

Republican Primary March 3, 2026 - early voting starts February 17
While voting, you CAN take a paper in with you, but CANNOT use a phone.

2026 Republican Primary Sample Ballot: Rains County, Texas

Incumbents marked **

Contested countywide & above offices — does not include internal political party positions.

U.S. Senator:

- Wesley Hunt
- Ken Paxton
- John O. Adefope
- John Cornyn**
- Gulrez "Gus" Khan
- Sara Canady
- Anna Bender
- Virgil John Bierschwale
- (blank/undecided)

U.S. Rep; District 32:

- James Ussery
- Darrell Day
- Aimee Carrasco
- Gordon Heslop
- Abteen Vaziri
- Paul L. Bondar
- Monty Montanez
- Ryan Binkley
- Jace Yarbrough
- (blank/undecided)

Governor:

- R.F. "Bob" Achgill
- Mark V. Goloby
- Ronnie Tullus
- Nathaniel Welch
- Greg Abbott**
- Pete "Doc" Chambers
- Stephen Samuelson
- Arturo Espinosa
- Kenneth Hyde
- Evelyn Brooks
- Charles Andrew Crouch
- (blank/undecided)

Lt. Governor:

- Dan Patrick**
- Perla Muñoz Hopkins
- Timothy Mabry
- Esala Wueschner
- (blank/undecided)

TX Attorney General:

- Chip Roy
- Joan Huffman
- Aaron Reitz
- Mayes Middleton
- (blank/undecided)

Comptroller of Public Accounts:

- Michael Berlanga
- Christi Craddick
- Kelly Hancock
- Don Huffines
- (blank/undecided)

Commissioner of Agriculture:

- Sid Miller**
- Nate Sheets
- (blank/undecided)

Railroad Commissioner:

- James "Jim" Matlock
- Jim Wright**
- Bo French
- Hawk Dunlap
- Katherine Culbert
- (blank/undecided)

Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 3:

- Lesli Fitzpatrick
- Brent Coffee
- Thomas Smith
- Alison Fox
- (blank/undecided)

Judge, Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 9:

- John Messinger
- Jennifer Balido
- (blank/undecided)

TX State Board of Edu. Dist. 9:

- Stephen Yearout
- Kason Huddleston
- Rachel Hogue
- (blank/undecided)

TX State Rep; Dist. 5:

- LTC Dewey Collier (Ret)
- Cole Hefner**
- (blank/undecided)

Rains County Judge:

- Jay Ford
- Brent D. Hilliard

Justice of the Peace:

- Tony Ingram
- William Douglass

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