



NOTICE OF MEETING OF THE COMMISSIONERS COURT

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ARASELI B. LICHTENBERGER
CLERK COUNTY COURT, DUVAL COUNTY, TEXAS
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The Commissioners Court of Duval County, Texas will hold a **Regular Meeting** on **Monday, April 13th, 2026, at 9:00 a.m.** in the Duval County Commissioners Courtroom in San Diego, Texas. The Commissioners Court meeting will be open to the public; Questions regarding this agenda should be directed to the County Judge's Office at (361) 279-6204.

1. Roll call, and establish quorum: County Judge Arnoldo Cantu;
Commissioner Pete Guerra; Commissioner Adalberto Vera;
Commissioner Marla M. Garza and Commissioner Marty Perez.
2. Pledge of Allegiance.
3. Call meeting to order. Public comment or citizen communications.
4. Discussion and possible action on approval of minutes of the Regular Meeting of March 2026.
5. Discussion and possible action on approval of payment of bills.
6. Discussion and consider action to approve line items transfer or budget amendments.
7. Consideration and possible action regarding department reports:
 - a. Auditor
 - b. Tax Assessor-Collector
 - c. Sheriff / 9-1-1
 - d. Emergency Management
 - e. Constables
 - f. Justices of the Peace
 - g. Extension Agents
 - h.
 - i. Treasurer/Human Resources/Risk Management
 - j. Indigent Health Care
 - k. Maintenance & Custodial
 - l. Museum & Libraries
 - m. Civic Centers
 - n. Elderly Nutrition
 - o. Veterans' Services
8. Discussion and Possible Action to approve an Inter-local Agreement between the City of San Diego and Duval County. (Sally Lichtenberger)
9. Discussion and Possible Action to Approve Pricing Proposal for New Software Program for the County Clerk's Office. (Sally Lichtenberger)
10. Discussion and Possible Action on the reauthorization/ or amendment Duval County Tax Abatement Policy and Guidelines to be adapted June 8, 2026 and published

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on the Duval County website and authorize Written notice to be given to all Duval taxing jurisdictions of the reauthorized and/or amend policy and guidelines pursuant to Section 312 of the Texas Tax Code and Texas Local Government Code Chapter 381, (Barbara Canales)

- 11. Presentation and Overview Presented by Barbara Canales, outside counsel of the Application for Tax Abatement Submitted by Cielo Vista Power LLC, Cielo Solar and Cielo Vista Storage LLC (See attached tax abatement applications).
- 12. Discussion and Possible Action whether the Cielo Vista Storage LLC, Cielo Vista Solar LLC and Cielo Vista Power LLC applications for Tax Abatement conforms to the current Duval County Tax Abatement Policy and guidelines and whether it is in the best interest of Duval County to establish a reinvestment zone for said Project (See attached tax abatement application).
(Barbara Canales)
- 13. Discussion and Possible Action on holding a Special Meeting in the Duval County Commissioner’s Court on April 20,2026 at 5:00pm at the Duval County Courthouse Commissioner’s Courtroom for at the Purpose of hosting a public hearing and receiving public comments on the Cielo Vista Power LLC, Cielo Vista Storage and Cielo Vista Solar LLC Projects for consideration of establishing a reinvestment zone as per the attached map and property description. (Attachment of the map and property description).
(Barbara Canales)
- 14. Discussion and Possible Action on posting and mailing to all public Duval County Taxing entities a public notice for a public hearing on April 20,2026 at 5:00 p.m. at the Duval County Courthouse to receive public comments on the establishment of the Cielo Vista Project Reinvestment Zone #1 pursuant to Section 312.401.
(Barbara Canales)
- 15. Discussion and Possible Action on the reauthorization/ or ament Duval County Tax Abatement Policy and Guidelines to be adopted June 8,2026 and published on the Duval County website and authorize written notice to be given to all Duval taxing jurisdictions of the reauthorized and/or amended policy and guidelines pursuant to Section 312 of the Texas Tax Code and Texas Local Government Code Chapter 381. (Barbara Canales)

PUBLIC HEARING

Open Public Hearing to receive public comments Re: Cazadores Solar LLC Reinvestment Zone.
Receive Public Comment
Close Public Hearing

- 16. Discussion and Possible Action on approving the proposed Cazadores Solar Reinvestment Zone#1 (Attachment map and property ID of Cazadores Solar

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Project LLC) and authorizing the County Judge and Court to execute the resolution granting such Zone. (Barbara Canales)

EXECUTIVE SESSION: ITEM

- 17. Discussion and Possible Action to Consult with County Attorney and outside counsel regarding the application for Tax Abatement submitted by Cielo Vista Power LLC Cielo Vista Storage LLC Cielo Vista Solar LLC, and potential associated economic tax incentives pursuant to the Texas Government Code Chapter 551.087. and related matters (Barbara Canales)
- 18. Discussion and Possible action on a Revised Resolution to apply and accept FY2027 – Criminal Justice Grant program Grant funds from the Office of the Governor to fund the Technology Upgrade Project for the 2026-2027 Grant Cycle. (Ronald Smithwick)
- 19. Discussion and Possible action on a Revised Resolution to apply and accept Operation Stonegarden – FY2025 (OPSG – 25) Grant Cycle. (Ronald Smithwick)
- 20. Discussion and Possible action on a Revised Resolution to apply and accept Border Crisis Response NPA – FY25 Grant Funds from the office of the Governor to fund the Duval County Border Crisis Response Project for the 2026 – 2027 Grant Cycle. (Ronald Smithwick)
- 21. Discussion and Possible action on a Revised Resolution to apply and accept Operation Lone Star – FY2026 Grant Funds from the office of the Governor to fund the Duval County Lone Star Participation Project for the 2026-2027 Grant Cycle. (Ronald Smithwick)
- 22. Discussion and Possible action on a Revised Resolution to apply and accept Violence Against Women Justice and Training Program – FY27 (VAWA – GY27) Grant Funds from the Office of the Governor to fund the Violent Crimes Investigator for the 2026 – 2027 Grant Cycle. (Ronald Smithwick)
- 23 Executive Session

Adjournment

Dated this 7th day April 2026.

Arnoldo Cantu, County Judge
Duval County, Texas

I, the undersigned County Clerk, do hereby certify that the above Notice of Meeting of the Commissioners Court of Duval County, Texas 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 near the Courthouse door of Duval County, Texas, a place readily accessible to the general public at all times, on the 7th day of April 2026, and said notice remained posted continuously both on the Internet and in the described physical location for at least three business days before the scheduled days of the Meeting.

Araseli B. Lichtenberger, County Clerk
Duval County, Texas

By: 

Deputy

ACCESSIBILITY STATEMENT FOR DISABLED PERSONS: This meeting site is accessible to disabled persons, and disabled parking spaces are available. If any special assistance or accommodation is needed in order to attend a Commissioners Court meeting, please contact the County Judge's Office at 361.279.6204 in advance so accommodations can be arranged.

PUBLIC COMMENT: Persons addressing Commissioners Court under the "Public comment" agenda item should limit their comments to a maximum of five minutes. Please be advised the "Open Meeting Act" prohibits the Commissioners Court from responding and discussing your comments at length. The law only authorizes to do the following:

1. Make a statement of factual information;
2. Recite an existing policy in response to the inquiry;
3. Advise the person that the subject will be placed on the agenda at a later date; and/or
4. Receive information.

EXECUTIVE SESSIONS: The Commissioners Court of Duval County, Texas reserves the right to adjourn into Executive Session at any time during the course of this meeting to discuss any of the matters listed above as authorized by the TEX. GOV. CODE, Section 551. The Commissioners Court may act in open session on items listed for executive session.

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