



Zapata County Commissioners Court

Joseph Rathmell
County Judge

Paco Mendoza
Commissioner, Pct. 1

Olga M. Elizondo
Commissioner, Pct. 2

MARY JAYNE
VILLARREAL-BOHOAN
COUNTY CLERK

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Jose A. Solis
Commissioner, Pct. 3

Norberto Garza
Commissioner, Pct. 4

Public Notice
Regular Commissioners Court Meeting
March 22, 2021
9:00 A.M.

Zapata County Courthouse
200 E. 7th Ave, Suite 108
Zapata, Texas 78076

CALL TO ORDER BY HONORABLE JOE RATHMELL, ZAPATA COUNTY JUDGE

1. Roll Call By: Honorable Mary Jayne Villarreal-Bonoan
2. Invocation: Dr. Roger Miller, Commissioners Court Chaplain
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Communications
5. **Public Comment – This section provides the public the opportunity to address the Commissioners Court on any items on the Agenda. Members of the public wishing to participate must complete a public participation form specifying which agenda item they wish to comment on.**
6. Approval of Invoices.
[Requested by: Triunfo Gonzalez, County Auditor]
7. Approval of Checks Issued.
[Requested by: Romeo Salinas, County Treasurer]
8. Boys & Girls Club Report
[Requested by: Paco Mendoza, Commissioner Pct. 1]

REPORTS AND PRESENTATION

9. Presentation on STAT ER & Specialty hospital.
[Requested by: Gloria Solis, Business Developer-STAT]

DELIBERATE AND CONSIDER ACTION ON THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:

10. To require all Zapata County employees to be inoculated with the COVID-19 vaccine when it becomes widely available, and subject to exemptions and limitations provided by law, including the Americans with Disabilities Act and Title VII of the Civil Rights Act.
[Requested by: Paco Mendoza, Commissioner Pct. 1]
11. To amend the hours of operation for 8-liners in the Amusement Redemption Ordinance.
[Requested by: Jose A Solis, Commissioner, Pct. 3]
12. To approve changes within the Zapata County Sheriff's Office 10-560 budget.
[Requested by: Sheriff Ray Del Bosque, County Sheriff]

13. To request the hiring of two jailers due to an increase in the inmate population at the Zapata County Jail.
[Requested by: Sheriff Ray Del Bosque, County Sheriff]
14. To allow the hiring for a cook position.
[Requested by: Sheriff Ray Del Bosque, County Sheriff]
15. To approve invoice for \$2,093.83 to SHI Government Solutions for Justice of the Peace Pct. 4.
[Requested by: Judge Ramon Benavidez, Justice of the Peace Pct 4]
16. To approve a Citizen Participation Plan for Zapata County.
[Requested by: Carl Esser, Esser & Company Consulting, LLC.]
17. To review preliminary plat of La Loma Linda Subdivision in Mesa Salinas Rd.
[Requested by: Manuel Gonzalez, Premier Engineering]
18. To review Replat of Lots 14A & 35A Blk 169 Medina Addition
[Requested by: Manuel Gonzalez, Premier Engineering]
19. *To acquire/purchase additional acreage adjacent to the Zapata County Center.*
[Requested by: Honorable Joseph Rathmell, County Judge]

RESOLUTIONS AND PROCLAMATIONS:

20. To approve resolution for Local Border Security Program 2022
[Requested by: Sheriff Ray Del Bosque, County Sheriff]
21. To approve resolution for World Down Syndrome Awareness Day
[Requested by: Jessica Hurtado, Border Region Behavioral Health Center]
22. Resolution authorizing the submission of an application to the Texas Department of Agriculture for a 2021-2022 Texas Community Development Block Grant Program-Community Development Fund grant related activities.
[Requested by: Carl Esser, Esser & Company Consulting, LLC.]
23. Resolution authorizing submission of the 2021-2022 Tx CDBG Colonia Fund Construction (CFC) grant program application
[Requested by: Roxana Sandoval, Application Specialist-Grant works]

CONSENT ITEMS

Honorable Paco Mendoza, Commissioner Pct. 1

24. To approve the installment of a street light at the following address:
a. 1852 Paloma Drive (Lots 161 & 161A, Lago Halcon Area B, Section1).

Line-item Transfers

25. To approve the following line item transfer to meet departmental needs.

	<u>DEPARTMENT</u>	<u>LINE ITEM</u>	<u>FUND</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
FROM	Zapata County Water Plant	80-48160-600	State Fees	\$1,967.98
TO	Zapata County Water Plant	80-48560-600	TCEQ Assessment	\$1,967.98

[Requested by: Ralph Treviño, Water Plant Manager]

Line-item Transfers

26. To approve the following line item transfer to meet departmental needs.

	<u>DEPARTMENT</u>	<u>LINE ITEM</u>	<u>FUND</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
FROM	Non-Department	10-409-446	Garbage	\$2,105.00
TO	Non-Department	10-409-445	Water	\$2,105.00

[Requested by: Bobbie Meza-Barrera, Auditor's Office]

Note 1 Gov't Code Ann 551.071, Consultation with Attorney

Note 2 Gov't Code Ann 551.072, Real Property

Note 3 Gov't Code Ann 551.074, Personnel Matters

Note 4 Gov't Code Ann 551.076, Security

The Commissioners Court will consider the following items in Executive Session. The Commissioners Court may also consider any other matter posted on the agenda if there are issues that require consideration in Executive Session and the Commissioners Court announces that the item will be considered during Executive Session.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

27. *To acquire/purchase additional acreage adjacent to the Zapata County Center. [Closed Session/Executive Session is requested pursuant to Texas Government Code Title 5, Subchapter D, Section 551.071/551.072 (B) (Consultation with Attorney) (Real Property)*

[Requested by: Honorable Joseph Rathmell, County Judge]

ADJOURN

Pursuant to the authority granted under Government Code, Chapter 551, the Commissioners Court may convene a closed session to discuss any of the above agenda items. Immediately before any closed session, the specific section or sections of Government Code, Chap. 551 that provide statutory authority will be announced.

DATED THIS 19th DAY OF March, 2021

HONORABLE JOSEPH RATHMELL, COUNTY JUDGE, ZAPATA COUNTY, TEXAS

By: Monica Alanis
Monica Alanis
Agenda Coordinator

CERTIFICATION OF NOTICE AND POSTING

I, the undersigned, County Clerk, do hereby certify that the above notice of meeting of the Zapata County Commissioners Court, is a true and correct copy of said notice, and that I posted a true and correct copy of said notice on the bulletin board at the Courthouse of Zapata County, Texas, at a place readily accessible to the general public at all times on 19th day of March, 2021 and said notice remained so posted continuously for at least 72 hours preceding the scheduled time of said meeting.

DATED THIS 19th DAY OF March, 2021.

MARY JAYNE VILLARREAL-BONOAN, COUNTY CLERK, ZAPATA COUNTY, TEXAS

BY: Cel Melendez



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