



Sweeny Police Department

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CCPD BYLAWS

ARTICLE I. NAME AND AFFILIATION

Section A. The name of this organization shall be the Crime Control and Prevention District (CCPD).

Section B. The Board shall be affiliated with and be an advisory council to the City of Sweeny and Sweeny City Council

ARTICLE II. PURPOSE

The purpose of the Board is to act as the directors of the district and staff regarding the ways in which the CCPD's services to small cities can be enhanced, consistent with the Boards resources and the needs of the organization as a whole.

ARTICLE III. MEMBERSHIP (LOCAL GOVERNMENT CODE CH 363)

BOARD OF DIRECTORS. (a) A district is governed by a board of seven directors appointed in the same manner as provided for the selection of temporary directors under Section [363.052\(a\)](#).

(b) Board members serve staggered two-year terms that expire September 1, except that the initial appointees under this section shall draw lots to determine:

(1) the three directors to serve terms that expire on September 1 of the first year following creation of the district; and

(2) the four directors to serve terms that expire on September 1 of the second year following creation of the district.

(c) Repealed by Acts 1999, 76th Leg., ch. 1219, Sec. 7(a), eff. Sept. 1, 1999.

(d) A vacancy in the office of director shall be filled for the unexpired term in the same manner that the vacant position was originally filled.

(e) A member of the board is not liable for civil damages or criminal prosecution for any act performed in good faith in the execution of duties as a board member or for an action taken by the board.

ARTICLE IV. TERMS OF OFFICE



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- A. Members may serve on the board as long as they meet all the requirements of membership. The terms of the board members shall be staggered. (See Membership)
 - B. If a member of the board is absent from two consecutive scheduled meetings without being excused by action of the board, the member may be disqualified from serving on the CCPD Board. An absence is excused only if:
 - C. the absent member informed any member of the CCPD of his/her absence in advance. If a member of the Board is absent from three consecutive scheduled meetings, the member could be automatically disqualified from serving on the CCPD.

ARTICLE V. OFFICERS

- A. The board shall elect from among its members a president and vice president. The board shall appoint a secretary. The secretary need not be a director. The person who performs the duties of auditor for the political subdivision shall serve as treasurer for the district.
- B. Each officer of the board serves for a term of one year.
- C. A vacancy in a board office shall be filled for the unexpired term by the board.

ARTICLE VI. MEETINGS

- A. The CCPD Board members shall meet not less than three regularly scheduled times during each year.
- B. Notice of meetings shall be posted per Roberts Rules of Order, 72 hours prior to the date of the meeting.

ARTICLE VII. AMENDMENTS TO THE BYLAWS

The bylaws may be amended at any meeting by a two-thirds vote to include all members of the board.

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