

County of Hemphill

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August 4, 2026

The Hemphill County Commissioners Court will meet in a regular meeting on **August 10, 2026 at 9:00 a.m. in the Commissioners Court meeting Room #204** of the Hemphill County Courthouse in Canadian, Texas to consider and take any necessary action on the following:

AGENDA

Pledge of Allegiance Invocation

1. Call to order.
2. Approve minutes from July 27, 2026.
3. Burn Ban.
4. Public Comments.
5. Consider/Approve Commissioners Court Meeting Dates for October 2026 through September 2027 and Holidays for 2027.
6. Consider/Approve Contract for Inmate Housing between Hemphill and Potter County.
7. Consider/Approve Order of Election for the General Election on November 3, 2026.
8. Consider/Approve appointment Election Judges for a two-year term.
9. Consider/Approve Interlocal Agreement for the provision of ambulance services within Hemphill County.
10. Consider/Approve Sheriff's Fees for 2027.
11. Consider/Approve quote for work on retaining wall at the Rodeo Arena.
12. Set salaries for Elected Officials for 2026-2027.
13. Vote to propose a tax rate for 2026 to support the 2026-2027 Budget (the proposed consideration will not increase the tax revenue)
14. Schedule the Public Hearing on the 2026-2027 Proposed Budget for August 31, 2026 at 9:00 a.m.
15. Schedule the vote on the tax rate for 2026 for August 31, 2026 at 9:00 a.m.
16. Budget Workshop.
17. Announcements.
18. Future Agenda Items.
19. Approve bills, budget amendments, Treasurer's Report.
20. Adjourn.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

This notice complies with Texas Government Code Chapter 551, Open Meetings Act, Section 551.040 (Notice of Meeting Requirements); Section 551.043 (Time and Accessibility of Notice Requirements); and Section 551.053 (Notice Requirements of a Political Subdivision Extending into four or More Counties). The notice has been filed at least 72 hours before the scheduled time of the meeting with the Hemphill County Clerk's Office and has been posted in the Hemphill County Courthouse.

Taxpayer Impact Statement

Hemphill County, Texas

RECEIVED
11:10am
JUL 31 2026
SYLVIA GUERRERO
CLERK COURT
HEMPHILL COUNTY TEXAS
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As of September 1, 2025, House Bill 1522 amends Section 551.043 of the Texas Government Code to add a new notice required under the Texas Open Meetings Act. Specifically, when a governmental body posts notice of a meeting under Section 551.043(a)(c) at which it will discuss or adopt its budget, the notice must now include a taxpayer impact statement.

The taxpayer impact statement must show, for the median-valued homestead property within the governmental body's jurisdiction:

- The property tax bill in dollars for the current fiscal year, and
- An estimate of the property tax bill in dollars for the upcoming fiscal year.

This requirement is intended to increase transparency by allowing taxpayers to see how proposed budgets may directly affect their property tax bills.

Fiscal Year (Tax Year)	Median-Valued Homestead	Tax Rate Per \$100 of Value	Estimated Property Tax Bill
FY 2025-2026 (TY 2025)	\$89,370	Adopted 2025 Tax Rate: \$0.530000	\$473.66
FY 2026-2027 (TY 2026)	\$100,760	Not Available	Not Available
FY 2026-2027 (TY 2026)	\$100,760	Not Available	Not Available

Posted on 7/31/2026 at 11:10 a.m. by Rosa Gandara for Sylvia Guerrero, Clerk