

AUDITOR'S REPORT

HARRIS COUNTY DISTRICT CLERK'S OFFICE

SIX MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31, 2026



September 11, 2026

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HARRIS COUNTY AUDITOR**

September 11, 2026

Dear Marilyn Burgess, Harris County District Clerk:

The Harris County Auditor's Office - Compliance Audit performed procedures relative to the Harris County District Clerk's Office monthly collection reports for the six months ended, March 31, 2026. As required by Local Government Code §115.002 (a) and (b), Compliance Audit selectively examined the financial activity associated with the monthly collection reports and related records.

The objectives of the engagement were to determine whether:

- The monthly collection reports were submitted timely and the amounts reported were properly recorded in the County's depository;
- The numerical sequencing of receipts was accounted for; and
- Receipts were properly allocated in the County's financial system.

Results

Based on the procedures performed, no reportable observations were noted.

We appreciate the time and attention provided by you and your staff during this engagement. If you have any questions, please contact me or Glenn Holloway, Chief Assistant County Auditor, 713-274-5673.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Michael Post". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Michael" and the last name "Post" clearly distinguishable.

Michael Post
County Auditor

Accountability

We conducted this engagement in conformance with the Global Internal Audit Standards issued by The Institute of Internal Auditors.

The engagement was not designed to detect every instance of fraud, error, or omission. Management remains responsible for managing risks and establishing, implementing, and maintaining effective controls to support the achievement of organizational objectives.

cc:

District Judges
County Judge Lina Hidalgo

Commissioner Lesley Briones
Commissioner Rodney Ellis
Commissioner Adrian Garcia

Commissioner Tom Ramsey
County Attorney Abbie Kamin