

NOTICE OF A SPECIAL MEETING

February 13, 2023

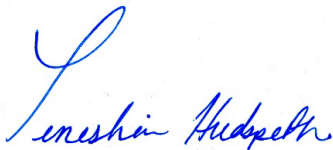
Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the Commissioners Court of Harris County, Texas, will be held on Thursday, February 16, 2023, at 10:30 a.m. in the Courtroom of the Commissioners Court of Harris County, Texas, on the ninth floor of the Harris County Administration Building, 1001 Preston Street, Houston, Texas. This meeting is also being held virtually to advance the public health goal of limiting face-to-face meetings and thus slow the spread of the Coronavirus (COVID-19).

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the Commissioners Court of Harris County, Texas, will be held for the purpose of discussion and possible action regarding: (1) a request for Executive Session for discussion and possible action to approve legal action related to the Texas Comptroller's erroneous determination that Harris County has violated Local Government Code, Section 120. Notice is also given that, prior to the adjournment of the special meeting of Commissioners Court, the Court may also consider supplemental agenda items and/or emergency or urgent public necessity agenda items. Supplemental items may be published up to 72 hours before a meeting of the Harris County Commissioners Court. Emergency or urgent public necessity items may be published up to one (1) hour before a meeting of the Harris County Commissioners Court. Agendas may be obtained in the Commissioners Court's courtroom on the day of the meeting or via the internet at <https://agenda.harriscountytexas.gov>.


Members of the public may attend, participate and/or address members of Commissioners Court in-person. Members of the public may only speak about topics that appear on the special meeting agenda. Members of the public who attend the meeting in-person may make in-person comments by signing up to speak at <https://appearancerequest.harriscountytexas.gov/> or in the Commissioners Court's courtroom before 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, February 16, 2023, when the special meeting begins.

If more than 25 members of the public sign up to make comments, each speaker's comments will be limited to, at most, one (1) minute in total. If 25 members of the public or fewer sign up to make comments, each speaker's comments will be limited to, at most, three (3) minutes in total. Comments made by members of the public will be limited to the topics on the agenda. Members of the public are also invited to email their written comments to Commissioners Court at CommissionersCourt@hctx.net.

It is the intention of the Harris County Commissioners Court to provide open access to all members of the public of Harris County to express themselves on issues addressed by County government. However, members of the public are reminded that the Harris County Commissioners Court is a constitutional court, created by the State with judicial, administrative and legislative powers. As such, the Harris County Commissioners Court possesses the authority to issue Contempt of Court citations. Accordingly, persons shall conduct themselves with proper respect and decorum in addressing the Court, in participating in public discussions before the Court, and in all actions in the presence of the Court. Profane, insulting or threatening language, and racial, ethnic or gender slurs or epithets will not be tolerated. Those persons who do not conduct themselves in an orderly and appropriate manner will be ordered to leave the meeting and recognition to speak may be refused at subsequent meetings of the Court. Refusal to abide by the Court's Order may result in a Contempt of Court Citation.



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