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Commissioners Court Galveston County

The Internal Revenue Service in an announcement today, December 19, 2024, issued the standard mileage rate for 2025. A copy of the notice is attached. Beginning January 1, 2025, the standard mileage rates for the use of a car for business or travel in a business (also vans, pickups or panel trucks) will be:

- 70 cents per mile driven for business use, up 3 cents from the rate set for 2024,
- 21 cents per mile driven for medical or moving purposes, and
- 14 cents per mile driven in service of charitable organizations.

The standard mileage rate for business use is based on an annual study of the fixed and variable costs of operating an automobile.

This notice to Commissioners Court is provided as required by paragraph **4.3.3 Use of Personal Vehicle for Travel or Business Purposes** of the Galveston County *Travel Expense Reimbursement Procedure*. The mileage rate established by the IRS will be used beginning January 1 for the 2023 expense reports and mileage reimbursement requests.

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