

BUDGET WORKSHOP MINUTES

Aransas County Commissioners Court



Monday, June 16, 2025, 9:00 A.M.

The Aransas County Commissioners Court met on **Monday, June 16, 2025 at 9:00 A.M. in The Rockport Aquarium Education Center located at 706 Navigation Circle, Rockport, Texas, 78382.** Aransas County Commissioner's Court meeting video recordings are available by following this link: [Commissioners Court Minutes and Agendas \(aransascountytx.gov\)](https://aransascountytx.gov), then scroll to the bottom of the page and select the date you wish to view.

Present: **Ray A. Garza**, County Judge
Jack Chaney, Commissioner Precinct 1-1A
Leslie Casterline, Commissioner, Precinct 2
Pat Rousseau, Commissioner, Precinct 3
Robert Dupnik, Commissioner, Precinct 4-4A

I. CALL TO ORDER

Video Time 0:00

II. ROLL CALL

Video Time 0:11

III. DECLARE QUORUM

Video Time 0:19

IV. ITEMS FOR DELIBERATION AND/OR ACTION

1. General discussion of 2026 Budget with elected officials and department heads as scheduled – Tana Taylor / Jacky Cockerham / Judge Garza

Video Time 0:21

- ★ Alma Cartwright – County Treasurer

Video Time 0:31

- ★ Judge McGinnis – JP2

Video Time 22:33

- ★ Rene Butler – Facilities Maintenance Director

Video Time 26:45

- ★ Judge Garza called for a break

Video Time 57:48

- ★ Judge Garza called back into session

Video Time 1: 03:30

- ★ Judge Dupnik – JP1

Video Time 1:03:49

- ★ Doc Thomas – Constable Precinct 1

Video Time 1:08:02

- ★ Gavin Harrison – Constable Precinct 2

Video Time 1:09:41

- ★ Iris Sanchez – Librarian Director

Video Time 1:10:37

- ★ Collin Jackson – IT Director, by Russ Walker
[Video Time 1:11:36](#)
- ★ Ruben Garcia – Veteran Services, not present but discussed
[Video Time 1:17:23](#)
- ★ Desiree Upton – Human Resources Director, not present but discussed
[Video Time 1:17:45](#)
- ★ Kevin Stroud – Election Administrator
[Video Time 1:18:31](#)
- ★ Anna Marshall – Tax Assessor/Collector
[Video Time 1:27:28](#)
- ★ Judge Ray Garza – County Judge
[Video Time 1:32:20](#)
- ★ Misty Kimbrough – County Clerk
[Video Time 1:35:31](#)
- ★ Jacky Cockerham – Co Auditor
[Video Time 1:47:20](#)
- ★ Judge Garza called for a break
[Video Time 1:49:55](#)
- ★ Judge Garza called back into session
[Video Time 1:57:07](#)
- ★ Bill Mills - Sheriff
[Video Time 1:57:08](#)
- ★ Blake Brown – Fleet Maintenance
[Video Time 2:16:43](#)
- ★ Darrell Seibert – Road Administrator
[Video Time 2:20:20](#)
- ★ Judge Garza called for Lunch break 11:36 AM resuming at 2:00 PM 3/2 5-0
[Video Time 2:27:21](#)
Motion to break for lunch: by Commissioner Rousseau, and seconded by Commissioner Casterline
Motion carried by a vote of: 5/0, it is so ordered
- ★ Judge Garza called back into session 2:00 PM
[Video Time 4:59:47](#)
- ★ Judge Bianchi – County Court at Law
[Video Time 4:59:52](#)
- ★ Caitlan Frazier – Animal Care
[Video Time 5:01:49](#)
- ★ Amanda Oster – County Attorney
[Video Time 5:10:39](#)

★ Mike Geer - Airport

Video Time 5:24:14

★ Judge Flanigan – District Judge

Video Time 5:37:58

★ Judge Garza called for a short break

Video Time 5:49:33

★ Judge Garza called back into session 3:01 PM

Video Time 6:01:28

★ Virginia E. Smith – AgriLife Extension

Video Time 6:01:38

★ Zach Westlake – District Clerk, by Stephanie Abbott, Chief Deputy

Video Time 6:07:21

V. ADJOURNMENT

Video Time 6:16:28

★ **Motion to adjourn:** by Commissioner Rousseau, motion was seconded by Commissioner Dupnik

★ **Vote:** Motion carried 5-0: it was so ordered

★ **Meeting adjourned at 3:17 PM**

ARANSAS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' COURT



Misty Kimbrough

Misty Kimbrough,
Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners Court

6-23-25

Date signed and attestation

Leslie "Bubba" Casterline

Leslie "Bubba" Casterline, County Judge
Pro-Tem

6-23-25

Date signed.

