

An aerial photograph of the Texas State Capitol building in Austin, Texas. The building is a large, ornate structure with a prominent central dome and multiple wings. It is surrounded by green lawns and walkways. In the background, a dense urban skyline with various skyscrapers and buildings is visible under a clear sky.

89TH POST-LEGISLATIVE AND BUDGET CONFERENCE

JULY 21-23, 2025

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Schedule of Events

MONDAY – JULY 21, 2025

10:00 AM	REGISTRATION BEGINS
1:00—5:00 PM	WELCOMING REMARKS AND OVERVIEW OF AGENDA Shandra Carter, Executive Director; Manny Ramirez, TJJD Board Chair PRESENTATION AND DISCUSSION OF INTERIM CHARGES Representative David Cook, Chair of the Juvenile Justice Sub-committee OVERVIEW OF THE LEGISLATIVE SESSION AND THE LEGISLATIVE PROCESS Shandra Carter, Rachel Gandy, Chief Strategy Officer; and Nathan McDaniel, Chief of Staff TJJD STRATEGIC PLANNING AND PROGRAMS UPDATES Shandra Carter; Rachel Gandy; Sean Grove, Deputy Executive Director; Evan Norton , Deputy Executive Director

TUESDAY – JULY 22, 2025

8:30 AM—10:30 AM	LEGISLATION AFFECTING OFFENSES AND VICTIMS (Chelsey Oden, TJJD)
10:30—10:45 AM	BREAK
10:45—11:30 AM	LEGISLATION AFFECTING JJAEP's (James Bateman, Alawan Thomas, Kaci Singer, TJJD)
11:30 AM—1:00 PM	LUNCH ON YOUR OWN
1:00 PM—2:30 PM	LEGISLATION AFFECTING JUVENILE JUSTICE AND OPEN GOVERNMENT (Kaci Singer, TJJD)
2:30 PM—2:45 PM	BREAK
2:45 PM—4:00 PM	LEGISLATION THAT DID NOT PASS AND Q&A SESSION (Kaci Singer, TJJD)
4:00 PM—	REGIONAL ASSOCIATION MEETINGS

WEDNESDAY—JULY 23, 2025

8:00 AM—12: NOON

LEGISLATIVE APPROPRIATIONS TO THE TEXAS JUVENILE JUSTICE SYSTEM Emily Anderson. Deputy Executive Director: Agency Operations and efficiencies, TJJD

STATE AID: FY26 ALLOCATION METHODOLOGY AND CONTRACT CHANGES Emily Anderson. Deputy Executive Director: Agency Operations and efficiencies, TJJD

CONTRACT AND BUDGET APPLICATION Tonya Gonzalez, Caitlyn Porterfield and Kristin Hammock: TJJD County Grants

FLUXX AND FINANCIAL REPORTING: Tonya Gonzalez, Caitlyn Porterfield and Kristin Hammock: TJJD County Grants

FISCAL MONITORING AND INDEPENDENT AUDITS Paul Alamo, TJJD Auditor

CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDITS AVAILABLE (more info to come)

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FUTURE CONFERENCES

OCTOBER 19-22, 2025 : SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS

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APRIL 12-15, 2026: LUBBOCK, TEXAS

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