**FRIO COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT MINUTES FOR**

**Special called Meeting May 27th, 2025**

 On the 27th day of May, 2025, at 3:00 p.m., the Commissioners Court of Frio County met in a special called meeting with the following members either absent or present, to-wit: Rochelle Lozano Camacho, Frio County Judge was absent; Joe Vela, Commissioner Pct 1 absent; Mario Martinez, Commissioner Pct 2 present; Raul Carrizales, Commissioner Pct 3 present; Danny Cano, Commissioner Pct 4 present; Joseph A. Sindon, Legal Counsel for Frio County Commissioners Court present; and Aaron Ibarra, Frio County Clerk present when the following meeting was held, to-wit: The meeting can be seen unedited and to its full extent on our county website, under the County Clerk tab.

I. Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance

II. Adopt Agenda

 **MOTION: COMMISSIONER CANO**

 **SECOND: COMMISSIONER MARTINEZ**

 **MOTION PASSES**

III. Old Business

 **PRESENTATION**

 **ACTION AGENDA ITEMS**

IV. General Discussion

V. Citizens To Be Heard

VI. New Business

 **PRESENTATION**

(1) Ronald Rocha, Attorney at Law, Linebarger Goggan Blair & Sampson, LLP**,** requests:

Update on the delinquent fines and collection services by Linebarger Goggan Blair & Sampson LLP.

(2) Frio County Commissioners Court, requests:

 Presentation of monthly statistics reports compiled by Allegiance.

(3) Belia Valenzuela, Community Liaison, Belong, requests:

Presentation regarding the services offered by Belong and the creation of a Child Welfare Board in Frio County.

**ACTION AGENDA ITEMS**

(1) Hon. Danny Cano, Frio County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4, requests:

* 1. Open public hearing to discuss setting the setting the maximum speed limits for County Roads 4600, 4601, 4602, 4603, 4604, and 4605, at 30 miles per hour.

**MOTION TO OPEN PUBLIC HEARING @ 3:19 PM**

**MOTION: COMMISSIONER CANO**

**SECOND: COMMISSIONER MARTINEZ**

**MOTION PASSES**

* 1. Close public hearing.

**MOTION TO CLOSE PUBLIC HEARING @ 3:22 PM**

**MOTION: COMMISSIONER CANO**

**SECOND: COMMISSIONER MARTINEZ**

**MOTION PASSES**

* 1. Consider/take action on approving and signing order to set the maximum speed limits for County Roads 4600, 4601, 4602, 4603, 4604, and 4605, at 30 miles per hour.

**MOTION: COMMISSIONER CANO**

**SECOND: COMMISSIONER MARTINEZ**

**MOTION PASSES**

(2) Frio County Commissioners Court, requests:

 Consider/take action on proclaiming May 2025 as Community Action Month.

 **MOTION: COMMISSIONER MARTINEZ**

 **SECOND: COMMISSIONER CANO**

 **MOTION PASSES**

(3) Ramiro Trevino, Frio County Human Resources Director, requests:

3.1 Consider/take action on entering into a service agreement with Catapult Health. Catapult Health offers onsite and virtual preventative health checkups for employees. This program is made available through our Texas Association of Counties, Health and Employee Benefits Pool.

3.2 If the agreement is approved, consider/take action on approving a resolution authorizing Hon. Raul Carrizales, Frio County Commissioner Precinct No. 3 to sign same on behalf of Frio County.

 **MOTION: COMMISSIONER MARTINEZ**

 **SECOND: COMMISSIONER CANO**

 **MOTION PASSES**

(4) Ramiro Trevino, Frio County Human Resources Director, requests:

4.1 Consider/take action on seeking Requests For Proposals for our 2025-2026 group medical, dental, and life insurance.

4.2 Consider/take action on running a sealed request for proposals (RFP) ad (below) in the Frio Nueces Current once a week for two weeks pursuant to Local Government Code Sec. 262.025.  The ad will run in the Frio-Nueces Current on Thursday, May 29, 2025, and Thursday, June 5, 2025.  Sealed RFP’s will be accepted in the Frio County Auditor’s office until 3:00 pm, Friday, June 20, 2025.  RFP’s will be opened & a proposal selected during commissioner’s court on Tuesday, June 24, 2025.

 **NOTICE**

By order of the Commissioners’ Court of Frio County, Texas, and pursuant to Section 262.025 of the Texas Local Government Code, sealed Request for Proposals (RFP) for insurance coverage for ***all Health Care Benefits*** for Fiscal Year 2025-2026. RFP’s must be received at the Frio County Auditor's office, 500 E. San Antonio St. #3, Pearsall, Texas 78061 until**3:00 P.M., Friday, June 20, 2025**. Proposals received after the time indicated will be returned unopened. RFP’s will be opened, and a proposal selected during commissioner’s court on Tuesday, June 24, 2025. Individuals may contact Ramiro Trevino, 500 E. San Antonio St. #16, Pearsall, Texas 78061; phone 830-505-2985 or by e-mail ramiro.trevino@friocounty.org in regards to obtaining RFP Specifications. The County of Frio reserves the right to waive any formalities to reject any or all the proposals.  Individuals may submit an RFP on all or part of insurance coverages.

 **MOTION: COMMISSIONER MARTINEZ**

 **SECOND: COMMISSIONER CANO**

 **MOTION PASSES**

(5) Ramiro Trevino, Frio County Human Resources Director, requests:

5.1 Consider/take action on signing an updated user agreement with the Texas Department of Public Safety for the purchase of driver records. The Frio County employee handbook states that the county will check driving records on those employees that operate county owned vehicles.

5.2 If the agreement is approved, consider/take action on approving a resolution authorizing Hon. Raul Carrizales, Frio County Commissioner Precinct No. 3 to sign same on behalf of Frio County.

 **MOTION: COMMISSIONER MARTINEZ**

 **SECOND: COMMISSIONER CANO**

 **MOTION PASSES**

(6) Ancelmo Ornelas, Frio County Road and Bridge Administrator, requests:

Discuss/approve quote#2060126900 from T & W Tire to purchase tires for unit #0191 for the total amount of $5,848.34. This will be taken out of line-item Batteries, Tires, & Tubes 200-50000.5241.

 **MOTION: COMMISSIONER CANO**

 **SECOND: COMMISSIONER MARTINEZ**

 **MOTION PASSES**

(7) Ancelmo Ornelas, Frio County Road and Bridge Administrator, requests:

Consider/take action to approve Right of Entry Agreement with Shiner Ranch to obtain bulk water for road repairs on CR 3715 (Schorp Rd).

**MOTION: COMMISSIONER CANO**

 **SECOND: COMMISSIONER MARTINEZ**

 **MOTION PASSES**

(8) Ancelmo Ornelas, Frio County Road and Bridge Administrator, requests:

Discuss/approve on accepting letter of donation from Cresent Energy for 50 loads of crushed limestone base material for road maintenance/repair on CR 3715 (Schorp Rd).

 **MOTION: COMMISSIONER MARTINEZ**

 **SECOND: COMMISSIONER CANO**

 **MOTION PASSES**

(9) Ancelmo Ornelas, Frio County Road and Bridge Administrator, requests:

9.1 Consider/take action on approving a gas line permit to Javelin Energy Partners Management, LLC, to lay, bore, and maintain a gas line no more than 6" in diameter for the transportation of natural gas products on CR 3715 (Schorp Rd) for a total permit fee of $500.00.

9.2 If the permit is approved, consider/take action on approving a resolution authorizing Hon. Raul Carrizales, III, Frio County Judge Pro Tem, to sign same on behalf of Frio County.

 **MOTION: COMMISSIONER CANO**

 **SECOND: COMMISSIONER MARTINEZ**

 **MOTION PASSES**

(10) Ancelmo Ornelas, Frio County Road and Bridge Administrator, requests:

Discuss/approve Letter of Donation from Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) for an estimated 240 cubic yards of PB 4 material located on Hwy 117 & Hwy 85 in Dilley Texas.  Material will be used on various county roads.

 **MOTION: COMMISSIONER CANO**

 **SECOND: COMMISSIONER MARTINEZ**

 **MOTION PASSES**

(11) Ancelmo Ornelas, Frio County Road and Bridge Administrator, requests:

Discuss/approve Letter of Donation from Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) for an estimated 280 cubic yards of PB 3 material located on FM 472 in BigFoot Texas.  Material will be used on various county roads.

 **MOTION: COMMISSIONER MARTINEZ**

 **SECOND: COMMISSIONER CANO**

 **MOTION PASSES**

(12) Yvette Utley, Lone Star Strategy Group, requests:

Discussion with Action to accept a Resolution to apply for the State and Local Cybersecurity Grant Program on Mitigation Projects for FY 26

**MOTION MADE FOR ITEM #12 TO INCLUDE SHERIFF SALINAS AS THE CARE TAKER OF THIS ITEM**

 **MOTION: COMMISSIONER MARTINEZ**

 **SECOND: COMMISSIONER CANO**

 **MOTION PASSES**

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

Consider motion to approve the estimate and purchase from Alvarado Emergency Lighting for $5,300.00 for a Stalker 2 Radar and 3 lock out kits.

 **MOTION: COMMISSIONER MARTINEZ**

 **SECOND: COMMISSIONER CANO**

 **MOTION PASSES**

(14) Hon. Pedro “Peter” Salinas, Frio County Sheriff, requests:

Consider motion to approve the estimate and purchase from Top Brass for $5,555.84 for Deputy Uniforms.

 **MOTION: COMMISSIONER CANO**

 **SECOND: COMMISSIONER MARTINEZ**

 **MOTION PASSES**

(15) Hon. Pedro “Peter” Salinas, Frio County Sheriff, requests:

Consider/take action on approving the damaged property reimbursement request for Carnes C-Bar Ranch for property damage located at Hwy 85 and Herd field in the amount of $1,000.00.

 **MOTION: COMMISSIONER MARTINEZ**

 **SECOND: COMMISSIONER CANO**

 **MOTION PASSES**

(16) Frio County Commissioners Court, requests:

Discussion regarding the status of Frio County Park Restroom Facilities and consider/take action on opening or closing them as determined by the court.

 **NO ACTION TAKEN**

 **BREAK @ 4:05 PM**

 **MOTION: COMMISSIONER CANO**

 **SECOND: CMMISSIONER MARTINEZ**

 **MOTION PASSES**

 **RESUME @ 4:14 PM**

 **MOTION: COMMISSIONER MARTINEZ**

 **SECOND: COMMISSIONER CANO**

 **MOTION PASSES**

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

17.1 Consider / take action on approving proposal number 247184.2 from Security101 along with applicable terms and conditions to allow Security 101 to install Access Control at the Frio County Sheriff’s Office for a total cost of $1,940.50.  This is a state approved under TIPS Contract # 230202.

 17.2 If the agreement is approved, consider / take action on approving and signing resolution authorizing Hon. Raul Carrizales, Frio County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3 to enter into same on behalf of Frio County.

 **MOTION: COMMISSIONER CANO**

 **SECOND: COMMISSIONER MARTINEZ**

 **MOTION PASSES**

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

Consider / take action on running a sealed bids ad (below) in the Frio Nueces Current once a week for two weeks pursuant to Local Government Code Sec. 262.023.  The ad will run in the Frio-Nueces Current on May 29, 2025, and June 5, 2025. Sealed bids will be accepted in the Auditor’s office until 3:00 pm, June 20, 2025.  Bids will be opened and selected during commissioner’s court on June 24, 2025.

 **BID NOTICE**

By order of the Commissioner’s Court of Frio County, Texas, and pursuant to Section 262.023 of the Texas Local Government Code, sealed requests for bids for a 2025 Intramet 130BBL Vacuum Trailer. Bids will be received at the Frio County Auditor’s Office located at 500 E. San Antonio St. Ste. 3, Pearsall, Texas 78061 until **3:00 P.M., June 20, 2025**. Bids received after the time indicated will be returned unopened. The bids will be opened and read aloud during the Commissioner’s Court meeting on **June 30, 2025**. Prospective bidders may contact Anselmo Ornelas at 2207 BI 35E, Pearsall, Texas 78061; phone 830-505-7402; or by e-mail at ancelmo.ornelas@friocounty.org for any questions regarding obtaining specifications. Frio County reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to accept the bid most advantageous to the County. For more information, visit <http://www.co.frio.tx.us/>.

 **MOTION: COMMISSIONER CANO**

 **SECOND: COMMISSIONER MARTINEZ**

 **MOTION PASSES**

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

Consider / take action on running a sealed request for proposals (RFP) ad (below) in the Frio Nueces Current once a week for two weeks pursuant to Local Government Code Sec. 262.023.  The ad will run in the Frio-Nueces Current on May 29, 2025 and June 05, 2025.  Sealed RFP’s will be accepted in the Auditor’s office until 3:00 pm, June 20, 2025.  RFP’s will be opened during commissioner’s court on June 24, 2025.

 **REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS**

By order of the Commissioners’ Court of Frio County, Texas, and pursuant to Section 262.023 of the Texas Local Government Code, sealed Request for Proposals (RFP) for insurance coverage for General Liability; Automobile Liability; Auto Physical Damage (Collision/Comprehensive); Crime; Cyber Liability; Property, to include: Buildings and Contents, Equipment Breakdown, Mobile Equipment, Electronic Data, Media and Hardware for Fiscal Year 2025-2026.

RFP’s must be received at the Frio County Auditor's office, 500 E San Antonio St #3, Pearsall, Texas 78061 until 3:00 P.M., Friday, June 20, 2025. Proposals received after the time indicated will be returned unopened. RFP’s will be opened during commissioner’s court on June 24, 2025. Individuals may contact Crystal Marquez, 500 E San Antonio St #3, Pearsall, Texas 78061; phone 830-505-2983, by e-mail crystal.marquez@friocounty.org, or on the Frio County website <http://www.co.frio.tx.us/> in regards to obtaining RFP Specifications. The County of Frio reserves the right to reject any and all RFP’s and to accept the RFP most advantageous to the County.  Individuals may submit an RFP on all or part of insurance coverages. For more information, visit <http://www.co.frio.tx.us/>.

 **NO ACTIO TAKEN**

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

 20.1 Consider / take action to approve the budget amendments to the FISCAL YEAR 2024-2025 Frio County Budget, list below:



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

 **MOTION: COMMISSIONER MARTINEZ**

 **SECOND: COMMISSIONER CANO**

 **MOTION PASSES**

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

 21.1 Consider / take action to approve the budget amendments to the FISCAL YEAR 2024-2025 Frio County Budget, list below:



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

 **MOTION: COMMISSIONER CANO**

 **SECOND: COMMISSIONER MARTINEZ**

 **MOTION PASSES**

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

Discuss and/or take appropriate action to certify the revenue received, $150,000.00 under the General Fund (fund 100) and add the following line items to the 2024-2025 Budget to receipt the funds and allow expenses:

 Account #: **100 - 40000.4866** Proceeds Insurance Claims

Account Name: Revenues

 Account #: **100 - 56006.5362** Building & Structures

 Account Name: Special Projects

 **MOTION: COMMISSIONER MARTINEZ**

 **SECOND: COMMISSIONER CANO**

 **MOTION PASSES**

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

Consider/take action on approving a resolution terminating the agreement for services between Frio County and Everon Solutions for services rendered by Everon for the Frio County Dilley Annex located at 101 N. Commerce Street in Dilley, Texas, effective July 1, 2025, and authorize the sending notice of termination to Everon Solutions.

 **MOTION: COMMISSIONER CANO**

 **SECOND: COMMISSIONER MARTINEZ**

 **MOTION PASSES**

(24) Documents (resolutions, orders, contracts, etc.) to be signed.

(25) Allow bills payable

 **MOTION: COMMISSIONER MARTINEZ**

 **SECOND: COMMISSIONER CANO**

 **MOTION PASSES**

(26) Adjourn

 **MOTION: COMMISSIONER CARRIZALES**

 **SECOND: COMMISSIONER MARTINEZ**

 **MOTION PASSES**