



**COUNTY of GALVESTON**  
COUNTY COURTHOUSE

722 MOODY AVENUE 2<sup>nd</sup> FLOOR GALVESTON, TEXAS 77550  
Phone: 409-770-5562 Fax: 409-770-5560

January 28, 2025

Hon. Mark Henry  
Hon. County Commissioners' Court  
Galveston County Courthouse  
Galveston, Texas 77550

Re: 2025 Filing of Eminent Domain Report with Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts

Gentlemen:

On January 23, 2025, the County of Galveston filed its Report on Eminent Domain Authority with the Office of the Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts. This report is required by Government Code § 2206.154 and must be filed no later than February 1 of each year.

The report requires the County to identify all legal provisions granting the County eminent domain authority. Attached is a summary of the report filed with the Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts.

Should you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Veronica Van Horn  
Legal Services Manager

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# Summary

**Entity Information**

Report Year : 2025  
 Entity Texas Taxpayer ID : 17460009081  
 Entity Name : Galveston County  
 Entity Phone Number : (409) 770-5562  
 Entity Website : <https://www.galvestoncountytexas.gov/>  
 Primary Entity Contact Name : Veronica Van Horn  
 Primary Entity Contact Title : Legal Services Manager  
 Entity Contact Phone Number : (409) 770-5562  
 Primary Contact E-mail Address : veronica.vanhorn@co.galveston.tx.us  
 Entity Type : GOVERNMENTAL - County  
 Other entity type : N/A  
 Earliest year in which the entity had eminent domain authority : 1876  
 Earliest month in which the entity had eminent domain authority : Unknown  
 Condemnation Petition Filed : NO  
 Email Reminder : N/A  
 Parent Company Name : N/A

**Entity Mailing Address**

Address : Galveston County 722 Moody Ave, 2nd Floor  
 Galveston TX 77550-2318

**Physical Address**

Address : Galveston County 722 Moody Ave, 2nd Floor  
 Galveston TX 77550-2318

**Provisions Selected**

Government Code, Section 1474.151  
Government Code, Section 1475.002  
Government Code, Section 1475.052  
Government Code, Section 1477.071  
Government Code, Section 1477.120  
Government Code, Section 1477.121  
Government Code, Section 1505.114  
Government Code, Section 1506.060  
Government Code, Section 2206.001  
Government Code, Section 2206.002  
Government Code, Section 2206.003  
Government Code, Section 2206.004  
Government Code, Section 2206.005  
Government Code, Section 2206.006  
Government Code, Section 2206.007  
Government Code, Section 2206.008  
Government Code, Section 2206.009  
Government Code, Section 2206.010  
Government Code, Section 2206.011  
Government Code, Section 2206.012  
Government Code, Section 2206.013  
Government Code, Section 2206.051  
Government Code, Section 2206.052  
Government Code, Section 2206.053  
Government Code, Section 2206.101  
Government Code, Section 2267.061  
Government Code, Section 2267.062  
Government Code, Section 2267.063  
Health and Safety Code, Section 263.022  
Health and Safety Code, Section 264.028  
Health and Safety Code, Section 265.052  
Health and Safety Code, Section 281.054  
Health and Safety Code, Section 364.014  
Human Services Code, Section 63.017  
Human Services Code, Section 63.018  
Local Government Code, Section 241.903  
Local Government Code, Section 261.001  
Local Government Code, Section 263.201  
Local Government Code, Section 273.001  
Local Government Code, Section 273.002  
Local Government Code, Section 273.003  
Local Government Code, Section 280.001  
Local Government Code, Section 280.003  
Local Government Code, Section 293.026  
Local Government Code, Section 325.037  
Local Government Code, Section 331.001  
Local Government Code, Section 331.003  
Local Government Code, Section 335.071

Local Government Code, Section 351.136  
Local Government Code, Section 383.063  
Local Government Code, Section 392.061  
Local Government Code, Section 507.103  
Local Government Code, Section 561.001  
Local Government Code, Section 562.016  
Local Government Code, Section 571.004  
Local Government Code, Section 572.012  
Local Government Code, Section 572.013  
Natural Resources Code, Section 183.057  
Natural Resources Code, Section 221.021  
Property Code, Section 21.001  
Property Code, Section 21.002  
Property Code, Section 21.003  
Property Code, Section 21.011  
Property Code, Section 21.012  
Property Code, Section 21.013  
Property Code, Section 21.014  
Property Code, Section 21.015  
Property Code, Section 21.016  
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Property Code, Section 21.048  
Property Code, Section 21.049  
Property Code, Section 21.061  
Property Code, Section 21.062  
Property Code, Section 21.063  
Property Code, Section 21.064  
Property Code, Section 21.065  
Property Code, Section 21.101  
Property Code, Section 21.102  
Property Code, Section 21.103  
Tax Code, Section 311.008

Transportation Code, Section 022.011

- Transportation Code, Section 172.159
- Transportation Code, Section 173.160
- Transportation Code, Section 174.158
- Transportation Code, Section 203.065
- Transportation Code, Section 224.002
- Transportation Code, Section 224.003
- Transportation Code, Section 251.006
- Transportation Code, Section 251.051
- Transportation Code, Section 251.101
- Transportation Code, Section 254.005
- Transportation Code, Section 280.001
- Transportation Code, Section 281.002
- Transportation Code, Section 282.011
- Transportation Code, Section 283.003
- Transportation Code, Section 283.101
- Transportation Code, Section 284.003
- Transportation Code, Section 284.061
- Transportation Code, Section 284.066
- Transportation Code, Section 284.067
- Transportation Code, Section 364.022
- Transportation Code, Section 457.106
- Transportation Code, Section 460.107
- Texas Constitution, Article 1, Section 17
- Texas Constitution, Article 3, Section 52 (j)
- Utilities Code, Section 163.013
- Utilities Code, Section 163.014
- Water Code, Section 11.033
- Water Code, Section 49.066
- Water Code, Section 49.222
- Water Code, Section 49.224
- Water Code, Section 57.019
- Water Code, Section 57.269

Vernon's Civil Statute , Article 6812b Section 13

## Projects Selected

- Airports or landing fields
- Animal treatment facilities
- Hospitals or other health care facilities
- Incinerators or garbage disposal plants
- Jail or other law enforcement detention facility, including juvenile delinquency facilities
- Other County Buildings Seawalls Levees

Parks or playgrounds

Streets, boulevards, alleys, or other public ways

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# Eminent Domain Report Confirmation

## Eminent Domain Report Confirmation

**Your 2025 report has been updated for Eminent Domain ID**

**734379**

**Thank you for your submission. Please print this page for your records. The information you have provided will be posted to the public search site.**

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