



THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS

Orders Pronounced October 23, 2026

ORDERS ON CASES GRANTED

THE FOLLOWING PETITIONS FOR REVIEW ARE GRANTED:

25-0748 CITY OF DALLAS v. DALLAS SHORT-TERM RENTAL ALLIANCE, SAMMY AFLALO, VERA ELKINS, DANIELLE LINDSEY, AND DENISE LOWRY; from Dallas County; 5th Court of Appeals District (05-23-01309-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 07-18-25)

[**Note:** This case has been set for oral argument at 9:00 a.m., December 3, 2026.]

Time allotted to argue: 20/20 minutes

25-1051 CITY OF HOUSTON v. JESUS SANCHEZ AKA RYAN SANCHEZ; from Harris County; 1st Court of Appeals District (01-24-00440-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 06-12-25)

[**Note:** This case has been set for oral argument at 9:00 a.m., March 3, 2027.]

Time allotted to argue: 20/20 minutes

26-0507 RICHARD MONTELLANO v. GINA ORTIZ JONES, SUKH KAUR, JALEN MCKEE-RODRIGUEZ, PHYLLIS VIAGRAN, EDWARD MUNGIA, TERI CASTILLO, RIC GALVAN, MARINA ALDERETE GAVITO, IVALIS MESA GONZALEZ, MISTY SPEARS, MARK WHYTE, ERICK WALSH, AND MICHAEL SHANNON; from Bexar County; 4th Court of Appeals District (04-25-00331-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 01-21-26)

[Oral argument of this case will be conducted on Thursday, March 4, 2027 at 9:00 a.m. in San Antonio, Texas. *See* TEX. CONST. ART. V., § 3(a).]

Time allotted to argue: 20/20 minutes

26-0523 CYNTHIA LOVE v. KASPAR RANCH HAND EQUIPMENT, LLC; from Lavaca County; 13th Court of Appeals District (13-24-00577-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 04-09-26)

[**Note:** This case has been set for oral argument at 9:00 a.m., March 2, 2027.]
Time allotted to argue: 20/20 minutes

26-0575 MERGER THREE, LLC, VODOO HUT, LLC, 605, LLC, BK STEPHENS INVESTMENT, LLC, AND THE GRECO, LLC v. CITY OF KEMAH, TEXAS; from Galveston County; 14th Court of Appeals District (14-24-00829-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 03-17-26)

[**Note:** This case has been set for oral argument at 9:00 a.m., March 3, 2027.]
Time allotted to argue: 20/20 minutes

THE FOLLOWING PETITIONS FOR WRIT OF MANDAMUS ARE SET FOR ORAL ARGUMENT:

25-0806 IN RE AVID WEALTH PARTNERS, LLC, JEREMY SAGRAY, MICHELLE SAGRAY, JMAB, LLC, AND SAGRAY PROPERTIES, LLC; from Bexar County; 4th Court of Appeals District (04-25-00158-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 06-11-25)

[**Note:** This case has been set for oral argument at 9:00 a.m., December 2, 2026.]

Time allotted to argue: 20/20 minutes

26-0343 IN RE INEOS AMERICAS, LLC; from Harris County; 1st Court of Appeals District (01-25-00655-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 12-31-25)

~ consolidated for oral argument with ~

26-0542 IN RE INEOS AMERICAS, LLC; from Harris County; 1st Court of Appeals District (01-25-00686-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 05-05-26)

[Oral argument of these cases will be conducted on Thursday, March 4, 2027 at 9:00 a.m. in San Antonio, Texas. *See* TEX. CONST. ART. V., § 3(a).]

Time allotted to argue: 20/20 minutes

26-0421 IN RE CHARLES SCHWAB & CO., INC. AND TD AMERITRADE, INC.; from Travis County; 3rd Court of Appeals District (03-26-00271-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 04-23-26)

[**Note:** This case has been set for oral argument at 9:00 a.m., March 3, 2027.]
Time allotted to argue: 20/20 minutes

26-0553 IN RE KIRBY INLAND MARINE, LP; from Harris County; 1st Court of Appeals District (01-25-01082-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 05-14-26)

[**Note:** This case has been set for oral argument at 9:00 a.m., March 2, 2027.]
Time allotted to argue: 20/20 minutes

ORDERS ON PETITIONS FOR REVIEW

THE FOLLOWING PETITIONS FOR REVIEW ARE DENIED:

25-0303 PRESTON MARSHALL AND RUSK CAPITAL MANAGEMENT, L.L.C. v. MAROPCO, INC. AND E. PIERCE MARSHALL, JR.; from Harris County; 1st Court of Appeals District (01-22-00573-CV, 714 SW3d 724, 02-27-25)

(Justice Hawkins not participating)

25-0387 HARLOW INVESTMENTS, LTD., AND HARLOW LAND CO., LTD., AND LACORE ENTERPRISES, LLC v. LAMAR ADVANTAGE OUTDOOR COMPANY, L.P.; from Collin County; 5th Court of Appeals District (05-23-00210-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 03-11-26)
2 petitions

25-0823 SPRING FULTS v. MARION LANE STANDLEY; from Montgomery County; 9th Court of Appeals District (09-22-00126-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 07-31-25)

25-0998 QUINTON WILLIAMS v. LIPPERT COMPONENTS, INC.; from Ellis County; 1st Court of Appeals District (01-22-00501-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 05-01-25)
2 petitions

25-1073 JOSE GUSTAVO DE LEON, INDIVIDUALLY, AND AS PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE ESTATE OF GUSTAVO DE LEON, DECEASED, AND ELIZABETH MARTINEZ SILVA, INDIVIDUALLY v. BFS GROUP LLC AND BUILDERS FIRSTSOURCE, INC.; from Harris County; 14th Court of Appeals District (14-24-00548-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 08-19-25)

25-1104 ADVANCED PERSONAL COMPUTING, INC. D/B/A LIQUID NETWORKX, TRAVIS WOOD, AND ROBERT SHORT v. TELIGISTICS, INC.; from Harris County; 14th Court of Appeals District (14-23-00953-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 10-30-25)

(Justice Devine not participating)

26-0003 ALL KNOWN, UNKNOWN, AND KNOWN BUT UNFOUND HEIRS, EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS, SUCCESSORS, ASSIGNS, AND PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES OF LOUIS AND ELIZA ECKFORD, ET AL. v. LOU EDA KORTH STUBBS NIXON, FRJK LEGACY FAMILY LIMITED PARTNERSHIP, ELLEN ANN KORTH VICKERS, JOHN FREDERICK VICKERS, MICHAEL STEVEN VICKERS, ELLEN ANN VICKERS, AND WILLIAM KORTH VICKERS, ET AL.; from Karnes County; 4th Court of Appeals District (04-24-00183-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 10-08-25)

(Justice Devine not participating)

26-0177 JENNIFER WALRAVEN, INDIVIDUALLY AND AS HEIR OF JOE WALRAVEN v. BYRNE OIL COMPANY; from Eastland County; 11th Court of Appeals District (11-23-00157-CV, 722 SW3d 339, 09-11-25)

26-0417 TRACEY LYNN WALTHER v. DAVID MICHAEL WALTHER; from Denton County; 2nd Court of Appeals District (02-25-00048-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 03-12-26)

26-0499 ENDURANCE AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY AND FREEDOM SPECIALITY INSURANCE COMPANY v. COBALT INTERNATIONAL ENERGY, INC., JACK E. GOLDEN, JON A. MARSHALL, MYLES W. SCOGGINS, MARTIN H. YOUNG, WILLIAM P. UTT, JAMES W. FARNSWORTH, JOSEPH H. BRYANT, JOHN P. WILKIRSON, AND GAMCO GLOBAL GOLD, NATURAL RESOURCES & INCOME TRUST AND GAMCO NATURAL RESOURCES, GOLD & INCOME TRUST; from Harris County; 14th Court of Appeals District (14-25-00964-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 03-31-26)

(Justice Huddle and Justice Young not participating)

26-0505 MJM REPAIRS, LLC v. CP2 REALTY HOLDINGS, LLC; from Harris County; 14th Court of Appeals District (14-25-00025-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 02-26-26)

26-0535 IN THE INTEREST OF W.R.I.F., A CHILD; from Kaufman County; 5th Court of Appeals District (05-25-01458-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 04-13-26)
motion to abate or, alternatively, for leave to amend petition for review denied

26-0800 RASHAD BRAZIER v. TARRANT EQUITY LLC; from Tarrant County; 2nd Court of Appeals District (02-26-00126-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 06-25-26)

26-0811 WISCH AUTO GROUP, INC., D/B/A BAYWAY CHEVROLET v. JEFFREY MCCARTHY AND MELISSA MCCARTHY; from Brazoria County; 14th Court of Appeals District (14-24-00040-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 03-19-26)

26-0814 TIANIKWA HAYWOOD v. NO BULL INVESTMENTS, LLC; from Ellis County; 10th Court of Appeals District (10-23-00376-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 06-11-26)

26-0844 NORTH PARK ADVANTAGE WALDEN MRU, LLC v. KINDER MORGAN TREATING LP; from Dallas County; 5th Court of Appeals District (05-24-01447-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 07-01-26)

- 26-0862 ZARETHA SIMS v. NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE, LLC D/B/A MR. COOPER; from Fort Bend County; 1st Court of Appeals District (01-24-00276-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 10-07-25)
- 26-0942 JOHN T. ESPINOZA v. MONTAGUE COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT; from Montague County; 2nd Court of Appeals District (02-25-00633-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 07-23-26)
- 26-0974 BRAILLE INSTITUTE OF AMERICA v. JUTTA BAUMGARTEN, INDIVIDUALLY AND AS A SURVIVING HEIR OF THE ESTATE OF JAMES C. CHALLISS, III, DECEASED; from Webb County; 4th Court of Appeals District (04-25-00527-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 07-15-26)
- 26-0976 IN THE INTEREST OF L.E.-N.N., C.J.W. AND C.R.W., CHILDREN; from Dallas County; 5th Court of Appeals District (05-25-01645-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 06-05-26)
- 26-0977 IN THE INTEREST OF J.W.H. AND T.L.H., CHILDREN; from Wheeler County; 7th Court of Appeals District (07-25-00346-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 07-22-26)
- 26-0982 IN THE MATTER OF J.H.M.; from Harris County; 1st Court of Appeals District (01-24-00386-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 05-14-26)
- 26-0988 IN THE INTEREST OF H.F., A CHILD; from Denton County; 2nd Court of Appeals District (02-26-00160-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 07-30-26)
counsel's motion to withdraw granted
- 26-0994 IN THE ESTATE OF LARRY CAMPBELL; from Brazoria County; 14th Court of Appeals District (14-25-00806-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 06-18-26)
as amended
petitioner's motion for leave to file amended petition granted
petitioner's renewed motion for leave to file second amended petition
dismissed as moot

- 26-0998 CITY OF HOUSTON v. JESSICA LOPEZ; from Harris County; 14th Court of Appeals District (14-25-00428-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 06-18-26)
- 26-1002 SHAVAUGHN WESLEY, INDIVIDUALLY AND AS NEXT FRIEND OF G.R. v. ELIZABETH KEYES; from Dallas County; 5th Court of Appeals District (05-25-00778-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 06-29-26)
- 26-1005 ALMA J RICHARDSON, AS REPRESENTATIVE OF THE ESTATE OF JOHNNIE LUCIOUS HAYNES, AND ALMA RICHARDSON INDIVIDUALLY, AND ON BEHALF OF ALL WRONGFUL DEATH BENEFICIARIES OF JOHNNIE LUCIOUS HAYNES v. STAFFORD EMERGENCY CENTER, LLC D/B/A SIGNATURE CARE-STAFFORD; from Fort Bend County; 14th Court of Appeals District (14-25-00532-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 07-23-26)
- 26-1061 ZEPHIA BRISCOE-STEWART (NOW WESLEY) v. CREDIT ACCEPTANCE CORPORATION; from Tarrant County; 2nd Court of Appeals District (02-25-00686-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 07-16-26)
motion to stay dismissed as moot
- 26-1062 IN THE INTEREST OF D.W. AND A.W.; from Bexar County; 4th Court of Appeals District (04-26-00284-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 09-02-26)
counsel's motion to withdraw granted
- 26-1075 LUCIUS LYDICK v. REBECCA HERRERA; from Williamson County; 3rd Court of Appeals District (03-25-00279-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 07-03-26)
- 26-1084 SCOTT MITCHELL OBEGINSKI v. JAUL RAY ELIZONDO; from Montgomery County; 9th Court of Appeals District (09-24-00293-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 08-06-26)
- 26-1139 IN THE INTEREST OF W.W.-R., A CHILD; from Galveston County; 1st Court of Appeals District (01-26-00242-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 08-18-26)

THE FOLLOWING PETITION FOR REVIEW IS ABATED:

26-1050 IN THE MATTER OF THE GUARDIANSHIP OF CARLOS Y. BENAVIDES, JR., AN INCAPACITATED PERSON; from Webb County; 4th Court of Appeals District (04-20-00598-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 04-30-26)

joint motion to abate granted
abatement order issued

[**Note:** This case is removed from the Court's active docket until November 23, 2026, by which time the parties must file either a status report or a motion to dismiss.]

(Justice Sullivan not participating)

THE FOLLOWING PETITION FOR REVIEW IS REINSTATED:

26-0239 IN THE INTEREST OF Z.J.M., G.M.D., & V.D., CHILDREN; from Harris County; 1st Court of Appeals District (01-25-00609-CV & 01-25-00940-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 01-29-26)

abatement order issued May 15, 2026, lifted
petition reinstated

[**Note:** The amended petition for review is due by November 23, 2026.]

ORDERS ON MOTIONS FOR REHEARING

THE MOTION FOR REHEARING OF THE FOLLOWING PETITION FOR REVIEW IS
DENIED:

26-0473 ANTHONY MOORE v. JO ANN MOORE; from Atascosa County; 4th Court of Appeals District (04-24-00367-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 02-25-26)

THE MOTION FOR REHEARING OF THE FOLLOWING PETITION FOR WRIT OF
MANDAMUS IS DENIED:

26-0789 IN RE DAVID LEE DANIELS, III; from Dallas County; 5th Court of Appeals District (05-26-00755-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 05-28-26)

THE MOTION FOR REHEARING OF THE FOLLOWING PETITION FOR WRIT OF
INJUNCTION IS DENIED:

26-0868 IN RE ELISHA NICOLE HOLLOWAY; from Parker County; 2nd Court of Appeals District (02-26-00013-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 04-23-26)

MISCELLANEOUS

THE FOLLOWING PETITIONS FOR WRIT OF MANDAMUS ARE DENIED:

- 26-0035 IN RE KENDALL MERLO; from Dallas County; 5th Court of Appeals District (05-25-01393-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 11-25-25)
joint motion to expedite dismissed as moot
- 26-0355 IN RE JAMIE LYNN SNOW; from Tarrant County
as redrafted

(Justice Devine not participating)
- 26-0678 IN RE CITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI, MAYOR PAULETTE GUAJARDO, AND PHILLIP RAMIREZ; from Nueces County; 13th Court of Appeals District (13-26-00028-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 05-19-26)
as supplemented
stay order issued July 6, 2026, lifted
real party in interest's motion to dismiss, as supplemented, dismissed as moot
second motion for temporary relief dismissed as moot
- 26-0786 IN RE NORMAN THOMAS BARRAS, JR.; 15th Court of Appeals District (15-25-00235-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 07-14-26)
- 26-0941 IN RE SPENCER JON MCFARLAND; from Denton County; 11th Court of Appeals District (11-26-00048-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 07-23-26)
relator's emergency motions for temporary relief dismissed as moot
relator's motion to supplement record dismissed as moot
- 26-0978 IN RE TWANA SANDERS; from Tarrant County; 2nd Court of Appeals District (02-26-00521-CV)
relator's emergency motion for temporary relief dismissed as moot
- 26-0979 IN RE ANDREW BRYCE JOHNSON; from Tyler County; 9th Court of Appeals District (09-26-00337-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 10-02-26)
relator's emergency motion for temporary relief dismissed as moot, as supplemented

26-1053 IN RE RANDALL BOLIVAR; from Cameron County; 13th Court of Appeals District (13-26-00044-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 04-23-26)

motion to consolidate dismissed as moot

motions to refer judge dismissed as moot

26-1080 IN RE CONGHUA YAN AND FUYAN WANG; from Tarrant County; 2nd Court of Appeals District (02-25-00676-CV)

as supplemented

motion for leave to file supplemental brief granted

motion for leave to file supplemental petition granted

emergency motion for temporary relief dismissed as moot

26-1181 IN RE LONGVIEW CABLE TELEVISION COMPANY, INC.; from Upshur County; 12th Court of Appeals District (12-26-00240-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 08-19-26)

relator's motion for temporary emergency relief denied

THE FOLLOWING PETITION FOR WRIT OF MANDAMUS IS DISMISSED:

23-1046 IN RE JAJWK, LLC AND JAJWK, LP; from Harris County; 1st Court of Appeals District (01-23-00486-CV, ___ SW3d ___, 08-08-23)

relators' motion to dismiss granted

abatement order issued December 6, 2024, lifted

mandamus reinstated

THE FOLLOWING PETITION FOR WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS IS DENIED:

26-0944 IN RE KENNETH LERON STOVALL; from Tarrant County

emergency motion for temporary relief dismissed as moot

THE FOLLOWING PETITION FOR WRIT OF MANDAMUS IS ABATED:

26-0874 IN RE WESTLAKE CHEMICAL CORPORATION AND WESTLAKE US 2
LLC F/K/A; from Harris County; 1st Court of Appeals District (01-26-00737-
CV, ___ SW3d ___, 07-28-26)

abatement order issued

[**Note:** The case is abated under Tex. R. App. P. 7.2(b) until December 7,
2026, by which time the parties must file either a status report or a motion to
lift abatement.]