



TYLER COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT

100 West Bluff Street, Commissioners Courtroom, Room 101
Woodville, Texas & Livestream

Tuesday, September 8, 2026 - 10:00 AM

Joe Blacksher

Commissioner, Pct. 1

Doug Hughes

Commissioner, Pct. 2

Milton Powers

County Judge

Janet Brown

County Clerk

Mike Marshall

Commissioner, Pct. 3

Donna Hudson

Acting Commissioner, Pct. 4

NOTICE Is hereby given that a **Regular Meeting** of the Tyler County Commissioners Court will be held on the date stated above, at which time the following subjects will be considered and/or discussed.

Livestream Information

Per [Government Code § 551.128](#), this Commissioners Court meeting will be held via livestream. The public may view this meeting live at the following YouTube location: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCRw3Two1plzZOmO4dL8Ing/videos?view=2&flow=grid>. Additionally, a recording of the meeting will be posted to the Tyler County website (www.co.tyler.tx.us) on the home page and the Public Notices Calendar page soon after the meeting.

Public Comments Information

Citizens are encouraged to speak to either their County Commissioner or the County Judge regarding matters of specific concern. Additionally, members of the public are limited to the role of observer during Commissioners Court, unless they have signed up in advance to make comments. Citizens who wish to make comments before the Court, must notify the County Clerk's office at 409-283-2281 no later than 1 hour prior to actual meeting time. Following the Court's customary guidelines, each speaker shall be allowed a maximum of **five (5) minutes** to make his/her remarks. Discussion on any specific topic will be restricted to 30 minutes, total, for all speakers on that topic to comment. Time for each speaker shall be maintained by the County Clerk or such other designated representative of the Commissioners Court.

Agenda

CALL TO ORDER

- Establish Quorum
- Acknowledge Guests

- Invocation* - Doug Hughes
- Pledge of Allegiance* - Doug Hughes

**It is the practice of this governing body to exercise an invocation and pledge of allegiance. Anyone present who is uncomfortable with this practice is invited to either mute their phone line or step outside of the Courtroom then join us again, following the invocation and/or pledge.*

- 1. PUBLIC COMMENTS** Only those individuals who have notified the Court **prior** to the meeting will be recognized to make public comments. See the instructions included above.
- 2. TABLED ITEMS FROM PREVIOUS MEETING –**
 - A. Approve Draft of the [Tyler County Volunteer Fire Department Policy](#) – Judge Powers**

3. CONSENT AGENDA

The items listed within the CONSENT AGENDA are deemed to be of a routine nature and are not scheduled for individual consideration by the Commissioner Court. However, any member of the Court retains the option to remove any one or more items from the CONSENT AGENDA and to have the item(s) individually considered.

A. Minutes from Previous Meetings [08-24-26](#)

B. Monthly Reports:

1. Probation a. Adult b. Juvenile
2. Clerk a. District b. County
3. Extension a. CEA(Ag/NR)b. CEA(FCH)
4. Auditor a. Auditor b. Budget
5. Justice of the Peace - Pct. 1 Pct. 2 Pct. 3 Pct. 4
6. Nutrition Center a. DETCOG
7. Emergency Management a. EOC

4. RESOLUTIONS/PROCLAMATIONS/ORDERS

A. 2026 Indigent Defense Grant Program [Resolution](#) and [Requirements](#) for the Awarded Formula Grant in the Amount of \$22, 560 – Judge Powers

5. CONSIDER/APPROVE/INFORMATIONAL

- A. Budget Amendment/Line-Item Transfers – Judge Powers/Jackie Skinner, Tyler County Auditor
- B. Accounts Payable/County Bills - Judge Powers/Jackie Skinner, Tyler County Auditor
- C. Tyler County Treasurer’s Report – Judge Powers/Leann Monk, Tyler County Treasurer
- D. Adopt 2027 Annual Archival Plan from County Clerk’s Office – Judge Powers/Janet Brown, Tyler County Clerk
- E. Set [2027 Salaries/Step Plan](#) – Judge Powers/Jackie Skinner, Tyler County Auditor
- F. Adopt [2027 Tyler County Budget](#) – Judge Powers
- G. Adopt the [2026 Tax Rate of 0.6550 for General Fund](#), Being the No-New-Revenue Rate – Judge Powers
- H. Adopt the [2026 Tax Rate of 0.2814 for Tyler County Market/Flood Control Fund](#), Being the No-New-Revenue Rate – Judge Powers
- I. Adopt the [2026 Tax Rate of 0.1959 for Tyler County Hospital Fund](#), Being the No-New-Revenue Rate – Judge Powers
- J. Consider/Approve the Presentation of 2025 Independent Audit by Pattillo, Brown & Hill, LLP – Judge Powers/Jackie Skinner, Tyler County Auditor
- K. Consider/Approve [Emergency Service District No. 2 Financial Report](#) - Judge Powers
- L. Approve [2027 RAMP Grant M2720WOOD](#) with TXDOT Aviation – Judge Powers/Jackie Skinner, Tyler County Auditor
- M. Appoint Mike Godwin to the Board of Commissioners for ESD 7 – Mike Marshall, Commissioner Pct. 3
- N. Re-Appoint Lance Seamans, Wade Skinner, John Ard and Jim Fitzgerald to Board of Commissioners for ESD 7 – Mike Marshall, Commissioner Pct. 3

6. COMMENTS BY COURT MEMBERS PERTAINING TO MATTERS OF COUNTY GOVERNMENT

7. EXECUTIVE SESSION

Held in accordance with Texas Government Codes 551.071 regarding pending and/or contemplated litigation, and/or 551.074, regarding personnel matters, and/or property acquisition and/or consult with legal counsel.

A. Formal Action Following Executive Session, if Needed – Judge Powers

» ADJOURN

I do hereby certify that the above Notice of Meeting of the Tyler County Commissioners Court is a true and correct copy of said Notice and I posted a true and correct copy of said Notice in the Tyler County Courthouse at a place readily accessible to the general public at all

times and that said Notice remained so posted continuously for at least 3 Business Days preceding the scheduled time of said meeting, as is required by Section 551.041.

Executed on _____ 2026 Time _____
Janet Brown, County Clerk/Ex Officio Member of Commissioners Court
By: _____ (Deputy)