



A Regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court of Garza County, Texas was held on Monday, March 9, 2026 beginning at 9:00 a.m. at the Commissioners' Courtroom, 300 W. Main St., Post, Texas with the following members present: Lee Norman, Judge; Pct. 1-Jeff Williams; Pct. 2-Kim Wilks; Pct. 3-Byron Lane Jones and Pct. 4-Giles W. Dalby.

County officials present: Terri Laurence, District & County Clerk; Michael Isbell, Sheriff; LuAnne Terry, Treasurer; and Annhya Velez, County Attorney and Nancy Wallace, Tax Assessor-Collector.

Also present: Carol Williams, Administrative Assistant; Ted Weems, Assistant County Attorney, Bruce Boren, Constable Pct. 2; Kylene Wheeler, Elections Administrator; Curtis Hudman, PEDC; Tyler Canady, Bolinger, Segars, Gilbert & Moss LLP; Kathy Nelson, Judge's Assistant; Carla Sanchez and Stephanie Allen, Post Dispatch.

Judge Norman called the Regular Meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

Order 1: Prayer

Order 2: Pledge to Flags

Order 3: Public Comment
None presented.

Order 4: Minutes from the February 23, 2026 regular meeting were approved as presented with a motion by Commissioner Dalby and seconded by Commissioner Wilks. With a majority of the court members voting aye, the motion carried and so ordered.

Order 5: Came on for consideration was accounts payable from February 23, 2026 through March 9, 2026. Motion was made by Commissioner Williams and seconded by Commissioner Jones that all accounts presented in the fund requirement print-out is ordered paid and presented to the Treasurer for payment. With a majority of the court members voting aye, the motion carried and so ordered. See attachment.



Order 6: Reports from county offices-The following items of information were brought before the Court as a written and/or verbal Report:

Sheriff Isbell: Jail Inmate County; 84, 37 are county inmates and 47 out of county. School Safety Meeting will be held March 10, 2026 at 1:00 p.m. at the Sheriff's Department which includes Post and Southland Schools.

Kylene Wheeler, Elections Administrator: Total of 640 voted in the March 3, 2026 Primary Election.Primary Run-Offs will be in May.

Kathy Nelson, Judge's Assistant: Provided Commissioners' with Insurance questionnaire for vehicles and equipment.

Judge Norman: Next Commissioners' Court will be Monday, March 30, 2026. Joint Contract with the City of Post was approved for a Chipper.

Justice of the Peace Pct. 1:
Monthly Report for February 2026.

Justice of the Peace Pct. 2:
Monthly Report for February 2026.

A motion was made by Commissioner Dalby and seconded by Commissioner Wilks to accept the reports as presented. With a majority of the court members voting aye, the motion carried and so ordered.

Order 7: Consider to approve Farm Lease in Bailey County. A motion was made by Commissioner Williams and seconded by Commissioner Wilks to approve the Farm Lease. With a majority of the court members voting aye, the motion carried and so ordered. See attachment.



Order 8: Consider to approve Auditor's Report: Tyler Canady from Bolinger, Segars, Gilbert & Moss LLP. A motion was made by Commissioner Dalby and seconded by Commissioner Wilks to approve the Auditor's Report for year ending September 30, 2025 presented by Tyler Canady. With a majority of the court members voting aye, the motion carried and so ordered. See attachment.

The meeting recessed at 9:34 a.m.

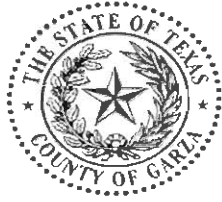
The meeting resumed at 9:43 a.m.

Order 9: Discussed wanted funding for Precincts. A motion was made by Commissioner Dalby and Seconded by Commissioner Jones to to move \$325,000.00 out of Surplus and deposit in shared Precincts Road and Bridge Fund for all Precincts. With a majority of the court members voting aye, the motion carried and so ordered.

Order 10: Consider to approve Proposal to increase salaries for County Employees excluding Elected Officials. A Motion was made by Commissioner Dalby and seconded by Commissioner Williams to approve a 10% raise for all employees excluding Elected Officials and base pay for Sheriff's Deputies \$69,000.00. With a majority of the court members voting aye, the motion carried and so ordered.

Order 11: Discuss Emergency Water Resource Plan.
No action taken.

Order 12: Consider to approve amount of money to send to Local Government Corporation. A motion was made by Commissioner Williams and seconded by Commissioner Dalby to approve to retain 2.5 million from corpus from sale of prison and send remaining amount to Local Government Corporation. With a majority of the court members voting aye, the motion carried and so ordered.



Order 13: Consider to approve request from County Tax Assessor/Collector for new printers. A motion was made by Commissioner Williams and seconded by Commissioner Jones to approve two new printers. With a majority of the court members voting aye, the motion carried and so ordered.

Order 14: Budget Amendments and Line Item Transfers.
None presented.

The meeting adjourned at 10:46 a.m.

A Regular Meeting is set for Monday, March 30, 2026 9:00 a.m.

Approved and signed this 30th day of March, 2026.



LEE NORMAN, COUNTY JUDGE



JEFF WILLIAMS, COMMISSIONER PCT. 1



KIM WILKS, COMMISSIONER PCT. 2



Byron L. Jones, COMMISSIONER PCT. 3



GILES W. DALBY, COMMISSIONER PCT. 4

ATTEST: 

TERRI LAURENCE, COUNTY CLERK