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To:

County Judge and Commissioners Court

From:

Judge John R. Roach, Jr.

Subject:

Texas Veterans Commission Grant Acceptance

Date:

October 2, 2017

This is to request approval to apply from Commissioners Court for a grant through the Texas Veterans Commission for the North Texas Regional Veterans Court program. The grant period is July 1, 2018, through June 30, 2019, with a grant application deadline of November 2, 2017. We are requesting \$250,000 in grant funding with no county match required. The purpose of the grant request is to provide the North Texas Regional Veterans Court with three contractual positions, travel for the Judge, reserve bailiff expenses in two counties, and court reporter expenses in four counties. Additionally, the grant will provide funding for alcohol abstinence monitoring and basic living expenses such as medical, transportation, and emergency living, educational, or employment assistance, as needed.

Respectfully,

Judge John R. Roach, Jr.