

TEXAS HOLOCAUST, GENOCIDE, AND ANTISEMITISM ADVISORY COMMISSION

AGENDA

Aaron Family Jewish Community Center of Dallas
7900 Northaven Road
Dallas, TX 75230
Main Building, Fruhman A
September 3, 2026
8:30 a.m.

This meeting of the Texas Holocaust, Genocide, and Antisemitism Advisory Commission has been properly posted with the Secretary of State's Office according to the provisions of the Texas Open Meetings Act, Chapter 551, Texas Government Code. The members may discuss and/or take action on any of the items listed in the agenda.

Members of the public will have access and a means to participate in this meeting, by attending the meeting in person. An electronic copy of the agenda is available at <https://thgaac.texas.gov/calendar/events/374951>. A recording of the meeting will be available after September 3, 2026. To obtain a recording, please visit the [THGAAC website](https://thgaac.texas.gov) or email pia.thgaac@thgaac.texas.gov.

Members of the public may provide public comments in person concerning any matter within the authority of the Commission by registering at the meeting location on September 3, 2026 or you may also email thgaac@thgaac.texas.gov in advance of the meeting if you would like to provide public comment. For public participants, after the meeting convenes, the presiding officer will call roll of board members and then of public attendees. Please identify yourself by name and state whether you would like to provide public comment. When the Commission reaches the public comment portion of the meeting, the presiding officer will recognize you by name and give you an opportunity to speak. All public comments may be limited to (3) minutes at the Chair's discretion.

1. Call to Order and Introductions – Chair Goldberg

- 1.1 Welcome
- 1.2 Commissioner Introductions
- 1.3 Establish a quorum
- 1.4 Recognize and/or excuse absences
- 1.5 Appoint recorder

2. Approval of Minutes from Previous Meeting

- 2.1 Regular Board Meeting – June 3, 2026

3. Public Comment

- 3.1 Members of the public may address the Commission concerning any matter within its authority. The Chair may limit the length of remarks from each individual.

4. Texas Historical Commission (THC) Update – Joseph Bell, THC Executive Director

- 4.1 Report on activities of the THC, including the THC Quarterly Meeting on July 31, 2026

5. Invited Speaker

- 5.1 Remarks from Dr. David Patterson, Hillel A. Feinberg Distinguished Chair in Holocaust Studies at the Ackerman Center for Holocaust Studies, University of Texas at Dallas, who will speak about his connection to the THGAAC's mission
- 5.2 Remarks from Rabbi Mendel Dubrawsky, from Chabad of Dallas, who will speak about his connection to the THGAAC's mission

6. Friends Report – Scott Kammerman, Executive Director of the Friends of the THGAAC

- 6.1 Report on activities of the Friends of the THGAAC, including the June 5 Board Meeting and other held and planned events
 - 6.2 Discussion and possible vote on project requests from the Houston Jewish Federation on an Educator's Trip and from the Bryan Museum for *Port of Promise: The Jewish Pioneers of Texas* exhibition.
- 7. Chair's Report – *Chair Goldberg***
 - 7.1 Report on activities of the THGAAC Chair, including meetings held and planned travel/events
 - 7.2 Discuss Commissioner engagement with their communities, local officials, and partner organizations.
- 8. Executive Director's Report – *Joy Nathan, THGAAC Executive Director***
 - 8.1 Report on activities of the THGAAC Executive Director and staff, including meetings held, consultations with THC, and planned travel/events
 - 8.2 Budget Overview
 - 8.3 Update on Antisemitism Initiatives
 - 8.4 Preparations for next Legislative Session
 - 8.5 Education, Communications, Volunteers, Grant Updates, and Campus Outreach
- 9. Grants – *Cheyenne Perkins, Regional Coordinator and Grants Specialist***
 - 9.1 Review the Grant Scoring Committee Recommendations
 - 9.2 Discussion and possible vote on the Grant Scoring Recommendations
- 10. Future Meetings: Dates, Agenda Items, and Other Arrangements**
- 11. Adjourn**

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