

2024 ANNUAL REPORT

Travis County Emergency Services Districts



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2024 Annual Report

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Who We Are

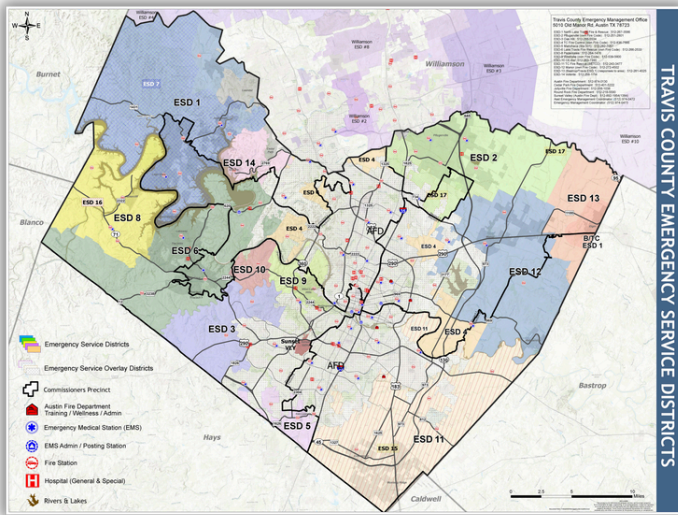
13 Primary Emergency Services Districts

4 Overlay Emergency Services Districts

PROTECTING
446,332
RESIDENTS



COVERING
765 SQUARE
MILES



SERVING
22 MUNICIPALITIES &
VILLAGES

Including City of Austin Extraterritorial Jurisdictions



OUR TEAMS

Emergency Services Districts are comprised of a dynamic team that includes both uniformed emergency responders and civilian personnel. Uniformed members, such as firefighters, play a vital role in emergency response, while civilian staff contribute expertise in areas like administration, communication, and support services. Together, they work seamlessly to serve and protect the community, showcasing the diverse skills required beyond traditional emergency response functions.

902

Uniformed Positions



80

Civilian Positions



113

New Firefighter Positions Added



FINANCIALS

Total Budget for All Travis County ESDs

2024 **\$164,326,158**

STATIONS



48

staffed
stations

2

new
stations

6

remodeled/
updated



4 Dozers



EQUIPMENT

Equipment owned and operated by TCESDs

3 Fire Boats



RIBS

UTVs



EQUIPMENT

Equipment owned and operated by TCESDs



9 Quints/Trucks



35 Engines



3 Rescues



41 Brush Trucks



12 Tenders



9 Squads

EMERGENCY OPERATIONS

49,576
incidents



22
Explosions



894
Hazardous
Conditions



6,358
Service Calls



3,074
False Alarms



27
Natural
Disasters



182
Special
Incidents

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

Reducing EMS Response Times via the Expansion of Fire-Based EMS.

Fire-Based EMS



6 Advanced Life Support Units

1 Basic Life Support Unit

FY 2024

Interlocal Agreement for Travis County and City of Austin for Emergency Medical Services.

11%
increase

9* 24-hour ambulances

2* 12-hour demand ambulances

* provide service in unincorporated Travis County

\$17,662,618

Total Contract Cost

EMS Training

Travis County ESDs train alongside three medical directors to ensure consistent, high-quality emergency medical care across all districts.



Advanced Life Support (ALS) Providers

42

ALS Providers in Training

283

ALS Providers

FIRE CODE

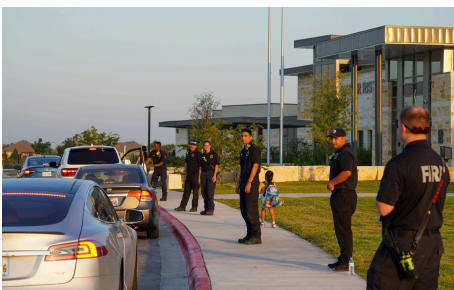
Fire codes are crucial for several reasons as they play a fundamental role in ensuring public safety and minimizing the risk of fire-related incidents. Five Travis County ESDs maintain and service fire codes and enforcement within their jurisdiction.

TCESDs w/Fire Codes	Fire Inspections	Maintenance Inspections	Plan Reviews	Operational Reviews/ Permits
ESD2	1,535	356	890	15
ESD 5 *	10	32	0	69
ESD6	2,050	73	854	118
ESD9	1,157	108	300	30
ESD11	740	283	560	64
ESD 12	892	7	307	74
Total	6,384	859	2,911	370

* in the process of adopting fire code, however conducting routine safety inspections.

PUBLIC EDUCATION

All Travis County ESDs participate in various public education and risk-reduction activities throughout the year.



NEW PROGRAMS & PARTNERSHIPS

Exploring inventive strategies to enhance the effectiveness and efficiency of our services, we are committed to both the safety and well-being of our communities. This includes judiciously utilizing tax dollars, ensuring responsible and careful stewardship of public resources while delivering top-notch services to meet the evolving needs of our residents.

ESD 6 Junior Firefighter Academy



Shared Fleet Maintenance



Firewise Programs and Home Ignition Zone Assessment

ESDs 2, 6, 9, 14



Peer Support

ESD 6 Regional NIST-Approved UAS Training Course

Lake Travis Fire Rescue developed a NIST-approved UAS training course, making LTFR the first in the region to implement this updated standard. With its completion, all NIST Levels (1-5) are now available at the Training Center for pilot proficiency and real-world drone operations.



PUBLIC INFORMATION

Providing the right information to the right people at the right time.



Public Information Officer Training



Joint News Conferences



SMOKE ALARMS: MAKE THEM WORK FOR YOU

Fire Prevention Week: Smoke Alarms: Make them Work for You



detector de humo

Fire Prevention Week: Spanish

ISO RATINGS

An ISO rating, short for Insurance Services Office rating, is a measure used by insurance companies to assess a community's firefighting capabilities. The rating evaluates factors like equipment, training, and water supply to determine how well a fire department can respond to emergencies. A lower ISO rating often results in lower insurance premiums for residents, as it indicates a higher level of fire protection in the community.

ISO Ratings



Total number of ISO
Class 1-2 TCESDs

9*

Total number of ISO
Class 3-4 TCESDs

3*

Total number of ISO
Class 5-10 TCESDs

2*

* Numbers reflect split rating classifications.





WE ARE
YOUR
TRAVIS
COUNTY
EMERGENCY
SERVICES
DISTRICTS