

# IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS

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Misc. Docket No. 21-9093

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## APPOINTMENTS TO THE JUDICIAL COMMITTEE ON INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

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**ORDERED** that:

Pursuant to Government Code Section 77.012, the following are appointed to the Judicial Committee on Information Technology for terms to expire, at the pleasure of the Chief Justice, on August 31, 2022:

Reappointed as voting members:

Hon. Rebecca Simmons, Former Justice, Fourth Court of Appeals, San Antonio  
Bob Wessels, former Criminal Court Administrator, Harris County  
Hon. David Escamilla, former County Attorney, Travis County  
Hon. Dan Hinde, Former Judge, 269th District Court, Harris County  
Hon. John Warren, County Clerk, Dallas County  
Cynthia Orr, Goldstein, Goldstein, Hilley & Orr, San Antonio  
Honorable Brian Quinn, Chief Justice, Seventh Court of Appeals, Amarillo  
D. Todd (Todd) Smith, Smith Law Group LLP, Austin  
Carlos Soltero, Soltero Sapire Murrell PLLC, Austin  
Dean Stanzione, Director of Court Administration, Lubbock County  
Dennis Van Metre, Chief Information Officer, Vinson & Elkins, Houston  
Edward E. Wells, Jr., Court Administrator, Harris County  
Hon. Laura Hinojosa, District Clerk, Hidalgo County

Appointed as a voting member:

Hon. Roy Ferguson, Judge, 394th District Court, Brewster, Culberson, Jeff Davis, Hudspeth, and Presidio Counties

Reappointed as non-voting liaison members:

Hon. Jeffrey S. Boyd, Justice, Supreme Court of Texas, Austin  
Hon. Kevin Yeary, Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Austin  
Hon. David Canales, Judge, 73rd District Court, Bexar County  
Hon. Anne Marie Carruth, Justice of the Peace, Precinct 4, Lubbock County  
Hon. Blake Hawthorne, Clerk, Supreme Court of Texas, Austin  
Hon. Velva Price, District Clerk, Travis County  
Hon. Nancy E. Rister, County Clerk, Williamson County  
Mark Unger, The Unger Law Firm, San Antonio  
Miles Brissette, Law Offices of Gill & Brissette, Fort Worth  
Honorable Giovanni Capriglione, State Representative, District 98, Keller  
Annie Elliott, former District Clerk  
Laura Garcia, Texas Association of Counties, Austin  
Doug Gowin, Operations Manager, Tarrant County  
Jessica Griffith, Staffer, Collin County  
Tracy Hopper, IT Administrator, Harris County  
Roland Johnson, Harris Finley & Bogle, Fort Worth  
Russ Ridgeway, former JP, Harris County  
Sian Schilhab, General Counsel, Court of Criminal Appeals, Austin  
Stephanie Sterling, Paralegal  
Hon. Ralph Swearingin, Jr., JP Precinct 1, Tarrant County  
Hon. Royce West, Senator, Dallas

Appointed as a non-voting liaison member:

Hon. David Stith, Judge, 319<sup>th</sup> District Court, Nueces County

The Honorable Rebecca Simmons is reappointed as Chair of the Committee:

In chambers, August 27, 2021.

  
Nathan L. Hecht, Chief Justice