

Minutes of the Special Meeting of the Hays County Historical Commission  
January 18, 2025

Present: Anita Collins, Linda Coker, Nicholas Costilla, Anthony Davis, Grace Ann Fox, Robert Frizzell, Patrick “Hoot” Gibson, Jim Herbert, Ana Juarez, Lila Knight, Tim McHutchion, Joe Ramirez, Sally Ramirez, Robert Rizo, Sarah Simmons

Absent: none

Guests: Daphne Tenorio, Angelita Tobias

Linda Coker called the meeting to order at 2:33 at the Kyle Railroad Depot and Heritage Center. Roll call established a quorum was present.

Citizens Comments: Daphne Tenorio thanked everyone for their good work.

Coker explained the purpose of the special meeting. She then asked everyone to introduce themselves. Each member said a few words about their background and areas of interest.

Nominations for a chair to recommend to Commissioners Court were taken from the floor. Gibson nominated Linda Coker as chair and the motion was seconded by Knight. Collins nominated herself (Anita Collins) as chair and the motion was seconded by Simmons. There were no other nominations. Each nominee said a few words about their experience and goals for the future.

A roll call vote was taken on the nominees:

Anita Collins - Anita Collins  
Linda Coker - Linda Coker  
Nicholas Costilla - Linda Coker  
Anthony Davis - Linda Coker  
Grace Ann Fox - Linda Coker  
Patrick “Hoot” Gibson - Linda Coker  
Robert Frizzell - Linda Coker  
Jim Herbert - Linda Coker  
Ana Juarez - Anita Collins  
Lila Knight - Linda Coker  
Tim McHutchion - Linda Coker  
Joe Ramirez - Linda Coker  
Sally Ramirez - Linda Coker  
Robert Rizo - Linda Coker  
Sarah Simmons - Linda Coker

Linda Coker received 13 votes and Anita Collins received 2 votes. The recommendation of Linda Coker as chair of the county historical commission will be forwarded to Commissioners Court.

Collins moved to adjourn the meeting which was seconded by Gibson. The meeting was adjourned at 3:22