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Date: September 20, 2010
To: Judge Self and Commissioner's Court
From: Jon Kleinheksel, Director of Public Works
Re: FYI - Collin County Historical Markers

Public Works has received a request to place four historical markers to recognize the last 2 one-lane iron truss bridges in Collin County in service until 2008. One bridge was located over Sister Grove Creek on CR 476 while the other was situated above the same creek on CR 475 near Valdasta. Both bridges were decommissioned and replaced by two lane concrete bridges in 2008. The retired bridges were subsequently relocated to be used as pedestrian bridges.

Four signs will be installed as follows:

- A. One sign at both of the bridges' original locations along Sister Grove Creek. (2 signs)
- B. One sign at both of the bridges' current locations. One bridge was moved to Collin County Adventure Camp at Westminster. The second bridge was relocated to the creek between the new Courthouse and Administration buildings. (2 signs)

Public Works will be facilitating the installation of the historical markers after September 20, 2010.

Should you require additional information, please contact me and I will respond accordingly.

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