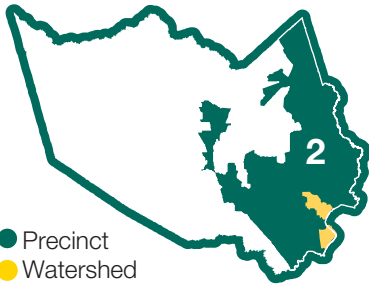


### MEETING OVERVIEW

Harris County Precinct: 2



**Date and Time:**

July 24, 2018, 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

**Location:**

Sylvan Beach Pavilion  
1 Sylvan Beach Drive  
La Porte, TX 77571

**Recorded Attendance:** 24

**Public Comments Received:**

- New Project or Buyout 8
- In Support of Proposed Bond Project 5
- Comment 3
- Question --
- Other --



### WATERSHED APPROACH

The Flood Control District will focus on completing a general investigation of drainage concerns in the San Jacinto and Galveston Bay watershed. The general investigation will involve the analysis of Citizen Service Requests, a review of previous drainage studies, and a public meeting to gather input from citizens. The general investigation will lead to a preliminary engineering report, final design plans, and construction of identified drainage improvement projects. The Flood Control District is also planning to complete drainage improvements along tributaries F101-06-00 and F216-00-00 in the City of La Porte. Voluntary home buyouts for structures that meet Flood Control District requirements are also planned for this watershed.

### BENEFITS

The proposed investigation and resulting projects would help define drainage benefits in the San Jacinto and Galveston Bay watershed. The tributary projects would address long-standing drainage issues in some La Porte area neighborhoods.



## PUBLIC INPUT THEMES



Channel Modification **12.50%**



Channel Maintenance **12.50%**



Storm Repair **12.50%**



Home Buyouts **12.50%**



Other Jurisdiction **25.00%**

## COMMUNITY INPUT REVIEW PROCESS

Each public comment was considered individually by the Flood Control District. Comments were reviewed to identify and categorize the ideas, concerns, requests, and information presented. This input was then categorized by theme for incorporation into the proposed bond program, and the Flood Control District team responded to each community input comment received. Themes identified for San Jacinto and Galveston Bay watershed are detailed below.

## COMMUNITY INPUT SUMMARY

From May 30 through August 3, 2018, the Flood Control District received a total of eight community input comments related to flood damage reduction concerns in the San Jacinto and Galveston Bay watershed. Common themes expressed include requests for channel modifications, channel maintenance, home buyouts, environmental impacts to Galveston Bay, and concerns that fall outside the Flood Control District's jurisdiction.

Channel maintenance requests pertained to debris and vegetation removal in tributary F222-00-00 and its associated ditch. One community member requested channel modifications to prevent siltation and the build-up of debris as a result of the current channel conveyance conditions near Galveston Bay. Additional requests seek to obtain information about the Flood Control District Home Buyout Program.

Community input that fell outside of the Flood Control District's jurisdiction included localized street and drainage improvements in the Miramar subdivision, storm surge protection improvements along the Houston Ship Channel, and evaluation of flood damage reduction projects on the environment in Galveston Bay. The concerns expressed within the San Jacinto and Galveston Bay watershed that fall outside of the Flood Control District's jurisdiction require coordination with other municipalities and/or organizations to address these comments.