

Sutton County Commissioners Court

AMENDED SPECIAL MEETING

Tuesday August 20, 2024 at 9:00 a.m.

Sutton County Annex Meeting Room, 300 E. Oak, Sonora TX 76950

Joseph Harris
County Judge

Lee Bloodworth
Commissioner
Precinct 1

Bob Brockman
Commissioner
Precinct 2

Carl Teaff
Commissioner
Precinct 3

Harold Martinez
Commissioner
Precinct 4

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- 2 Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance
- 3 Public Comment

AGENDA

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EXECUTIVE SESSION

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Note 2 Texas Government code 551.072, Real Property
Note 3 Texas Government code 551.074, Personnel Matters
Note 4 Texas Government code 551.076, Security
Note 5 Texas Government code 551.087, Economic Development Negotiations
Note 6 Texas Government code 551.089, IT Security

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RECONVENE

- 6 Adjournment


JOSEPH HARRIS, County Judge

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PAM THORP, County Clerk

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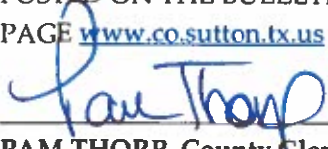
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At 4:10 FILED
O'clock P M
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STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF SUTTON

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PAM THORP
COUNTY & DISTRICT CLERK
SUTTON COUNTY, TEXAS

ORDER PROHIBITING OUTDOOR BURNING

As of this 19th day of August 2024, the Texas Fire Danger Rating based on fuels, weather, and topography per the Texas A&M Forest Service indicate a Moderate to High drought condition for all or part of the unincorporated area of Sutton County, which creates a public safety hazard that could be exacerbated by outdoor burning;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED by Sutton County Judge Joseph Harris under the authority designated by the Sutton County Commissioner's Court that all outdoor burning is prohibited as of this date in the unincorporated area of Sutton County not to be extended beyond the 90th day after the date this order is adopted, unless a determination is made that the circumstances no longer exist under Local Government Code § 352.081.

THIS ORDER does not prohibit outdoor burning activities related to public health and safety that are authorized and regulated by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality for; (1) firefighter training; (2) public utility, natural gas pipeline or mining operations; (3) planting or harvesting of agricultural crops; or, (4) burns that are conducted by a prescribed burn manager certified under Natural Resources Code §153.048 and meets the standards of Natural Resources Code § 153.047.

In accordance with Local Government Code §352.081(h), a violation of this Order is a Class C Misdemeanor, punishable by a fine not to exceed \$500.00.

Therefore, it is so ORDERED this 19th day of August 2024 as of 4:00 pm.



Joseph Harris

JOSEPH HARRIS, County Judge

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Attest: *Pam Thorp* by *Al Holmes*

PAM THORP, County Clerk

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON SUTTON COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT BUDGET

The Sutton County Appraisal District will hold a public hearing on a proposed budget for the 2025 fiscal year.

The public hearing will be held on September 10, 2024 at 9:00 a.m. in the meeting room of the Sutton County Annex building.

A summary of the Appraisal District Budget follows:

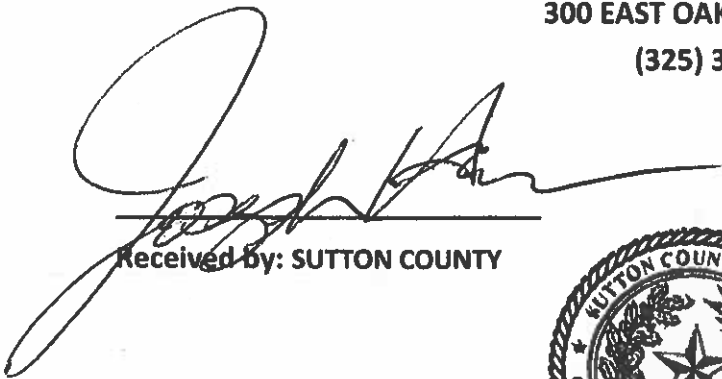
The total amount of the proposed budget.	\$ 581,154
The total amount of increase over the current year's budget.	\$ 44,397
The number of employees compensated under the proposed budget.	4
The number of employees compensated under the current budget.	3

The appraisal district is supported solely by payments from the local taxing units served by the appraisal district.

If approved by the appraisal district board of directors at the public hearing, this proposed budget will take effect automatically unless disapproved by the governing bodies of the county, school district, city, water district and hospital district served by the appraisal district.

A copy of the proposed budget is available for public inspection in the office of each of those governing bodies. A copy is also available for the public inspection at the appraisal district office.

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Received by: SUTTON COUNTY

08/20/2024
Date

