

GONZALES COUNTY EMERGENCY SERVICES DISTRICT 1
MINUTES OF REGULAR CALLED MEETING
05/21/2026

1. Robert Steelhammer called the meeting to order at 12:00pm
2. Robert Steelhammer established a quorum. All present except Rene de la Garza.
3. Robert Steelhammer called for the Invocation & Pledge of Allegiance.
4. Robert Steelhammer called for public comments.
5. Robert Steelhammer called for the discussion and possible action on the Consent Agenda, including:
 - a. Minutes from April regular meeting
 - b. Payment of pending bills
 - c. Activity reportsDr. Rivas motioned to accept the consent agenda as submitted. Julie Fairchild seconded. All agreed
6. Robert Steelhammer called for the discussion and possible action on April financials. Linda presented overview. Julie Fairchild motioned to accept the financial as presented. Dr. Rivas seconded. All Agreed.
7. Robert Steelhammer called for the discussion and possible action if necessary, regarding Waelder station construction. No action necessary.
8. Robert Steelhammer called for CLOSED SESSION as necessary. None was necessary.
9. Discuss & consider any action from the closed session. No action taken.
10. Robert Steelhammer called to discuss and consider appointing Crystal Cedillo, Tax Assessor-Collector, as the individual to calculate and prepare the 2026 No-New Revenue and Voter-Approval Tax Rates for the GESD#1. Linda Carter motioned to appoint Crystal Cedillo, Tax Assessor-Collector, as the individual to calculate and prepare the 2026 No-New Revenue and Voter-Approval Tax Rates for the GESD#1. Julie Fairchild seconded. All agreed.
11. Robert Steelhammer called to receive and consider the report from the District's Administrator on Activity reports, notes on collections and expenses, Budgetary notes, Ad Valorem and Sales Tax collections, Projects underway, and any unusual activities that may arise from time to time that Commissioners should be informed of. Dr. Rivas motioned to accept the reports are presented. Julie Fairchild seconded. All Agreed.
12. Robert Steelhammer called for comments by the Commissioners.
13. Robert Steelhammer called to discuss and consider setting the next meeting date and location and any items that need to be included on that agenda. Linda motioned to set the next meeting on Thursday June 18 at 12:00pm. Dr. Rivas seconded. All agreed
14. Meeting adjourned at 1:05pm

Linda Carter

Secretary-Treasurer