



Minutes for the Travis County Commissioners Court October 16, 2025 Special Voting Session

**Minutes Prepared by the Travis County Clerk
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Call to Order

Meeting called to order on October 16, 2025, in the Travis County Administration Building, Commissioners Courtroom, 700 Lavaca Street, 1st Floor, Austin, TX, Dyana Limon-Mercado County Clerk, was represented by Deputies Lola Ogunro and Alicia Tovar.

Present: County Judge Andy Brown
Commissioner Precinct 1 Jeffrey Travillion
Commissioner Precinct 3 Ann Howard
Commissioner Precinct 4 Margaret Gómez

Absent: Commissioner Precinct 2 Brigid Shea

County Announcements

Clerk's Note: There were no County Announcements.

Public Communication

Members of the Court heard from:

Jacob Serrano, Travis County Resident
John Joyner, Travis County Resident
Brandon McNerney, Travis County Resident
Ethan McBride, Travis County Resident
Mimi Lynn, Travis County Resident
Susana Carranza, Travis County Resident
Christina Destefano, Travis County Resident
Carrie King, Travis County Resident
Chris Womack, Travis County Resident

Health & Human Services

1. Receive an update from the Strategic Housing Finance Corporation of Travis County. (Judge Brown & Commissioner Gómez)

Members of the Court heard from:

Jan Wenig, President, Strategic Housing Finance Corporation (SHFC)
Kecia Prince, Vice President, SHFC

Ashley Huddleston, Vice President, SHFC
Dianna Grey, Executive Director, SHFC
Julio Gonzalez, Director, SHFC
Kaylin Rubin, Housing Policy & Communications Specialist III, SHFC
Kerri Dorman, Director, SHFC
Bea Arce, Director, SHFC

RESULT: DISCUSSED

Transportation & Natural Resources

2. Receive presentation on the Travis County Parks Draft Comprehensive Plan. (Commissioners Travillion & Shea)

Members of the Court heard from:

Janet Coles, Planning Project Manager, Parks, Transportation and Natural Resources (TNR)
Robert Armistead, Division Director, Parks, TNR
Tommy Cude, Division Assistant Director, Parks, TNR
Joanna Wolaver, Executive Director, Travis County Parks Foundation
Kari Spiegelhalter, Partner, Mend Collaborative

RESULT: DISCUSSED

Planning & Budget

3. Consider and take appropriate action on a request from Circuit Events Local Organizing Committee (CELOC) to act as the Endorsing County for and to appoint CELOC as its exclusive designee and Local Organizing Committee for, Application to Participate in the Texas Major Events Reimbursement Program With Respect to the Formula 1 United States Grand Prix Event to be held at the Circuit of the Americas facilities in the County in years 2027 through 2034. (Judge Brown & Commissioner Gómez)

Members of the Court heard from:

Christy Moffett, Director, Economic Development and Strategic Investments, Planning and Budget Office

MOTION: Approve CELOC's request that the County (1) act as "endorsing county" for the Formula 1 United States Grand Prix ("the Event") for years 2027-2034 and (2) appoint CELOC as the County's sole and exclusive designee and agent (and "local organizing committee"), for purposes of preparing, submitting, and processing any and all requests and applications to the Economic Development and Tourism Division, Office of the Governor, as appropriate, and for the preparation, submittal and processing of any and all economic impact studies, other

documentation and contribution of the local incremental funds necessary or advisable to qualify for and participate in the MERP with respect to the Event, to be held in 2027-2034 at the grounds and facilities of COTA in the County.

RESULT: **APPROVED - UNANIMOUS**
MOVER: Commissioner Precinct 4 Margaret Gómez
SECONDER: Commissioner Precinct 1 Jeffrey Travillion
AYES: Andy Brown, Jeffrey Travillion, Ann Howard, Margaret Gómez

Adjourn

Minutes Approved by the Commissioners Court

Date of Approval

Andy Brown, County Judge