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February 12, 2026

County Judge and Commissioners
Galveston County
722 Moody
Galveston, Texas 77550

Re: 2025 Professional County Collector Certification Achieved by Lisa Murdock

Dear Sirs:

In September 2024, Ms. Murdock was promoted into the position of Property Tax Supervisor. This achievement occurred less than three years after her employment and was a testament to her efforts as a member of the team.

One of the goals required of her was to achieve a Professional County Collector (PCC) certification through the Tax Assessor Collector Association of Texas. This certification (attached) requires successful completion of six Property Tax Education Coalition (PTEC) courses, five Constitutional/Statutory courses and four electives. As you can see by the attached transcript, Ms. Murdock successfully completed all requirements in October 2025 and was formally awarded her certificate at the VG Young Conference November 19, 2025.

You are well aware of the importance I place on the team obtaining and maintaining property tax professional certifications - it is essential to maintain the level of service provided each and every day to customers of our office. With more than \$175M in property taxes at stake for Galveston County and an additional \$525M at stake for our partner governments, education and training is not an option - it is a necessity.

Please join me in commending Mrs. Murdock for this significant achievement.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Cheryl E. Johnson".

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Attachment

*Tax Assessor - Collectors
Association of Texas*

Lisa Murdock

is hereby designated

Professional County Collector

Certificate of Professional Achievement

Christina McMurray

Presented this
19th day of November, 2025

Hon. Christina McMurray, President



Tax Assessor-Collector Association Professional County Collector Initial Transcript

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Phone: (409) 766-2457
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Enrolled Date: 01/01/2024

Basic Education: 7 Required

Completed to Date: 7 Remaining Courses Needed: 0

<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Date Completed</u>
Ethics for County Tax Assessor-Collectors	09/24/2025
Intro To Property Tax Administration (PTEC.101)	10/30/2024
Intro To Property Tax Appraisal (PTEC.102)	11/01/2024
Truth in Taxation (PTEC.28)	05/29/2025
Property Tax Law (PTEC.7)	05/16/2025
Property Tax Assessments and Collections (PTEC.8)	09/25/2025
Advanced Assessments and Collections (PTEC.9)	11/08/2024

Mandatory, Constitutional/Statutory Duty Courses: 5 Required

Completed to Date: 5 Remaining Courses Needed: 0

Budget Planning	09/30/2025
Public Records: Release, Management & Retention	09/25/2025
Title Fraud Training	10/13/2025
Motor Vehicle Sales Tax & Fee Collection	09/26/2025
Voter Registration & Chapter 19 Funds	09/26/2025

Elective Courses: 4 Required

Completed to Date: 4 Remaining Courses Needed: 0

Fundamentals of the Americans with Disabilities Act	09/23/2025
Manufactured Housing & Boat and Motor Titling & Registration	
Customer Service to Build the Public Trust	09/23/2025
FLSA, USERRA, & Sexual Harassment	
FMLA: What Every Employer Needs to Know	
Accounting in a County Tax Office	
Personnel Management in the Public Sector	09/29/2025
Special Inventory Taxation	09/30/2025