

## MEETING NOTICE

TO: North East Texas Regional Mobility Authority Board Members

FROM: Gary Halbrooks

DATE: Tuesday, July 16, 2024

SUBJECT: July Board Meeting

The next meeting of the NET RMA is scheduled as follows:

DATE: Tuesday, July 16, 2024

TIME: 1:30 PM

PLACE: Efurd Orchards

4004 US-271

Pittsburg, TX 75686

Enclosed please find the agenda and other pertinent information for your review prior to the meeting. Should you have any questions, please call Megan Page at 903.630.7894.

# NORTH EAST TEXAS REGIONAL MOBILITY AUTHORITY (NET RMA) **BOARD OF DIRECTORS REGULAR MEETING**

Tuesday, July 16, 2024, 1:30 PM **Efurd Orchards** 4004 US-271 Pittsburg, TX 75686

CALL TO ORDER AND DECLARATION OF QUORUM.

Notice of this meeting was posted with the Secretary of State's Office and on the NET RMA website and office on Friday, July 12, 2024.

- OPEN PUBLIC FORUM/COMMENT PERIOD.
- WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION OF BOARD MEMBERS. 3.
- **Gary Halbrooks** CHAIR'S REPORT.
- DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION AND APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES FOR THE JUNE 11, 2024, REGULAR BOARD MEETING.
- 6. **COMMITTEE REPORTS.**
- 7. REVIEW AND ACCEPTANCE OF NET RMA FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.
- DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO AUTHORIZE THE NEGOTIATION AND EXECUTION OF A FUNDING AGREEMENT WITH THE TYLER ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION FOR THE STATE **HIGHWAY 155 WIDENING PROJECT.**

(RESOLUTION 24-12) Action Item

DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO AUTHORIZE THE NEGOTIATION AND EXECUTION OF AN ADVANCED FUNDING AGREEMENT WITH THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR THE STATE HIGHWAY 155 WIDENING PROJECT.

(RESOLUTION 24-13) Action Item

10. DISCUSSION, CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO APPROVE WORK AUTHORIZATION NO. 6 WITH H.W. LOCHNER TO PREPARE THE PLANS, SPECIFICATION AND ESTIMATE (PS&E) FOR THE STATE HIGHWAY 155 WIDENING PROJECT.

(RESOLUTION 24-14) Action Item

- 11. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT
  - A. Roadway Maintenance Activities
  - **B.** Utility Permitting Process
- 12. ADJOURNMENT.

## EXECUTIVE SESSION - PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 551, SUBCHAPTER D, TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE, IF ANY

- > At any time during the meeting of the NET RMA Board of Directors, the Board may meet in executive session for consultation concerning matters under Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code, including:
  - A. Section 551.071. Consultation with Attorney—Consultation with and advice from legal counsel concerning pending/contemplated litigation, settlement offers and negotiations, ongoing disputes and potential disputes, and other legal issues.

- B. Section 551.072. Deliberation Regarding Real Property—Discussion of real property purchase, exchange, lease, license, gift, donation, and/or negotiated settlement, including property to be acquired for right-of-way.
- C. Section 551.074. Personnel Matters—Deliberation concerning the appointment, employment, reassignment, evaluation, duties, discipline, and/or dismissal of personnel.

#### PARTICIPATION BY TELEPHONE CONFERENCE CALL:

One or more members of the Board may participate in this meeting through a telephone conference call, as authorized by Section 370.262, Texas Transportation Code. Under that law, each part of the telephone conference call meeting that by law must be open to the public shall be audible to the public at the meeting location. During the meeting, the identification of each party shall be clearly stated prior to speaking, and the meeting shall be documented by written minutes. On conclusion of the meeting, the written minutes of the meeting will be made available to the public.

#### **OPEN COMMENT PERIOD**

The Board will allow an open comment period, not to exceed one hour, to receive public comment on any other matter that is under the jurisdiction of the Board, including an item listed on the agenda. Public comment must be made during the open comment period. You must be recognized by the presiding officer.

Each speaker will be allowed a <u>maximum of three (3) minutes</u>. For subjects that are not otherwise part of the agenda for the meeting, Board members may neither comment nor question speakers during the open comment period, but may request the presiding officer, or a recognized committee, to investigate the subject further. No action will be taken on matters that are not part of the agenda for the meeting.

#### NOTE

Enumerated agenda items are assigned for ease of reference only and will not necessarily be considered by the Board in that particular order. The presiding officer may rearrange the order in which agenda items are considered.

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### ACCESSIBILITY STATEMENT FOR DISABLED PERSONS

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