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To: County Judge and Commissioners Court
From: Judge John R. Roach, Jr.
Subject: Texas Veterans Commission Grant Request
Date: July 27, 2015

This is to request approval to apply from Commissioners Court for a grant request through the Texas Veterans Commission for the Collin County Veterans' Court program. The grant period is January 1, 2016, through December 31, 2016, with a grant application deadline of August 17, 2015. We are requesting \$100,000 in grant funding with no county match required. The purpose of the grant request is to expand the Veterans' Court into the North Texas Regional Veterans' Court and provide for a full-time Program Manager / Supervision Officer, including office furniture, equipment, and supplies, to oversee and provide supervision to program participants. Additionally, the grant will provide funding for evaluations, counseling/treatment, and alcohol abstinence monitoring or basic living expenses such as medical, transportation, and emergency living, educational, or employment assistance as needed.