

***Collin County Community College District Board of Trustees***

1. Finance and Audit Committee

December 3, 2019

Resource: Steven Bassett  
Chief Financial Officer

**DISCUSSION ITEM:** Consideration of Approval and Recommendation for the Engagement of Abernathy, Roeder, Boyd & Hullett P.C. to Serve the District in the Collection of All Delinquent Ad Valorem Taxes, Penalty and Interest Owed to the District

**DISCUSSION:** Abernathy, Roeder, Boyd & Hullett P.C. have been providing the collection of delinquent taxes since the inception of the District. This arrangement was made through the tax collection contract that Collin College has with Collin County. The College and our attorneys both think it is prudent to have our own separate contract.

Payment for these services is through the collection of fees collected from the taxpayer as provided by Texas Property Tax Code Section 33. A delinquent tax roll will be furnished to Abernathy, Roeder, Boyd & Hullett P.C. for the purposes of collecting taxes on behalf of the District.

Texas Education Code 44.031 (f) exempts the procurement of services performed by attorneys from the competitive solicitation process.

The Finance and Audit Committee will discuss its recommendation to the Board of Trustees regarding the engagement of the Abernathy, Roeder, Boyd & Hullett P.C. to Serve the District in the collection of all delinquent ad valorem taxes, penalty and interest owed to the District.