



Increasing Access to Justice for Low-Income Texans

Texas Access to Justice Commission Meeting

Texas Law Center

1414 Colorado Street (Room 101), Austin, TX 78701

June 28, 2023, 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.

Please remember this meeting is being held in-person.

If joining remotely by Zoom, click [here](#).

AGENDA

Welcome members and guests

Roll Call

Approval of the minutes from April 25, 2023

New Business

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| 1. Public Comments | Harriet Miers |
| 2. Introduction of New Commission Members | Harriet Miers |

Reports

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| 1. Supreme Court of Texas Liaison | Hon. Brett Busby |
| 2. Interim Director | Lora J. Livingston |
| 3. <u>Commission Committee Reports</u> | |
| a. Awards Committee | Hon. Latosha Payne |
| b. Budget Committee | Roland Johnson |
| c. Gala Committee | Harry Reasoner |
| d. Law School Advisory Committee | Tom Leatherbury |
| e. Legislative Committee | Alistair Dawson |
| f. Technology Committee | Judge Chu |
| g. Veterans Committee | Terry Tottenham and Gen. Valenzuela |
| 4. Work Group on Access to Legal Services for Low-Income Texans | Lisa Hobbs, Justice Massengale,
Kennon Wooten |
| 5. Supreme Court Advisory Committee-updates on recent ATJ referrals | Hon. Brett Busby/Harriet Miers |

Access to Justice Partner Reports

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| 1. Legal Aid Organizations Efforts/Report | Karen Miller, Representatives of
Legal Aid of Northwest Texas,
Lone Star Legal Aid, and Texas
Rio Grande Legal Aid |
| 2. Legal Services Corp. (LSC) 50 th Anniversary Efforts | Harriet Miers |
| 3. Office of Court Administration | Megan LaVoie |
| 4. State Bar of Texas Report | Trey Apffel |
| 5. Texas Young Lawyers Association Report | Courtney White |
| 6. Texas Access to Justice Foundation Report | Terry Tottenham and Roland
Johnson |
| 7. Texas Bar Foundation Report | Alistair Dawson and Joe Escobedo |

Presentation: Volunteer Legal Services of Central Texas

Alisa De Luna and Vasu Behara

Strategic Planning Process Status

Harriet Miers

Comments from the Chair

Harriet Miers

Executive Session

Harriet Miers

Next Meeting: August 23, 2023 (in-person)

Upcoming Meeting Dates: October 2023 (in-person, TBD/Supreme Court Luncheon)
December 15, 2023 (virtual)

Adjourn

