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To: County Judge and Commissioners Court

From: Judge John R. Roach, Jr.

Subject: Texas Veterans Commission Grant Acceptance

Date: December 11, 2018

This is to request approval from Commissioners Court to apply for a grant through the Texas Veterans Commission for the VALOR (Veterans Accessing Lifelong Opportunities for Rehabilitation) Program. The grant period is July 1, 2019, through June 30, 2020, with a grant application deadline of November 16, 2018. We are requesting \$150,000 in grant funding with no county match required. The purpose of the grant request is to provide the VALOR Program with in-custody clinical counseling, as well as employment and transitional assistance. Additionally, the grant will provide funding for one Lead Clinician to facilitate group and individual counseling, one Clinical Director, and one Program Coordinator.

Respectfully,

Judge John R. Roach, Jr.