

REGULAR MEETING
WILLACY COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' COURT
THURSDAY, MARCH 13, 2025 AT 10:00 AM
COUNTY JUDGE'S OFFICE (COMMISSIONERS' COURTROOM)
576 WEST MAIN STREET, RAYMONDVILLE, TEXAS 78580

Notice is Hereby Given

WILLACY COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT will hold a REGULAR MEETING at the County Judge's Office (Commissioners' Courtroom), 576 West Main Street, Raymondville, TX. 78580, THURSDAY MARCH 13, 2025 at 10:00 A.M. For the purpose of discussion of the following items.

NOTE: If during the course of the meeting, any discussion of any item on the agenda should be held in executive or closed session, the WILLACY COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT will convene in such executive or closed sessions in accordance with Section 551.001, et seq., Texas Government Code.

Should any final action, final decision, or final vote be required in the opinion of the Willacy County Commissioners' Court with regard to any matter consider in such closed or executive meeting or session, then the final decision, or final vote shall be either:

- In the open meeting covered by the Notice upon the reconvening of the public meeting; or
- At a subsequent meeting of the Willacy County Commissioners' Court upon notice thereof, as the County shall determine.

1. Call to Order.
2. Roll Call / Establishment of Quorum.
3. Invocation / Pledge.
4. Public Comment (s).
5. Approval of Claims: ACTION REQUIRED
6. Approval of Previous Minutes as follows: February 12, 2025 Public Workshop; February 13, 2025 Regular Meeting; February 13, 2025 Addendum #1 Regular Meeting; February 18, 2025 Special Meeting; February 27, 2025 Regular Meeting; March 5, 2025 Special Meeting; March 5, 2025 Special Meeting; ACTION REQUIRED.
7. TxDOT to provide Monthly Updates.
8. Spread in the Minutes – Willacy County Commissioner Precinct 1 Micaela Zamorano-Alaniz has received Certificate of Course Completion on the Texas Open Meetings Act.
9. Spread in the Minutes – Henry De La Paz Precinct 3 Commissioner, has completed 20 credit hours of the continuing education provisions of Article 81.0025 of the Texas Local Government Code 2024.
10. Spread in the Minutes – on December 6, 2024 Commissioner Pct. 4 Ernie Garcia attended the County Judges & Commissioners Association of Texas earning 6 hours. Commissioner Garcia has met the 2024 Commissioner Statutory Continuing Education requirement for 2024.

11. Spread in the Minutes – Mario Tijerina Pct 2 Commissioner has completed 23 credit hours of the continuing education provisions of Article 81.0025 of the Texas Local Government Code 2024.
12. Spread in the Minutes - Certificate of Completion for Willacy County Commissioner Precinct 1 Micaela Zamorano-Alaniz for successfully completing 24 hours of Education Training Seminar for Newly Elected County Judges and Commissioners.
13. Discuss and Approve Willacy County's acquisition of a property easement for TWDB project #40097, to include purchasing the property easement of 0.60 of west 1/2 Lot 5, Block 9 of the Gulf Coast Irrigation Company Subdivision, Willacy County, Texas and from Willacy CAD parcel no. 18826 from TMZ East, LLC at cost of \$4410.00 to be paid from TWDB project #40097 funds.
ACTION REQUIRED
14. Discussion and Action to approve the establishment of a department for Willacy County Pre-Trial Services. ACTION REQUIRED.
15. Discussion and Action to approve burn ban for Willacy County. ACTION REQUIRED.
16. Requesting permission to use courthouse lawn and Approve and Proclaim the Month of April 2025 as Child Abuse Awareness Month, Proclamation attached. ACTION REQUIRED.
17. Discussion and Action to approve Resolution to amend TDA CDBG grant CFC21-0274 to add street paving work, including the required Colonia lighting to be completed via forced account labor, and a change to the grant budget; where some funds will be moved to the new street improvements activity. Resolution attached. ACTION REQUIRED.
18. Consideration and Possible Action to approve Amendment No. 1 for professional service agreement for engineering services in connection with the TxCDBG Project, Contract Number CF21-0274.
ACTION REQUIRED.
19. Discuss, consider and select engineering/architectural service provider(s) to complete application and project implementation for the Coastal Management Program funding administered by the Texas General Land Office. ACTION REQUIRED.
20. Discuss, consider and select a vendor to complete project implementation for the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Project(s). Funding administered by the U.S. Department of the Treasury, other federal or state agencies. ACTION REQUIRED.
21. Action and Approval to purchase technology/equipment for Auditor's Department Project #2302-A for the total amount not to exceed \$7,344.65 to be paid by the Local Assistance & Tribal Consistency Fund (LATCF). ACTION REQUIRED.
22. Discussion and Approval for payment of travel for Deputy Marcelino Flores and Bailiff Gustavo Prieto for inmate transport to Lake City, Florida from March 19-22, 2025 to be paid out of jail administration inmate transport account line item (01-461-153). ACTION REQUIRED

23. Discussion and Action to consider approving paying for Vehicle Accessories for Willacy County Constable Precinct 5 from Capital Funds account. ACTION REQUIRED.
24. Discussion and Action to consider an emergency declaration for Willacy County due to border crisis. ACTION REQUIRED.
25. Discussion and Action to consider hiring RBPS to submit application and overlook the grant stipulations while in force. ACTION REQUIRED.
26. Approval of Monthly Reports. ACTION REQUIRED
27. Approval of Travel Request. ACTION REQUIRED.
28. Approval of Treasurers Report. ACTION REQUIRED
29. Approval of Budget Amendments. ACTION REQUIRED
30. Approval of Tax Collector Report. ACTION REQUIRED
31. Review of Special Claims.
32. Review monthly reports on jail count.
33. Review of monthly employee overtime report.
34. EXECUTIVE SESSION:
 - a. Confer with Commissioners Court legal counsel regarding pending or contemplated litigation and/or negotiations involving the county, its employees, or its interests, pursuant to VTCA Government Code, Section 551.071 (a) and (2).
 - b. Deliberation regarding pending or contemplated litigation and/or negotiations involving the county, its employees, or its interests, pursuant to V.T.C.A Government Code, Section 551.071 (a) and (2).
35. ACTION RELATIVE TO EXECUTIVE SESSION:
 - a. Possible Action.
 - b. Possible Action.
36. Adjourn.

Susana R. Garza, County Clerk &
Ex-Officio Clerk of the
Commissioners' Court of
Willacy County, Texas

By: Elizabeth Rio, ^{chief} Deputy



Aurelio Guerra
Willacy County Judge

FILED @ 9:56 am.
COUNTY COURT

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SUSANA R. GARZA, CLERK
WILLACY COUNTY, TEXAS
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