



**Bill To:**  
 Hidalgo County  
 C/O Hilda Salinas  
 100 East Cano St.  
 Edinburg, Texas 78539  
 United States

**Invoice #** 202544475  
**Date:** 8/18/2025  
**Terms:** UponReceipt  
**Balance Due:** \$13780.00

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 PLEASE DETACH AND RETURN TOP PORTION WITH YOUR PAYMENT

Thank you for your membership! NACo Membership extends to all elected officials and staff.

**Please include your state and membership number with your payment.**

We appreciate your partnership.

Item	Amount	Qty	Discount	Total
COUNTY DUES	\$13,780.00	1	N/A	\$13,780.00

**Please remit payment to:**  
**National Association of Counties**  
 PO Box 38059  
 Baltimore, MD 21297-8059  
 Phone: 888.407.NACo (6226)  
 EIN# 53-0190321

<b>Total:</b>	\$13,780.00
<b>Payment/Credits:</b>	\$0.00
<b>Balance Due:</b>	\$13,780.00

**For ACH payments or questions, please contact NACo at membership@naco.org**

Please pay from copy of invoice/credit memo

PO # 6-1100-13-125-130-0000-508100

Acct # 6-1100-13-125-130-0000-508100

Invoice Received By: Hilda Salinas on 9/16/25

Goods/Services Received By: Hidalgo County on Jan-Dec '26

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<b>Customer #</b>	48215
<b>Terms</b>	Upon Receipt
<b>Balance</b>	\$13,780.00

**Our LockBox address has changed to PO Box 38059**

Item	Amount	Total
COUNTY DUES - for the period of 01/01/2026 to 12/31/2026	\$13,780.00	\$13,780.00

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<b>Balance Due</b>	\$13,780.00

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Acct # 6-1100-413-30-125-004-0-810

Invoice Received By: [Signature] on 12/2/25

Goods/Services Received By: [Signature] on 1/1-12/31/2024

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Customer ID: 48215

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Attn: Hidalgo County  
100 E Cano St, Fl 2  
County Judge  
Edinburg, TX 78539  
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Dear Hidalgo County,

Thank you for your 2025 membership with the National Association of Counties (NACo). We remain grateful for your partnership and proud to have your county's voice as part of our association.

Since 1935, when local leaders first came together to ensure counties had a seat at the table of our intergovernmental system, we have spoken louder and stood stronger – *together*. **In 2026, we hope you will continue this long-standing partnership by renewing your NACo membership.**

Please review the attached statement with your 2026 membership dues of \$13,780, which remains the same as 2025 dues. If you have any questions, please contact the NACo membership team at [membership@naco.org](mailto:membership@naco.org).

This year, NACo celebrated 90 years as the only national association representing county governments. Thanks to your commitment and membership in NACo, we achieved significant milestones, including:

- Preserving the tax-exempt status of municipal bonds – a vital resource for public infrastructure development,
- Authoring significant portions of the FEMA Act to better expedite reimbursements to counties after disasters,
- Achieving reauthorization of the Economic Development Administration for the *first time in 20 years*, supporting local economic development activities,
- Hosting regional meetings on the growth of AI in local government and equipping county leaders with tools to incorporate AI productively and safely into county procedures,
- Tracking the reorganization of the U.S. Department of Agriculture and communicating funding and resource impacts on counties, and
- Offering new purchasing and financial resources to save on major county investments and support the county workforce.

Renewing your NACo membership is a commitment to the collective power of counties across the country. Together, we will continue to navigate the changing intergovernmental landscape in 2026, with a focus on:

- Elevating and protecting the role of county government in federal policy decisions, including:
  - Renewing funding for public lands counties,
  - Protecting community development block grants and rural economic development programs,

# Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Go to [www.irs.gov/FormW9](http://www.irs.gov/FormW9) for instructions and the latest information.

Give form to the  
requester. Do not  
send to the IRS.

**Before you begin.** For guidance related to the purpose of Form W-9, see *Purpose of Form*, below.

Print or type. See Specific Instructions on page 3.	<p><b>1</b> Name of entity/individual. An entry is required. (For a sole proprietor or disregarded entity, enter the owner's name on line 1, and enter the business/disregarded entity's name on line 2.)</p> <p><b>National Association of Counties</b></p>	
	<p><b>2</b> Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above.</p>	
	<p><b>3a</b> Check the appropriate box for federal tax classification of the entity/individual whose name is entered on line 1. Check only <b>one</b> of the following seven boxes.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Individual/sole proprietor    <input type="checkbox"/> C corporation    <input type="checkbox"/> S corporation    <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership    <input type="checkbox"/> Trust/estate</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> LLC. Enter the tax classification (C = C corporation, S = S corporation, P = Partnership) _____</p> <p><b>Note:</b> Check the "LLC" box above and, in the entry space, enter the appropriate code (C, S, or P) for the tax classification of the LLC, unless it is a disregarded entity. A disregarded entity should instead check the appropriate box for the tax classification of its owner.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (see instructions) <b>Non Profit 501 (c) 4</b></p>	<p><b>4</b> Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3):</p> <p>Exempt payee code (if any) _____</p> <p>Exemption from Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act (FATCA) reporting code (if any) _____</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>(Applies to accounts maintained outside the United States.)</i></p>
	<p><b>3b</b> If on line 3a you checked "Partnership" or "Trust/estate," or checked "LLC" and entered "P" as its tax classification, and you are providing this form to a partnership, trust, or estate in which you have an ownership interest, check this box if you have any foreign partners, owners, or beneficiaries. See instructions _____ <input type="checkbox"/></p>	
	<p><b>5</b> Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.). See instructions.</p> <p><b>P.O.Box 38059</b></p>	Requester's name and address (optional)
	<p><b>6</b> City, state, and ZIP code</p> <p><b>Baltimore MD 21297-8059</b></p>	
	<p><b>7</b> List account number(s) here (optional)</p>	

## Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the instructions for Part I, later. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN*, later.

<b>Social security number</b>									
-				-					
<b>or</b>									
<b>Employer identification number</b>									
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**Note:** If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1. See also *What Name and Number To Give the Requester* for guidelines on whose number to enter.

## Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and
2. I am not subject to backup withholding because (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and
3. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and
4. The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

**Certification instructions.** You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and, generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions for Part II, later.

<b>Sign Here</b>	Signature of U.S. person	Digitally signed by Janet Fernandes Date: 2025.01.29.11:38:43 -05'00'	
	<b>Janet Fernandes</b>		Date

## General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

**Future developments.** For the latest information about developments related to Form W-9 and its instructions, such as legislation enacted after they were published, go to [www.irs.gov/FormW9](http://www.irs.gov/FormW9).

### What's New

Line 3a has been modified to clarify how a disregarded entity completes this line. An LLC that is a disregarded entity should check the appropriate box for the tax classification of its owner. Otherwise, it should check the "LLC" box and enter its appropriate tax classification.

New line 3b has been added to this form. A flow-through entity is required to complete this line to indicate that it has direct or indirect foreign partners, owners, or beneficiaries when it provides the Form W-9 to another flow-through entity in which it has an ownership interest. This change is intended to provide a flow-through entity with information regarding the status of its indirect foreign partners, owners, or beneficiaries, so that it can satisfy any applicable reporting requirements. For example, a partnership that has any indirect foreign partners may be required to complete Schedules K-2 and K-3. See the Partnership Instructions for Schedules K-2 and K-3 (Form 1065).

### Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS is giving you this form because they

**TO THE COUNTY AUDITOR  
AFFIDAVIT FOR PAYMENT OF MEMBERSHIP DUES  
TO ASSOCIATIONS OTHER THAN THE TEXAS ASSOCIATION OF COUNTIES**

**THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF HIDALGO**

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I further state that \_\_\_\_\_ is a statewide association with a minimum membership of at least 25 percent of eligible political subdivisions.

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_  
TITLE: County Judge

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_



Before me Monica Salinas, a Notary Public, appeared Richard F. Cortez, and on his/her oath deposed and stated that the facts as set forth in the above affidavit to be true and correct in every respect.

( S E A L )

\_\_\_\_\_  
NOTARY PUBLIC IN AND FOR  
THE STATE OF TEXAS

AUTHORITY TO OBTAIN AFFIDAVIT: LGC § 113.064(b)  
AUTHORITY TO PAY MEMBERSHIP DUES: GC § 305.026

COUNTY AUDITOR'S FORM: RE-CA-041B  
REVISED: 12-2012

Texas Conference of Urban Counties  
500 W 13th St  
Austin, TX 78701-1827

# INVOICE

**BILL TO**

Hidalgo County  
Honorable Richard Cortez  
100 North Closner  
Edinburg, TX 78539

**INVOICE #** 1037025  
**DATE** 10/01/2025  
**DUE DATE** 10/31/2025  
**TERMS** 30 days

**SHIP DATE**

10/01/2025

DATE	DESCRIPTION	QTY	RATE	AMOUNT
	<b>Membership Dues</b> Urban Counties FY 2026 Membership Dues	1	32,905.00	32,905.00

BALANCE DUE **\$32,905.00**

Please pay from copy of invoice/credit memo

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MM on 10/6/25

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October 1, 2025

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By: CC 1:00  
County Judge

Honorable Richard Cortez  
Hidalgo County Judge  
100 East Cano Street, Second Floor  
Edinburg, TX 78539

Re: **FY 2026 Dues Invoice**

Dear Judge Cortez,

Enclosed is the dues invoice for your county's continued participation in the Texas Conference of Urban Counties (CUC) through FY 2026.

I hope you continue to see the value in your county's CUC membership for you and those you serve. Your membership provides resources and advocacy for your county and helps guide our organization's priorities. Our work, from legislative efforts to educational initiatives, is shaped by the input and direction of our members.

With the 89th Legislative Session now concluded, our focus turns to preparing for the 90th Session in 2027. The interim period is a critical time for counties to shape the agenda, develop priorities, and ensure county voices remain strong at the Capitol. With your continued engagement, CUC will remain a trusted advocate for Texas counties in the years ahead.

I look forward to seeing you at our Annual Education Conference in South Padre, May 6 – 8, 2026, and at our membership luncheons throughout the year:

- Wednesday, January 21, 2026 – 700 Lavaca St, Austin, TX
- Wednesday, April 15, 2026 – 700 Lavaca St, Austin, TX
- Wednesday, July 22, 2026 – 700 Lavaca St, Austin, TX
- Wednesday, November 18, 2026 – 700 Lavaca St, Austin, TX

If you have questions about the invoice or if you wish to discuss any matter regarding CUC, my cell number is 214-907-4603.

Sincerely,

  
John B. Dahill  
Executive Director

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DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

TITLE: County Judge



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December 1, 2025

Hon. Richard F. Cortez  
County Of Hidalgo  
P.O. Box 1356  
Edinburg, Texas 78540

Honorable Judge Cortez:

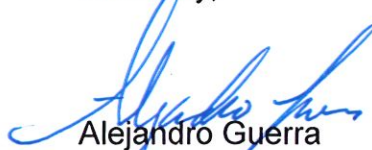
Attached is our agency's County of Hidalgo membership dues statement for Fiscal Years 2025-2026.

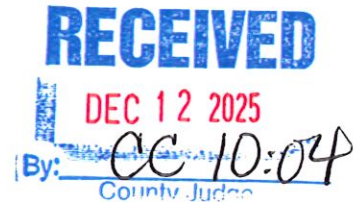
Your membership dues assist us in meeting our local cash match requirements for our Senior Nutrition and Transportation Projects' federal/state grants. These funds are used to expand such Projects' services to seniors in your County and the Lower Rio Grande Valley.

We continue to count on your valuable assistance to seniors through our agency and are very grateful for your long-standing commitment and participation in our agency's Projects' services and activities.

If you have any questions, please call me at your convenience at (956) 213-9400, Extension 3007.

Sincerely,

  
**Alejandro Guerra**  
Executive Director



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I, RICHARD F. CORTEZ, do hereby state that membership in the AMIGOS DEL VALLE, and dues to be paid to the association, serve to accomplish one or more of the following County purposes:

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