



Zapata County Commissioners Court

Joseph Rathmell
County Judge

David R. Moya
Commissioner, Pct. 1

Pedro Morales
Commissioner, Pct. 2

Jose A. Solis
Commissioner, Pct. 3

Roberto Garza
Commissioner, Pct. 4

MARY JAYNE
VILLALBA-BONDIAN
COUNTY CLERK
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Public Notice Regular Commissioners Court Meeting November 10, 2025 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: Doctor 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 Treasurer's Report.
[Requested by: Romeo Salinas, County Treasurer]
8. Approval of Checks Issued.
[Requested by: Romeo Salinas, County Treasurer]
9. Tax Assessor/Collector's Departmental Report
[Requested by: Delia Mendoza, Tax Assessor/Collector]

REPORTS AND PRESENTATION

10. Presentation on the proposed plans for the border wall in Zapata County
[Requested by: Christopher Rincon, resident]

DELIBERATE AND CONSIDER ACTION ON THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:

11. To approve the Democratic Party Joint Election Primary Services Contract with the Zapata County Elections Officer, State of Texas, for the administration of the Joint Primary Election scheduled for March 2026.
[Requested by: Mary Jayne Villarreal-Bonoan, County Clerk]
12. To consider and approve a proposal to provide renovation and turf management to the Los Ebanos Golf Course.
[Requested by: Jose A. Solis, Commissioner Pct. 3]

13. To approve for the number of the not fulltime (reserve) peace officers authorized under our department.

[Requested by: Sheriff Ramon E. Montes, County Sheriff]

14. To approve the temporary closure of Hwy 16 along Alamo to Glenn St. for the 2nd Annual Botello/Cepeda Run for Remembrance 5K Run/Walk and approve the Resolution for the even to be held on November 15, 2025.

[Requested by: Nellie Treviño, HR Director]

15. To approve SCSEP Host Agency Agreement Renewal Reminder Notice

[Requested by: Bertha Lopez, Nutrition Center Director]

16. To approve the payment of past due invoices in the amount of \$6,653.28 for the Indigent Health Care Program with the new fiscal year's budget.

[Requested by: Patricia Gonzalez, Indigent Health Care Director]

17. To review status and take action on the Zapata County Raw Water Intake Project.

[Requested by: Manuel Gonzalez, Premier Engineering]

18. To review status and take action on the Zapata Sheriff Office Project review status and take action.

[Requested by: Manuel Gonzalez, Premier Engineering]

19. To review status and take action on the Zapata County Fire Department Project

[Requested by: Manuel Gonzalez, Premier Engineering]

20. To review status and take action on the Zapata 4H Arena Roof Project

[Requested by: Manuel Gonzalez, Premier Engineering]

21. To review status and take action on the Flores street drainage culvert.

[Requested by: Manuel Gonzalez, Premier Engineering]

22. Discuss, consider and possibly approve Lone Star Strategy Group, LLC to apply for the Bullet-Resistant Components for Law Enforcement Vehicles, FY2026

[Requested by: Yvette Utley, Lone Star Strategy Group]

23. Discuss, consider and possibly approve a resolution for the Bullet-Resistant Components for Law Enforcement Vehicles, FY2026.

[Requested by: Yvette Utley, Lone Star Strategy Group]

24. Discuss, consider and possibly approve Lone Star Strategy Group, LLC to apply for the Texas LESO Program

[Requested by: Yvette Utley, Lone Star Strategy Group]

25. Discuss, consider and possibly approve a resolution for the Texas LESO Program.

[Requested by: Yvette Utley, Lone Star Strategy Group]

26. *To discuss issues related to employee holiday compensations.*

[Requested by: Ralph Trevino, Water Plant Director]

CONSENT ITEMS:

Honorable, Roberto Garza, Commissioner Pct. 2

27. To approve the following street lights.
 - a. 4151 Las Canteras Ln. San Ygnacio, Texas 78067

Honorable, Roberto Garza, Commissioner Pct. 4

28. To approve the following street lights.
 - a. 809 Medina St.
 - b. 403 Mier Ave.
 - c. 1006 Medina St.
 - d. 4th St/Diaz Ave. 26.916512,-99.263272.
 - e. 1206 Laredo

RESOLUTIONS AND PROCLAMATIONS:

29. Resolution in support of the FY26 Formula Grant from the Task Force on Indigent Defense
[Requested by: Honorable Joseph Rathmell, County Judge]
30. To approve Proclamation for Alzheimer's Awareness Month
[Requested by: Maxine P. Vieyra]

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

31. *To discuss issues related to employee holiday compensations. [Executive Session is requested pursuant to Texas Government Code Title 5, Sub Chapter D, Section 551.071 (Consultation with Attorney)].*

[Requested by: Ralph Trevino, Water Plant Director]

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 4th DAY OF November, 2025

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 the 4th day of November, 2025 and said notice remained so posted continuously for at least 72 hours preceding the scheduled time of said meeting.

DATED THIS 4th DAY OF November, 2025.

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

BY: Mary Jayne Villarreal-Bonoan

