



NOTICE OF A MEETING
OF THE
COMMISSIONERS COURT
OF
BELL COUNTY, TEXAS
on
Monday, May 4, 2026

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SHELLEY COSTON
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Notice is hereby given that a regular meeting of the above named Court will be held at **9:00 AM**, on Monday, May 4, 2026, with the meeting to be held in the **COMMISSIONERS' COURTROOM**, at the Bell County Courthouse, 101 Central Avenue, Belton, Texas, to begin on Monday, May 4, 2026 at **9:00 AM**, and continue thereafter until such business of the Court has been completed in accordance with Article 81.005 of the Local Government Code of the State of Texas.

Notice is also given that, in accordance with the Commissioner's Court Meeting Rules and Protocols, any person may offer comments to the Commissioner's Court at this meeting on any item listed on the agenda.

In addition, this meeting will also be livestreamed by video conferencing at bellcountytexas.com/county-government/commissioners-court/live-commissioners-court-meeting.php.

Members of the Court and/or members of the public may participate and/or comment at this meeting via videoconferencing. Members of the public wishing to participate and/or comment on any item listed on the agenda during the meeting via the video conferencing must register by emailing Shelley.Coston@bellcounty.texas.gov at least one hour prior to 9:00 AM on Monday, May 4, 2026. You will be given instructions on how to connect and make your comments via email. This meeting will be recorded, and the recording will be available on the Bell County's website after the meeting.

If you simply wish to watch the meeting, you do not need to register to view the live stream feed of the meeting and may join the Bell County Commissioners Court Meeting as follows:

- From your computer, tablet or smartphone access the link:
bellcountytexas.com/county-government/commissioners-court/live-commissioners-court-meeting.php
and then follow the instructions to begin live-streaming the Commissioners Court meeting.

Agenda

1. **Invocation**
2. **Pledges of Allegiance to the flags of the United States and Texas**
3. **Consent Agenda**
(all items on the Consent Agenda are considered routine and not requiring separate discussion or vote and may be considered on a single motion; however, at the request of any Commissioner, any item or vote may be removed from the Consent Agenda and discussed and voted on separately):
 - a. Consider approval of minutes of the prior meeting (Monday, April 20, 2026) of the Commissioners Court.

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b. **Personnel/Budget Amendments**

c. **Claims**

- i. **Accounts Payable**
- ii. **Payroll**
- iii. **Restitution**
- iv. **Juror Pay**

d. **Consider and approve amendments to the Bell County Grant Management Policy, with a policy effective date of May 4, 2026.**

4. Presentations/Proclamations/Awards

a. **Presentation of certificates to four poll workers -- Sally Barron, Alfred Wallen, Victor Sanchez, and Roosevelt Ellis -- by Dr. Desi Roberts for outstanding service and dedication during the March 2026 Primary Election.**

5. County Engineer

a. **Consider and approve the Preliminary Plat of "Nolina Springs, Phase I" being a 26.697-acre, 35 lot, 2 block Subdivision located within Bell County, Precinct 2.**

6. Regular Agenda

- a. **Consider accepting a petition calling for the creation of a hospital district and ordering an election for Tuesday, November 3, 2026, on the proposition of creating a hospital district and the levy of a tax not to exceed 75 cents on each \$100 of the taxable value of property taxable by the district.**
- b. **Consider and approve Agreement for Litter Pick Up between Bell County and VFW Post 9192.**
- c. **Consider and approve A Resolution Relating to the Public Utilities Commission Docket #59475, also known as the Bell County East to Big Hill 765kV Transmission Line Project.**
- d. **Discuss and approve the selection of Grace Design Studios for Architectural Services design of the Candence Bank Expo Center and Garth Arena Expansion Project.**

Agenda items may be considered, deliberated, and/or acted upon in a different order than set forth above.

The Court reserves the right to discuss any items above in executive (closed) session whenever permitted by law.

David Blackburn, County Judge

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I, SHELLEY COSTON, Bell County Clerk, do certify that the above Notice of Meeting of the above named 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 Bell County Justice Center of Bell County, Texas, at a place readily accessible to the general public at all times on the 28th day of April, 2026, and said Notice remained so posted continuously for at least 72 hours preceding the scheduled time of said Meeting.

Dated this 28th day of April, 2026.

Shelley Coston, Bell County Clerk

By: _____

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