

County of Val Verde



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AGENDA/NOTICE
VAL VERDE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT
REGULAR TERM MEETING

**Old County Court-at-Law
207B East Losoya Street
Del Rio, TX 78840**

Live Feed Link- <http://valverdecountry.texas.gov/>

Social distancing and face masks required

July 6, 2021 at 9:00 a.m.

1. Call to order.
2. Determining that a quorum is present.
3. Reciting the pledge of allegiance.
4. Approving and/or amending minutes from previous meetings.
5. Citizens' Comments.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE PUBLIC THAT THE FOLLOWING ITEMS WILL BE DISCUSSED AND POSSIBLE ACTION MAY BE TAKEN BY THE VAL VERDE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT:

6. Approving subdivision plats.
7. Approving certificates of compliance.
8. Approving monthly reports from elected officials.
9. Approving bills for payment.

Matthew S. Weingardt, County Auditor

10. Auditor's Report.
11. Discussion and possible action on the following:
 - A. Budget adjustment -Other Computer Maintenance-\$540.00 from available appropriations.
 - B. Certification of Revenue- \$93,922.26 FEMA-Pct.4.

Emily Grant, County Agent

12. Requesting additional travel and fuel budget to compete ANR agent travels 2020-2021.

Aaron D. Rodriguez, County Treasurer

13. Treasurer's Report.

Adrian Bitela, County Veterans Service Officer

14. Presenting an explanation on Texas Veterans Commission (Veterans Assistance Grants) program cuts.

Lewis G. Owens Jr., County Judge

15. Discussion on immigrants.

16. Discussing matters relating to COVID-19.

17. Discussing and possible action on supplies purchased to administrate the COVID vaccines.

18. Discussion and possible action on \$4,950.00 payment to Roland L. Rios & Associates, PLLC for Redistricting Services Contract, ACS analysis estimates of population changes and GIS costs.

19. Discussion and possible action on Americans Rescue Plan.

20. Discussion and possible action on Moreno Subdivision.

21. Update on grants that may be available. (Habitat and Angler Access Program-Fishing Grant).

22. Discussion and possible action on Texans Feeding Texans: Home-Delivered Meal Grant Program.

23. Discussion and possible action on the Appraisal District retaining \$18,186.20 to be put into their next fiscal year budget for attorneys.

24. Granting authority for County Judge and County Auditor to sign Draw #4 Form A203 requesting funds for engineering services, KSA invoice No. 81893 and invoice No. 82219 for TxCDBG 7219085 San Felipe Pastures, Vega Verde and Rise Estates Waterline Project.

25. Granting Authority for County Judge and County Auditor to sign Draw #14 Form A203 requesting reimbursement of \$21,867.41 for construction, engineering and administration costs, for TxCDBG 7218026 Ridgeline Waterline Project.

26. Granting authority for County Judge and County Auditor to sign Draw #15 Form A203 requesting reimbursement of \$4,000.00 for administration costs, for TxCDBG 7218026 Ridgeline Waterline Project.

27. Approving County Transportation Infrastructure Fund Reimbursement Request for Dolan Creek Road.

28. Approving Close Outs Reports for TxCDBG 7218026 Ridgeline Waterline Project and authorize County Judge to sign.

29. Approving Posting Final Notice and Public Explanation of a Proposed Activity in a 100-year /500-year Flood plain or Wetland for TxCDBG 7219085 Waterline Improvements for Rise Estates San Felipe Pastures and Vega Verde Colonia. Posting Notice minimum 18 days at Val Verde County Courthouse and on official county website.

30. Approving Posting FONSI-RROF for TxCDBG 7219085 Waterline Improvements for Rise Estates, San Felipe Pastures and Vega Verde Colonia. Posting Notice minimum 18 days at Val Verde County Courthouse and on official county website.

Ramiro G. Barrera, IT Director

31. Discussion and possible action to recall all equipment purchased with COVID-19 funding to re-assign /re-purpose at the court's discretion.

Carlos Velarde, County Engineer

32. Revision of Plat (Re-plat) Establishing Lots 2A and 2B, Block B, Lago Diablo Estates subdivision, out of Lot 2, Block B, previously recorded on Volume 4, Page 97, Val Verde County Map Records.

33. Approval of Re-plat establishing Lot-A (10.5 Acres), out of Lots 5 and 6, Salem Point Subdivision.

Edgar Perez, County Fairgrounds Manager

34. Approving a Lease Agreement between Val Verde County and Anna Barrera-Maldonado for WMPA Women's Softball Tournament on August 28, 2021.

Joe Frank Martinez, County Sheriff

35. Discussion and possible action approving Sheriff Joe Frank Martinez to host a Safety Kids Car Seat Check event at the Del Rio High School parking lot on July 24, 2021.

36. Request issuance of a county card for the Val Verde Sheriff's Office to be issued to Shaun Davis.

Juanita Barrera, Human Resources

37. Approving Human Resources report from June 23, 2021 through July 06, 2021.

- A. Martin Wardlaw, Commissioner Pct. 1, requesting the issuance of checks to Daniel Chavez, Heavy Equipment Operator, with a salary of \$33,000.00, effective June 22, 2021. Mr. Chavez was promoted to a position which was changed from Light Equipment Opr. to Heavy Equip. Opr.
- B. Martin Wardlaw, Commissioner Pct. 1, requesting the issuance of checks to Edgar Hernandez, Light Equipment Opr., with a salary of \$27,451.00, effective June 29, 2021. Mr. Hernandez is replacing Daniel Chavez who was promoted.
- C. Jerry Rust, Fire Chief, requesting the issuance of checks to Jose Barragan, Fire Fighter, with a salary of \$32,500.00, effective June 21, 2021. Mr. Barragan is going from Part-time status to full time and is replacing Sara Hernandez who resigned.
- D. Marion P. Cole, JP 3, requesting to stop the distribution of checks to Kimberly Neuman, Deputy Clerk I, effective June 25, 2021. Ms. Neuman has resigned.
- E. Lewis G. Owens, Jr., County Judge, requesting to stop the distribution of checks to Makayla Chambers, Contact Tracer, effective June 30, 2021. Position has been terminated.
- F. Lewis G. Owens, Jr., County Judge, requesting to stop the distribution of checks to Susana Trevino, Contact Tracer, effective June 30, 2021. Position has been terminated.

- G. Lewis G. Owens, Jr., County Judge, requesting to stop the distribution of checks to Lizett Medrano, Contact Tracer, effective June 30, 2021. Position has been terminated.
- H. Lewis G. Owens, Jr., County Judge, requesting to stop the distribution of checks to Alfa Alexander, RN, effective June 30, 2021. Position has been terminated.
- I. Elodia Garcia, Tax Assessor/Collector, requesting to stop the distribution of checks to Laura Jimenez, Chief Deputy, effective June 30, 2021. Ms. Jimenez has retired.
- J. Elodia Garcia, Tax Assessor/Collector, requesting the issuance of checks to Cecilia Martinez, Chief Deputy, with a salary of \$31,765.50, effective July 1, 2021. Ms. Martinez has been promoted to replace Laura Jimenez who retired.
- K. Elodia Garcia, Tax Assessor/Collector, requesting the issuance of checks to Maria Rosales, Lead Deputy, with a salary of \$27,885.00, effective July 1, 2021. Ms. Rosales has been promoted to replace Cecilia Martinez who was promoted.
- L. David Bond, Librarian, requesting to stop the distribution of checks to Monica Suarez, PT-Librarian I, effective July 2, 2021. Ms. Suarez has resigned.

David E. Martinez, County Attorney

38. Discussion and possible action on creating the position of “Special Assistant to the County Attorney” in the County Attorney’s Office at an annual salary of \$50,000.00. This employee will be dedicated to assisting with the intake and review of new cases resulting from the anticipated increase in arrests as a result of the immigrant crisis.

39. Discussion and possible action on increasing the hourly wage paid to the part-time clerk from \$10/hr. to \$15/hr. This employee will focus on assisting with the intake and review of new cases resulting from the anticipated increase in arrests as a result of the immigrant crisis.

40. Closed session consultation pursuant to Texas Government Code:

A. §551.071(2), attorney/client privilege.

B. §551.071(1)(A), contemplated litigation.

Commissioners Court reserves the right to hear any of the above agenda items that qualify for an executive session in a closed session by publicly announcing the applicable section number of the Open Meetings Act (Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code) that justifies executive session treatment.

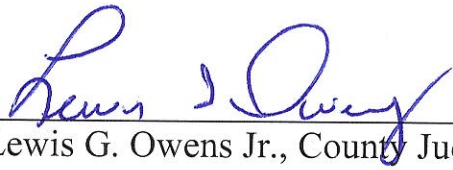
41. Commissioners' comments.

42. County Judge's comments.

43. Adjourn.

NOTE: Persons with disabilities who plan to attend this meeting and who may need auxiliary aids of services such as interpreters for persons who are deaf or hearing impaired, readers, or large print, are requested to contact the County Judge's Office at 830-774-7501 at least two (02) business days prior to the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

The next Regular Commissioners Court Meeting will be July 20, 2021 @ 9:00 a.m.
Agenda Items are due Thursday, July 15, 2021 @ 12:00 noon.



Lewis G. Owens Jr., County Judge
Val Verde County, Texas

THIS NOTICE OF THE AGENDA WAS POSTED ON THE BULLETIN BOARD ON JULY 2, 2021: AT 3:49 AM/PM.

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