

Public Board Meeting Notice

A Meeting of the ELLIS COUNTY EMERGENCY SERVICES DISTRICT #4 will be held

September 22, 2025 at 7:30 PM

Location: Ovilla Fire Station, 105 Cockerell Hill, Ovilla, Texas

POSTED

SEP 16 2025

COUNTY CLERK
ELLIS COUNTY, TEXAS

Agenda

CALL TO ORDER

CITIZENS COMMENTS

Citizens may sign up to speak. The Board may not take action on any matter that is not on the Agenda. Please limit comments to three minutes.

CONSENT AGENDA

The following items are routine in nature and may be acted upon in one motion. No separate discussion or action is necessary unless requested by a Commissioner, those items may be pulled from the consent agenda for individual consideration:

C1 Approve Minutes from August 18, 2025

ACTION AGENDA

ESD 4 Commission may discuss and/or take action on any of the following agenda items:

- A1 **Service Provider Reports from Fire Chiefs or Other Representatives**
Receive reports from Service Providers regarding emergency operations and take action if needed
- A2. **Approval of Interlocal Service Agreement with City of Ovilla**
- A3. **Approval of Interlocal Service Agreement with City of Red Oak.**
- A3 **Commissioner Reports**
Receive reports on upcoming deadlines, progress on assignments, and other Commissioner activity.
- A4 **Approval of Audit Engagement Letter**
- A5 **Approve an amended budget**
- A6 **Discussion of dates for a Commissioners' workshop**
- A7 **Consider October 27 for next meeting at Red Oak Fire Station 2**

The Board may retire to Executive Session any time between the meeting openings 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.

ADJOURNMENT

ELLIS ESD NO. 4 TAXPAYER IMPACT STATEMENT

2024 Median Value of Homestead: \$ 292,809.00

2025 Median Value of Homestead: \$ 316,771.00

	District Tax Rate		Homestead Owner Tax Bill
Actual for 2024:	<u>\$ 0.100000</u>	per \$100 AV	<u>\$ 292.81</u>
Proposed for 2025:	<u>\$ 0.100000</u>	per \$100 AV	<u>\$ 316.77</u>
No New Revenue Rate for 2025:	<u>\$ 0.091460</u>	per \$100 AV	<u>\$ 289.72</u>
Difference between Proposed Tax Rate and No-New-Revenue Tax Rate:	<u>\$ 0.008540</u>	per \$100 AV	<u>\$ 27.05</u>

This is to certify that a copy of the Notice of this Ellis County Emergency Services District #4 Meeting was posted at Ovilla City Hall, 105 S. Cockrell Hill Road, Ovilla, TX and Red Oak Fire Department, 547 N. Methodist Street, Red Oak, TX on or before 5:00 PM September 16, 2025

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