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**ECTOR COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT  
FINANCE COMMITTEE AND  
BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETINGS**

**February 26, 2021**

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Governmental entities are required to comply with the Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code Chapter 551, when convening a meeting of their governing body. On March 16, 2020, Governor Abbott temporarily suspended certain open meetings requirements imposed by the Open Meetings Act to slow the spread of COVID-19.

COVID-19, also called coronavirus, provides a unique concern in that gathering members of the public and/or entity staff in a physical setting might constitute a public health risk. The Open Meetings Act does not conceptualize an instance where a governing body meeting might be completely virtual to avoid further spread of contagion. However, Governor Abbott's suspension of certain requirements of the Open Meetings Act permits open meetings to occur in a fully virtual setting (e.g. telephonic or videoconference meeting), provided certain requirements are met. These suspensions are described below.

The Texas Department of Information Resources recommends governing bodies convene in a virtual forum (e.g. webinar, teleconference) to avoid public health risks to employees, members of the governing body, and the public.

A webinar or teleconference of an open meeting provides a fully-virtual forum in which:

- the public, entity employees, and members of the governing body can engage in self-isolation or social distancing as recommended by the Centers for Disease Control and the State of Texas;
- the public can hear open deliberations by an entity's governing body; and
- the public can interact with an entity's governing body during public comment

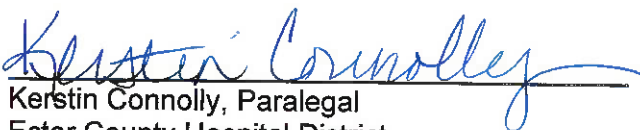
A meeting of the Ector County Hospital District Board of Directors Finance Committee is scheduled for Tuesday, March 2, 2021 at 4:45 p.m. in the Board Room of Medical Center Hospital.

Anyone interested in listening to the meeting and/or providing public comment may do so by calling 832-791-2356 and using access code 371 015 349#.

A meeting of the Ector County Hospital District Board of Directors is scheduled for Tuesday, March 2, 2021 at 5:30 p.m. in the Board Room of Medical Center Hospital.

Anyone interested in listening to the meeting and/or providing public comment may do so by calling 832-791-2356 and using access code 977 638 883#.

An agenda for each meeting is attached.

  
Kerstin Connolly, Paralegal  
Ector County Hospital District

Posted: February 26, 2021 at 4:30 a.m./p.m.



**ECTOR COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT  
BOARD OF DIRECTORS FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING  
MARCH 2, 2021 – 4:45 p.m.  
MEDICAL CENTER HOSPITAL BOARD ROOM (2<sup>ND</sup> FLOOR)  
500 W 4<sup>TH</sup> STREET, ODESSA, TEXAS**

**AGENDA**

- I. CALL TO ORDER ..... Bryn Dodd, Chairman**
- II. REVIEW OF MINUTES FOR FEBRUARY 2, 2021 MEETING ..... Bryn Dodd**
- III. CONFLICT OF INTEREST DISCLOSURE BY ANY BOARD MEMBER**
- IV. PUBLIC COMMENTS ON AGENDA ITEMS**
- V. ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION/CONSIDERATION**
  - A. FINANCE COMMITTEE ..... Bryn Dodd**
    - 1. Financial Report for Month Ended January 31, 2021 ..... Steve Ewing
    - 2. Consent Agenda
      - a. Consider Approval of InterQual Software Solution Agreement Renewal
    - 3. Capital Expenditure Request(s)
      - a. Consider Approval of CER Purchase of GE Mac Lab Upgrade/Cedaron/Cerner M640 Server/Cerner Storage ..... Matt Collins
    - 4. Consider Approval of Enterprise Security Awareness Training Program... Linda Carpenter
- ADJOURNMENT ..... Bryn Dodd**



ECTOR COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT
BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING
MARCH 2, 2021 - 5:30 p.m.
MEDICAL CENTER HOSPITAL BOARD ROOM (2ND FLOOR)
500 W 4TH STREET, ODESSA, TEXAS

AGENDA

- I. CALL TO ORDER..... Don Hallmark, President
II. INVOCATION..... Chaplain Doug Herget
III. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE..... Don Hallmark
IV. MISSION / VISION / VALUES OF MEDICAL CENTER HEALTH SYSTEM..... Don Hallmark
V. AWARDS AND RECOGNITION
A. February 2021 Associates of the Month ..... Russell Tippin
VI. CONFLICT OF INTEREST DISCLOSURE BY ANY BOARD MEMBER
VII. PUBLIC COMMENTS ON AGENDA ITEMS
VIII. CONSENT AGENDA ..... Don Hallmark
(These items are considered to be routine or have been previously discussed, and can be approved in one motion, unless a Director asks for separate consideration of an item.)
A. Consider Approval of Regular Meeting Minutes, February 2, 2021
B. Consider Approval of Joint Conference Committee, February 23, 2021
C. Consider Approval of Federally Qualified Health Center Monthly Report, January 2021
IX. COMMITTEE REPORTS
A. Audit Committee.....Bryn Dodd
1. FY 2020 MCHS External Audit Report
B. Finance Committee.....Bryn Dodd
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**X. TTUHSC AT THE PERMIAN BASIN REPORT**

**XI. PRESIDENT/CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S REPORT AND ACTIONS**

..... Russell Tippin

- A. COVID-19 Update
- B. ED Efficiency Update
- C. Ad hoc Report(s)

**XII. CONSIDER CERTIFICATION OF UNOPPOSED CANDIDATES..... Steve Steen**

**XIII. CONSIDER ORDER OF CANCELLATION OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS DISTRICT 1, 3, AND 5 ..... Steve Steen**

**XIV. ORDER OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS OF THE ECTOR COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT..... Steve Steen**

**XV. EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Meeting held in closed session involving any of the following: (1) Consultation with attorney regarding legal matters and legal issues pursuant to Section 551.071 of the Texas Government Code; and (2) Deliberation regarding negotiations for health care services, pursuant to Section 551.085 of the Texas Government Code.

**XVI. ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION FROM EXECUTIVE SESSION**

- A. Consider Approval of MCH Income Guarantee Agreement
- B. Consider Approval of MCH On-call Agreement
- C. Consider Approval of MCH ProCare Provider Agreements
- D. Inpatient Rehabilitation Agreement with Encompass Health
- E. Consider Approval of Forming a Non-profit Corporation in Regards to the Agreement with Encompass Health

**XVII. ADJOURNMENT ..... Don Hallmark**

*If during the course of the meeting covered by this notice, the Board of Directors needs to meet in executive session, then such closed or executive meeting or session, pursuant to Chapter 551, Texas Government Code, will be held by the Board of Directors on the date, hour and place given in this notice or as soon after the commencement of the meeting covered by this notice as the Board of Directors may conveniently meet concerning any and all subjects and for any and all purposes permitted by Chapter 551 of said Government Code.*