, Board President. Those Commissioners present when the meeting commenced were MARCIA MOORE-SWINEHEART, JOHN DILLON, DAVID PACE and DAVID KIBLER. SCOTT HALLMARK was unable to attend. Also in attendance was Executive Director Brian Bayani and members of his staff, Randy Parr with RIT Financial, and District legal counsel David Manley of Coveler & Peeler, P.C. A quorum being present and established, the meeting proceeded as scheduled.

The Board addressed Agenda item 2 to receive public comment and conduct a public hearing to allow parties to address the Board of Commissioners and be heard regarding the proposed property tax rate setting. The Board opened the Public Hearing at 6:00 p.m. for the public to be heard on the proposed property tax. No comments were received. A Motion was made by Commissioner **KIBLER**, seconded by Commissioner **PACE** to conclude the Public hearing at 6:15. The Motion carried by a vote of 4-0.

The Board next addressed item 4, to adopt the District budget. A Motion was made by Commissioner **DILLON**, seconded by Commissioner **PACE** to adopt the District budget as presented. After discussion, the Motion carried by a vote of 4-0.

The Board next addressed agenda item 5, to adopt the District's 2022 property tax rate. A Motion was made by Commissioner **PACE**, seconded by Commissioner **DILLON** that the property tax rate be increased by the adoption of a tax rate of .093561, which is effectively a 12.15% increase in the tax rate. After discussion, the Motion carried by a vote of 4-0.

The Board next addressed item 6, to cancel the District's Tax Rate election. A Motion was made by Commissioner **DILLON**, seconded by Commissioner **PACE** to cancel the election currently scheduled for November 8, 2022. The Motion carried by a vote of 4 - 0.

There being no further business brought before the Board, Commissioner **DILLON** made a motion, seconded by Commissioner **PACE**, to adjourn. By a vote of 4 - 0, the motion carried.

The meeting adjourned at 6:15 P.M.

The foregoing minutes were passed and approved by the District Board of Commissioners on September 22, 2022.

HARRIS COUNTY EMERGENCY SERVICES DISTRICT NO. 8

By:

DAVID PACESecretary of the Board