



BLANCO COUNTY EMERGENCY SERVICES DISTRICT NO.2
431 Blanco Ave.
P.O. BOX 972, BLANCO, TX 78606

MINUTES OF PUBLIC HEARINGS ON TAX INCREASE VIA ZOOM
AUGUST 18, 2020
3:00 P.M.

1. Establish a quorum. **Public Hearing called to order at 3:02 PM. Quorum present. Ann Hall (AH), Mike Rieken (MR), Carl Struck (CS), Lynne McKirdy (LM) present via audio conferencing. See below for others in attendance.**

2. Public Hearing to request and consider citizen input on proposed tax increase. **AH opened public hearing. Responded to question regarding what happens with postings, notices provided this order is adopted today. Discussion regarding the differences in the taxpayer notices and this proposed tax rate order.**

3. Motion to adopt an Order setting a tax rate for Blanco County ESD No. 2.

Required motion to adopt an Order that exceeds the no-new-revenue tax rate: (Tax Code, §26.05) **Motion made by LM and seconded by MR:**

I move that the property tax rate be increased by the adoption of a tax rate of \$.10/\$100 , which is effectively a 13.81 % percent increase in the tax rate.

Maintenance & Operations (M&O) tax rate of .0783

Interest and Sinking (Debt Service) rate of .0217

Recorded Vote:

For: **Ann Hall, Mike Rieken, Carl Struck, Lynne McKirdy, Steve Scheffe**

Against: **None**

Abstaining: **None**

Absent: **None**

4. Adjourn to Regular August ESD Meeting. **Public Hearing Closed 3:20 PM.**

Others attending: Ben Oakley, Matt McMMain, Caroline Richardson, Theresa Turner, Ken Welch

**Respectfully Submitted,
Steve Scheffe, Secretary**