

# **Edwards Aquifer Authority**

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## NOTICE OF OPEN MEETING

## **Research & Technology Committee**

Carol Patterson — Chairman
Directors Carington, Sanborn, Ward, Yanta and Youngblood
Geary Schindel - EAA Staff Liaison

Tuesday, October 22, 2019

9:00 AM

**EAA Board Room** 

At this meeting, the following business may be considered, and the committee may take action to make recommendations to the board on any of the following items:

#### **AGENDA**

- A. Call to Order
- B. Public Comment
- C. Committee Reports
- D. Individual Consideration
- **D.1** Consider EAA staff recommendation to approve contract renewal and extension with **TestAmerica** Laboratories Inc., for analytical laboratory services, amount not to exceed in an \$210,000.
- D.2 Consider EAA staff recommendation to approve a joint funding agreement with the U.S. Geological Survey, for geological mapping, in an amount not to exceed \$760,400.
- E. Staff Reports
- E.1 Receive report from EAA staff on research on aquifer vulnerability and interformational flow studies.
- E.2 Receive report from EAA staff on aquifer conditions.
- F. Closed Session
- G. Consider and take action on recommendation(s) regarding matters deliberated in closed session.
- H. Consider future agendas

## I. Adjournment.

## J. Written Reports

October 17, 2019

Jennifer Wong-Esparza
Assistant to Board Secretary

Pursuant to Sections 36.054(b) and 49.064, Texas Water Code, this scheduled meeting of this committee is not subject to the requirements of the Texas Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551, Texas Government Code, as long as a quorum of the Board of Directors ("Board") of the Edwards Aquifer Authority is not present. However, because this meeting is open to the public, members of the Board who are not members of this committee may attend this meeting. If non-committee member directors attend this meeting in numbers such that a quorum of the Board is present, this meeting will constitute a special meeting of the Board subject to the Open Meetings Act and will be conducted in accordance therewith. However, non-committee member directors present at this meeting will have no right to vote on any matter before this committee. Moreover, no action taken at this committee meeting, whether or not there is a quorum of the Board present, shall constitute a final action of the Board.

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