



# Emergency Services District No. 4

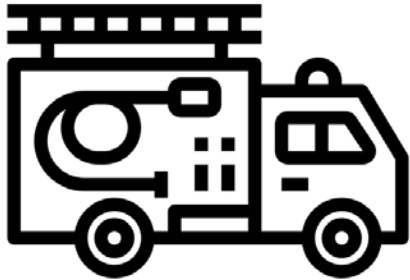
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# Emergency Service Districts

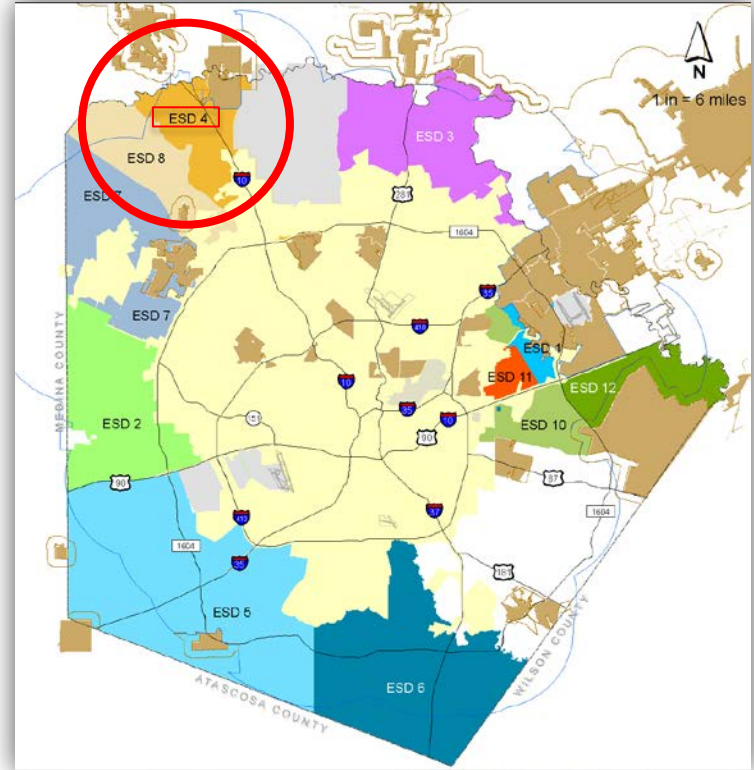
Created under state law and approved by voters to provide emergency services in unincorporated areas of the County



# Emergency Service Districts

Must receive City's approval if the ESD to be located within the ETJ

City negotiated certain conditions for approval

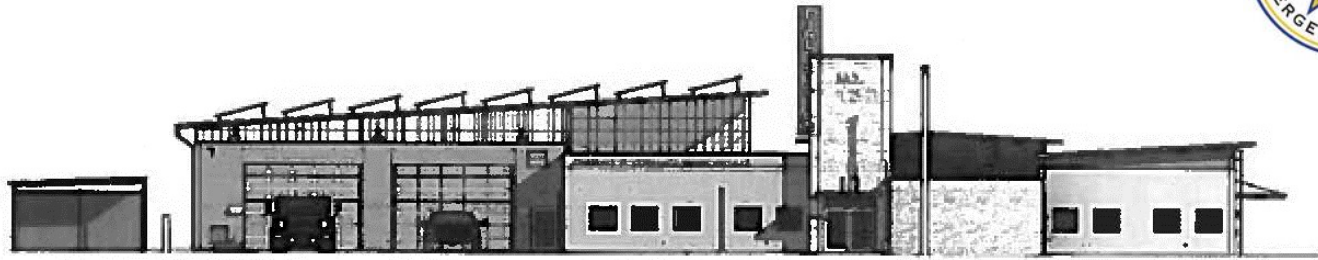


# ESD No. 4 - Agreement

- Cannot incur debt over \$20,000 without consent
- Must ensure equipment compatibility
- Must enter into mutual aid agreements

# ESD No. 4 - Request

ESD requested consent to incur \$4.5 million in debt for a fire station



# Implications to COSA

City would be responsible for a pro-rata share of indebtedness if it annexes territory within the ESD

No plans to annex territory within ESD No. 4

# Staff Review

City **Planning**, **Fire** and **Finance** staff reviewed request for impact to the City



# Recommendation

Staff recommends providing consent to ESD No. 4 to incur debt of up to \$4,500,000 for construction of a fire station





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