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Governor Abbott Names Sheriff Kelly Rowe Chair of the Commission on Jail Standards

Governor Greg Abbott named Lubbock County Sheriff Kelly Rowe as chair of the Texas Commission on Jail Standards.

The Texas Commission on Jail Standards is the regulatory agency for all county jails and privately operated municipal jails in the state. The mission of the agency is to assist local governments in providing safe, secure and suitable local jail facilities through their provision of the services.

Kelly Rowe has served as a board member of the Texas Commission on Jail Standards since 2015. Sheriff's Rowe's term on board was expected to end in 2027. Appointment to the position of chair extends Sheriff Rowe's current term to an unspecified length; he will now serve until told otherwise by Office of the Governor.

Kelly Rowe is honored to be selected for this important role. The Texas Commission on Jail Standards does tremendously important work, ensuring the safety and preservation of rights for staff and inmates inside Texas' jails. Sheriff Rowe would like to thank Governor Abbott for the opportunity to use his extensive experience to serve all of Texas.

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