

2027 Atascosa County Resolution
Indigent Defense Improvement Grant Program

WHEREAS, under the provisions of the Texas Government Code § 79.037 and Title I of the Texas Administrative Code Chapter 173, counties are eligible to receive grants from the Texas Indigent Defense Commission to provide improvements in indigent defense services in the county; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court authorizes this grant program to assist the county in the implementation and the improvement of the indigent criminal defense services in this county; and

WHEREAS, Atascosa County Commissioners Court has agreed that in the event of loss or misuse of the funds, Atascosa County Commissioners Court assures that the funds will be returned in full to the Texas Indigent Defense Commission.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED and ordered that the County Judge of this county is designated as the Authorized Official to apply for, accept, decline, modify, or cancel the grant application for the Indigent Defense Improvement Grant Program and all other necessary documents to accept said grant; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Chief Public Defender is designated as the Program Director and contact person for this grant and the Auditor is designated as the Financial Officer for this grant.

Adopted this 27th day of April, 2026.

Weldon P. Cude
County Judge