

STATE OF TEXAS

August 20, 2019

COUNTY OF HOWARD

The Board of Trustees of the Howard County Junior College District held the first public hearing on tax increase in the Tumbleweed Room in the Student Union Building Tuesday, August 20, 2019.

The following members of the Board and District Administration were present:

Dr. John Freeman, Chairman
Maxwell Barr, Vice-Chairman
Adrian Calvio, Secretary
Patricia Bennett
Michael Flores

Cheryl T. Sparks, Ed.D., President
Brenda Claxton, Chief Fiscal Officer/Controller
Steve Smith, Chief Business Officer/Internal Auditor

Others present were:


Julie Bailey, Assistant to the President
Lee Bryant, Security
Cindy Smith, District Director Information and Marketing

Chairman Freeman opened the first public hearing on tax increase at 12:31 p.m. Dr. Freeman read the hearing procedures and invited citizens to present their views concerning the tax increase. There were no citizens registered to speak and therefore no questions were brought to the Trustees. The second tax hearing on the tax increase would be held Friday, August 23, in the Tumbleweed Room beginning at 12:30 p.m. The vote to adopt the tax rate would be considered at the August 26, board meeting, beginning at 12:30 p.m. in the Tumbleweed Room of the Student Union Building. There being no further comments, Dr. Freeman closed the public hearing at 12:32 p.m.

There being no other business. Mr. Calvio made the motion to adjourn. Mrs. Bennett seconded the motion. All Trustees present voted in favor of the motion. The meeting adjourned at 12:32 p.m.



Dr. John Freeman, Chairman



Adrian Calvio, Secretary
By Julie Bailey, Recorder