



MINUTES

BE IT REMEMBERED that on the 28th of July, 2025, the Honorable Commissioners Court of Uvalde County, Texas convened in regular session in the Commissioners' Courtroom of the Uvalde County Courthouse. The following members were in attendance:

William R. Mitchell, *County Judge*
John Yeackle, *Commissioner Pct. #1*
Mariano Pargas, *Commissioner Pct. #2*
Roy M. Kothmann, *Commissioner Pct. #3*
Ronald B. Garza, *Commissioner Pct. #4*
Donna M. Williams, *County Clerk and Clerk of
the Commissioners Court*

Also present were *County Treasurer* Joni Deorsam, *County Tax-Assessor Collector* Rita Verstuyft, and *County Road Administrator* Dee Kirkpatrick.

Absent: *County Attorney* John P. Dodson

1. Consider and act upon call to order, invocation and pledge of allegiance:

The Honorable William R. Mitchell, Uvalde County Judge, called the meeting of July 28, 2025 to order at 10:00 AM, followed with the invocation, led the Pledge of Allegiance, and the Texas Pledge of Allegiance.

2. Citizens communication:

Speaker 1: Diana Olvedo-Karau

3. Consider and act upon approval of minutes:

Motion by Commissioner Kothmann to approve Minutes of July 14, 2025.

Motion seconded by Commissioner Yeackle.

Motion carried (4-0). (See Attached)

4. Consider and act upon accepting petition to annex into existing ESD #2 and order public hearing:

Motion by Commissioner Garza to take no action.

Motion seconded by Commissioner Pargas.

Motion carried (4-0). (See Attached)

5. Consider and act upon Texas Hill Country River Region quarterly report:

Motion by Commissioner Pargas to accept report.

Motion seconded by Commissioner Kothmann.

Motion carried (4-0). (See Attached)

6. Consider and act upon presentation of Second Draft of 2025-2026 Uvalde County budget:

No action taken. (See Attached)

7. Consider and act upon Road Administrators Report:

Report presented by Road Administrator Dee Kirkpatrick for 7/10/2025 – 7/23/2025.

Motion by Commissioner Kothmann to accept report.

Motion seconded by Commissioner Garza.

Motion carried (4-0). (See Attached)

8. Consider and act upon line-item budget amendments:

None presented.

9. Consider and act upon approval of monthly reports:

Monthly reports that are on file for review in the County Clerk's office were presented to the court for consideration and approval.

Motion by Commissioner Garza to approve monthly reports.

Motion seconded by Commissioner Pargas.

Motion carried (4-0). (See Attached)

10. Consider and act upon payment of bills:

Motion by Commissioner Pargas to approve payment of bills.

Motion seconded by Commissioner Garza.

Motion carried (4-0).

11. Consider and act upon resolutions/proclamations:

The Court approved resolutions and closed the meeting in honor of the memory of the following individuals:

Alejandro Aguirre †

Sue Pitts Baldwin †

David Chapa †

Gregorio Cordova †

Billie Jean Davis †

James Cody Elrod †

Judy Moore Garner †

Gerald Steven Smallwood †

12. Executive Session (Permitted by Texas Government Code 551.071, Consultation with Attorney)

- a. Deliberate with legal counsel regarding current litigation involving Uvalde County

Executive Session began: 10:01 AM

Executive Session ended: 10:20 AM

13. Convene in regular session and take action, if any

Commissioners Court reconvened in regular session at 10:21 A.M.

Motion by Commissioner Garza to no longer appeal the release of documentation related to May 24, 2022.

Motion seconded by Kothmann

Motion carried (2-1-1) Yeackle voted against; Pargas abstained.

With no further business, the meeting of July 28, 2025 was adjourned at 11:02 AM. Exhibits identified under a specific agenda item are included as supporting documentation of the actions taken by the Uvalde County Commissioners Court, and are placed after the minutes and before the page titled Commissioners Court Order.