

NOTICE OF MEETING OF THE
COMMISSIONERS COURT OF FRIO COUNTY, TEXAS

Notice is hereby given that a Special Called Meeting of the above-named Commissioners Court will be held on the **16th** day of **March, 2026**, at **3:00 p.m.**, in the Frio County Courtroom, Pearsall, Texas, and also via video conference with a link provided at <http://www.co.frio.tx.us/>. It is the intent of the Frio County Commissioners Court that a quorum of the court and the presiding member of the court will be present at the above-mentioned location and time. Court members may be participating via videoconference pursuant to Tex. Gov't Code § 551.127. During the meeting, the following subjects will be discussed, to-wit:

- I. Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance
- II. Adopt Agenda
- III. Old Business

PRESENTATION

ACTION AGENDA ITEMS

- IV. General Discussion
- V. Citizens To Be Heard

Please note that the Rules of Procedure, Conduct and Decorum at Meetings of the Commissioners Court of Frio County, Texas limit each speaker to a maximum of three (3) minutes to make his or her remarks. Inappropriate conduct or comments during this time, including but not limited to disruptive behavior, insults, personal attacks, and inappropriate language, may result in the speaker being ordered to leave the meeting and forfeit any remaining speaking time. For more information regarding the above-mentioned rules, please see the complete Rules of Procedure, Conduct and Decorum at Meetings of the Commissioners Court of Frio County, Texas, which is available upon request.

- VI. New Business

PRESENTATION

ACTION AGENDA ITEMS

- (1) Frio County Commissioners Court, requests:

- 1.1 Consider/take action on authorizing extension of legal representation and engagement with outside construction law counsel, Jeff Chapman of Chapman Negrete, for the Frio County Parks and Recreation Facilities Arena.

FILED
At 4:39 o'Clock P M
This 10th day of MARCH 2026
Anna L. Hernandez
Clerk County Court FRIO COUNTY, TX
BY: [Signature] DEPUTY

1.2 If the supplemental engagement letter is approved, consider/take action on approving a resolution authorizing Hon. Mario Martinez to sign same on behalf of Frio County.

(2) Frio County Commissioners Court, requests:

Consider/take action on authorizing Chapman Negrete to prepare a comprehensive Request for Qualifications for design services for the Frio County Exposition Center Project.

(3) Daniella Perez, Frio County Elections Administrator, requests:

3.1 Consider/take action on passing and adopting a resolution authorizing the execution of a Joint Election Agreement and Election Ballot Service Contract between Frio County and the City of Dilley for the election on May 2, 2026.

3.2 If resolution is passed and adopted, then authorize Hon. Mario Martinez, Frio County Commissioner for Precinct No, 2, to execute the Joint Election Agreement and Ballot Service Agreement between Frio County and the City of Dilley.

3.3 Consider passing and adopting a resolution authorizing the execution of a Lease Agreement for the use of the Frio County's Electronic Voting Equipment with the City of Dilley for the election on May 2, 2026.

3.4 If resolution is passed and adopted, then authorize Hon. Mario Martinez, Frio County Commissioner for Precinct No, 2, to execute the lease for the use of the Electronic Voting Equipment with the City of Dilley.

(4) Daniella Perez, Frio County Elections Administrator, requests:

4.1 Consider/take action on passing and adopting a resolution authorizing the execution of a Joint Election Agreement and Election Ballot Service Contract between Frio County and the City of Pearsall for the election on May 2, 2026.

4.2 If resolution is passed and adopted, then authorize Hon. Mario Martinez, Frio County Commissioner for Precinct No, 2, to execute the Joint Election Agreement and Ballot Service Agreement between Frio County and the City of Pearsall.

4.3 Consider passing and adopting a resolution authorizing the execution of a Lease Agreement for the use of the Frio County's Electronic Voting Equipment with the City of Pearsall for the election on May 2, 2026.

4.4 If resolution is passed and adopted, then authorize Hon. Mario Martinez, Frio County Commissioner for Precinct No, 2, to execute the lease for the use of the Electronic Voting Equipment with the City of Pearsall.

(5) Daniella Perez, Frio County Elections Administrator, requests:

- 5.1 Consider/take action on passing and adopting a resolution authorizing the execution of a Joint Election Agreement and Election Ballot Service Contract between Frio County and the Pearsall Independent School District for the election on May 2, 2026.
- 5.2 If resolution is passed and adopted, then authorize Hon. Mario Martinez, Frio County Commissioner for Precinct No, 2, to execute the Joint Election Agreement and Ballot Service Agreement between Frio County and the Pearsall Independent School District.
- 5.3 Consider passing and adopting a resolution authorizing the execution of a Lease Agreement for the use of the Frio County's Electronic Voting Equipment with the Pearsall Independent School District for the election on May 2, 2026.
- 5.4 If resolution is passed and adopted, then authorize Hon. Mario Martinez, Frio County Commissioner for Precinct No, 2, to execute the lease for the use of the Electronic Voting Equipment with the Pearsall Independent School District.

(6) Hon. Pete Jasso Martinez, Frio County Treasurer, requests:

Consider/take acting on signing resolution changing the signatories on the county owned, operated, and controlled, bank account at the Security State Bank, including:

- Frio County Sheriff's Escrow Account #100017292

by removing Mike Morse, former Frio County Sheriff. All other signatories currently on these accounts will remain in effect.

(7) Anthony Gonzales, Frio County Road and Bridge Administrator, requests:

Discuss/take action on future motor grader operations in Frio County.

(8) Hon. Pedro "Peter" Salinas, Frio County Sheriff, requests:

Consider/ take action on acceptance of \$2000.00 donation from Atom Construction to the Frio County Sheriff's Office.

(9) Hon. Pedro "Peter" Salinas, Frio County Sheriff, requests:

- 9.1 Consider/Take action to approve Bandwidth Utilization Agreement with Encartele to provide installation of commissary phones, and kiosk equipment at no cost to the Frio County Jail.

9.2 If the agreement is approved, consider/take action on approving a resolution authorizing Hon. Mario Martinez to sign same on behalf of Frio County.

(10) Hon. Pedro "Peter" Salinas, Frio County Sheriff, requests:

Consider / take action on approving resolution for FY2027 Operation Stone Garden Grant.

(11) Hon. Pedro "Peter" Salinas, Frio County Sheriff, requests:

Discuss seized funds received for \$620.17 from the 81st District Attorney Seizure Account to the Frio County Sheriff's Office.

(12) Hon. Pedro "Peter" Salinas, Frio County Sheriff, requests:

Discuss seized funds received for \$1,705.91 from the 81st District Attorney Seizure Account to the Frio County Sheriff's Office.

(13) Hon. Pedro "Peter" Salinas, Frio County Sheriff, requests:

Discuss seized funds received for \$1,368.74 from the 81st District Attorney Seizure Account to the Frio County Sheriff's Office.

(14) Hon. Crystal Marquez, Frio County Auditor, requests:

Consider/take action on the acceptance of a 55" smart tv donated by Esmeralda Cano to the Frio County Dilley Annex II Building.

(15) Hon. Crystal Marquez, Frio County Auditor, requests

Consider / take action on approving the revised Frio County Sheriff's Office Overtime and M&A Grant Program Policies & Procedures.

(16) Hon. Crystal Marquez, Frio County Auditor, requests:

Consider/take action approving Frio County Auditor to apply for the Community Empowerment Program grant through Medina Electric Cooperative Inc.

(17) Hon. Crystal Marquez, Frio County Auditor, requests:

17.1 Consider / take action on approving CIAC Agreement and construction cost of \$593.65. with American Electric Power Texas (A.E.P.) on CR 1557, CR 1557 & FM 462, and CR 2557 & FM 462 in Moore, Texas.

17.2 If the agreement is approved, consider/take action on approving a resolution authorizing Hon. Mario Martinez to sign same on behalf of Frio County.

(18) Hon. Crystal Marquez, Frio County Auditor, requests:

18.1 Consider / take action to approve the budget amendments to the FISCAL YEAR 2025-2026 Frio County Budget, list below:

ORDER OF BUDGET AMENDMENT

The Commissioners' Court of Frio County, Texas hereby authorizes the following budget amendment for fiscal year October 1, 2024 - September 30, 2025.

DEPT. NAME	ACCOUNT #	DESCRIPTION	CURRENT BUDGET	+ INCREASE (DECREASE)	= ADJUSTED BUDGET
202 - WIC PROGRAM FUND					
202 - Intergovernmental Revenue	202 - 40000.4350	Intergovernmental Revenues	268,756.00	86,550.00	355,306.00
202 - Personnel Services	202 - 50000.5105	Salaries - Peer Counselor	0.00	12,472.99	12,472.99
202 - Personnel Services	202 - 50000.5120	Salaries - OB Prevention	0.00	34,130.58	34,130.58
202 - Personnel Services	202 - 50000.5131	Payroll Taxes	11,598.00	3,565.17	15,163.17
202 - Personnel Services	202 - 50000.5151	County Retirement Contributions	13,095.90	4,525.10	17,621.00
202 - Personnel Services	202 - 50000.5156	County Retirement Supplement	363.86	111.85	475.71
202 - Personnel Services	202 - 50000.5161	Workers Compensation Insurance	374.40	115.09	489.49
202 - Personnel Services	202 - 50000.5171	Unemployment Insurance	257.73	79.22	336.95
202 - Supplies	202 - 50000.5220	Purchases Non Capitalized	0.00	9,100.00	9,100.00
202 - Supplies	202 - 50000.5295	Outreach Supplies	10,916.00	5,350.00	16,266.00
202 - Services	202 - 50000.5442	Postage & Freight	100.00	700.00	800.00
202 - Services	202 - 50000.5495	Other Services	8,000.00	16,400.00	24,400.00

This entry is to record revenue & increase expenditures for WIC funds received into current budget, which reflects HSC Contract No. H5000803700001, Qtr. 1 & Qtr. 2

18.2 If the amendment is approved, consider/take action on signing order stating same.

(19) Hon. Crystal Marquez, Frio County Auditor, requests:

Consider / take action to certify the revenue received in the amount of, \$85,550.00 under the WIC Fund (fund 202) and add the following line items to the 2025-2026 Budget to receipt the funds and allow expenses:

- Account #: 202-40000.4350 INTERGOV REVENUE
- Account Name: REVENUES
- Account #: 202-50000.5105 SALARIES – PEER COUNSELOR
- Account Name: WIC
- Account #: 202-50000.5120 SALARIES – OB PREVENSTION
- Account Name: WIC
- Account #: 202-50000.5131 PAYROLL TAXES
- Account Name: WIC
- Account #: 202-50000.5151 COUNTY RETIREMENT CONTR
- Account Name: WIC
- Account #: 202-50000.5156 COUNTY RETIREMENT SUPPLE
- Account Name: WIC
- Account #: 202-50000.5161 WORKERS COMP INSURANCE
- Account Name: WIC
- Account #: 202-50000.5171 UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE
- Account Name: WIC
- Account #: 202-50000.5220 PURCHASES NON-CAP

Account Name: WIC
Account #: 202-50000.5295 OUTREACH SUPPLIES
Account Name: WIC
Account #: 202-50000.5442 POSTAGE & FREIGHT
Account Name: WIC
Account #: 202-50000.5495 OTHER SERVICES
Account Name: WIC

(20) Hon. Mario Martinez, Frio County Commissioner, requests:

Consider and take action on requesting Auditor's Office to issue a Request for Qualifications (RFQ) for Professional Engineering Services, including preliminary engineering services (application preparation) and design engineering services (grant implementation), for water and wastewater infrastructure improvements in connection with Frio County's application to the 2026 Colonia Fund-Construction Program (CFC26-0016) administered by the Texas Department of Agriculture under the Texas Community Development Block Grant Program (TxCDBG).

(21) Frio County Commissioners Court, requests:

Receive in person from the following county officials the following reports as mandated by law:

- 21.1 Presentation by Frio County Treasurer of detailed report as mandated by Section 114.026, Local Government ("Code") (this report is to be presented at each **regular term of commissioners court**).
- 21.2 Frio County Treasurer to exhibit the books and accounts of that office for the inspection of the commissioners court (**to be done at each regular term of commissioners court**).
- 21.3 Consider/take action on authorizing the execution by Frio County Commissioners Court (the Judge and each commissioner) of an affidavit stating the requirements of the treasurer's report have been met as mandated by section 114.026 of the Code.
- 21.4 Consider/take action on execution of an order of the commissioners court approving the county treasurer's report and order their publication in the Frio-Nueces Current as mandated by Section 114.026 of the Code or publication on the county's website.

(22) Frio County Commissioners Court requests:

Presentation, pursuant to Section 114.044 of the Local Government Code, by:

1. Frio County District Clerk;

2. Frio County Clerk
3. Frio County Treasurer
4. Frio County Attorney
5. Frio County Judge
6. Frio County Sheriff
7. Frio County Auditor
8. Frio County Justice of the Peace
9. Frio County Constables

(who collects or handles any money for the use of the county) of all fines imposed, judgments rendered and collected, and all jury fees collected by the respected courts in favor of or for the use of the county and at that time when the reports are presented to present receipts vouchers that show disposition of the money, fines or judgments.

After examination by the commissioners court as to the correctness of the reports, consider/action on directing the county clerk to enter information in county finance records as mandated by Section 114.044 of the Code.

- (23) Documents (resolutions, orders, contracts, etc.) to be signed.
- (24) Allow bills payable
- (25) Adjourn

THE FRIO COUNTY COURTHOUSE IS WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE AND HANDICAP PARKING IS AVAILABLE. ANY REQUEST FOR SIGN INTERPRETIVE SERVICES MUST BE MADE 48 HOURS PRIOR TO THE MEETING. TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS, PLEASE CALL (830) 505-2988.

THE FRIO COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT RESERVES THE RIGHT TO CONVENE INTO CLOSED (EXECUTIVE SESSION) UNDER V.T.C.A., GOVERNMENT CODE, CHAPTER 551, SUBCHAPTER D; SECTION 551.071, FOR PURPOSE OF CONSULTING WITH ITS ATTORNEYS; SECTION 551.072, DELIBERATING ABOUT REAL PROPERTY; SECTION 551.073, DELIBERATING ABOUT GIFTS, AND DONATIONS; SECTION 551.074, DELIBERATING ABOUT PERSONNEL MATTERS; SECTION 551.076, DELIBERATING ABOUT SECURITY DEVICES; SECTION 551.084, REGARDING EXCLUSION OF WITNESS FROM HEARING IN CONNECTION WITH AN INVESTIGATION; SECTION 551.086, DELIBERATING, VOTING, AND TAKING ACTION AS A POWER UTILITY ON A COMPETITIVE MATTER; SECTION 551.087, DELIBERATING ABOUT ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT NEGOTIATIONS; AND SECTION 551.088, DELIBERATING ABOUT TEST ITEMS TO DISCUSS AND/OR DELIBERATE ANY OF THE POSTED MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED DURING THE OPEN MEETING AND, IF IT DOES SO AFTER TAKING A VOTE IN OPEN SESSION, IT WILL THEN GO INTO CLOSED (EXECUTIVE) SESSION, DELIBERATE, THEN

RECONVENE IN OPEN SESSION, VOTE ON ANY DECISION TAKEN, AND ANNOUNCE SAME FOR THE COMMISSIONERS COURT'S MINUTES.

Dated this the 10th of March, 2026.

Hon. Joe Vela
Frio County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1

Hon. Mario Martinez
Frio County Commissioner, Precinct No. 2

Raul Carrizales

Hon. Raul Carrizales, III
Frio County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3

Hon. Danny Cano
Frio County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4

I, the undersigned, County Clerk, do hereby certify that the above Notice of Meeting of the above-named Commissioners' Court, is a true and correct copy of said Notice on the bulletin board at the Courthouse door of Frio County, Texas at a place readily accessible to the general public at all times on the **10th** day of **March, 2026** and said Notice remained so posted continuously for at least 3 days preceding the scheduled time of said Meeting.

Dated this the 10th day of March, 2026.

COUNTY CLERK, FRIO COUNTY, TEXAS

BY _____

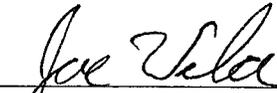
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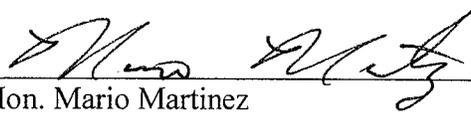
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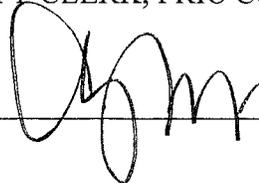
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Dated this the 10th day of March, 2026.

COUNTY CLERK, FRIO COUNTY, TEXAS

BY _____

FILED
At 4:35 o'clock P M
This 10 day of March 24
Anna L. Hernandez
Clerk County Court FRIO COUNTY, TX
BY: _____ DEPUTY