

# COMMISSIONERS' COURT

Aransas County, Texas

Ray A. Garza, County Judge

**Jack Chaney**  
Commissioner, Pct 1

**Leslie Casterline**  
Commissioner, Pct 2



**Pat Rousseau**  
Commissioner, Pct 3

**Robert Dupnik**  
Commissioner, Pct 4

## **NOTICE OF REGULAR MEETING AND AGENDA**

Notice is hereby given that a **Regular Meeting** of the above named Commissioners Court will be held on the **3rd DAY of AUGUST, 2026 at 9:00 A.M. IN THE COMMISSIONERS COURTROOM IN THE ARANSAS COUNTY COURTHOUSE LOCATED AT 308 N. LIVE OAK, ROCKPORT, TEXAS, 78382.** Persons with disabilities who plan to attend this meeting and who may need assistance should contact the County Judge's office at (361) 790-0100 two working days prior to the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made. **To watch the meeting, visit:** <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCTxprR-CFvaZfapOVcLeDWQ/live>. The following subjects will be discussed:

- I. CALL TO ORDER**
- II. INVOCATION**
- III. PLEDGES**
- IV. ROLL CALL AND CONFIRMATION OF QUORUM**
- V. CITIZENS TO BE HEARD**

*At this time, comments will be taken from the audience on any subject matter that is not on the agenda. To address the Commissioners, please sign the Public Participation Form located at <https://actxgov.seamlessdocs.com/w/ccpublicparticipation> or sign the Public Participation Form located on the table outside of the County Courtroom and deliver to the County Clerk before the meeting begins. Citizens who wish to speak on a matter included in this Agenda will be invited to speak when that particular matter is being deliberated by the Commissioners Court. Each member of the public who appears before the Commissioners Court shall be limited to a maximum of five (5) minutes to make his/her remarks. Please note, in accordance with the Open Meetings Act, Commissioners may not discuss or take action on any item which has not been posted on the agenda.*

## **VI. PRESENTATIONS AND PROCLAMATIONS - NONE**

*Presentations are scheduled in advance of the meeting and limited to fifteen (15) minutes unless other arrangements have been made with the Court.*

## **VII. CONSENT AGENDA**

*All Consent Agenda items listed are considered to be routine by the Commissioners Court and will be enacted by one motion and no separate discussion of these items will occur unless a County Commissioner or the County Judge so requests, in which case the item will be removed from the Consent Agenda and considered in its normal sequence on the agenda.*

1. Approve the Minutes from the July 27, 2026 Regular Meeting – Misty Kimbrough/Judge Garza
2. Approve the Minutes from the July 30, 2026 Special Meeting – Misty Kimbrough/Judge Garza
3. Acknowledge receipt of and record in the minutes of Commissioners Court the Certificate of Completion for Commissioner Rousseau from the V.G. Young Institute of County Government for successfully completing 16 hours of educational training at the 92<sup>nd</sup> Annual South Texas CJCA Conference – Commissioner Rousseau/Judge Garza
4. Acknowledge receipt of and record in the minutes of Commissioners Court the Certificate of Completion for Judge Garza from the V.G. Young Institute of County Government for successfully completing 8 hours of educational training at the 92<sup>nd</sup> Annual South Texas CJCA Conference – Judge Garza

## **VIII. COUNTY REPORTS AND RESOLUTIONS**

5. Discuss and approve Order #O-08-2026, ordering a General Election to be held November 3, 2026 for the purpose of electing county and precinct officers, and providing notice of the election – Kevin Stroud/Judge Garza
6. Discuss and approve Order #O-09-2026, an Order of Appointment of Judges and Alternatives, for a one-year term to begin September 1, 2026 – Kevin Stroud/Judge Garza

## **IX. COUNTY ROADS AND FLOODPLAIN - NONE**

## **X. CONTRACTS AND GRANTS**

7. Discuss and accept the Aransas County Single Audit Report for the Year Ended December 31, 2025, as presented by Crowe, LLP, Certified Public Accountants – Jacky Cockerham/Judge Garza
8. Discuss, approve or disapprove an Interlocal Agreement for Tax Assessment and Collection of Property Tax in 2026-2027 between Aransas County, Texas, and the Town of Fulton, Texas -- Anna Marshall/Judge Garza
9. Discuss, approve or disapprove an Interlocal Agreement for Tax Assessment and Collection of Property Tax in 2026-2027 between Aransas County, Texas, and the City of Rockport, Texas - Anna Marshall/Judge Garza

10. Discuss, approve or disapprove an Interlocal Agreement for Tax Assessment and Collection of Property Tax in 2026-2027 between Aransas County, Texas, and the Aransas County Navigation District - Anna Marshall/Judge Garza
11. Discuss, approve or disapprove an Interlocal Agreement for Tax Assessment and Collection of Property Tax in 2026-2027 between Aransas County, Texas, and the Rockport-Fulton Independent School District - Anna Marshall/Judge Garza
12. Discuss, approve or disapprove an Interlocal Agreement for Tax Assessment and Collection of Property Tax in 2026-2027 between Aransas County, Texas, and Municipal Utility District No. 1 - Anna Marshall/Judge Garza
13. Discuss, approve or disapprove adoption of the Interlocal Agreement with the City of Rockport, Aransas County, and Aransas County Navigation District related to the City of Rockport's Tax Increment Reinvestment Zone (TIRZ) #1 and authorize the County Judge to sign the Agreement – Commissioner Rousseau

#### **XI. PLANNING AND BUDGET**

14. Discuss, approve or disapprove on the selection of "Option A – No Change" on the Texas Department of Motor Vehicles (TxDMV) Imposition of Optional Fees form for calendar year 2027. Under Transportation Code, *Section 502.403*, this selection maintains Aransas County's current local vehicle registration fees, which include a \$1.50 Child Safety Fee and a \$10.00 Road and Bridge Fee; Revenue from the Child Safety Fee will continue to fund local child safety measures within the county – Anna Marshall/Judge Garza
15. Discuss, approve, or disapprove Accounts Payable and Payroll/Payroll Liabilities – Jacky Cockerham/Judge Garza

#### **XII. REPORTS FROM COMMISSIONERS, ELECTED OFFICIALS, AND DEPARTMENT HEADS – NO ACTION WILL BE TAKEN**

*At this time, Commissioners will hear reports or updates on committee assignments. Elected Officials and Department Heads may provide reports or updates related to advisory boards, fee reports, and more.*

#### **XIII. REPORTS ABOUT ITEMS OF COMMUNITY INTEREST – NO ACTION WILL BE TAKEN**

*At this time, Commissioners Court will hear reports and updates from Commissioners, the County Judge, and/or County staff related to items of community interest such as: expressions of thanks, congratulations, or condolences; information regarding holiday schedules or closures; honorary or salutory recognition of a public official, employee, or a citizen; reminders about upcoming events; reports on public events attended by Commissioners, County officials, and/or employees; and any announcement involving an emergency or imminent threat to public health and safety that arose after the posting of this Agenda.*

#### **XIV. EXECUTIVE SESSION**

*PUBLIC NOTICE is given that the Commissioners Court may elect to go into an Executive Session anytime during the meeting to discuss matters listed anywhere on the agenda, when authorized by the provisions of the Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code. In the event the Commissioners Court elects to go into Executive Session regarding an agenda item, the section or sections of the Open Meetings Act authorizing the Executive Session will be publicly announced by the presiding officer. In accordance with the authority of the Texas Government Code Sections 551.071, 551.072, 551.073, 551.074, 551.075, 551.076, 551.086, 551.087, 551.089, the Commissioners Court will hold an Executive Session to consult with attorney(s), including outside legal counsel on matters related to litigation; and to deliberate regarding real property, contract negotiations, prospective gift(s), personnel matters, county advisory bodies, security devices and deployments, competitive utility matters, economic development negotiations including incentives, and/or security audits or network vulnerability assessments. Upon completion of the Executive Session, the Commissioners Court may, in an open session, take such action as appropriate on items discussed in an Executive Session.*

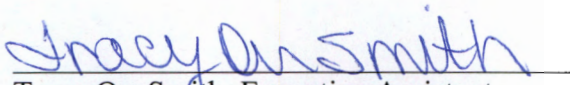
**XV. OPEN SESSION**

16. Reconvene into Open Session
17. Discuss and take action, if any, regarding matters discussed in Executive Session.

**XVI. ADJOURNMENT**

**CERTIFICATION**

*It is hereby affirmed that this **NOTICE OF MEETING AND AGENDA** was duly posted at the Aransas County Courthouse, located at 308 N. Live Oak, Rockport, TX 78382, at least three business days preceding the scheduled time of said meeting, on an enclosed bulletin board outside the Courthouse. This location is readily accessible to the general public twenty-four (24) hours each day and the agenda is available on the Aransas County website, in compliance with the Texas Open Meetings Act and Texas Government Code §551.043.*

  
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**FILED FOR RECORD**

**AT 03:09 PM**

**Jul 28 2026**

**MISTY KIMBROUGH**  
**COUNTY CLERK, ARANSAS CO., TEXAS**