

TEXAS COMMISSION ON JAIL STANDARDS

AGENDA

Date: May 6, 2021

Time: 9:00 a.m.

Place: Due to Governor Greg Abbott's March 13, 2020 proclamation of a state of disaster affecting all counties in Texas due to the Coronavirus (COVID-19) and the Governor's March 16, 2020 suspension of certain provisions of the Texas Open Meetings Act, this regular May 2021 meeting of the Commission will be held by internet video conference, as authorized under Texas Government Code section 551.125.

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The Texas Commission on Jail Standards will deliberate and possibly take formal action on items below.

I. Meeting called to order

II. Roll Call of Commission Members

Judge Bill Stoudt, Chairman
Dr. Esmaeil Porsa, Vice Chair
Mr. Duane Lock
Ms. Patricia Anthony
Sheriff Bryan Weatherford

Sheriff Kelly Rowe
Commissioner Ben Perry
Ms. Melinda Taylor
Ms. Monica McBride

III. Reading and approval of minutes for meeting conducted on February 4, 2020.

IV. Public Comment

V. Old Business

A. Bosque County - Notice of Non-compliance

B. Crockett – Notice of Non-compliance

- C. Falls County - Notice of Non-compliance/Remedial Order
 - D. Liberty County - Notice of Non-compliance
 - E. Terrell – Notice of Non-compliance
- VI. New Business
- A. Hale County Jail – Notice of Non-compliance
 - B. Sutton County Jail – Notice of Non-compliance
 - C. Willacy County Jail – Notice of Non-compliance
 - D. Proposed New Standard – § 276.3 Clarifying Prohibition of Temp Jailer Supervisors
 - E. Legislative Update
- VII. Variances
- A. Collin County – § 259.135 dormitories, § 259.136 day rooms
- VIII. Staff Report
- A. Completed Jail Projects
 - B. Jail Planning and Construction List
 - C. Jails in Compliance/Noncompliance – Non-Compliance of Jails Status Update Report
 - D. Status of Remedial Orders
 - E. Status and Composition of Jail Population
 - F. Executive Director’s Activities
 - G. Staff Training/Activities
 - H. Financial Report/Budget
 - I. Inmate Complaint Report

J. Sunset Review

IX. Other Business

- Commission Activities
- Staff Activities
- Off Duty Employment
- Miscellaneous Letters of Comment

X. Next Commission meeting is tentatively scheduled for:

- August 5, 2021
- November 4, 2021

XI. Adjourn

The Board may meet in Closed Session on any item listed above if authorized by the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code Ann. Ch. 551.

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