

BE IT REMEMBERED that on Monday, May 18, 2026, the Commissioner Court of Howard County met in Special Budget Workshop Session at 9:00 AM with RANDY JOHNSON, County Judge, as the Presiding Officer. The following members were present: Commissioner Pct. 1 Eddilisa Ray, Commissioner Pct. 2 Cash Berry, Commissioner Pct. 3 Jimmie Long, Commissioner Pct. 4 Doug Wagner, and County Judge Randy Johnson.

The meeting was called to order at 9:04 AM

The court met with the following Department Heads and discussed any Budget Requests or needs for the 2026-2027 fiscal year:

- Tiffany Sayles, County Tax Assessor and Collector
- B. Hoover, County Extension Agent
- Rachel Long, County Auditor
- Randy Johnson, County Judge
- Kent Minchew, Adult Probation Director
- Abigail Lopez, County Treasurer

Court recessed for lunch at 12:00 PM and reconvened at 1:06 PM.

The court continued their Budget meetings with the following department heads:

- Sandra Verdin, County Librarian
- Brenda Tubbs, Juvenile Detention Director
- Brian Klinksiek, County Road Engineer

The Court Recessed for the day at 3:20 PM and reconvened on Tuesday, May 19, 2026, at 9:06AM.

The court continued their Budget meetings with the following department heads:

- Lindsay Wilkerson, County Attorney
- Shane Seaton, District Judge
- Stan Parker, County Sheriff
- Jury Padron, County Clerk
- Joanna Gonzales, District Clerk
- Odis Franklin, County IT

Rachel Long, County Auditor, presented Budget Requests for the following department heads who were not able to attend the meeting:

- Angela Griffin, JP 1-1
- Mike Averrette, JP 1-2 & Kandi Campbell, JP 2
- Josh Hamby, District Attorney
- Jodi Duck, County Elections Administrator
- Baldomer Cortez, Maintenance Director
- Non-Departmental
- Charles Henry - DPS

No action regarding the county budget was taken on this date.

Future Items/Events:

- The next Special Budget Workshop was scheduled for June 8, 2026.

Meeting Adjourned 1:21 PM

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF HOWARD

I, Jury Padron, Howard County Clerk, attest that the foregoing is a true and accurate accounting of the Commissioners Court authorized proceedings for May 18, 2026.




Jury Padron, Howard County Clerk
Clerk of the Commissioners Court
Howard County, Texas