



**NUECES COUNTY DRAINAGE DISTRICT NO.2  
NOTICE OF REGULAR MEETING  
September 29, 2026**

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**KARA SANDS  
CLERK OF THE COUNTY COURT  
NUECES COUNTY, TEXAS**

Announcement: You are hereby notified that the governing body of the Nueces County Drainage District No. 2 Board of Commissioners will hold a Regular Meeting at the Calderon Building located at 710 East Main in Robstown, Texas 78380 on Tuesday, September 29, 2026, at 6: 00 p.m.

**ROBERT GONZALEZ JR. CHAIRMAN, BOARD CHAIR  
BALDE TORRES III VICE- CHAIRMAN  
WILLIE GARCIA JR. SECRETARY**

**INFORMATION ON THE COMMISSIONER'S MEETING AGENDA**

**EXECUTIVE SESSION: PUBLIC NOTICE** is given that the Board may elect to go into an Executive Session anytime during the meeting to discuss matters listed on the agenda, when authorized by the provisions of the Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code. In the event the Board elects to go into Executive Session regarding an agenda item, the section or sections of the Open Meeting Act authorizing the Executive Session will be officially announced by the presiding officer. In accordance with the authority of the Government Code, Vernon's Texas Code, Sections 551.071, 551.072, 551.073, 551.074, 551.0745, 551.076, 551.086, 551.078, the Board will hold an Executive Session to consult with attorney including matters related to litigation; deliberated regarding real property, prospective gifts(s), personnel matters, including termination, district advisory bodies, security devices, and/or economic development negotiations and other matters that may be discussed in Executive Session. Upon completion of the Executive Session, the Board may, in an open session, take such action as appropriate on items discussed in an Executive Session.

**PUBLIC COMMENT:** Members of the public will have the opportunity to address the Commissioners' Court during this session on any Agenda Item or any subject within its district, except a matter related to pending litigation. Each speaker should sign up on the Public Comment Sheet available in front of the Courtroom at least five (5) minutes before commencement of the Commissioners Court meeting. Speakers should limit their comments to three (3) minutes. The Commissioners, if they deem it necessary, limit both the number of speakers and the time allotted to each speaker. Under the law, the Commissioners' Court may only act on items specifically listed on the agenda. Subject matters presented, which are not part of the agenda, will be referred to by the Office Personnel for review and subsequent action.

**AUXILIARY AIDS OR SERVICES:** Persons with disabilities who plan to attend this meeting of the Drainage District, and who may need special assistance, services, or auxiliary aids, should contact the Office of the Nueces County Drainage and Conservation District No. 2 (361-387-4015) at least forty-eight (48) hours ahead of the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

- A. Chairman calls for Invocation.
- B. Pledge of Allegiance to the United States of America and Texas Flags.
- C. Chairman will call the roll, note the date, time, and location of the meeting, and certify a quorum is present.

**2. PUBLIC COMMENTS – 3 Minutes Per Person. Individuals cannot give their minutes to anyone else.**

**3. APPROVE THE FOLLOWING MINUTES:**

- A. Regular Meeting of July 28, 2026
- B. Special Meeting of August 17, 2026
- C. Special Meeting of September 8, 2026

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**4. CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS:**

- A. Approval of Payroll for July 31, 2026
  - B. Approval of Payroll for August 14, 2026
  - C. Approval of Payroll for August 28, 2026
  - D. Approval of Payroll for September 11, 2026
  - E. Approval of Payroll for September 25, 2026
  - F. Approval of Bills for July 15, 2026
  - G. Approval of Bills for July 15, 2026, Bridge Capital
  - H. Approval of Bill for July 30, 2026
  - I. Approval of Bills for July 30, 2026 - Bridge Capital
  - J. Approval of Bills for July 30, 2026 – I & S Account
  - K. Approval of Bills for August 15, 2026
  - L. Approval of Bills for August 15, 2026 – Bridge Capital
  - M. Approval of Bills for August 30, 2026
  - N. Approval of Bills for August 30, 2026 - Bridge Capital
- 5. Updates by Ernest Garza, CPA – Ernest R. Garza & Co. PC**
- 6. Updates by Steve Ray.**
- 7. Discussion, consideration, and action on participating in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Boo & Badges Trunk-or-Treat, on Thursday, October 29, 2026, at The Richard M. Borchard Regional Fairgrounds (Indoors) from 5:30 PM until the candy and goodies run out.**
- 8. Discussion, consideration, and action on participating in the Nothing to Fear Fest on Tuesday, October 27, 2026, from 4:00 pm till 6:00 pm, hosted by the Robstown ISD Special Education Department from 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM at the Hattie Marting Elementary School located at 701 N First St, Robstown, Texas or we can donate to the October 27, 2026 Nothing to Fear Fest.**
- 9. Discussion and consideration of collaborating on an agreement between Phillips 66 and the Nueces County Drainage District No. 2.**
- 10. Discussion, consideration, and action on attending the TML 114<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference and Exhibition from November 11 through 13, 2026, in San Antonio, Texas.**
- 11. Discussion, consideration, and action on attending the 2026 Open Government Conference on December 3-4, 2026, at the AT & T Hotel & Conference Center in Austin, Texas.**
- 12. Discussion, consideration, and possible action on approving and keeping Health Insurance – Aetna as our provider for the Fiscal Year 2026 – 2027.**
- 13. Discussion, consideration, and action on Mr. Santiago Vargas from Foreman/Superintendent to Director of Operations.**
- 14. Discussion, consideration, and action on Mr. Art Mireles from Foreman/Superintendent to Superintendent.**
- 15. Discussion, consideration, and action on approving health insurance for the partner of an employee on the Nueces County Drainage District Insurance Policy.**
- 16. Discussion and action on approval of the Nueces County Drainage District No. 2 Employee Handbook.**
- 17. District Reports:**
- A. Lupita Buentello – Office Manager**
  - B. Art Mireles – Foreman**
  - C. Chairman Robert Gonzalez**

**18. EXECUTIVE SESSION:** negotiation and other matters that may be discussed in an Executive Session. Upon completion of the Executive Session, the Commissioners' Court may, in an open session, take such action as appropriate on items discussed in an Executive Session.

A. Consultation with Attorney in reference to Legal Matters. SECTION 551.071 of the Texas Government Code

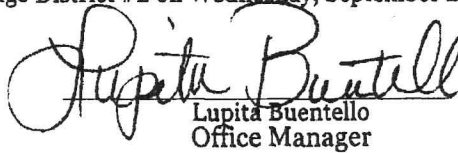
B. Personnel matters. SECTION 551.074 of the Texas Government Code.

**19. Action on Executive Session**

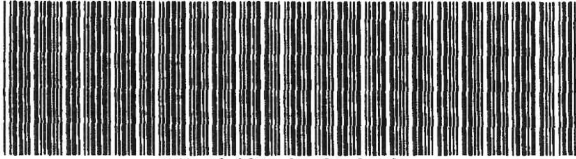
**20. Adjournment**

**CERTIFICATION**

I Hereby Certify that the above Notice of said meeting was posted on the bulletin board of said Nueces County Drainage District #2 on Wednesday, September 23, 2026, at 4:00 p.m.

  
Lupita Buentello  
Office Manager

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**Nueces County**  
**Kara Sands**  
Nueces County Clerk

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**Nueces County**

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Kara Sands  
Nueces County Clerk  
Nueces County, TX

*Kara Sands*

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