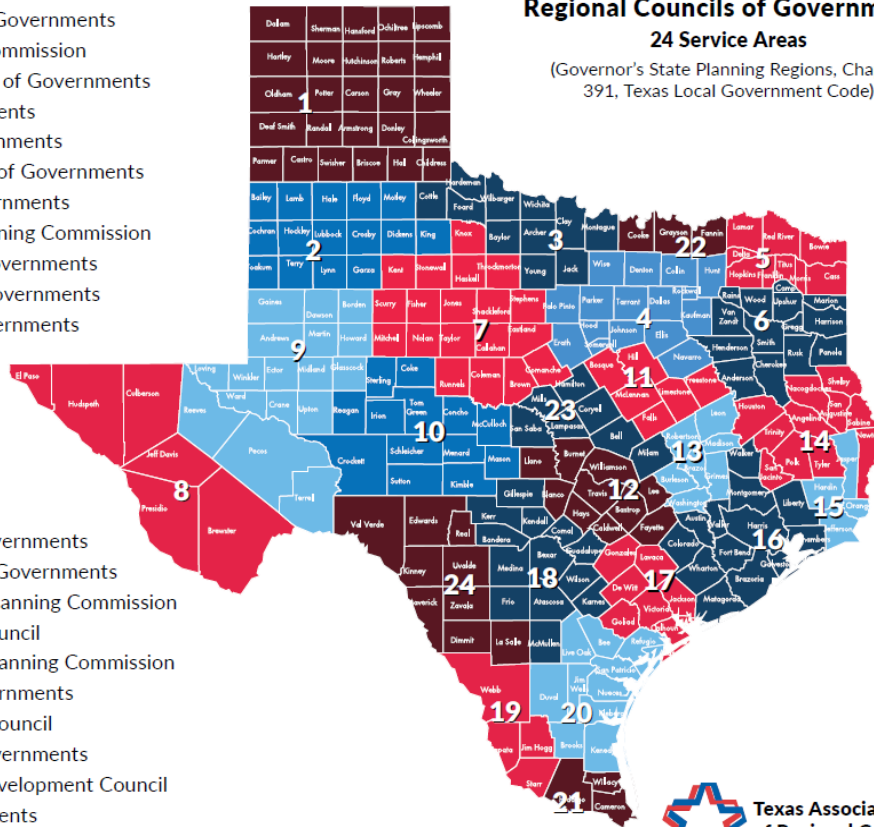


# Coastal Bend Council of Governments



Tammy Embrey  
September 20, 2022

1. Panhandle Regional Planning Commission
2. South Plains Association of Governments
3. Nortex Regional Planning Commission
4. North Central Texas Council of Governments
5. Ark-Tex Council of Governments
6. East Texas Council of Governments
7. West Central Texas Council of Governments
8. Rio Grande Council of Governments
9. Permian Basin Regional Planning Commission
10. Concho Valley Council of Governments
11. Heart of Texas Council of Governments
12. Capital Area Council of Governments



## Regional Councils of Governments 24 Service Areas

(Governor's State Planning Regions, Chapter 391, Texas Local Government Code)

13. Brazos Valley Council of Governments
14. Deep East Texas Council of Governments
15. South East Texas Regional Planning Commission
16. Houston-Galveston Area Council
17. Golden Crescent Regional Planning Commission
18. Alamo Area Council of Governments
19. South Texas Development Council
20. Coastal Bend Council of Governments
21. Lower Rio Grande Valley Development Council
22. Texoma Council of Governments
23. Central Texas Council of Governments
24. Middle Rio Grande Development Council





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- Established in 1966 as one of the earlier regional councils formed in the state of Texas
  - The governing board of the COG is made up of representatives of member governing entities
  - 11 Counties are included in the Region – Aransas (2), Bee (2), Brooks, Duval, Jim Wells (2), Kenedy, Kleberg (2), Live Oak, Nueces(17), Refugio, San Patricio (4)
  - Counties receive one vote for every 20,000 persons in population
  - 33 Cities are members of the COG– City of Corpus Christi (9), Kingsville (2), Alice (2), remaining cities have one vote
  - Cities over 15,000 in population receive one vote and receive one additional vote for every 35,000 in additional population
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# CBCOG Board meeting Schedule

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- Board meetings are held on the 4<sup>th</sup> Friday of the Month with the following exceptions:
  - In December the CBCOG Board will meet on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday of the month unless changed by a majority vote
  - The November meeting is waived unless authorized by the membership
- A quorum is met by having representatives from 6 counties and 17.5 votes from Cities present in the room
- The next meeting will be held on Friday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> at 2pm at the COG offices on Leopard across from Miller Stadium.



# Corpus Christi Board Members

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Council Member Ben Molina

Council Member Roland Barrera

Council Member Michael Hunter

Council Member Gil Hernandez

Mrs. Tammy Embrey

Mr. Michael Rodriguez

Mr. Peter Collins

Mr. Esteban Ramos

Mr. Neiman Young

## **Alternates**

Gabriel Hinojosa

Sony Peronel

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# CBCOG Associate Members

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- Port of Corpus Christi
- South Texas Water Authority
- San Patricio Municipal Water District
- Nueces County Drainage District No. 2
- Nueces County WCID No. 3
- Corpus Christi MPO



# CBCOG Executive Staff

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- Executive Director John Buckner
- Director of Finance Veronica Toomey
- Director, Area Agency on Aging Viola Monrreal
- Director, Planning and Economic Development Emily Martinez
- Homeland Security Planning Coordinator RJ Thomas



# CBCOG Standing Committees

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- Area Agency on Aging Committee
  - Criminal Justice Public Protection Committee
    - Chaired by Pat Eldridge
  - Economic Development Committee
    - Regional Resilience Partnership with HRI
  - Homeland Security Advisory Board Committee
  - Solid Waste Advisory Committee
  - 9-1-1 Networking Committee
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