



TEXAS GENERAL LAND OFFICE
GEORGE P. BUSH, COMMISSIONER

October 3, 2018

Jim Reed
Executive Director
Central Texas Council of Governments
PO Box 729
Belton, TX 76513

**Re: Central Texas Council of Governments Method of Distribution (MOD) Approval —
2017 Hurricane Harvey CDBG-DR Funds**

Dear Mr. Reed:

The Texas General Land Office Community Development and Revitalization Program (GLO-CDR) has completed its review of materials submitted in support of Central Texas Council of Governments' (CTCOG) proposed MOD for the Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recovery (CDBG-DR) funds reserved for communities affected by Hurricane Harvey. We are happy to inform you that CTCOG's MOD submitted on July 13, 2018, with supplemental material submitted on July 30, 2018, and August 8, 2018, is approved.

GLO-CDR approves CTCOG's proposed allocation of 100 percent of the Local Buyout and Acquisition Program and Local Infrastructure Program funds to Milam County, the only county within CTCOG's area eligible for funds. GLO-CDR is approving the MOD despite shortcomings in CTCOG's public participation process due to the straightforward nature of the allocation. The terms of the approval are noted below:

1. As part of the project application process, Milam County is required to hold a public hearing and conduct outreach to local governments; housing advocacy organizations; faith-based organizations; community groups representing protected classes and vulnerable populations; groups interested in fair housing issues; and limited English proficient (LEP) persons.
2. Acceptance of the MOD does not indicate eligibility or approval of funding for any proposed projects.
3. CTCOG's allocation must meet the requirement that 70 percent of funds benefit low- to moderate-income persons. Projects that do not meet HUD's national objective for benefitting low- to moderate-income persons may not be approved until this allocation requirement is met.

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4. Acceptance of the MOD does not indicate approval of any proposed re-allocation recommendations.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (512) 475-5027, or Alexandra Gamble, Manager, Policy Development, at alexandra.gamble.glo@recovery.texas.gov or (512) 475-5021.

Sincerely,



Heather Lagrone, Deputy Director
Community Development and Revitalization
Texas General Land Office

cc: Jim Reed, Executive Director, CTCOG
Uryan Nelson, Planning and Regional Services Division Director, CTCOG
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MOD Summary Form



Council of Government (COG) Method of Distribution for 2017 Hurricane Harvey CDBG-Disaster Recovery Allocation

Summary Information

Contact Information

Council of Government (COG): **Central Texas Council of Governments**

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Principal Contact Address: **2180 North Main Street, PO Box 729**

City, State, Zip: **Belton, TX, 76513**

Allocation Summary

COG Allocation for All Programs: **\$1,894,055**

Local Buyout and Acquisition Program Total: **\$1,384,055**

Local Infrastructure Program Total: **\$510,000**

Citizen Participation

Below is a description addressing how the COG complied with their Citizen Participation Plan regarding citizen and non-governmental organization outreach, and any additional efforts exceeding GLO minimum public participation requirements:

Prior to development of the proposed Method of Distribution, CTCOG conducted a public hearing planning meeting in Cameron, TX, at the Milam County Courthouse. Comments were also accepted by mail, email, or fax. A Solicitation of Public Comment notice was published in English and Spanish in the Cameron Herald newspaper. Notices were sent to the County Judge and County Emergency management Coordinator for Milam County and the notice was posted publicly in the same location that meetings of the County Commissioners Court are posted. The notice was posted at the CTCOG office in an area that is available for public viewing 24 hours a day. The notice was also posted on CTCOG’s website. Notices were also emailed to identified impacted individuals. Following the first public hearing, CTCOG drafted this document with insight and feedback that had been provided to the COG. In addition to the initial public hearing for input regarding the development of the MOD, once the draft MOD was posted, a public comment period of 14 days, 6/29/2018-7/13/2018, was open. During this period there was a second public hearing, on the 6th of July at the Milam County Courthouse from 12pm-2pm, for the public to provide any additional feedback on the draft MOD. No feedback was received at the public hearing.

First Public Hearing Information

Date/Time: 6/22/2018 2-4 pm Location: Milam County Courthouse
 Attendance: 7 Public Planning
 Meeting:

Personal Notice. As required, personal notice was sent to eligible entities at least **five** (5) days in advance of the public hearing using the following method(s) (at least one must be selected):

	Method	Date Sent	Documentation
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Electronic Mail	6/18/2018	Public Notices that are attached to this document
<input type="checkbox"/>	Fax		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Hand Delivery		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Certified Mail		

Internet Notice. As required, public notice was distributed on the Internet at least **five** (5) days in advance using the following method:

	Method	Date Published	Documentation
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	COG Website	6/11/2018	Public Notices that are attached to this document

Published Notice. As required, notice of the public hearing was published in at least one regional newspaper at least **three** (3) days in advance. Notice of public hearing was published in the following regional newspaper(s):

	Newspaper Name	Date Published	Documentation
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>Cameron Herald</i>	6/14/2018	Public Notices that are attached to this document
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>Rockdale Reporter</i>	6/14/2018	Public Notices that are attached to this document

Citizen Comment Documentation

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The required copy of a sign-in sheet from the public hearing is attached.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	A summary of the citizen comments, responses, meeting discussion is attached.
Describe any efforts to notify and accommodate those with modified communication needs, such as posting information and providing interpretive services for other languages (persons with Limited English Proficiency).	

Second Public Hearing Information¹

Date/Time: 7/6/2018 12- 2PM Location: Milam County Courthouse

Attendance: 5 Public Planning Meeting:

Personal Notice. As required, personal notice was sent to eligible entities at least **five** (5) days in advance of the public hearing using the following method(s) (at least one must be selected):

	Method	Date Sent	Documentation
<input type="checkbox"/>	Electronic Mail		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Fax		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Hand Delivery		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Certified Mail		

Internet Notice. As required, public notice was distributed on the Internet at least **five** (5) days in advance using the following method:

	Method	Date Published	Documentation
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	COG Website	6/29/2018 7/2/2018	COG Draft MOD Public Notices that are attached to this document

Published Notice. As required, notice of the public hearing was published in at least one regional newspaper at least **three** (3) days in advance. Notice of public hearing was published in the following regional newspaper(s):

	Newspaper Name	Date Published	Documentation
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>Cameron Herald</i>	6/28/2018	Public Notices that are attached to this document
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<i>Rockdale Reporter</i>	7/5/2018	Public Notices that are attached to this document/ Date was not at least 3 days as the public notice was amended due to a clerical error

Citizen Comment Documentation

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The required copy of a sign-in sheet from the public hearing is attached. Will be attached following the hearing
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	A summary of the citizen comments, responses, and meeting discussion is attached.
Describe any efforts to notify and accommodate those with modified communication needs, such as posting information and providing interpretive services for other languages.	

¹ If COG held third public hearing, insert information after second public hearing information.

Long-Term Planning and Recovery

Below is an explanation of how the COG’s method of distribution fosters long-term community recovery that is forward-looking and focused on permanent restoration of infrastructure, housing and the local economy and primarily, how these activities will contribute to the long-term recovery and restoration of housing in the HUD-identified most impacted and distressed areas and/or other impacted areas.

CTCOG has been tasked with developing the Method of Distribution for the Buyout/Acquisition and Local Infrastructure programs.

Buyout/Acquisition: The Buyout/Acquisition program supports hazard mitigation, floodplain management goals, and resiliency by removing homeowners from the floodplain, thus eliminating vulnerability to future flooding situations. This program will help prevent repetitive loss and extreme risk to human health and safety. Milam County will administer the program under the guidelines established by GLO and HUD. Subject to approval by GLO, Milam County may work on behalf of communities across the county.

Local Infrastructure: Restoration, repair, and enhancement of local infrastructure is vital not only for the long-term recovery and restoration of housing but for the long-term recovery and viability of communities. All eligible activities will be allowed. Decisions about specific projects to be undertaken will be made by the governing board of Milam County, with input from the residents of their jurisdictions and in conformity with program guidelines established by GLO and HUD.

Unmet Housing Needs

Below is an explanation of how unmet housing needs will be addressed or how economic revitalization or infrastructure activities will contribute to long-term recovery and restoration of housing in the HUD-identified most impacted and distressed areas and/or other impacted areas.

The Buyout/Acquisition program will address unmet housing needs of the most vulnerable survivors – those living within the floodplain. This program will improve resiliency, prevent repetitive loss, and reduce extreme risk to human health and safety.

The Local Infrastructure program will contribute to long-term recovery and restoration of housing in the HUD-identified most impacted and distressed areas and all other areas by restoring, repairing and enhancing critical infrastructure that provides services and access to homes. This includes roads, bridges, drainage systems, water and sewer, communication systems, backup power systems and other eligible projects.

Affirmatively Furthering Fair Housing Statement

All subrecipients will certify that they will affirmatively further fair housing (“AFFH”) in their grant agreements, and will receive GLO training and technical assistance in meeting their AFFH obligations. Additionally, all project applications will undergo AFFH review by GLO before approval of projects. Such review will include assessment of a proposed project’s area demography, socioeconomic characteristics, housing configuration and needs, educational, transportation, and health care opportunities, environmental hazards or concerns, and all other factors material to the AFFH determination. Applications should show that projects are likely to lessen area racial, ethnic, and low-income concentrations, and/or promote affordable housing in low-poverty, nonminority areas in response to natural hazard related impacts.

Low-to Moderate Income Requirement

Below is an explanation of how the method of distribution meet the 70 percent low-to moderate income (LMI) requirement for each program. This means that 70 percent of the funds must benefit areas that are 51% or more LMI households or benefit households with incomes below 80% of the Area Median Income (AMI).

This Method of Distribution requires that all subrecipients to which funds are allocated must adhere to all program rules as established by GLO and/or HUD. The rules currently include a requirement that at least 70 percent of the funds must benefit areas that are 51% or more LMI households or benefit households with incomes below 80% of the Area Median Income (AMI). Subrecipients must obtain a waiver from GLO and/or HUD in order to deviate from GLO/HUD rules.

Local Buyout and Acquisition Program Method of Distribution Detail

The COG is required to prepare a method of distribution for the local buyout and acquisition program funds between the eligible cities, counties, and entities with eminent domain authority. The GLO has directed the COG to use a direct allocation technique based on objective and verifiable data.

Distribution Factors

The COG has selected the following distribution factors:

Distribution Factor*	Weight	Documentation Source	Explanation of Factor Selection and Weighting
Federally declared counites in the region	100%	https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2017/09/11/2017-19125/presidential-declaration-amendment-of-a-major-disaster-for-the-state-of-texas	Milam County was the only declared impacted county in the region and as such will be allocated all funds made available to the region to be used in compliance and with guidance and approval from the Texas GLO.

All allocations must meet or exceed a floor of \$1,000,000 to help ensure sufficient funds for the Local Buyout and Acquisition program.

Eligible Activities

Activities must be specifically related to Hurricane Harvey, and must meet the following criteria as outlined in the State of Texas Plan for Disastery Recovery: Hurricane Harvey (Section IV.F.2.d).

The COG has addressed prioritization of eligible activities as follows:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The COG has chosen not to limit Grantees in the region to projects meeting regional priority activities.		
-OR-			
<input type="checkbox"/>	The COG has limited Grantees in the region to selecting projects meeting the following regional priority activities:		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Buyout	<input type="checkbox"/>	Activities designed to relocate families outside of floodplains
<input type="checkbox"/>	Acquisition	<input type="checkbox"/>	Public service within the 15 percent cap (e.g. housing counseling, legal counseling, job training, mental health, and general health services)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Relocation Assistance with buyout or acquisition activities	<input type="checkbox"/>	FEMA Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) cost share
<input type="checkbox"/>	Demolition only		

Ineligible Activities

Incentive patyments to households that move to disaster-impacted floodplains. Activities located within the city limits of Houston and/or within Harris County are ineligible to participate in the program.

Local Infrastructure Program Method of Distribution Detail

The COG is required to prepare a method of distribution for the local infrastructure program funds between the eligible cities and counties. The GLO has directed the COG to use a direct allocation technique based on objective and verifiable data.

Distribution Factors

The COG has selected the following distribution factors:

Distribution Factor*	Weight	Documentation Source	Explanation of Factor Selection and Weighting
None	N/A		County will be allocated all \$510,000 of infrastructure funds to be used under guidance from the GLO.

*Add more rows if needed

All allocations must meet or exceed a floor of \$100,000 to help ensure sufficient funds for at least one eligible project.

Eligible Activities

Activities must be specifically related to Hurricane Harvey, and must meet the following criteria as outlined in the State of Texas Plan for Disastery Recovery: Hurricane Harvey (Section IV.F.7.d).

Each infrastructure activity must demonstrate how it will contribute to the long-term recovery and restoration of housing.

The COG has addressed prioritization of eligible activities as follows:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The COG has chosen not to limit Grantees in the region to projects meeting regional priority activities.	
-OR-	
<input type="checkbox"/> The COG has limited Grantees in the region to selecting projects meeting the following regional priority activities:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Water Facilities	<input type="checkbox"/> Specially Authorized Public Facilities & Improvements
<input type="checkbox"/> Sewer Facilities	<input type="checkbox"/> Public Services
<input type="checkbox"/> Other Public Utilities (gas, et al)	<input type="checkbox"/> Clearance & Demolition Activities
<input type="checkbox"/> Street Improvements	<input type="checkbox"/> Code Enforcement
<input type="checkbox"/> Flood and Drainage Improvements	<input type="checkbox"/> Senior Centers
<input type="checkbox"/> Debris Removal	<input type="checkbox"/> Economic Development
<input type="checkbox"/> Community Centers & Emergency Shelters (Existing)	<input type="checkbox"/> Parks, Playgrounds and other Recreational Facilities
<input type="checkbox"/> Fire Protection Facilities and Equipment	<input type="checkbox"/> Other CDBG-DR eligible activities related to infrastructure

Ineligible Activities

Ineligible activities for the local infrastructure program are outlined in the State of Texas Plan for Disastery Recovery: Hurricane Harvey (Section IV.F.7.e) and should be referenced accordingly.

Approval and Signatory Authority

A Resolution of the COG is attached approving the method of distribution and authorizing its submittal to the Texas General Land Office. I certify that the contents of this document and all related attachments are complete and accurate.



 Signature

7/13/2018

 Date

Jim Reed

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 Title

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Allocation Summary Spreadsheet

Resolution



**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING Method of Distribution for Texas General Land Office
Community Development Block Grant – Disaster recovery Funds
Resolution #07-18-PRS05**

WHEREAS, the Central Texas Council of Governments (CTCOG) Executive Committee, a Regional Planning Commission designated by the Office of the Governor, State of Texas, under the provisions of Article 1011mm, V.A.C.S., with jurisdictional lines encompassing the counties of Bell, Coryell, Hamilton, Lampasas, Milam, Mills and San Saba, is desirous of submitting the Method of Distribution (MOD) for Community Development Block Grant – Disaster Recovery (CDBG-DR) funds to the Texas General Land Office (GLO). The Central Texas Council of Governments finds it in the best interest of the citizens of the CTCOG’s seven county region, that the MOD is approved by the GLO; and

WHEREAS, the governing body of the Central Texas Council of Governments finds that all activities and related expenses included in this MOD will serve to implement the goals, objectives, and recommendations of the GLO; agrees that in the event of loss or misuse of the CDBG-DR funds, the CTCOG assures that the funds will be returned to the GLO in full; and

WHEREAS, the primary mission of CDBG-DR funds is to support community development activities regarding property acquisitions and buyouts and infrastructure for Hurricane Harvey related damages; and

WHEREAS, the Executive Committee of Central Texas Council of Governments has reviewed and agrees with the recommendations of the CDBG-DR funding MOD;

WHEREAS, CDBG-DR funds will be used only for the purposes for which they are provided. The CTCOG designates Jim Reed, Executive Director, as the grantee’s authorized official. The authorized official is given the power to apply for, accept, reject, alter or terminate the grant on behalf of the applicant agency.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that this MOD has been recommended for approval.

PASSED AND APPROVED at a regular meeting of the Central Texas Council of Governments, this the 26th day of July 2018.

The Honorable Marion Grayson, President

The Honorable Frank Seffrood, Secretary/Treasurer

Citizen Participation Plan



Citizen Participation Plan
COG Method of Distribution
Hurricane Harvey CDBG-Disaster Recovery Allocation

Summary Information

Contact Information

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Principle Contact Address: **2180 North Main Street, P.O. Box 729**

City, State, Zip: **Belton, TX 76513-0729**

Citizen and Non-Governmental Organization Outreach

The COG will encourage citizens, with particular emphasis on persons of low-to-moderate income and other vulnerable populations to submit their views regarding community development and housing needs resulting from the disaster(s) in the following ways:

Utilization of forms provided at the COG, Online via the COG website and social media platforms, and in person at public hearings. Notification for these public hearings will be posted in the Cameron Herald and Rockdale Reporter in both English and Spanish. In addition to the public hearings CTCOG will directly contact the County Judge and county Emergency Management Coordinator. Once the County Judge and EMC have been notified, additional contact will be made with officials for cities located within Milam county as well as local nonprofit organizations that provide assistance to vulnerable populations.

The following local organizations that provide services or housing for low-to-moderate income persons, including but not limited to, the local Public Housing Authorities, the local Health and Human Services offices, the local mental health and MHMR offices, Community Development Corporations and Community Housing Development Organizations, will receive written notification concerning the date, time, location and topics to be covered at the method of distribution public hearings:

Cameron Housing Authority, Rockdale Housing Authority, Thorndale Housing Authority, Milam County Health Department, Central Counties Services, Cameron Economic Development Corp., and the Rockdale Economic Development Corp.

The following organizations interested in fair housing issues and representing protected classes of individuals will be contacted to gain additional perspective on fair housing and civil rights issues in the region, and how the people they represent were affected by the disaster(s). Approaches beyond simple written notification of public hearings are required and detailed below:

In addition to the aforementioned agencies, CTCOG will also notify Lone Star Legal Aid, Texas Low Income Housing Information Service, and Texas Appleseed to ensure fair housing and civil rights concerns are addressed through the process.

The COG acknowledges that language differences may play a role in effectively reaching non-English speaking residents. The COG will address these potential barriers by providing notification efforts as follows:

While the COG acknowledges languages differences may play a role in effectively reaching non-English speaking residents there is limited anticipation that language differences will be a problem. Although there is not much anticipation, the COG will provide both English and Spanish language comment forms as well as public notices, and will address other languages on a case by case basis. If other languages are requested, CTCOG will provide reasonable accommodations for those that wish to participate. If any languages other than English are required instruction will be provided in communications to contact CTCOG at least 48 hours in advance by calling 254-770-2373 or emailing uryan.nelson@ctcog.org.

Public Hearing Content

The public hearings will include a discussion of the following topics:

- The development of housing and community development needs resulting from the disaster(s);
- The amount of funding available;
- All eligible activities under the Community Development Block Grant-Disaster Recovery program, including linking activities to the disaster(s) through direct damage or failure to function;
- Proposed objective factors;
- The COG's draft Method of Distribution.

Required Meeting and Public Hearing Information

To the extent possible, the COG will adhere to the following schedule of hearings and notifications:

Posting of Draft Method of Distribution for Public Review

Date/Time: June 29, 2018 4PM Website Address: www.ctcog.org

Public Hearings Scheduling Information

Public Planning Meeting – 1st Public Hearing

Date/Time: June 22, 2018/ 2-4 pm Location: Milam County Courthouse

2nd Public Hearing During Comment Period

Date/Time: July 6, 2018/ 12-2 pm Location: Milam County Courthouse

Notification consistent with GLO requirements will be provided on or before the following dates:

Dates Personal Notice of Hearings will be sent to entities: 6/17/2018 and 7/2/2018

Dates Notice of Hearings will be published on the COG's Website: 6/17/2018 and 7/2/2018

Dates Notice of Hearings will be published in regional newspaper(s): 6/14/2018 and 6/28/2018

The COG understands public hearings shall be held at a time and location compliant with the Americans with Disabilities Act, and convenient to potential or actual beneficiaries. The hearing must include accommodations for persons with disabilities.. The COG will accommodate these needs in the following ways:

CTCOG will provide for reasonable accommodations for persons attending its functions. Requests from persons needing special accommodations should be received by CTCOG staff at least 24-hours prior to the function. Individuals can call 254-770-2373 or email uryan.nelson@ctcog.org for assistance.

The COG understands its responsibility to provide interpretive services when a significant number of non-English speaking residents can be reasonably expected to participate in the public hearing. If these services are determined to be necessary, the COG will address this need as follows:

CTCOG will conduct the public hearings in English. Requests for language interpreters or other special communication needs should be made at least 48 hours prior to the start of the hearings. Individuals can call 254-770-2373 or email uryan.nelson@ctcog.org for assistance.

Efforts Exceeding Minimum Participation Requirements

The GLO has encouraged the COG to seek public participation when developing the method of distribution. In pursuit of this goal, the COG held additional meetings and took other additional actions as follows:

If it is found to be necessary or beneficial, CTCOG will host additional meetings in Milam county to address any additional concerns or questions from city and county officials, citizens, and other stakeholders.

Meeting #1 Materials

SOLICITATION FOR PUBLIC COMMENT
Hurricane Harvey Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recovery Funds
Related to Infrastructure and Buy-Outs/Acquisition

Notice is hereby given that the Central Texas Council of Governments (CTCOG) is seeking input to determine community needs as it prepares to develop a Method of Distribution for \$1,894,055 in Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recovery Funds.

The first meeting to obtain comments will be held as follows:

First Public Meeting – Friday, June 22, 2018 from 2-4 pm at the Milam County Courthouse, 102 S Fannin Ave, Cameron, TX 76520. The purpose of this meeting will be to obtain community input regarding infrastructure and buy-out/acquisition needs in Milam County to help develop a Method of Distribution (MOD) of funds.

Subsequent meetings related to the MOD will follow and be announced as time and date are determined.

CTCOG will provide for reasonable accommodation for persons attending this CTCOG function. Requests from persons needing special accommodations should be received by CTCOG staff 24 hours prior to the function. Public meetings and hearings will be conducted in English. Requests for language interpreters or other special communication needs should be made at least 48 hours prior to a function. Please call 254-770-2373 for any accommodation needs.

Written comments may be submitted by hand-delivery, mail, fax or email by 12:00 p.m., Wednesday, June 27, 2018 to: Uryan Nelson, Central Texas Council of Governments, 2180 North Main Street, P.O. Box 729, Belton, Texas, 76513; fax – 254-770-2360; email – uryan.nelson@ctcog.org.

SOLICITUD PARA COMENTARIOS PÚBLICOS
Huracán Harvey Community Development Block Grant Fondos de recuperación de desastres
Relacionados con la infraestructura y las compras / adquisiciones

Se da aviso que el Consejo de Gobiernos del Centro de Texas (CTCOG) está buscando aportes para determinar las necesidades de la comunidad mientras se prepara para desarrollar un Método de Distribución por \$ 1,894,055 en Fondos de Recuperación de Desastres en Subvenciones en Bloque de Desarrollo Comunitario.

La primera reunión para obtener comentarios se llevará a cabo de la siguiente manera:

Primera reunión pública: viernes 22 de junio de 2018 de 2 a 4 pm en el juzgado del condado de Milam, 102 S Fannin Ave., Cameron, TX 76520. El propósito de esta reunión será obtener información de la comunidad sobre infraestructura y compra / adquisición necesidades en el condado de Milam para ayudar a desarrollar un método de distribución (MOD) de fondos.

Las reuniones posteriores relacionadas con el MOD seguirán y se anunciarán a medida que se determinen la hora y la fecha.

El CTCOG proporcionará acomodaciones razonables para las personas que asisten a esta función del CTCOG. Las solicitudes de personas que necesitan adaptaciones especiales deben ser recibidas por el personal del CTCOG 24 horas antes de la función. Las reuniones públicas y las audiencias se llevarán a cabo en inglés. Las solicitudes de intérpretes de idiomas u otras necesidades especiales de comunicación deben realizarse al menos 48 horas antes de una función. Por favor llame al 254-770-2373 para cualquier necesidad de alojamiento.

Los comentarios escritos se pueden enviar a mano, correo postal, fax o correo electrónico antes de las 12:00 p.m., miércoles 27 de junio de 2018 a: Uryan Nelson, Consejo de Gobiernos del Centro de Texas, 2180 North Main Street, P.O. Box 729, Belton, Texas, 76513; fax: 254-770-2360; correo electrónico - uryan.nelson@ctcog.org.

Email chain of public notice for courthouse posting 6-22-2018

Good Morning Susan,

Thanks for the follow up. I have attached the postings for you to print out and put at the courthouse. I still also need to send these to the individuals you gave me the contact info for but thought there was one more I was waiting on.

Let me know if you have any questions and thanks again.

Uryan

From: Susan Reinders [<mailto:sreinders@milamcounty.net>]
Sent: Monday, June 18, 2018 8:13 AM
To: Uryan Nelson <uryan.nelson@ctcog.org>
Subject: Posting of Friday's meeting

Good Morning Uryan,
I wanted to check with you about posting in the courthouse bulletin board regarding the meeting this coming Friday. I did see the notice in the Cameron Herald.
I wasn't sure if you were sending to the information to Denise Wallace, Judge Barkemeyer's administrative assistant or myself.
Thanks!
Susan

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Email chain notifying individuals impacted of public meeting for 6-22-2018

Sent to 2 individuals:

'jamespesl78@gmail.com'; 'chuck@chuckandcandice.com'

Good morning-

I am working with the Texas General Land Office (GLO) to develop a Method of Distribution for funds that have been allocated to Milam County and wanted you to be aware of the upcoming public meeting this Friday. I have attached a copy of the public notice for your review and look forward to your comments or feedback in the process should you have any.

If you have any questions please feel free to let me know.

v/r,
Uryan

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Notes form Public Hearing held 6/22/2018 from 2-4 pm at the Milam County Courthouse

Public meeting began at 2PM.

Uryan Nelson made an introduction and presented documents to those in attendance.

An overview of the MOD process and documents was given by Uryan Nelson.

General discussion occurred.

Questions were asked form individuals if they would be eligible for the funds directly.

Uryan Nelson explained eligibility to those in attendance.

No further questions or discussion was had.

All persons in attendance left at approximately 2:30 PM.

Uryan Nelson closed the meeting at 4:00 PM

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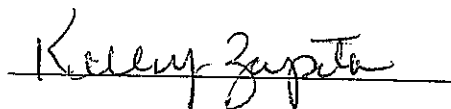
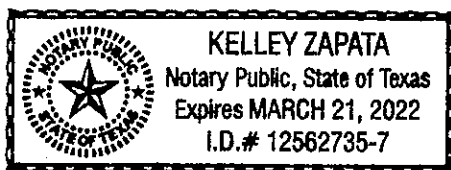
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A copy of the notice was published, clipped from the newspaper, is attached hereto.



Mike Brown, Editor

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME by Mike Brown this day of June 14, 2018
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Kelley Zapata

Public in and for the State of Texas

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SOLICITATION FOR PUBLIC COMMENT
Hurricane Harvey Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recovery Funds
Related to Infrastructure and Buy-Outs/Acquisition

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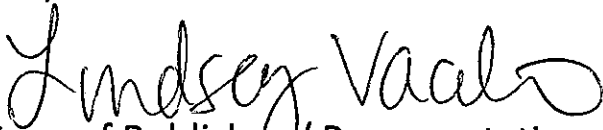
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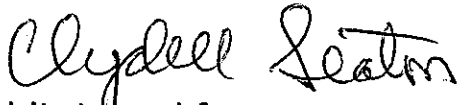
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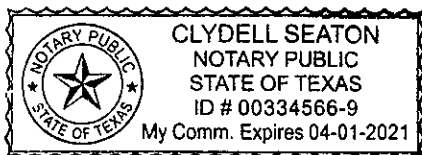


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Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 10th day of July 2018
To certify which witness my hand and seal of office.



Notary Public in and for
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Meeting #2 Materials

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Email chain for posting of notices and Draft MOD at the courthouse for the 7-6-2018 hearing

Denise,

Could I please get you to replace the postings I sent to you earlier with the attached? There was an error on the public comment that had to be changed.

Thanks and I hope you have a Happy and Safe 4th!

Uryan

From: Uryan Nelson
Sent: Monday, July 02, 2018 10:35 AM
To: Denise Wallace <dwallace@milamcounty.net>
Subject: RE: Public Notice Posting

Thanks so much.

From: Denise Wallace [<mailto:dwallace@milamcounty.net>]
Sent: Monday, July 02, 2018 10:32 AM
To: Uryan Nelson <uryan.nelson@ctcog.org>
Subject: RE: Public Notice Posting

Ok, will do! Thank you.

From: Uryan Nelson [<mailto:uryan.nelson@ctcog.org>]
Sent: Monday, July 02, 2018 10:31 AM
To: Denise Wallace
Subject: RE: Public Notice Posting

Yes please.

From: Denise Wallace [<mailto:dwallace@milamcounty.net>]
Sent: Monday, July 02, 2018 10:28 AM
To: Uryan Nelson <uryan.nelson@ctcog.org>
Subject: RE: Public Notice Posting

So print all of these out and post them at the courthouse?

From: Uryan Nelson [<mailto:uryan.nelson@ctcog.org>]
Sent: Monday, July 02, 2018 9:45 AM
To: dwallace@milamcounty.net
Subject: Public Notice Posting

Denise,

Could I please get you to print out the attached DRAFT MOD packet and post it at the courthouse? Also, attached are copies of the public notice; would you be able to print and post those as well?

Let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks,
Uryan

Uryan Nelson
Planning and Regional Services Division Director
Central Texas Council of Governments
PO Box 729

[2180 North Main Street](#)

[Belton, Texas 76513](#)

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Notes form Public Hearing held 7/6/2018 from 12-2 pm at the Milam County Courthouse

Public hearing began at 12PM.

Uryan Nelson made an introduction and presented MOD and additional documents to those in attendance.

An overview of the MOD process and documents was given by Uryan Nelson.

General discussion occurred.

The following Questions were asked from the City of Rockdale and BSP Engineers:

1. What is the project submission process going to be?
2. Is there a due date for submissions?
3. What is the timeline for project(s) completion?
4. Can the allotted acquisition funds be used for a property acquisition study. The study will be used to identify structures that need to be bought out?

Uryan Nelson informed attendees that he would follow up with the GLO for clarification on the above questions.

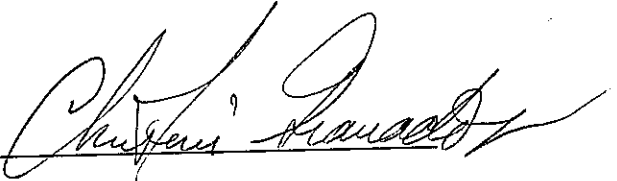
No further questions or discussion was had.

All persons in attendance left at approximately 12:30 PM.

Uryan Nelson closed the meeting at 2:00 PM

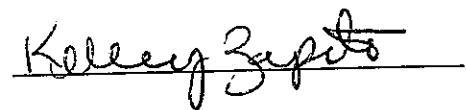
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Christine Granados, Publisher

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Kaye Elizabeth Ward to Dennis W. Meissner and Joanne Meissner (v. 1,340, p. 566).

Ira Richard Thrasher Sr. to Pete Carrizales and Amalia Carrizales (v. 1,340, p. 624).

Warranty Deeds With Vendor's Lien

Scheyla Melissa Garcia to Aaron Hartland and Rebecca Hartland – Lot 22, Gabriel Crossing Subdivision (v. 1,340, p. 182).

Robert Edward Ferguson to Jeremy R. Vaculin and Melissa R. Vaculin – 2.58 acres, William W. Lewis Survey (v. 1,340, p. 217).

Mary Lou Wagner to Jason Straseske and Lisa Wilhelm – two tracts, W.W. Lewis Surveys (v. 1,340, p. 253).

16-TWP LLC to Poni Fathna Urbe – Lot 17, Bigbee Addition (v. 1,340, p. 316).

Houston Petroleum Co.

Adam Chase Mantey and Ashley Mantey to PrimeLending, a PlainsCapital Co. – Lot 1, Cameron Place Addition, part of Block 121 (v. 1,340, p. 437).

Carlos Cadena and Yolanda Calderon to JPMorgan Chase Bank NA – Lot 8, Block 4 (v. 1,340, p. 440).

Assumed Names

Tom T. Overturf dba Turf Drafting & Design (v. 1,340, p. 266).

Proficient Lawn Service dba Proficient Small Engine Repair LLC (v. 1,340, p. 392).

Proficient Landscaping dba Proficient Small Engine Repair LLC (v. 1,340, p. 395).

DISTRICT COURT Civil Cases Filed

U.S. Bank et al vs. Linda McBride et al – consumer commercial.

State of Texas vs. Juan Mendez – civil case.

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MILANO NEWS

By **MARIE BAKKEN**
Reporter correspondent

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STATE—Congratulations to the 12u Milano Wolfpack and 10u Boom softball teams for making the TTAS state tournaments for their respective divisions. There are several girls on both squads, as well as a couple as pick up

July 23-25 at Geneva Pacey Gym. Cost is \$30 per girl and includes a T-shirt (sizes youth large to adult 2XL). Incoming fourth through sixth graders will have camp from 9-11 a.m. and seventh through ninth graders from 9 a.m. to noon. Please text Wendy King (512-663-6539) if more information is needed.

MS RALLY—The annual Kristi's Crusaders MS Rally for a cure event will be held Sept. 8 at Nat's in Milano. This one will be for Kristi (Bode).

The event will include a

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 Thursday—Chef's salad with shredded cheese, dressing, fresh fruit, milk.
 Friday—To be announced.

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Solicitation for Public Comment Hurricane Harvey Community DB Grant Disaster Funds

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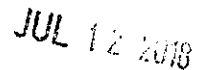
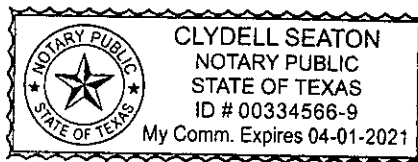


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Ave, Cameron, 76520. The purpose of this meeting will be to obtain community input feedback regarding infrastructure and buy-out/consolidation needs Milam County help develop a Method of Distribution (MOD) of funds.

Draft Method Distribution will be posted on, or available, Thursday, June 28, 2018 by 11:59 p.m. on the Internet website https://www.ctcog.org/ and will be available at the CTCOG offices located at 2180 North Main Street, Belton, Texas, 76513.

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Public Comments

Summary of comments and responses to draft MOD

- Comments received from Texas Appleseed Project 7/16/2018
 - Comments were provided regarding the Local Buyout and Acquisition Program, Local Infrastructure Program, and Needs Assessment and Funding Allocation
 - **These comments were reviewed and considered prior to submission of MOD to GLO**