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October 3, 2018

Chuck Wemple  
Chief Operating Officer  
Houston-Galveston Area Council  
3555 Timmons Ln, Ste 120  
Houston, TX 77027

**Re: Houston-Galveston Area Council Method of Distribution (MOD) — 2017 Hurricane Harvey CDBG-DR Funds**

Dear Mr. Wemple:

The Texas General Land Office Community Development and Revitalization program (GLO-CDR) has completed its review of materials submitted in support of Houston-Galveston Area Council's (H-GAC) 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 H-GAC's MOD submitted on July 17, 2018, with supplemental material submitted on August 9, 2018 is approved.

GLO-CDR approves H-GAC's proposed allocation of Local Buyout and Acquisition Program and Local Infrastructure Program funds to the identified entities. The terms of the approval are noted below:

1. As part of the application process, subrecipients are 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; limited English proficient (LEP) persons.
2. Acceptance of the MOD does not indicate eligibility or approval of funding for any proposed projects.
3. H-GAC'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](mailto:alexandra.gamble.glo@recovery.texas.gov) or (512) 475-5021.

Sincerely,



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Community Development and Revitalization  
Texas General Land Office

cc: Jeff Taebel, Community and Environmental Department Director, H-GAC  
Alexandra Gamble, Manager, Policy Development, GLO-CDR  
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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

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### Allocation Summary

COG Allocation for All Programs: \$240,705,199

Local Buyout and Acquisition Program Total: \$110,953,432

Local Infrastructure Program Total: \$129,751,767

## 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:

H-GAC posted the Method of Distribution planning document on the H-GAC website during the evening of May 30, 2018. H-GAC posted a revised Draft Method of Distribution for public comment on the H-GAC website during the afternoon on June 21.

State guidelines require H-GAC to submit this MOD by July 17, 2018, and to have an extensive public participation and comment process. An overview of H-GAC's public participation and comment process can be found in the paragraphs that follow. For specific information, see the Citizen Participation Plan (Appendix A).

From June 4, 2018 to June 7, 2018, H-GAC conducted four Public Planning Meetings with local leaders and community members and one Advocacy Group Meeting (input session) with local advocacy groups to inform them of the Method of Distribution process and to seek input on local priorities. H-GAC held two formal Public Hearings on June 28 and 29, 2018, to receive public comment on the proposed method of distribution. Three eblasts were sent to a distribution list of approximately 820 stakeholders prior to the Public Planning Meetings and Public Hearings. Three separate eblasts were distributed to local advocacy groups, inviting them to participate in the Advocacy Group Meeting. For specific information, see the Citizen Participation Plan (Appendix A). Public meetings were advertised in the June and July newsletter for the H-GAC's Community and Environmental Department, as well as through the agency's Facebook and Twitter pages.

H-GAC also discussed the Method of Distribution at monthly H-GAC Board of Directors meetings and provided for comment. H-GAC sent a letter to federal and state elected officials representing constituents in the project area, notifying them of the project, upcoming Public Planning Meetings (4 total) and Public Hearings (2 total), and other pertinent project information.

H-GAC posted notices of the Public Planning Meetings and Public Hearings in the *Anahuac Progress*, *Bay City Tribune*, *Brazoria Facts*, *Colorado County Citizen*, *Conroe Courier*, *Fort Bend Herald*, *Forward Times*, *Galveston County News*, *Houston Chronicle*, *Huntsville Item*, *La Informacion*, *Liberty County Vindicator*, *Sealy News*, *Vietnam Moi News*, *Waller Times* and *Wharton Journal Spectator*; on the Secretary of State's Texas Register/Open meetings webpage and the GLO's partner web page; and on the H-GAC website at [www.h-gac.com/harvey](http://www.h-gac.com/harvey). Advocacy groups received a separate invitation to the input session.

H-GAC accepted written comments in person, by mail, and through an online comment form on the H-GAC website during the public comment period June 21, 2018, to July 6, 2018.

**First Public Hearing Information**

Date/Time: June 28, 2018/ 5 p.m.-7 p.m. Location: Courtyard by Marriott Houston Katy Mills, 25402 Katy Mills Parkway, Katy, Texas

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 checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Electronic Mail	6/21/2018	See Appendix A- Citizen Participation Plan
<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	6/19/2018	See Appendix A- Citizen Participation Plan

*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"/>	Anahuac Progress	5/23/2018	See Appendix A- Citizen Participation Plan
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Bay City Tribune	5/27/2018	See Appendix A- Citizen Participation Plan
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Brazoria Facts	5/24/2018	See Appendix A- Citizen Participation Plan
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Colorado County Citizen	5/30/2018	See Appendix A- Citizen Participation Plan
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Conroe Courier	5/24/2018	See Appendix A- Citizen Participation Plan
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fort Bend Herald	5/23/2018	See Appendix A- Citizen Participation Plan

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Forward Times	5/30/2018	See Appendix A- Citizen Participation Plan
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Galveston County News	5/25/2018	See Appendix A- Citizen Participation Plan
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Houston Chronicle	5/24/2018	See Appendix A- Citizen Participation Plan
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Huntsville Item	5/23/2018	See Appendix A- Citizen Participation Plan
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	La Informacion	5/24/2018	See Appendix A- Citizen Participation Plan
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Sealy News	5/31/2018	See Appendix A- Citizen Participation Plan
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The Liberty County Vindicator	5/24/2018	See Appendix A- Citizen Participation Plan
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Vietnam Moi News	5/25/2018	See Appendix A- Citizen Participation Plan
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Waller Times	5/30/2018	See Appendix A- Citizen Participation Plan
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Wharton Journal Spectator	5/26/2018	See Appendix A- Citizen Participation Plan

**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.	
<b>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).</b>		Interpreters for Spanish, Vietnamese, and American Sign Language were present at all public hearings. Notices of public hearings were posted in English and in Vietnamese and Spanish language newspapers.

**Second Public Hearing Information<sup>1</sup>**

Date/Time: June 28, 2018/ 10 a.m. - noon. Location: Homewood Suites by Hilton Conroe, 3000 Interstate 45 North, Conroe, Texas

Attendance: 10 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	6/21/2018	See Appendix A- Citizen Participation Plan
<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:

<sup>1</sup> If COG held third public hearing, insert information after second public hearing information.

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## **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.

Over the past 10 years, the Houston-Galveston region has been subjected to extensive damage due to direct hits from two major hurricanes (Ike and Harvey) and two significant flood events (Memorial Day and Tax Day). Prior to Harvey, the region received funding that has been used to foster long-term recovery that sought to target permanent restoration of infrastructure, housing, and the local economy through various programs and projects. Our goal is to do the same in the aftermath of Harvey by taking what we have learned from each storm and applying that knowledge to prevent further damage of the same types.

While the GLO is handling the restoration of housing, communities in the Houston-Galveston region will focus on conducting the buyout and acquisition and infrastructure programs that reduce repetitive loss and risk to human health and safety, and improve critical infrastructure that was damaged or failed to function. Both programs will be conducted by eligible communities through various types of eligible activities defined by HUD and the GLO.

The overall goal of rebuilding efforts in the Houston-Galveston region is to establish communities that can withstand or rebound from future disasters.

## **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.

Buyout/acquisition and infrastructure projects are critical to the long-term recovery and restoration of housing in the Houston-Galveston region.

Buyout/acquisition projects will focus on removal of homes and residents from harm's way, thereby preventing repetitive loss and the possibility of catastrophic human loss. Unmet housing needs of those located in these areas will be addressed and resolved through various eligible activities that will be planned and implemented by eligible communities.

Infrastructure projects will focus on repairs or strengthening of infrastructure crucial making communities safe and inhabitable. Unmet housing needs of those located in these areas will be addressed and resolved through various eligible activities that will be planned and implemented by eligible communities.

## **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).

Per requirements of the State of Texas Plan for Disaster Recovery: Hurricane Harvey June 25, 2018, submitted to the United States Department Housing and Urban Development (HUD) by the Texas General Land Office (GLO), at least 70% of the program funds will benefit low- and moderate-income (LMI) persons. All entities will be required to follow established rules and regulations related to the funding received.

## 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
See Appendix B - Summary Worksheets - Allocations and Formulas			

\*Add more rows if needed

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 Disaster 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.		
<b>-OR-</b>			
<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 payments 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
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\*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 Disaster 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:

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<b>-OR-</b>			
<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
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**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.



09/18/2018

Signature

Date

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## **Allocation Summary Spreadsheet**

**Summary of Hurricane Harvey- Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recovery Funds Allocations**

County_Name	Jurisdiction*	Local Buyout and Acquisition		Local Infrastructure		Total		
		Allocation	Percentage of Allocation	Allocation	Percentage of Allocation	Total Allocation	Percentage of Total Regional Allocation	70% Low-to-Moderate Income Benefit Requirement
Austin county	Austin county	\$1,655,654	1.49%	\$4,301,175	3.31%	\$5,956,829	2.47%	\$4,169,780
Austin county	San Felipe town	\$0	0.00%	\$182,360	0.14%	\$182,360	0.08%	\$127,652
Austin county	Sealy city	\$0	0.00%	\$194,936	0.15%	\$194,936	0.08%	\$136,455
Austin county	Wallis city	\$0	0.00%	\$427,602	0.33%	\$427,602	0.18%	\$299,322
Brazoria county	Alvin city	\$1,039,086	0.94%	\$1,012,332	0.78%	\$2,051,418	0.85%	\$1,435,992
Brazoria county	Angleton city	\$0	0.00%	\$154,439	0.12%	\$154,439	0.06%	\$108,107
Brazoria county	Bailey's Prairie village	\$0	0.00%	\$210,679	0.16%	\$210,679	0.09%	\$147,475
Brazoria county	Brazoria county	\$14,227,876	12.82%	\$10,916,934	8.41%	\$25,144,810	10.45%	\$17,601,367
Brazoria county	Brookside Village city	\$1,026,258	0.92%	\$999,834	0.77%	\$2,026,092	0.84%	\$1,418,264
Brazoria county	Danbury city	\$0	0.00%	\$178,095	0.14%	\$178,095	0.07%	\$124,667
Brazoria county	Freeport city	\$0	0.00%	\$193,271	0.15%	\$193,271	0.08%	\$135,290
Brazoria county	Holiday Lakes town	\$0	0.00%	\$599,008	0.46%	\$599,008	0.25%	\$419,305
Brazoria county	Iowa Colony village	\$0	0.00%	\$131,675	0.10%	\$131,675	0.05%	\$92,172
Brazoria county	Jones Creek village	\$0	0.00%	\$200,859	0.15%	\$200,859	0.08%	\$140,602
Brazoria county	Liverpool city	\$0	0.00%	\$191,486	0.15%	\$191,486	0.08%	\$134,040
Brazoria county	Manvel city	\$0	0.00%	\$322,714	0.25%	\$322,714	0.13%	\$225,900
Brazoria county	Pearland city	\$2,727,372	2.46%	\$2,657,147	2.05%	\$5,384,520	2.24%	\$3,769,164
Brazoria county	Richwood city	\$0	0.00%	\$602,578	0.46%	\$602,578	0.25%	\$421,805
Brazoria county	West Columbia city	\$0	0.00%	\$159,795	0.12%	\$159,795	0.07%	\$111,856
Chambers county	Anahuac city	\$0	0.00%	\$193,271	0.15%	\$193,271	0.08%	\$135,290
Chambers county	Baytown city	\$1,833,062	1.65%	\$1,785,864	1.38%	\$3,618,925	1.50%	\$2,533,248
Chambers county	Chambers county	\$3,520,431	3.17%	\$2,701,783	2.08%	\$6,222,214	2.58%	\$4,355,550
Chambers county	Mont Belvieu city	\$0	0.00%	\$534,732	0.41%	\$534,732	0.22%	\$374,313
Colorado county	Colorado county	\$915,878	0.83%	\$1,527,327	1.18%	\$2,443,205	1.02%	\$1,710,244
Colorado county	Columbus city	\$0	0.00%	\$310,663	0.24%	\$310,663	0.13%	\$217,464
Colorado county	Eagle Lake city	\$0	0.00%	\$220,089	0.17%	\$220,089	0.09%	\$154,063
Fort Bend county	Arcola city	\$0	0.00%	\$171,400	0.13%	\$171,400	0.07%	\$119,980
Fort Bend county	Fort Bend county	\$21,155,575	19.07%	\$17,417,192	13.42%	\$38,572,767	16.02%	\$27,000,937
Fort Bend county	Katy city	\$0	0.00%	\$237,014	0.18%	\$237,014	0.10%	\$165,910
Fort Bend county	Missouri City city	\$0	0.00%	\$954,306	0.74%	\$954,306	0.40%	\$668,014
Fort Bend county	Richmond city	\$0	0.00%	\$219,160	0.17%	\$219,160	0.09%	\$153,412
Fort Bend county	Rosenberg city	\$0	0.00%	\$298,611	0.23%	\$298,611	0.12%	\$209,028
Fort Bend county	Simonton city	\$0	0.00%	\$516,432	0.40%	\$516,432	0.21%	\$361,502
Fort Bend county	Stafford city	\$0	0.00%	\$132,567	0.10%	\$132,567	0.06%	\$92,797
Fort Bend county	Sugar Land city	\$0	0.00%	\$417,341	0.32%	\$417,341	0.17%	\$292,139
Fort Bend county	Weston Lakes city	\$0	0.00%	\$246,834	0.19%	\$246,834	0.10%	\$172,784
Galveston county	Dickinson city	\$9,219,828	8.31%	\$8,982,434	6.92%	\$18,202,263	7.56%	\$12,741,584
Galveston county	Friendswood city	\$2,762,650	2.49%	\$2,691,517	2.07%	\$5,454,166	2.27%	\$3,817,916
Galveston county	Galveston city	\$0	0.00%	\$848,073	0.65%	\$848,073	0.35%	\$593,651
Galveston county	Galveston county	\$4,359,764	3.93%	\$3,399,435	2.62%	\$7,759,198	3.22%	\$5,431,439
Galveston county	Hitchcock city	\$1,501,819	1.35%	\$1,463,149	1.13%	\$2,964,968	1.23%	\$2,075,478
Galveston county	La Marque city	\$1,485,783	1.34%	\$1,447,527	1.12%	\$2,933,310	1.22%	\$2,053,317
Galveston county	League City city	\$6,987,717	6.30%	\$6,807,796	5.25%	\$13,795,513	5.73%	\$9,656,859
Galveston county	Santa Fe city	\$1,426,224	1.29%	\$1,389,501	1.07%	\$2,815,725	1.17%	\$1,971,007
Galveston county	Texas City city	\$2,270,138	2.05%	\$2,211,686	1.70%	\$4,481,823	1.86%	\$3,137,276
Liberty county	Cleveland city	\$0	0.00%	\$323,161	0.25%	\$323,161	0.13%	\$226,212
Liberty county	Dayton city	\$0	0.00%	\$498,578	0.38%	\$498,578	0.21%	\$349,004
Liberty county	Liberty city	\$0	0.00%	\$420,912	0.32%	\$420,912	0.17%	\$294,638
Liberty county	Liberty county	\$6,743,065	6.08%	\$4,921,503	3.79%	\$11,664,567	4.85%	\$8,165,197
Liberty county	Plum Grove city	\$0	0.00%	\$405,290	0.31%	\$405,290	0.17%	\$283,703
Matagorda county	Bay City city	\$0	0.00%	\$287,006	0.22%	\$287,006	0.12%	\$200,904
Matagorda county	Matagorda county	\$3,249,361	2.93%	\$6,948,605	5.36%	\$10,197,966	4.24%	\$7,138,576
Matagorda county	Palacios city	\$0	0.00%	\$1,414,860	1.09%	\$1,414,860	0.59%	\$990,402
Montgomery county	Conroe city	\$0	0.00%	\$391,453	0.30%	\$391,453	0.16%	\$274,017
Montgomery county	Montgomery county	\$12,896,489	11.62%	\$11,199,923	8.63%	\$24,096,412	10.01%	\$16,867,488

**Summary of Hurricane Harvey- Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recovery Funds Allocations**

County_Name	Jurisdiction*	Local Buyout and Acquisition		Local Infrastructure		Total		
		Allocation	Percentage of Allocation	Allocation	Percentage of Allocation	Total Allocation	Percentage of Total Regional Allocation	70% Low-to-Moderate Income Benefit Requirement
Montgomery county	Patton Village city	\$0	0.00%	\$473,136	0.36%	\$473,136	0.20%	\$331,195
Montgomery county	Woodbranch city	\$0	0.00%	\$249,958	0.19%	\$249,958	0.10%	\$174,971
Montgomery county	Woodloch town	\$0	0.00%	\$249,958	0.19%	\$249,958	0.10%	\$174,971
Walker county	Huntsville city	\$0	0.00%	\$1,848,751	1.42%	\$1,848,751	0.77%	\$1,294,125
Walker county	New Waverly city	\$0	0.00%	\$169,783	0.13%	\$169,783	0.07%	\$118,848
Walker county	Riverside city	\$0	0.00%	\$106,901	0.08%	\$106,901	0.04%	\$74,830
Walker county	Walker county	\$2,130,737	1.92%	\$4,445,805	3.43%	\$6,576,542	2.73%	\$4,603,579
Waller county	Brookshire city	\$0	0.00%	\$252,637	0.19%	\$252,637	0.10%	\$176,846
Waller county	Hempstead city	\$0	0.00%	\$421,314	0.32%	\$421,314	0.18%	\$294,920
Waller county	Katy city	\$1,637,303	1.48%	\$5,049,479	3.89%	\$6,686,782	2.78%	\$4,680,747
Waller county	Prairie View city	\$0	0.00%	\$742,016	0.57%	\$742,016	0.31%	\$519,411
Waller county	Waller city	\$0	0.00%	\$295,549	0.23%	\$295,549	0.12%	\$206,884
Waller county	Waller county	\$2,244,015	2.02%	\$4,036,599	3.11%	\$6,280,613	2.61%	\$4,396,429
Wharton county	East Bernard city	\$0	0.00%	\$157,563	0.12%	\$157,563	0.07%	\$110,294
Wharton county	Wharton city	\$1,693,784	1.53%	\$1,650,172	1.27%	\$3,343,956	1.39%	\$2,340,769
Wharton county	Wharton county	\$2,243,565	2.02%	\$2,028,234	1.56%	\$4,271,799	1.77%	\$2,990,259
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$110,953,432</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>\$129,751,767</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>\$240,705,199</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>\$168,493,639</b>

**Reallocation Procedure**

Should a city be unable to utilize the funding allocated under this Method of Distribution, H-GAC proposes the funds be reallocated to the county where the city is located. Should the county be unable to utilize the funds, H-GAC proposes they be reallocated in the order listed in the table below.

<b>Hurricane Harvey- Community Development Block Grant Reallocation Hierarchy</b>	
<b>Reallocation Ranks</b>	<b>Jurisdiction</b>
1	Dickinson city
2	Wharton county
3	Chambers county
4	La Marque city
5	Liberty county
6	Galveston county
7	Matagorda county
8	Brazoria county
9	Colorado county
10	Waller county
11	Fort Bend county
12	Austin county
13	Montgomery county
14	Walker county

<b>Hurricane Harvey- Community Development Block Grant Reallocation Method</b>					
units are counted towards County Totals)					
<b>Reallocation Ranks</b>	<b>County</b>	<b>Jurisdiction*</b>	<b>Total Damage Claims</b>	<b>Total Housing Units in Damaged Area</b>	<b>Percent Damaged</b>
1	Galveston county	Dickinson city	3,850	7,250	53.10%
2	Wharton county	Wharton county	2,210	7,799	28.34%
3	Chambers county	Chambers county	3,140	12,628	24.87%
4	Galveston county	La Marque city	1,311	6,257	20.95%
5	Liberty county	Liberty county	5,064	24,309	20.83%
6	Galveston county	Galveston county	4,700	23,024	20.41%
7	Matagorda county	Matagorda county	1,128	6,359	17.74%
8	Brazoria county	Brazoria county	8,923	54,907	16.25%
NA	Galveston county	Friendswood city	1,053	6,628	15.89%
NA	Galveston county	League City city	3,909	27,458	14.24%
NA	Galveston county	Texas City city	2,085	14,824	14.07%
9	Colorado county	Colorado county	387	3,032	12.76%
NA	Brazoria county	Alvin city	749	6,623	11.31%
10	Waller county	Waller county	973	9,292	10.47%
11	Fort Bend county	Fort Bend county	10,781	108,204	9.96%
NA	Matagorda county	Bay City city	494	5,223	9.46%
12	Austin county	Austin county	255	3,380	7.54%
13	Montgomery county	Montgomery county	6,463	87,744	7.37%
NA	Fort Bend county	Missouri City city	1,451	20,506	7.08%
NA	Brazoria county	Pearland city	1,784	25,828	6.91%
NA	Galveston county	Galveston city	1,091	16,572	6.58%
14	Walker county	Walker county	443	7,397	5.99%
NA	Fort Bend county	Rosenberg city	351	6,656	5.27%
NA	Fort Bend county	Sugar Land city	564	16,434	3.43%
NA	Walker county	Huntsville city	201	5,865	3.43%
NA	Montgomery county	Conroe city	340	14,264	2.38%

**Overview of Allocation Process – June 19, 2018**  
**Houston-Galveston Area Council's (H-GAC) Method of Distribution for Hurricane Harvey Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recovery Funds**

The process for developing the draft allocation is as follows:

1. Houston-Galveston Area Council (H-GAC) used FEMA's "Individual Assistance Housing Registrants Large Disasters-V1" for its Method of Distribution(MOD). It is the best data available at the lowest geographic-level (Census Block) to measure the damage caused by Hurricane Harvey in the H-GAC Region. The data is available for download at <https://www.fema.gov/openfema-dataset-individual-assistance-housing-registrants-large-disasters-v1>.
2. The FEMA data is then matched with the US Census TIGER geodatabase to get corresponding City and Zip Code information for the Census Blocks included in the FEMA dataset.
3. Data related to City of Houston and Harris County is excluded from the FEMA data as these jurisdictions will be receiving funds directly from HUD/GLO.
4. Categorizing damage levels based on Owner's Real Property Damage and Renter's Personal Property Damage reported by FEMA. A similar method was used by HUD in categorizing damages for CDBG allocation.

**Minor Low:** Owner Real Property Damage less than \$3,000 (or) Renter Personal Property Damage less than \$1,000  
**Minor High:** Owner Real Property Damage between \$3,001 and \$7,999 (or) Renter Personal Property Damage between \$1,001 and \$7,999  
**Major Low:** Owner Real Property Damage between \$8,000 and \$14,999 (or) Renter Personal Property Damage between \$2,000 and \$7,999  
**Major High:** Owner Real Property Damage between \$15,000 and \$28,800 (or) Renter Personal Property Damage between \$8,000 and \$14,999  
**Severe:** Owner Real Property Damage more than \$28,800 (or) Renter Personal Property Damage more than \$7,499

5. Assign weights to the damage levels  
Minor Low: **0.5**  
Minor High: **1**  
Major Low: **2**  
Major High: **4**  
Severe: **5**

For example: 10 Minor Low damage claims are equal to 1 Severe claim

6. Multiply the weights with damage levels and sum it up to get Total Weighted Damage
7. Separate the data into two sets: 1. HUD Most Impacted Areas, and 2. Non-HUD Areas (Remaining Impacted Regions)
8. For each set of data calculate Share of Total Weighted Damage by Jurisdiction
9. Multiply the share of Total Weighted Damage with GLO allocated Buyouts amount for HUD and Non-HUD portion and sum it up by jurisdiction. Repeat the same process for Infrastructure Funds.
10. If a Jurisdiction is allocated less than \$1,000,000 for Buyouts and less than \$100,000 for Infrastructure then those funds are rolled up to respective County. Allocations to counties in H-GAC's Method of Distribution may be used in unincorporated areas and/or cities that are below the respective allocation thresholds.
11. Finally, sum up the tables by jurisdiction to get final allocated amount. This will include two tables for Buyout (HUD, Non-HUD) and two tables for Infrastructure (HUD, Non-HUD).

**Reallocation Methodology**



H-GAC proposes reallocating funds that cannot be spent by a county to other jurisdictions, prioritized by the percentage of units claiming damage within their identified damaged area. There must be a minimum of 5,000 total units in the damaged area for a jurisdiction to be included in this reallocation ranking. The 5,000-unit threshold was established to ensure that reallocated funds will benefit communities with the greatest concentration of damages.

County	Jurisdiction	HUD Most Impacted Zipcodes	HUD Most Impacted Area	Levels of Damage Claims					Total Damage	Damage Weights					Weighted Damage Levels					Total Weighted Damage	Share of Total Weighted Damage	Total Buyouts / Acquisition Amount	Total Infrastructure Amount	Buyouts / Acquisition Allocation	Infrastructure Allocation	Final Buyouts / Acquisition Allocation	Final Infrastructure Allocation
				Minor Low	Minor High	Major Low	Major High	Severe		Minor Low	Minor High	Major Low	Major High	Severe	Minor Low	Minor High	Major Low	Major High	Severe								
Brazoria county	Alvin city		YES	354	119	145	107	24	749	0.5	1	2	4	5	177	119	290	428	120	1134	1.03%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$1,039,086	\$1,012,332	\$1,039,086	\$1,012,332
Brazoria county	Angleton city		YES	156	19	20	9	0	204	0.5	1	2	4	5	78	19	40	36	0	173	0.16%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$158,520	\$154,439		\$154,439
Brazoria county	Bailey's Prairie village		YES	10	16	34	28	7	95	0.5	1	2	4	5	5	16	68	112	35	236	0.21%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$216,247	\$210,679		\$210,679
Brazoria county	Bonney village		YES	9	4	6	2	0	21	0.5	1	2	4	5	4.5	4	12	8	0	28.5	0.03%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$26,115	\$25,442		\$25,442
Brazoria county	Brazoria city		YES	60	17	17	6	0	100	0.5	1	2	4	5	30	17	34	24	0	105	0.10%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$96,212	\$93,734		\$93,734
Brazoria county	Brazoria county unic		YES	2,097	973	1,466	1,370	273	6,179	0.5	1	2	4	5	1048.5	973	2932	5480	1365	11798.5	10.74%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$10,810,986	\$10,532,623	\$14,227,876	\$10,916,934
Brazoria county	Brookside Village city		YES	40	37	107	161	41	386	0.5	1	2	4	5	20	37	214	644	205	1120	1.02%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$1,026,258	\$999,834	\$1,026,258	\$999,834
Brazoria county	Clute city		YES	72	12	6	7	0	97	0.5	1	2	4	5	36	12	12	28	0	88	0.08%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$80,635	\$78,558		\$78,558
Brazoria county	Danbury city		YES	21	19	55	15	0	110	0.5	1	2	4	5	10.5	19	110	60	0	199.5	0.18%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$182,802	\$178,095		\$178,095
Brazoria county	Freeport city		YES	229	44	8	8	2	291	0.5	1	2	4	5	114.5	44	16	32	10	216.5	0.20%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$198,379	\$193,271		\$193,271
Brazoria county	Hillcrest village		YES	3	3	9	1	0	16	0.5	1	2	4	5	1.5	3	18	4	0	26.5	0.02%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$24,282	\$23,657		\$23,657
Brazoria county	Holiday Lakes town		YES	40	47	84	94	12	277	0.5	1	2	4	5	20	47	168	376	60	671	0.61%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$614,838	\$599,008		\$599,008
Brazoria county	Iowa Colony village		YES	29	15	19	15	4	82	0.5	1	2	4	5	14.5	15	38	60	20	147.5	0.13%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$135,155	\$131,675		\$131,675
Brazoria county	Jones Creek village		YES	26	12	27	29	6	100	0.5	1	2	4	5	13	12	54	116	30	225	0.20%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$206,168	\$200,859		\$200,859
Brazoria county	Lake Jackson city		YES	67	8	4	4	0	83	0.5	1	2	4	5	33.5	8	8	16	0	65.5	0.06%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$60,018	\$58,472		\$58,472
Brazoria county	Liverpool city		YES	11	9	17	29	10	76	0.5	1	2	4	5	5.5	9	34	116	50	214.5	0.20%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$196,547	\$191,486		\$191,486
Brazoria county	Manvel city		YES	99	48	52	35	4	238	0.5	1	2	4	5	49.5	48	104	140	20	361.5	0.33%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$331,243	\$322,714		\$322,714
Brazoria county	Oyster Creek city		YES	35	4	4	1	0	44	0.5	1	2	4	5	17.5	4	8	4	0	33.5	0.03%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$30,696	\$29,906		\$29,906
Brazoria county	Pearland city		YES	727	224	487	315	31	1,784	0.5	1	2	4	5	363.5	224	974	1260	155	2976.5	2.71%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$2,727,372	\$2,657,147	\$2,727,372	\$2,657,147
Brazoria county	Quintana town		YES	0	0	1	0	0	1	0.5	1	2	4	5	0	0	2	0	0	2	0.00%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$1,833	\$1,785		\$1,785
Brazoria county	Richwood city		YES	56	33	179	64	0	332	0.5	1	2	4	5	28	33	358	256	0	675	0.61%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$618,504	\$602,578		\$602,578
Brazoria county	Sandy Point city		YES	3	1	0	1	0	5	0.5	1	2	4	5	1.5	1	0	4	0	6.5	0.01%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$5,956	\$5,803		\$5,803
Brazoria county	Surfside Beach city		YES	27	1	3	1	0	32	0.5	1	2	4	5	13.5	1	6	4	0	24.5	0.02%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$22,449	\$21,871		\$21,871
Brazoria county	Sweeny city		YES	33	5	6	3	1	48	0.5	1	2	4	5	16.5	5	12	12	5	50.5	0.05%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$46,273	\$45,082		\$45,082
Brazoria county	West Columbia city		YES	48	13	22	17	6	106	0.5	1	2	4	5	24	13	44	68	30	179	0.16%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$164,018	\$159,795		\$159,795
Chambers county	Anahuac city		YES	111	30	25	14	5	185	0.5	1	2	4	5	55.5	30	50	56	25	216.5	0.20%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$198,379	\$193,271		\$193,271
Chambers county	Baytown city		YES	101	58	263	249	74	745	0.5	1	2	4	5	50.5	58	526	996	370	2000.5	1.82%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$1,833,062	\$1,785,864	\$1,833,062	\$1,785,864
Chambers county	Beach City city		YES	23	9	8	4	0	44	0.5	1	2	4	5	11.5	9	16	16	0	52.5	0.05%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$48,106	\$46,867		\$46,867
Chambers county	Chambers county unic		YES	770	276	529	257	34	1,866	0.5	1	2	4	5	385	276	1058	1028	170	2917	2.65%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$2,672,852	\$2,604,031	\$3,520,431	\$2,701,783
Chambers county	Cove city		YES	11	2	0	1	0	14	0.5	1	2	4	5	5.5	2	0	4	0	11.5	0.01%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$10,537	\$10,266		\$10,266
Chambers county	Mont Belvieu city		YES	60	21	57	91	14	243	0.5	1	2	4	5	30	21	114	364	70	599	0.55%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$548,865	\$534,732		\$534,732
Chambers county	Old River-Winfree city		YES	27	9	3	3	1	43	0.5	1	2	4	5	13.5	9	6	12	5	45.5	0.04%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$41,692	\$40,618		\$40,618
Colorado county	Colorado county unic	78934	YES	23	3	4	4	2	36	0.5	1	2	4	5	11.5	3	8	16	10	48.5	0.04%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$44,441	\$43,296	\$363,314	\$43,296
Colorado county	Columbus city	78934	YES	50	40	63	38	1	192	0.5	1	2	4	5	25	40	126	152	5	348	0.32%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$318,873	\$310,663		\$310,663
Fort Bend county	Arcola city		YES	52	21	20	20	5	118	0.5	1	2	4	5	26	21	40	80	25	192	0.17%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$175,930	\$171,400		\$171,400
Fort Bend county	Beasley city		YES	4	0	0	0	0	4	0.5	1	2	4	5	2	0	0	0	0	2	0.00%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$1,833	\$1,785		\$1,785
Fort Bend county	Fairchilds village		YES	13	3	3	1	0	20	0.5	1	2	4	5	6.5	3	6	4	0	19.5	0.02%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$17,868	\$17,408		\$17,408
Fort Bend county	Fort Bend county unic		YES	3,551	754	2,411	2,617	278	9,611	0.5	1	2	4	5	1775.5	754	4822	10468	1390	19209.5	17.48%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$17,601,699	\$17,148,487	\$21,155,575	\$17,147,192
Fort Bend county	Fort Bend county unic	77423	YES	3	3	3	4	0	13	0.5	1	2	4	5	1.5	3	6	16	0	26.5	0.02%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$24,282	\$23,657		\$23,657
Fort Bend county	Fulshear city		YES	23	5	2	8	0	38	0.5	1	2	4	5	11.5	5	4	32	0	52.5	0.05%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$48,106	\$46,867		\$46,867
Fort Bend county	Katy city		YES	23	20	24	39	6	112	0.5	1	2	4	5	11.5	20	48	156	30	265.5	0.24%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$243,278	\$237,014		\$237,014
Fort Bend county	Kendleton city		YES	20	1	1	1	0	23	0.5	1	2	4	5	10	1	2	4	0	17	0.02%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$15,577	\$15,176		\$15,176
Fort Bend county	Meadows Place city		YES	41	4	0	2	0	47	0.5	1	2	4	5	20.5	4	0	8	0	32.5	0.03%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$29,780	\$29,013		\$29,013
Fort Bend county	Missouri City city		YES	1,218	106	80	41	6	1,451	0.5	1	2	4	5	609	106	160	164	30	1069	0.97%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$979,527	\$954,306		\$954,306
Fort Bend county	Needville city		YES	32	6	2	1	0	41	0.5	1	2	4	5	16	6	4	4	0	30	0.03%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$27,489	\$26,781		\$26,781
Fort Bend county	Orchard city		YES	3	0	0	0	1	4	0.5	1	2	4	5	1.5	0	0	0	5	6.5	0.01%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$5,956	\$5,803		\$5,803
Fort Bend county	Pearland city		YES	13	0	0	0	0	13	0.5	1	2	4	5	6.5	0	0	0	0	6.5	0.01%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$5,956	\$5,803		\$5,803
Fort Bend county	Peak village		YES	21	4	5	5	0	35	0.5	1	2	4	5	10.5	4	10	20	0	44.5	0.04%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$40,775	\$39,726		\$39,726
Fort Bend county	Richmond city		YES	121	36	29	19	3	208	0.5	1	2	4	5	60.5	36	58	76	15	245.5	0.22%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$224,952	\$219,160		\$219,160
Fort Bend county	Rosenberg city		YES	255	39	32	21	4	351	0.5	1	2	4	5	127.5	39	64	84	20	334.5	0.30%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$306,503	\$298,611		\$298,611
Fort Bend county	Simonton city		YES	25	10	33	70	42	180	0.5	1	2	4	5	12.5	10	66	280	210	578.5	0.53%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$530,081	\$516,432		\$516,432
Fort Bend county	Stafford city		YES	159	20	12	5	1	197	0.5	1	2	4	5	79.5	20	24	20	5	148.5	0.14%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$136,071	\$132,567		\$132,567
Fort Bend county	Sugar Land city</																										

County	Jurisdiction	HUD Most Impacted Zipcodes	HUD Most Impacted Area	Levels of Damage Claims					Total Damage	Damage Weights					Weighted Damage Levels					Total Weighted Damage	Share of Total Weighted Damage	Total Buyouts / Acquisition Amount	Total Infrastructure Amount	Buyouts / Acquisition Allocation	Infrastructure Allocation	Final Buyouts / Acquisition Allocation	Final Infrastructure Allocation	
				Minor Low	Minor High	Major Low	Major High	Severe		Minor Low	Minor High	Major Low	Major High	Severe	Minor Low	Minor High	Major Low	Major High	Severe									
Liberty county	Ames city		YES	79	14	5	1	1	100	0.5	1	2	4	5	39.5	14	10	4	5	72.5	0.07%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$66,432	\$64,721			
Liberty county	Cleveland city		YES	172	45	32	28	11	288	0.5	1	2	4	5	86	45	64	112	55	362	0.33%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$331,701	\$323,161			\$323,161
Liberty county	Daisetta city		YES	29	7	5	2	0	43	0.5	1	2	4	5	14.5	7	10	8	0	39.5	0.04%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$36,194	\$35,262			
Liberty county	Dayton city		YES	187	103	101	35	4	430	0.5	1	2	4	5	93.5	103	202	140	20	558.5	0.51%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$511,755	\$498,578			\$498,578
Liberty county	Dayton Lakes city		YES	17	12	11	5	5	50	0.5	1	2	4	5	8.5	12	22	20	25	87.5	0.08%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$80,176	\$78,112			
Liberty county	Devers city		YES	9	1	1	3	0	14	0.5	1	2	4	5	4.5	1	2	12	0	19.5	0.02%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$17,868	\$17,408			
Liberty county	Hardin city		YES	20	8	1	1	0	30	0.5	1	2	4	5	10	8	2	4	0	24	0.02%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$21,991	\$21,425			
Liberty county	Kenefick town		YES	11	3	2	5	0	21	0.5	1	2	4	5	5.5	3	4	20	0	32.5	0.03%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$29,780	\$29,013			
Liberty county	Liberty city		YES	189	60	44	56	1	350	0.5	1	2	4	5	94.5	60	88	224	5	471.5	0.43%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$432,036	\$420,912			\$420,912
Liberty county	Liberty county unic		YES	1,602	742	671	442	99	3,556	0.5	1	2	4	5	801	742	1342	1768	495	5148	4.68%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$4,717,121	\$4,595,664	\$6,743,065		\$4,921,503
Liberty county	Mont Belvieu city		YES	0	1	0	0	0	1	0.5	1	2	4	5	0	1	0	0	0	1	0.00%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$916	\$893			
Liberty county	North Cleveland city		YES	9	3	5	12	3	32	0.5	1	2	4	5	4.5	3	10	48	15	80.5	0.07%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$73,762	\$71,863			
Liberty county	Old River-Winfree city		YES	4	2	2	0	0	8	0.5	1	2	4	5	2	2	4	0	0	8	0.01%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$7,330	\$7,142			
Liberty county	Plum Grove city		YES	14	16	24	52	35	141	0.5	1	2	4	5	7	16	48	208	175	454	0.41%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$416,001	\$405,290			\$405,290
Matagorda county	Bay City city	77414	YES	429	39	18	8	0	494	0.5	1	2	4	5	214.5	39	36	32	0	321.5	0.29%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$294,591	\$287,006			\$287,006
Matagorda county	Matagorda county unic	77414	YES	279	42	43	25	4	393	0.5	1	2	4	5	139.5	42	86	100	20	387.5	0.35%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$355,067	\$345,925	\$649,658		\$345,925
Montgomery county	Cleveland city		YES	1	0	0	0	0	1	0.5	1	2	4	5	0.5	0	0	0	0	0.5	0.00%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$458	\$446			
Montgomery county	Conroe city		YES	205	50	39	22	24	340	0.5	1	2	4	5	102.5	50	78	88	120	438.5	0.40%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$401,798	\$391,453			\$391,453
Montgomery county	Cut and Shoot city		YES	8	1	3	1	0	13	0.5	1	2	4	5	4	1	6	4	0	15	0.01%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$13,745	\$13,391			
Montgomery county	Magnolia city		YES	10	1	1	0	0	12	0.5	1	2	4	5	5	1	2	0	0	8	0.01%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$7,330	\$7,142			
Montgomery county	Montgomery city		YES	6	0	0	0	0	6	0.5	1	2	4	5	3	0	0	0	0	3	0.00%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$2,749	\$2,678			
Montgomery county	Montgomery county unic		YES	2,166	722	1,143	1,292	612	5,935	0.5	1	2	4	5	1083	722	2286	5168	3060	12319	11.21%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$11,287,921	\$10,997,278	\$12,896,489		\$11,199,923
Montgomery county	Oak Ridge North city		YES	10	1	2	4	2	19	0.5	1	2	4	5	5	1	4	16	10	36	0.03%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$32,987	\$32,138			
Montgomery county	Panorama Village city		YES	3	0	2	0	0	5	0.5	1	2	4	5	1.5	0	4	0	0	5.5	0.01%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$5,040	\$4,910			
Montgomery county	Patton Village city		YES	30	16	48	62	31	187	0.5	1	2	4	5	15	16	96	248	155	530	0.48%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$485,640	\$473,136			\$473,136
Montgomery county	Roman Forest town		YES	5	3	1	2	3	14	0.5	1	2	4	5	2.5	3	2	8	15	30.5	0.03%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$27,947	\$27,228			
Montgomery county	Shenandoah city		YES	2	0	0	0	0	2	0.5	1	2	4	5	1	0	0	0	0	1	0.00%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$916	\$893			
Montgomery county	Splendoria city		YES	25	7	8	6	3	49	0.5	1	2	4	5	12.5	7	16	24	15	74.5	0.07%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$68,264	\$66,507			
Montgomery county	Stagecoach town		YES	1	0	2	0	2	5	0.5	1	2	4	5	0.5	0	4	0	10	14.5	0.01%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$13,286	\$12,944			
Montgomery county	Willis city		YES	49	4	1	2	0	56	0.5	1	2	4	5	24.5	4	2	8	0	38.5	0.04%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$35,278	\$34,369			
Montgomery county	Woodbranch city		YES	16	11	7	33	23	90	0.5	1	2	4	5	8	11	14	132	115	280	0.25%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$256,564	\$249,958			\$249,958
Montgomery county	Woodloch town		YES	0	4	2	43	20	69	0.5	1	2	4	5	0	4	4	172	100	280	0.25%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$256,564	\$249,958			
Waller county	Brookshire city	77423	YES	94	44	39	26	2	205	0.5	1	2	4	5	47	44	78	104	10	283	0.26%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$259,313	\$252,637			\$252,637
Waller county	Pattison city	77423	YES	1	0	0	0	0	1	0.5	1	2	4	5	0.5	0	0	0	0	0.5	0.00%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$458	\$446			
Waller county	Waller county unic	77423	YES	108	39	47	29	4	227	0.5	1	2	4	5	54	39	94	116	20	323	0.29%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$295,965	\$288,345	\$555,737		\$288,791
Wharton county	East Bernard city		YES	17	1	6	20	15	59	0.5	1	2	4	5	8.5	1	12	80	75	176.5	0.16%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$161,727	\$157,563			\$157,563
Wharton county	El Campo city		YES	67	9	3	0	0	79	0.5	1	2	4	5	33.5	9	6	0	0	48.5	0.04%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$44,441	\$43,296			
Wharton county	Wharton city		YES	241	205	251	184	57	938	0.5	1	2	4	5	120.5	205	502	736	285	1848.5	1.68%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$1,693,784	\$1,650,172	\$1,693,784		\$1,650,172
Wharton county	Wharton county unic		YES	395	168	257	226	88	1,134	0.5	1	2	4	5	197.5	168	514	904	440	2223.5	2.02%	\$100,689,194	\$98,096,629	\$2,037,397	\$1,984,938	\$2,243,565		\$2,028,234
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County	Jurisdiction	HUD Most Impacted Zipcodes	HUD Most Impacted Area	Levels of Damage Claims					Total Damage	Damage Weights					Weighted Damage Levels					Total Weighted Damage	Share of Total Weighted Damage	Total Buyouts / Acquisition Amount	Total Infrastructure Amount	Buyouts / Acquisition Allocation	Infrastructure Allocation	Final Buyouts / Acquisition Allocation	Final Infrastructure Allocation
				Minor Low	Minor High	Major Low	Major High	Severe		Minor Low	Minor High	Major Low	Major High	Severe	Minor Low	Minor High	Major Low	Major High	Severe								
Austin county	Austin county unic		NO	71	27	32	29	18	177	0.5	1	2	4	5	35.5	27	64	116	90	332.5	13.21%	\$10,264,238	\$31,655,138	\$1,355,923	\$4,181,698	\$1,655,654	\$4,301,175
Austin county	Belville city		NO	7	3	0	0	0	10	0.5	1	2	4	5	3.5	3	0	0	0	6.5	0.26%	\$10,264,238	\$31,655,138	\$26,507	\$81,747		
Austin county	Brazos Country city		NO	2	0	0	0	0	2	0.5	1	2	4	5	1	0	0	0	0	1	0.04%	\$10,264,238	\$31,655,138	\$4,078	\$12,577		
Austin county	Industry city		NO	2	1	0	0	0	3	0.5	1	2	4	5	1	1	0	0	0	2	0.08%	\$10,264,238	\$31,655,138	\$8,156	\$25,153		
Austin county	San Felipe town		NO	5	2	3	1	0	11	0.5	1	2	4	5	2.5	2	6	4	0	14.5	0.58%	\$10,264,238	\$31,655,138	\$59,130	\$182,360		\$182,360
Austin county	Sealy city		NO	15	2	1	1	0	19	0.5	1	2	4	5	7.5	2	2	4	0	15.5	0.62%	\$10,264,238	\$31,655,138	\$63,208	\$194,936		\$194,936
Austin county	Wallis city		NO	20	6	5	2	0	33	0.5	1	2	4	5	10	6	10	8	0	34	1.35%	\$10,264,238	\$31,655,138	\$138,651	\$427,602		\$427,602
Colorado county	Colorado county unic		NO	82	15	9	7	2	115	0.5	1	2	4	5	41	15	18	28	10	112	4.45%	\$10,264,238	\$31,655,138	\$456,732	\$1,408,572	\$552,564	\$1,484,031
Colorado county	Eagle Lake city		NO	29	3	0	0	0	32	0.5	1	2	4	5	14.5	3	0	0	0	17.5	0.70%	\$10,264,238	\$31,655,138	\$71,364	\$220,089		\$220,089
Colorado county	Weimar city		NO	12	0	0	0	0	12	0.5	1	2	4	5	6	0	0	0	0	6	0.24%	\$10,264,238	\$31,655,138	\$24,468	\$75,459		
Matagorda county	Matagorda county unic		NO	382	67	71	30	1	551	0.5	1	2	4	5	191	67	142	120	5	525	20.86%	\$10,264,238	\$31,655,138	\$2,140,932	\$6,602,681	\$2,599,703	\$6,602,681
Matagorda county	Palacios city		NO	159	21	2	2	0	184	0.5	1	2	4	5	79.5	21	4	8	0	112.5	4.47%	\$10,264,238	\$31,655,138	\$458,771	\$1,414,860		\$1,414,860
Walker county	Huntsville city		NO	160	29	6	4	2	201	0.5	1	2	4	5	80	29	12	16	10	147	5.84%	\$10,264,238	\$31,655,138	\$599,461	\$1,848,751		\$1,848,751
Walker county	New Waverly city		NO	19	2	1	0	0	22	0.5	1	2	4	5	9.5	2	2	0	0	13.5	0.54%	\$10,264,238	\$31,655,138	\$55,053	\$169,783		\$169,783
Walker county	Riverside city		NO	9	0	0	1	0	10	0.5	1	2	4	5	4.5	0	0	4	0	8.5	0.34%	\$10,264,238	\$31,655,138	\$34,663	\$106,901		\$106,901
Walker county	Walker county unic		NO	301	65	23	18	4	411	0.5	1	2	4	5	150.5	65	46	72	20	353.5	14.04%	\$10,264,238	\$31,655,138	\$1,441,561	\$4,445,805	\$2,130,737	\$4,445,805
Waller county	Hempstead city		NO	39	6	2	1	0	48	0.5	1	2	4	5	19.5	6	4	4	0	33.5	1.33%	\$10,264,238	\$31,655,138	\$136,612	\$421,314		\$421,314
Waller county	Katy city		NO	17	21	57	57	6	158	0.5	1	2	4	5	8.5	21	114	228	30	401.5	15.95%	\$10,264,238	\$31,655,138	\$1,637,303	\$5,049,479	\$1,637,303	\$5,049,479
Waller county	Pattison city		NO	6	2	1	0	0	9	0.5	1	2	4	5	3	2	2	0	0	7	0.28%	\$10,264,238	\$31,655,138	\$28,546	\$88,036		
Waller county	Pine Island town		NO	5	1	0	1	0	7	0.5	1	2	4	5	2.5	1	0	4	0	7.5	0.30%	\$10,264,238	\$31,655,138	\$30,585	\$94,324		
Waller county	Prairie View city		NO	34	4	7	6	0	51	0.5	1	2	4	5	17	4	14	24	0	59	2.34%	\$10,264,238	\$31,655,138	\$240,600	\$742,016		\$742,016
Waller county	Waller city		NO	19	1	0	2	1	23	0.5	1	2	4	5	9.5	1	0	8	5	23.5	0.93%	\$10,264,238	\$31,655,138	\$95,832	\$295,549		\$295,549
Waller county	Waller county unic		NO	151	33	33	26	1	244	0.5	1	2	4	5	75.5	33	66	104	5	283.5	11.26%	\$10,264,238	\$31,655,138	\$1,156,103	\$3,565,448	\$1,688,278	\$3,747,807
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**HOUSTON-GALVESTON AREA COUNCIL**

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September 6, 2018

Mr. Zachary E. Stern, AICP  
Planner III/Policy Development  
Community Development and Revitalization  
Texas General Land Office

Re: Request waiver for Colorado County Buyouts/Acquisitions Threshold

*Transmitted via e-mail*

Dear Mr. Stern:

I am writing to request a waiver of the \$1,000,000 minimum allocation threshold for Buyouts/Acquisitions for Colorado County in the Houston-Galveston Area Council's (H-GAC) Method of Distribution (MOD) for Hurricane Harvey Community Development Block Grant-Disaster Recovery Funds. H-GAC developed an allocation formula, based on weighted FEMA damage claims, for all the jurisdictions covered by its MOD, rolling up any City-level allocations below \$1,000,000 to the "parent" county. However, Colorado County's allocation fell just short of this threshold at \$915,878.

We believe that a waiver is justified because, a) the difference between the allocation and the threshold is less than 10%, and b) if Colorado County's allocation is zeroed out, the county and its cities would only be eligible for Buyouts/Acquisitions funding through a reallocation of funds from another county. Since Colorado County ranks 9<sup>th</sup> in H-GAC's proposed reallocation priority list, it is unlikely they could receive any funding under this program, despite having one of the "most-damaged" zip codes as designated by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. Additionally, these funds, currently included in H-GAC's Board-adopted allocation formula, would need to be reallocated to other jurisdictions, further delaying the MOD approval process.

Thank you for your consideration of our request. Please let me know if you have any questions or would like to discuss. We value our ongoing partnership with the GLO and look forward to continuing our productive relationship.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Jeff Taebel". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Jeff Taebel, FAICP  
Director  
Community and Environmental Planning

Cc: Heather Lagrone, GLO  
Pete Phillips, GLO  
Alexandra Gamble, GLO  
Shawn Strange, GLO  
Christopher Smith, GLO

# Resolution



# RESOLUTION

**A RESOLUTION OF THE HOUSTON-GALVESTON AREA COUNCIL BOARD OF DIRECTORS AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR TO SUBMIT THE METHOD OF DISTRIBUTION FORM AND WORKSHEET AND ALL RELATED DOCUMENTS FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG) DISASTER RECOVERY FUNDS TO THE TEXAS GENERAL LAND OFFICE.**

WHEREAS Hurricane Harvey directly hit the Houston-Galveston Area Council (H-GAC) area in August 2017 with devastating flooding, damaging and destroying homes, businesses and public infrastructure, and

WHEREAS Congress has appropriated CDBG disaster recovery funds that can help the region recover and the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) has announced its allocation of those funds to the State of Texas, and

WHEREAS Governor Abbott designated the Texas General Land Office (GLO) as the primary state agency to oversee allocation and administration of those funds, and

WHEREAS GLO has developed an action plan requiring H-GAC to develop a Method of Distribution for the first round of funding that is based on a formal methodology assessing need and public input that apportions funds between local buyouts/acquisitions and local infrastructure, and

WHEREAS Harris County and the City of Harris County will receive separate CDBG allocations from GLO, and

WHEREAS H-GAC developed a draft Method of Distribution for Austin, Brazoria, Chambers, Colorado, Fort Bend, Galveston, Matagorda, Montgomery, Liberty, Walker, Waller and Wharton counties with all requirements for public notice and comment including publishing notice of its availability, publishing notice of and conducting two public hearings and receiving written comment, and

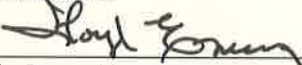
WHEREAS, taking into account public comment, H-GAC presented a final Method of Distribution at H-GAC's Board of Directors meeting on July 17, 2018, which was duly posted and conducted in accordance with Texas Open Meetings Act.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE H-GAC BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

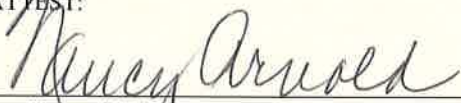
1. THAT the Method of Distribution of the H-GAC region outside of Harris County and the City of Houston is hereby approved, and
2. THAT the Executive Director of the Houston-Galveston Area Council is duly authorized to execute the Method of Distribution Form and Worksheet, and
3. THAT the Executive Director is authorized to submit the Method of Distribution Form and Worksheet, narrative, public participation record and all other necessary supporting documents to the Texas General Land Office, and
4. THAT this is a true and correct copy of the resolution reciting the actions and approvals given by the Board of Directors at its meeting July 17, 2018.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 17<sup>th</sup> day of July 2018.

APPROVED:

  
The Honorable Floyd Emery  
Council Member, City of Missouri City  
H-GAC Chair

ATTEST:

  
The Honorable Nancy Arnold  
Council Member, City of Waller  
H-GAC Vice Chair



# **Citizen Participation Plan**



## **Appendix A – Citizen Participation Plan**



# FINAL Citizen Participation Plan

## COG Method of Distribution

### Hurricane Harvey CDBG-Disaster Recovery Allocation

## Summary Information

### Contact Information

Council of Government (COG): **Houston-Galveston Area Council**

Principal Contact Name, Title: **Jeff Taebel, Community and Environmental Department Director**

Principal Contact Telephone: **713-993-4560**

Principal Contact Email: [jeff.taebel@h-gac.com](mailto:jeff.taebel@h-gac.com)

Principal Contact Address: **3555 Timmons Lane, Suite 120**

City, State, Zip: **Houston, TX 77027**

## 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:

The Houston-Galveston Area Council (H-GAC) plans to conduct citizen and non-governmental outreach via: a) broad announcement of Public Planning Meetings (4 total), Public Hearings (2 total), and opportunities for public comment; b) directly communicating with faith-based organizations, housing and protected classes advocacy groups, community development organizations and other non-profits prior to the release of the draft Method of Distribution; and c) conducting one invitation-only input session with regional and local advocacy groups prior to the release of the draft Method of Distribution.

- a) H-GAC will implement a media campaign using local English and non-English newspapers to inform and invite the public to four Public Planning Meetings and two Public Hearings. H-GAC will post notices of these meetings in relevant Papers of General Circulation for all 12 eligible counties and identified non-English newspapers, as well as on the H-GAC, General Land Office, and the Secretary of State websites. H-GAC will accept written comments on the draft Method of Distribution beginning at 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, June 21, 2018 through 4:00 p.m. Friday, July 6, 2018. A hard-copy of the draft Method of Distribution will be made available for public inspection and comment at the H-GAC reception area at 3555 Timmons, Suite 120, Houston, TX 77027 throughout the comment period. H-GAC will also accept public comments on the draft Method of Distribution via the project website during the same timeframe.

H-GAC will conduct five meetings open to the public on the draft Method of Distribution, four Public Planning Meetings to inform the draft and two Public Hearings during the public comment period:

- **PUBLIC PLANNING MEETING #1**  
**DATE:** Monday, June 4, 2018, 2 - 4 PM. **LOCATION:** Wharton Civic Center, 1924 N. Fulton St., Wharton, Texas 77488.

- **PUBLIC PLANNING MEETING #2**  
**DATE:** Tuesday, June 5, 2018, 6 - 8 PM. **LOCATION:** Helen Hall Library Meeting Room, 100 W. Walker St., League City, Texas 77573.
- **PUBLIC PLANNING MEETING #3**  
**DATE:** Wednesday, June 6, 2018, 10 AM – Noon. **LOCATION:** Houston-Galveston Area Council Offices, 3555 Timmons Lane, 2nd Floor Conference Rooms, Houston, Texas 77027.
- **PUBLIC PLANNING MEETING #4**  
**DATE:** Thursday, June 7, 2018, 5 - 7 PM. **LOCATION:** Liberty County Community Center, 318 San Jacinto, Liberty, Texas 77575.
- **PUBLIC HEARING #1**  
**DATE:** Thursday, June 28, 2018, 5 - 7 PM. **LOCATION:** Courtyard Marriott at Katy Mills, 25402 Katy Mills Pkwy, Katy, Texas 77494.
- **PUBLIC HEARING #2**  
**DATE:** Friday, June 29, 2018, 10 AM – Noon. **LOCATION:** Hilton Homewood Suites, 3000 Interstate 45 North, Conroe, Texas 77303.

- b) H-GAC will communicate with faith-based organizations, housing and protected classes advocacy groups, community development organizations and other non-profits. A detailed spreadsheet labeled “Public Participation Plan Database” is attached. Direct contact methods may include email and phone. Direct communication will include distributing summary documents explaining the Method of Distribution process, notices of Public Planning Meetings (4 total), Public Hearings (2 total), and processes for providing public comments. H-GAC will encourage faith-based organizations, housing and protected classes advocacy groups, community development organizations and other non-profits to broadly disseminate the information via announcements at gatherings and meetings, newsletters, email lists and bulletin board postings.
- c) In addition to the required Public Planning Meetings and Public Hearings outlined under item (a) on pages 1 and 2, **H-GAC will conduct one invitation-only input session with regional and local advocacy groups on Wednesday, June 6, 2018 from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. at the Houston-Galveston Area Council Offices, 3555 Timmons Lane, Houston, TX, 77027.** The input session will be held prior to the release of the draft Method of Distribution for public comment with regional and local housing advocacy groups and other organizations representing protected classes of individuals. H-GAC will seek input regarding the Method of Distribution at the input session.
- d) H-GAC will submit all required documentation to the GLO as verification that the activities outlined in this plan were carried out.

A detailed spreadsheet identifying project stakeholders, labeled “Public Participation Plan Database,” is attached. A schedule of all draft Method of Distribution public and invitation-only meetings is also attached.

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:

In addition to the stakeholders identified in item (b) on page 2, H-GAC will communicate with county and city elected officials, city administrators, community development departments and housing authorities, local health and human services offices, local mental health and MHMR offices, Community Development Corporations and Community Housing Development Organization representatives from the Local Union of Latin American Citizens (LULAC), Mexican American Legal Defense and Education Fund (MALDEF) the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP), Houston Hispanic Chamber of Commerce, Tri-County Black Chamber of Commerce, and the Asian Chamber of Commerce and Disability Policy Consortium via e-mail with information concerning the date, time, location and topics to be covered at Public Planning Meetings (4 total) and Public Hearings (2) total.

A detailed spreadsheet identifying these stakeholders, labeled "Public Participation Plan Database," is attached. A schedule of all draft Method of Distribution public and invitation-only meetings is also attached.

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 required Public Planning Meetings and Public Hearings outlined under item (a) on page 1, H-GAC will conduct one invitation-only input session with regional and local advocacy groups on Wednesday, June 6, 2018 from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. at the Houston-Galveston Area Council Offices, 3555 Timmons Lane, Houston, TX, 77027.**

The input session will be held prior to the release of the draft Method of Distribution for public comment with regional and local housing advocacy groups and other organizations representing protected classes of individuals. H-GAC will seek to gain additional perspective on fair housing and civil rights issues in the region, as well as receive input regarding the draft Method of Distribution at the input session.

A detailed spreadsheet identifying these stakeholders, labeled "Public Participation Plan Database," is attached. A schedule of all draft Method of Distribution public and invitation-only meetings is also attached.

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:

H-GAC will purchase public notice ads in Newspapers of General Circulation in Austin, Brazoria, Chambers, Colorado, Fort Bend, Galveston, Liberty, Matagorda, Montgomery, Waller, Walker, and Wharton counties. Additional notices will be placed in Spanish and Vietnamese language papers.

Meeting announcements will be forwarded to other regional media to be used at their discretion. H-GAC will also forward meeting notices, in English, Spanish and Vietnamese, to counties and cities within the region for bulletin board posting, publication on their websites or in their newsletters or shared with residents through automatic information sharing or through broadcast on municipal television stations. H-GAC will employ sign language translators and Spanish and Vietnamese interpreters at Public Planning Meetings (4 total) and Public Hearings (2 total).

## Public Hearing Content

Public Planning Meetings (4 total) 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 Public Hearings (2 total) will include a discussion of the following topics:

- Results from inputs received during the Public Planning Meetings
- 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;
- H-GAC's draft Method of Distribution;
- Opportunities for submitting public comment on the 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: 6/21/2018 @ 4PM Website Address: www.h-gac.com/harvey

### Public Hearings Scheduling Information

#### *Public Planning Meeting #1*

Date/Time: 6/4/18 / 2 p.m. – 4 p.m. Location: Wharton Civic Center, 1924 N. Fulton St., Wharton, Texas 77488

#### *Public Planning Meeting #2*

Date/Time: 6/5/2018 / 6 p.m. – 8 p.m. Location: Helen Hall Library Meeting Room, 100 W. Walker St., League City, Texas 77573

#### *Public Planning Meeting #3*

Date/Time: 6/6/2018 / 10 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Location: Houston-Galveston Area Council Offices, 3555 Timmons Lane, 2nd Floor Conference Rooms, Houston, Texas 77027

#### *Public Planning Meeting #4*

Date/Time: 6/7/2018 / 5 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Location: Liberty County Community Center, 318 San Jacinto, Liberty, Texas 77575

#### *Public Hearing # 1 (During Comment Period)*

Date/Time: 6/28/2018 / 5 p.m. – 7 p.m. Location: Courtyard Marriott at Katy Mills, 25402 Katy Mills Pkwy, Katy, Texas 77494

#### *Public Hearing #2 (During Comment Period)*

Date/Time: 6/29/2018 / 10 a.m. – 12 p.m. Location: Hilton Homewood Suites, 3000 Interstate 45 North, Conroe, Texas 77303

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

**Public Planning Meetings (4 total) & Public Hearings (2 total) will be posted simultaneously.**

Dates Personal Notice of Hearings will be sent to entities:	<u>5/22/2018, 5/29/2018, 6/21/2018</u>
Dates Notice of Hearings will be published on the COG's Website:	<u>5/22/2018</u>
Date Notice of Hearing will be published on Secretary of State Website:	<u>5/22/2018</u>
Dates Notice of Hearings will be published in regional newspaper(s):	<u>5/22/2018</u>

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:

H-GAC will hold meetings at times and locations that are compliant with the American Disabilities Act and will provide for reasonable accommodations for persons attending H-GAC functions, in compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act. Requests from persons needing special accommodations should be received by H-GAC staff 24-hours prior to the function. For more information, please email [Kathy.Janhzen@h-gac.com](mailto:Kathy.Janhzen@h-gac.com) for assistance. Sign language interpreters will be present at Public Planning Meetings (4 total) and Public Hearings (2 total).

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:

The Public Planning Meetings (4 total) and Public Hearings (2 total) will be conducted in English; however, Spanish, Vietnamese and sign language interpreters will be available.

### **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:

As outlined on page 1, H-GAC will conduct five meetings open to the public on the draft Method of Distribution, four Public Planning Meetings to inform the draft and two Public Hearings during the public comment period in five different counties to better accommodate regional populations and encourage attendance. One invitation-only input session with regional and local advocacy groups will also occur to better inform the draft Method of Distribution.

In addition, H-GAC will discuss the Method of Distribution at monthly H-GAC Board of Directors meetings and provide for public comment. H-GAC will also send out a letter to federal and state elected officials representing constituents in the project area, notifying them of the project, upcoming Public Planning Meetings (4 total) and Public Hearings (2 total), and other pertinent project information.

**Appendix C – Public Participation Plan for Public Input Continuation**

**Public Participation Plan**  
COG Method of Distribution  
Hurricane Harvey CDBG-Disaster Recovery Allocation  
Public Participation Continuation

**Summary Information**

**Contact Information**

Council of Government (COG): **Houston-Galveston Area Council**

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City, State, Zip: **Houston, TX 77027**

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**Continuation of Public Participation for COG Method of Distribution of Hurricane Harvey CDBG Disaster Recovery Funds – Summary Form**

The Houston-Galveston Area Council (H-GAC) Board of Directors approved a Method of Distribution (MOD) for approximately \$241 million in Harvey recovery funds to support infrastructure projects and home buyouts/acquisitions outside the City of Houston and Harris County. The funds are part of the first round of Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds provided by the U.S Department of Housing and Urban Development to support long-term recovery in Texas. The MOD underwent a rigorous public input process that went above and beyond the requirements of the State of Texas General Land Office. Specific information, and city and county level allocations, can be viewed at [www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds](http://www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds).

The Texas General Land Office has reviewed the H-GAC Board-approved MOD and requested that H-GAC seek additional input on the Council of Government (COG) Method of Distribution for 2017 Hurricane Harvey CDBG-Disaster Recovery Allocation Summary Form (Summary Form) that accompanies the allocations. These forms focus on guidance supporting long-term recovery, affirmatively furthering fair housing, addressing unmet housing needs, and determining how economic revitalization and infrastructure activities contribute to long-term recovery.

H-GAC is continuing our Citizen Participation process by seeking input to help inform guidance we will make available to local governments as they plan and prioritize use of their allocated CDBG Disaster Recovery infrastructure and home buyout/ acquisition funds.

We are especially seeking input to the elements found on pages 5-8 of the Summary Form. We are not seeking comments on the H-GAC Board-approved allocation formula.



## Citizen and Non-Governmental Organization Outreach

H-GAC encourages 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):

The Houston-Galveston Area Council (H-GAC) plans to conduct citizen and non-governmental outreach via: a) broad announcement of opportunities for public comment, including one scheduled meeting; and b) directly communicating with faith-based organizations, housing and protected classes advocacy groups, community development organizations and other non-profits.

- a) H-GAC will implement a media campaign using local English and non-English newspapers to inform and invite the public to one public meeting and to participate in the public comment period. H-GAC will purchase public notices in advance of the public meeting in relevant Papers of General Circulation for all 12 eligible counties and identified non-English newspapers. A list of newspapers appears below. H-GAC will also provide press releases to all media outlets in the 13-county service area. H-GAC will post a notice of the public meeting and public comment period on the H-GAC website and in the H-GAC Community and Environmental Planning department newsletter. H-GAC will submit the notice to Texas General Land Office (GLO) representatives to post on the GLO website.

H-GAC will accept written comments on the Council of Government (COG) Method of Distribution for 2017 Hurricane Harvey CDBG-Disaster Recovery Allocation Summary Form (Summary Form) beginning at noon on Thursday, August 30, 2018, through noon Friday, September 14, 2018. A hard copy of the Summary Form will be made available for public inspection and comment at the H-GAC reception area at 3555 Timmons, Suite 120, Houston, TX 77027 throughout the comment period. H-GAC will also accept public comments on the Summary Form via the project website during the same timeframe.

### Public Meeting:

1. Date – September 10, 2018, 10 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Location – Houston-Galveston Area Council Offices, 3555 Timmons Lane (2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Conference Room), Houston, TX, 77027.
- b) H-GAC will communicate with faith-based organizations, housing and protected classes advocacy groups, community development organizations. A detailed spreadsheet labeled “Public Participation Plan Database” is attached. Direct contact will be made by e-mail. H-GAC will encourage the above-referenced entities to broadly disseminate the announcements at gatherings and meetings, newsletters, email lists and bulletin board postings.
  - c) H-GAC will submit all required documentation to the GLO as verification that the activities outlined in this plan were carried out.

### Newspapers of General Circulation and other identified non-English newspapers:

Anahuac Progress	Houston Chronicle
Bay City Tribune	Huntsville Item
Brazoria Facts	La Informacion
Colorado County Citizen	Sealy News
Conroe Courier	The Liberty County Vindicator
Fort Bend Herald	Vietnam Moi News
Forward Times	Waller Times
Galveston County News	Wharton Journal Spectator

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:

As mentioned in item (b) under the Citizen and Non-Governmental Organization Outreach section of this document, H-GAC will communicate with elected officials, city administrators, community development departments and housing authorities, local Health and Human Services offices, local mental health and MHMR offices, and representatives from the Local Union of Latin American Citizens (LULAC), Mexican American Legal Defense and Education Fund (MALDEF), the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP), Houston Hispanic Chamber of Commerce, African American Chamber of Commerce, and the Asian Chamber of Commerce and Disability Policy Consortium.

A detailed spreadsheet labeled "Public Participation Plan Database" is attached.

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

H-GAC will employ American Sign Language, Spanish and Vietnamese interpreters at the public meeting. H-GAC will post notices of the public comment period and public meeting in non-English newspapers.

## **Meeting #1 Materials**

**Public Planning Meetings Notes, Sign In Sheets and Comments**



## Public Planning Meeting Notes – June 4, 2018

The meeting was called to order at 2 p.m. Monday, June 4, 2018 at Wharton Civic Center, **1924 N. Fulton Street, Wharton, Texas. Jeff Taebel, H-GAC staff, presented information about the draft** Method of Distribution that apportions \$110,953,432 for local buyouts/acquisition and \$129,751,767 for infrastructure projects in 12 counties in the H-GAC region outside of Harris County. American Sign Language, Spanish, and Vietnamese interpreters were present and available as needed. H-GAC staff took comments from those in attendance who wished to comment. Sign in sheets from all public planning meetings and aggregate comments and responses follow. The meeting adjourned at 4 p.m.

## Public Planning Meeting Notes – June 5, 2018

The meeting was called to order at 6 p.m. Monday, June 4, 2018 at Helen Hall Library Meeting Room, **100 W. Walker Street, League City, Texas. Jeff Taebel, H-GAC staff, presented information about the draft** Method of Distribution that apportions \$110,953,432 for local buyouts/acquisition and \$129,751,767 for infrastructure projects in 12 counties in the H-GAC region outside of Harris County. American Sign Language, Spanish, and Vietnamese interpreters were present and available as needed. H-GAC staff took comments from those in attendance who wished to comment. Sign in sheets from all public planning meetings and aggregate comments and responses follow. The meeting adjourned at 8 p.m.

## Public Planning Meeting Notes – June 6, 2018

The meeting was called to order at 10 a.m. Wednesday, June 6, 2018 at Houston-Galveston Area Council, **3555 Timmons Lane, Houston, Texas. Jeff Taebel, H-GAC staff, presented information about the draft** Method of Distribution that apportions \$110,953,432 for local buyouts/acquisition and \$129,751,767 for infrastructure projects in 12 counties in the H-GAC region outside of Harris County. American Sign Language, Spanish, and Vietnamese interpreters were present and available as needed. H-GAC staff took comments from those in attendance who wished to comment. Sign in sheets from all public planning meetings and aggregate comments and responses follow. The meeting adjourned at 12 p.m.



## **Input Meeting Notes – June 6, 2018**

The meeting was called to order at 2 p.m. Wednesday, June 6, 2018 at Houston-Galveston Area Council, **3555 Timmons Lane, Houston, Texas. Jeff Taebel, H-GAC staff, presented information about the draft** Method of Distribution that apportions \$110,953,432 for local buyouts/acquisition and \$129,751,767 for infrastructure projects in 12 counties in the H-GAC region outside of Harris County. H-GAC staff took comments from those in attendance who wished to comment. Sign in sheets from all public planning meetings and aggregate comments and responses follow. The meeting adjourned at 4 p.m.

## **Public Planning Meeting Notes – June 7, 2018**

The meeting was called to order at 5 p.m. Thursday, June 7, 2018 at Liberty County Community Center, **318 San Jacinto, Liberty, Texas. Jeff Taebel, H-GAC staff, presented information about the draft** Method of Distribution that apportions \$110,953,432 for local buyouts/acquisition and \$129,751,767 for infrastructure projects in 12 counties in the H-GAC region outside of Harris County. American Sign Language, Spanish, and Vietnamese interpreters were present and available as needed. H-GAC staff took comments from those in attendance who wished to comment. Sign in sheets from all public planning meetings and aggregate comments and responses follow. The meeting adjourned at 7 p.m.



# PUBLIC PLANNING MEETING

## HURRICANE HARVEY CDBG DISASTER RECOVERY FUNDS

MONDAY, JUNE 4, 2018; 2-4 P.M., WHARTON CIVIC CENTER, 1924 N. FULTON STREET, WHARTON

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## HURRICANE HARVEY CDBG DISASTER RECOVERY FUNDS

TUESDAY, JUNE 5, 2018; 6-8 P.M., HELEN HALL LIBRARY MEETING ROOM, 100 W. WALKER STREET, LEAGUE CITY

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# PUBLIC PLANNING MEETING

## HURRICANE HARVEY CDBG DISASTER RECOVERY FUNDS

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 6, 2018; 10 AM - NOON., HOUSTON-GALVESTON AREA COUNCIL, 3555 TIMMONS LANE, HOUSTON

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# PUBLIC PLANNING MEETING

## HURRICANE HARVEY CDBG DISASTER RECOVERY FUNDS

THURSDAY, JUNE 7, 2018; 5-7 P.M., LIBERTY COUNTY COMMUNITY CENTER, 318 SAN JACINTO, LIBERTY

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MEETING	GENERAL INQUIRIES / COMMENTS / TIMING	COMMENT RECEIVED
Wharton	Will there be another MOD if more funding becomes available?	Verbally
Wharton	There needs to be some sort of tracker in the application to show that 70% of the projects are going to LMI	Verbally
League City	Who approves projects?	Verbally
League City	What's the process for communities who elect not to move forward with a buyout program?	Verbally
League City	When will we find out if our houses are being bought out so we know if we need to keep putting money into them and how much will the buy out be?	Verbally
League City	Past buyouts were pre-storm plus 10%	Verbally
League City	If you don't qualify for LMI, the hazard mitigation program can be used for buyouts. Check the GLO website to get your name on the list.	Verbally
League City	Go to the county list to be notified of projects	Verbally
League City	in the MOD, will H-GAC include a cut off date for spending funds so there aren't funds sitting out there	Verbally
League City	If we are not in the same area as Houston and Harris County, if more of the counties get money, where will it come from?	Verbally
League City	How long do we have to wait? Falling through the crack between the LMI and grant help. Using up insurance money to fix rental and not being able to fix our home not able to get any help.	Comment Card
League City	Informative. Speaker did well.	Comment Card
H-GAC	Can you spend the money if you don't meet LMI. Would like to see some guidance.	Verbally
H-GAC	What is the goal today - to reduce LMI?	Verbally
H-GAC	Money allocated is meaningless if you can't spend it.	Verbally
H-GAC	LMI waivers and need for local data to support ask to HUD for consideration. Also MOD has to be approved and included in state action plan to be approved. All approved sometime before September.	Verbally
H-GAC	After a method of distribution is finalized, please hold another discussion meeting for entities on how to apply for the available funds. Online resources would also be appreciated.	Comment Card
H-GAC	Where are the infrastructure projects coming from? Are they part of a process where there was public input. Are the projects going to address the most serious issues.	Verbally
Advocates	Ensure infrastructure needs are met at a baseline level and equitable for everyone.	Verbally
Advocates	Would all entities have to abide by H-GAC guidelines because some have capacity to do projects more than others.	Verbally
Advocates	Will jurisdictions set up their own buyout programs with their own rules because that's a terrible idea. There should be state-wide guidelines.	Verbally
Advocates	H-GAC needs to include some guidance in the MOD for how buyouts programs will work.	Verbally
Advocates	We are asking for prioritization for LMI because this is the only money they have	Verbally

MEETING	REALLOCATION STRUCTURE / DISTRIBUTION BY ELIGIBLE ENTITIES / BOARD ACTION	COMMENT RECEIVED
Wharton	Consider adjusting the reallocation structure to spread the wealth. Instead of Dickinson getting 100% of reallocated funds, give it 75% and give 25% to the next one.	Verbally
Wharton	If counties are allocated funds and they don't/can't use them or need them, can they roll them down to the cities?	Verbally
Wharton	In Ike counties could use the funds or any jurisdiction, is that different this time, and if it is, can there be a structure added to the MOD to allow counties to distribute funds to jurisdictions	Verbally
Wharton	What's the process to reallocate funds that aren't used for LMI?	Verbally
Wharton	If the county was to distribute the funds to a city, they should be allowed to do so.	Verbally
Wharton	Can we have a process in the MOD to allow the executive director follow the MOD and not have to go back to the Board every time?	Verbally
Wharton	In Ike, we had a set aside of funds for all jurisdictions. Will we have that for this?	Verbally
Wharton	Setting aside funds would be good because a lot of people were harmed in Wharton.	Verbally
Wharton	The MOD is not equitable. We need \$10 million set aside for each county.	Verbally
League City	If a jurisdiction gets money for buyouts but doesn't use it, can they roll it into infrastructure?	Verbally
League City	Remaining 20% should go to everyone, not just the three areas designated in Colorado, Matagorda and Waller counties.	Referring to Map
League City	if money floats back to the counties, can we allocate it to the cities?	Verbally
H-GAC	Is there a plan to allow for some of the buyout funds to be used for raising elevations like past programs?	Verbally
H-GAC	round 2 MOD ill have a better idea of need and can allocate differently	Verbally
H-GAC	80/20 split will affect the set-aside. May need to be more like \$5million	Verbally
H-GAC	Does the money need to be spent or allocated and rolled back to the counties to reallocate?	Verbally
H-GAC	Regarding the reallocation - what happens if the money goes back to the region? Why aren't all counties represented on the reallocation chart?	Verbally
H-GAC	Total damages vs. damages per capita may be a better tool for reallocation.	Verbally
Advocates	We want to ask H-GAC not to ask for waivers of the 70% LMI threshold. We'd prefer 100% LMI.	Verbally
Advocates	For infrastructure, was there anybody left out? Would they be eligible to ask their county for \$?	Verbally
Liberty	Once a county gets the funds, how is it distributed? Do the counties decide who will be eligible for buyouts? How will people know (Jay Knight, when the information about the distribution is made public, we will let people know - Public Management Man, in Liberty County, you can talk to the emergency management director to see if you can on their list of	Verbally

MEETING	DATA RECOMMENDATIONS & CONCERNS	COMMENT RECEIVED
Wharton	El Campo is not on the list to receive any funding. Consider using data other than damages data for weighting and distributions, such as ISD property valuations.	Verbally
Wharton	Many homes in Wharton flooded in 2015, 2016, and 2017. Either FEMA inspectors came out and denied claims for repetitive loss or residents didn't make claims because they didn't believe they'd get assistance, so using FEMA claims data is inaccurate.	Verbally
Wharton	Wharton did not get anything from FEMA, so these numbers are wrong.	Verbally
Wharton	FEMA numbers are wrong.	Verbally
Wharton	Should look at % of damage to home, not value because Wharton homes are low value.	Verbally
Wharton	I feel there needs to be a better and more fair method to find the basis for distribution. The number of claims is not accurate and home values and losses are not equally justified by blanketing all 12 counties.	Verbally
League City	How do we get access to the math H-GAC used? Are we obligated to use the FEMA data because it's bad.	Verbally
League City	Have we looked at central appraisal district information?	Verbally
League City	questions the number of homes damaged in Dickinson. The FEMA database is wrong	Verbally
League City	We have a map of every single residence damaged in Dickinson and sent it to FEMA	
League City	Difficult to believe that there's no database containing repetitively flooded houses. (Available through FEMA, both another resident disputed this data's accuracy as homes in his son's neighborhood have repeatedly flooded and aren't on the database)	
League City	LMI eliminates many eligible areas; FEMA numbers used to justify the allocation of dollars are way off; Galveston County sustained most damages so the county should receive the most reallocation of dollars.	Comment Card
League City	I attended the meeting in League City last night and I was appalled by how far off your numbers were for damages for Galveston county. Just for League City, Dickinson and Friendswood you can take the total number of damaged homes and multiply by two to three times. Of those homes flooded going by you definition of severe 80% of those homes would fall into the	Email, post-meeting
H-GAC	Weighting based on hard \$ amounts is wrong when whole low income properties can be gone and are less than \$28,000. why not use percentage of damage instead?	Verbally
H-GAC	Does the MOD use the same dataset for housing and infrastructure? Were any other datasets considered for infrastructure such as FEMA Public Assistance Data. (It's not usable or complete) We submitted our data to FEMA. We are being penalized because they have not input the data?	Verbally
Advocates	FEMA data undercounts LMI, people of color and low-income renters. Data is heavily weighted to higher income areas. Texas Housing has some weighting data available based on income. Overall our concerns are around equity and civil rights.	Verbally
Advocates	CDBG-DR threshold for fund allocation should be set at 70% or more for LMI communities.	Verbally
Liberty	What format is the FEMA data base in? Is it available online? (Jeff will check and get back to him)	

MEETING	FORMULA CHANGES / WEIGHTING	COMMENT RECEIVED
Wharton	Consider weighting claims per capita instead population. Wharton county has a smaller number of claims, but the number per capita is likely greater than other counties.	Verbally
Wharton	The MOD should include a floor to account for smaller communities.	Verbally
Wharton	The model on the spreadsheet looks fine, but it's not because Wharton county is left out.	Verbally
Wharton	If you use the % of homes in a jurisdiction, Wharton will come out better.	Verbally
Wharton	When will the 5% administrative fee not being used by Houston and Harris County be added back into the funding and be reflected in the MOD?	Verbally
Wharton	Explain the weighting formula to show the presence of potential buyout properties	Verbally
Wharton	Coastal Counties need weights for infrastructure	Verbally
Wharton	Please place a baseline, non-housing, appropriation of non-housing funds in each effected county, of at least 10 million dollars.	Comment Card
League City	can we get a waiver for lowering the threshold for LMI for projects to 50%, like Ike? Otherwise we have a lot of projects that won't be included.	Comment Card
H-GAC	Real properties owned or rentals won't be accurate. Renters didn't fill out FEMA claims and have no resources. We need to look at rentals in the assessment.	Comment Card
H-GAC	Some counties and cities are exception grantees. Can we get some clarification if we will use our exception or need to use the 70% LMI for projects	Verbally
H-GAC	is LMI calculated at project level or jurisdictional level? it needs to be at project level.	Verbally
H-GAC	Is there a way to prove LMI. A lot of Fort Bend is higher income and won't be able to meet LMI requirements	Verbally
H-GAC	We need a baseline set-aside of \$10 million to get started	Verbally
H-GAC	likes the idea of a set aside so we can start working	Verbally
Advocates	Need clarification on overall benefit rules (70% LMI) and exception grantee % vs. 50 % or more LMI for area benefit projects.	Verbally
Advocates	Calculation and process needs to consider who's being served by projects	Verbally
Advocates	For buyouts, we're particularly concerned with equity. Make sure it's an equitable amount to help the resident relocate, not a % of the value of the home. Need to be enough to help the resident move to a similar home in a safe area.	Verbally
Advocates	If you're a homeowner and can't prove the you had X amount of damage, you are left out. We will provide information on weighting for income levels	Verbally
Liberty	Can you explain how you came up with the dollar amounts?	Verbally
Liberty	70% of the projects need to be LMI projects	Verbally

MEETING	COMMUNITY - SPECIFIC REQUESTS	COMMENT RECEIVED
Wharton	The West side of the city is underfunded in every storm, has severe damage and should be looked at.	Verbally
Wharton	Can H-GAC double check the math as some counties are receiving significantly more funds than Wharton County.	Verbally
Wharton	Wharton is a low-income city. What's severe in Montgomery County may be minor in Wharton.	Verbally
Wharton	Page 6 and page 12 for Wharton County don't match. Page 22, Austin county is in the 100s and Wharton county is in the 1000s, why are they getting \$4million and Wharton County is getting \$2 million	Verbally
Wharton	The west side of Wharton has poor infrastructure.	Verbally
Wharton	Do not take away from Austin County.	Comment Card
League City	Add Galveston County to the reallocation process, order.	Verbally
League City	In Bay ridge in League City, almost every house flooded and damages for everyone one of them were more than \$28,000 . How is our neighborhood more than Dickinson?	Verbally
League City	Using percentage of damages instead of \$28k number because they will be different. {responding to comment above}	Verbally
H-GAC	How is Walker County 354,000 if we're no, but Waller County is 200,000 and they are yes?	Verbally
H-GAC	A \$10 million set-aside will cut Fort Bend's allocation in half	Verbally

MEETING	PERSONAL REQUESTS / COMMENTS OUTSIDE PROJECT PURVIEW	COMMENT RECEIVED
League City	what happens if you (don't) have flood insurance? Shouldn't we also be looking at how many times homes flooded in the past? Suggests we look at how many times houses have flooded.	Verbally
League City	Has a list of 924 homes that have flooded. People who make more than the minimum income aren't eligible for funds.	Verbally
League City	Hidden Lakes and Bay ridge Developments suffered from 12+ inches water in homes. Are you dredging the Bayous and Creeks and Streams in low areas? Gum Bayou and Creek on S. Shore	Comment Card
H-GAC	if you are looking at pain and hurt, 90% is more painful than 30%	Verbally



## **Meeting #2 Materials**

**Public Hearings Notes, Sign In Sheets, Comments and Responses**



## Public Hearing Notes – June 28, 2018

The meeting was called to order at 5 p.m. Thursday, June 28, 2018 at Courtyard by Marriott Houston Katy Mills, **25402 Katy Mills Parkway, Katy, Texas. Kathy Janhsen, H-GAC staff, presented information about the draft** Method of Distribution that apportions \$110,953,432 for local buyouts/acquisition and \$129,751,767 for infrastructure projects in 12 counties in the H-GAC region outside of Harris County. American Sign Language, Spanish, and Vietnamese interpreters were present and available as needed. H-GAC staff took comments from those in attendance who wished to comment. Sign in sheets from both public hearings and aggregate comments and responses follow. The meeting adjourned at 7 p.m.

## Public Hearing Notes – June 29, 2018

The meeting was called to order at 10 a.m. Friday, June 29, 2018 at Homewood Suites by Hilton Conroe, **3000 Interstate 45 North, Conroe, Texas. Kathy Janhsen, H-GAC staff, presented information about the draft** Method of Distribution that apportions \$110,953,432 for local buyouts/acquisition and \$129,751,767 for infrastructure projects in 12 counties in the H-GAC region outside of Harris County. American Sign Language, Spanish, and Vietnamese interpreters were present and available as needed. H-GAC staff took comments from those in attendance who wished to comment. Sign in sheets from both public hearings and aggregate comments and responses follow. The meeting adjourned at noon.







# PUBLIC PLANNING MEETING

## HURRICANE HARVEY CDBG DISASTER RECOVERY FUNDS

FRIDAY, JUNE 29, 2018; 10 AM - NOON, HILTON HOMEWOOD SUITES, 3000 INTERSTATE 45 NORTH, CONROE

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\* Representatives from The Woodlands Township attended, but failed to sign in. Same w/ Montgomery County.

CDBG MOD Hurricane Harvey  
Public Comments – July 11, 2018

#	DATE RCVD	FORM	SUBMITTED BY	COMMENTS	H-GAC RESPONSE
1	5/31/2018	Email / Letter	Judge Sylvia, Chambers County	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Why is Baytown included in part of the HGAC allocation? The portion of Baytown that is within the Chambers County limits has relatively little population and none of it is LMI. Additionally, Baytown will likely be included in the Harris County direct allocation where they stand to receive a significant allocation. We would recommend that Baytown's allocations for both Buyout/Acquisition and Infrastructure be re-allocated to Chambers County.</li> <li>2. What is the process for allocating funds to jurisdictions with little-to-no LMI populations. For example, the City of Friendswood and League City are allocated approximately \$9.7 million for Buyout/Acquisition and \$9.4 for Infrastructure. Since 70% of the allocation must be spent on LMI projects, how does Friendswood and League City expect to expend these large allocations - which are significantly more than Chambers County? It does not seem right to allocate funds to a community and let these funds sit when they could be re-allocated to another community where they can be spent in accordance with the CDBG regulations.</li> <li>3. I noticed that the methodology accounts for raw figures based on FEMA's "IA" as well as "Weighted Damage Levels" (<i>which is not clearly defined</i>). However, does this data assess the damage assessment based on damage claims per capita? In other words, given Chambers County's relatively low population totals compared to other county's and jurisdictions, is consideration given based on the total damage reported and/or claimed per capita compared to other jurisdictions similar reports and claims? If so, where is this detailed? If not, we would recommend this assessment be conducted to ensure a fair allocation of resources.</li> </ol>	<p>H-GAC did not include damage claims from the Harris County side of Baytown. Only the Chambers County portion of Baytown is included in Method of Distribution.</p> <p>The Method of Distribution does not include a factor for LMI and is based solely on housing damage, weighted for severity. The requirement of 70% of the aggregate CDBG-DR funds be utilized for the benefit of low- or moderate-income population is established in the Federal Register. All jurisdictions, regardless of the relative size of their LMI populations, will be required to meet the LMI beneficiary requirement.</p> <p>The Method of Distribution does not consider per capita or percent damage of a community. However, H-GAC has recommended a reallocation hierarchy that will redirect funding which cannot be utilized to jurisdictions that have the highest percentage of housing damage.</p>
2	6/19/2018	Email / Letter	Judge Spenrath, Wharton County	<p>I respectfully request that you and HGAC staff please generate at least two additional allocation formulas for regional distribution of upcoming CBDG Disaster Recovery Funds as related to Hurricane Harvey relief efforts.</p> <p>My two asks: 1) Please generate a new plan that sets aside a \$10 million base allocation for any and all HUD designated governmental entities (cities/conn ties) that experienced housing damage in excess of 25% of their total qualified housing units. All governmental entities experiencing less than 25% total housing damage would then follow HGAC's currently proposed allocation system utilizing the remaining balance of CBDG grant funds for infrastructure improvements.</p> <p>Ex/ Wharton County recorded 2,210 damage claims out of county total 7,799 housing units. Thus, Wharton County's percentage of housing damage is 28.34% and would thereby qualify for the upfront \$10 million base set aside.</p> <p>2) Please generate a new allocation plan that removes Wharton County from the HUD grouping of <i>HUD Most Impacted Areas</i> (80% designated funding) and in turn</p>	<p>H-GAC developed an alternative scenario Method of Distribution which sets aside a \$10 million base allocation for eligible entities that experienced housing damage to more than 25% of their total qualified housing units. The H-GAC Board of Directors considered this scenario, as well as the draft Method of Distribution published on June 21, 2018, at the July 17, 2018, Board Meeting. H-GAC submitted original Method of Distribution to the GLO, based on the Board's recommendation.</p> <p>Inclusion of jurisdictions within the <i>HUD Most Impacted Areas</i> is established in the Federal Register. Re-designation of a jurisdiction to the <i>State Most Impacted Areas</i> is beyond the discretion available to H-GAC in its Method of Distribution.</p>

				place it in the grouping labeled <i>State Most Impacted Areas</i> (20% designated funding).	
3	6/21/2018	Online Comment Form	Joel Hardy, City of Pearland (Brazoria County)	<p>1. Future documentation outlining the Method of Distribution (MOD) should specify that a County's allocation is for unincorporated areas AND/OR those that do not have allocations of \$1 million (buyouts) or \$100,000 (infrastructure). Not doing so leaves this to question.</p> <p>2. The State should clarify the applicable rules for planning purposes, as there have been a number of conflicting responses related to regulatory matters involving certain requirements/provisions: a. The City has received various, conflicting responses from the State to the question as to whether a jurisdiction that is an Exception Grantee can utilize its exception percentage for planning purposes OR the typical 51% or more below-moderate income for an area-benefit project. A fact sheet or FAQ should be created to clarify. b. The State should clarify the interpretation of rules related to the requirement that no less than 70% of CDBG funds must be used on activities that serve those that are low-moderate income. The sentiments expressed at the June 6, 2018 meeting at HGAC indicate there is confusion. A fact sheet or FAQ should be created to clarify.</p> <p>3. The regional council of government and/or the State should provide potential subrecipients with any and all State CDBG program statutes/regulations that will apply to the use of CDBG-DR funds, indifferent to those that normally apply to Participating Jurisdictions and/or Entitlement Jurisdictions as direct recipients of CDBG funds.</p> <p>4. The State should solicit more information directly from potential subrecipients about the damages Hurricane Harvey caused in their communities, as FEMA's process may fail to capture all losses incurred by cities and/or counties in the disaster-affected region.</p>	<p>The following statement was added to the Method of Distributions submitted to the GLO on July 17, 2018:</p> <p><i>Allocations to counties in H-GAC's Method of Distribution may be used in unincorporated areas and/or cities that are below the respective allocation thresholds.</i></p> <p>H-GAC will share feedback regarding LMI and CDBG funding requirements with the GLO. Addressing LMI requirements is beyond the discretion available to H-GAC in its Method of Distribution.</p>
4	6/22/2018	Online Comment Form	David Douglas, Grant Administrator (Liberty County)	Excluding Harris County, there are 12 other counties in the HGAC Region. Earlier information has indicated that Liberty County will receive up to approximately 11 million dollars for housing and infrastructure. As an issue of distribution, HGAC should take the sum of available funding and award same on even percentages for the 12 remaining counties.	The GLO requires that the Method of Distribution be based on a comprehensive, publicly available data source. Additionally, there is a federal requirement that 80% of the funds must be spent in <i>Most Impacted Areas</i> (as defined by HUD). The remaining 20% may be spent in the <i>Impacted Areas</i> as defined by the State of Texas.
5	6/25/2018	Online Comment Form	Jimmy Henry, Commissioner (Walker County)	Jeff, I'm hoping that the funds proposed for Walker County will remain the same. As you know, our County is an economic disadvantaged county. Out of all 254 counties, we rank the 12 poorest due to all the state and federal land that is not taxable in our county. I would appreciate your consideration in leaving the proposed funds as is. Thanks, Jimmy Henry	H-GAC has noted the feedback presented in this comment.



6	6/27/2018	Online Comment Form	Mindi Snyder, City of El Campo (Wharton County)	The City of El Campo did not suffer damage due to Hurricane Harvey, but like many other entities, we have many unmet needs and mitigation funding for flooding is something that would certainly help development in our City and we intend to try to apply for funding as Wharton County is included in the allocation. The problem with the funding allocation is that it is not remotely equitable as Wharton County had the most damage in terms of actual homes and received far less funding than others with less damage. The County is limiting funding to the City in any manner, including assistance with improving a gravel road that will serve a 540 Acre Rail Served Industrial park that the City is working to obtain because they have spent so much on Harvey and have nothing so we are trying any method we can to try to make improvements locally as we do flood when we have a severe rain event and this unfair allocation limits our ability to be funded.	H-GAC developed an alternative scenario Method of Distribution which sets aside a \$10 million base allocation for eligible entities that experienced housing damage to more than 25% of their total qualified housing units. The H-GAC Board of Directors considered this scenario, as well as the draft Method of Distribution published on June 21, 2018, at the July 17, 2018, Board Meeting. H-GAC submitted original Method of Distribution to the GLO, based on the Board's recommendation.
7	6/29/2018	Oral Comment	R. Pennington, City of Cleveland (Liberty County)	The City of Liberty is supportive of Cleveland's rank as 5th on the re-allocation ranking. The City requests the quick release of allocated funds.	Liberty County ranks 5 <sup>th</sup> in H-GAC's proposed reallocation method, not the City of Cleveland.
8	6/29/2018	Oral Comment	Montgomery County - Name not provided	The Montgomery County takes issue with the 70% low-to-moderate income level requirement. The County takes issue with its inability to swap infrastructure and / or housing funds within its allocation, as well as with other entities. The County has sought / may seek a waiver regarding the 70% low-to-moderate income level requirement with GLO.	The requirement of 70% of the aggregate CDBG-DR funds to be utilized for the benefit of low- or moderate-income population is established in the Federal Register. H-GAC will share this feedback regarding a waiver and the swapping of funds with the GLO, but these actions are beyond the discretion available to H-GAC in its Method of Distribution.
9	7/2/2018	Online Comment Form	Morad Kabiri, City of Friendswood (Galveston County)	Due to a limited number of potentially eligible recipients for Buyouts/Acquisitions, the City of Friendswood would like consideration for the transfer of allocated funds from Housing to Infrastructure. Public infrastructure projects have been identified that would have a far more significant impact (positively) to homeowners damaged by Harvey; by reducing the potential for damage from future storms.	The funding allocated for buyouts/acquisitions and infrastructure projects are limited to the eligible categories outlined in the GLO's State Action Plan. Any transfer of funds between these categories would require approval by the GLO and HUD and is beyond the discretion available to H-GAC in its Method of Distribution. H-GAC will share this feedback regarding transferring funds from Buyouts/Acquisitions to Infrastructure with the GLO.
10	7/2/2018	Online Comment Form	Kate Rainey, Texas RioGrande Legal Aid (Galveston County)	The State Action Plan on p.87 lists the Local MOD requirements. One of these requirements is to have a plan to meet the 70% low- and moderate-income targeting requirements. Can you confirm how HGAC took these income targeting requirements into account? Please provide a copy of the plan for public review on your website as soon as possible. Thank you.	The Method of Distribution does not include a factor for Low- to Moderate-Income Households (LMI) and is based solely on housing damage, weighted for severity. The rationale and methodology behind this weighting are available on H-GAC's website. The requirement of 70% of the aggregate CDBG-DR funds be utilized for the benefit of low- or moderate-income population is established in the Federal Register which is reiterated in GLO's State Action Plan.
11	7/4/2018	Email / Letter	Sherry McKibben, City of Huntsville (Walker County)	I was nice seeing everyone again. I would like HGAC to consider this when deciding on the distribution of Harvey funding. While I know we did not suffer as much as some, we did and still do have damage. So, please consider how much funding those areas that have received direct funding from the Federal Government and/or are entitlement areas. These areas have received a lot of funding, but the rest of us have not received anything. We need help also and when we are competing at every level, I would hope that our COG would support all the areas by considering who has an has not received funds to help rebuild.	As per the requirements of the GLO State Action Plan, H-GAC based its Method of Distribution solely on reported damage, weighted for severity. Since this Congressionally-authorized funding is to aid communities in their recovery from damages sustained as a result of Hurricane Harvey, H-GAC did not take into account federal funding received by jurisdictions owing to past disasters or entitlement programs.

12	7/6/2018	Online Comment Form	Nicole Walliser (Galveston County)	The city of Friendswood has built a 60" drain to end the back of the Laurelfield subdivision and ties new downtown development into this drain. There is no retention basin, and it ends short of clear creek. Since its installation the homes on Quaker Bend seem to have flooded more frequently. Then Harvey created a first-time flood for the homes in our development. Upstream development into a bottlenecked Clear Creek is exacerbating this situation as well. Harris county projects appear to address upstream but I have yet to see a path forward on debottlenecking downstream. Please require drainage improvements be made with consideration of downstream impact, and debottleneck clear creek downstream/ throughout Friendswood.	H-GAC has been tasked with developing a Method of Distribution for allocating federal Disaster Recovery funds for housing buyouts/acquisitions and infrastructure in response to damage caused by Hurricane Harvey. However, establishing specific requirements for local drainage improvement requirements are the responsibility of local governments and are beyond the discretion available to H-GAC in its Method of Distribution.
13	7/6/2018	Online Comment Form	Maria Salas (Galveston County)	How about the people in this area. Nothing has been done since Harvey. Can we get an estimate on a buyout or have our home raised? Where are all the millions of dollars going?SMH	H-GAC has been tasked with developing a Method of Distribution for allocating federal Disaster Recovery funds for housing buyouts/acquisitions and infrastructure in response to damage caused by Hurricane Harvey. Identifying properties to be included in a buyout/acquisition program is the responsibility of local governments and are outside the purview of H-GAC's Method of Distribution.
14	7/6/2018	Online Comment Form	Ronald Lovely (Galveston County)	(1) A non-Harris County/Houston jurisdiction should be allocated the same average \$s per damaged structure as Harris County/Houston. (2) Waivers should be granted for jurisdictions that show they will use the funds for improvement plans that save 5 homes for every one that they buy. (e.g. Clear Creek drainage plans being discussed by the City of Friendswood). (3) Funds should be denied for upstream projects on Clear Creek unless the projects include funding for down stream cities to drain the water they get from upstream cities in a Harvey-like or Allison-like or Claudette-like storm.	Overall allocations for Harris County, the City of Houston, and the <i>HUD Most Impacted Areas</i> and <i>State Most Impacted Area</i> were established in the Federal Register and are beyond the discretion available to H-GAC in its Method of Distribution. Selection of individual projects are the responsibility of local governments, though these projects must be approved by the GLO. H-GAC will share this feedback with the GLO.
15	7/6/2018	Online Comment Form	Sarah Van Riper (Galveston County)	I think we need to widen and straighten Clear Creek especially downstream of Dixie Farm and build a canal for the water to get to the Gulf at Chocolate Bay. Similar to the successful Highland Bayou diversionary canal that was built to drain Santa Fe. This solution will require buying out homes too close to the creek. There are many examples all over the country where a diversionary canal solved a city's flooding problems. The area can be turned into parklands that will attract businesses and increase property values.	H-GAC has been tasked with developing a Method of Distribution for allocating federal Disaster Recovery funds for housing buyouts/acquisitions and infrastructure in response to damage caused by Hurricane Harvey. Developing and scheduling projects are the responsibility of local governments and outside the purview of this project.
16	7/6/2018	Online Comment Form	Deborah January-Bevers, Houston Wilderness (Fort Bend County)	Houston Wilderness voices our support for H-GAC's Hurricane Harvey Funding Draft Method of Distribution. This allocation for disaster funding, and accompanying State Action Plan, will allow implementation of critically-impacted buyouts and proposed nature-based infrastructure (NBI) projects for our region, including funds for maintenance, drainage, detention, mitigation and erosion control. All these efforts will make our region stronger as large rain and wind events continue to occur across our rural, suburban and urban landscapes. Houston Wilderness works with a broad-based alliance of business, environmental and government groups to protect, preserve and promote the 10 ecoregions in our 13+ county region. We do so by convening, problem-solving and educating on various	H-GAC has noted the feedback presented in this comment.

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17	7/6/2018	Online Comment Form	Tim Barker, City of Wharton (Wharton County)	<p>Both the City of Wharton and Wharton County allocations have been severally under funded in comparison to State Most Impacted Counties (State MIC) as a result of being designated a HUD Most Impact County (HUD-MIC). The Board is requested to adjust the allocations by removing Wharton County from the HUD-MIC list to the State MIC list. This action will more accurately allocate resources to our city and county. A small rural county cannot reasonably be compared to larger urban counties when determining impacts is limited only to the number of households impacted. Regarding the proposed Reallocation Procedure, it seems that a prorated basis should be considered rather than a simple ordered listing as proposed. It is noted that Wharton city percent of total damage claims is not listed. Surely the percentage is higher than the lowest provided of 2.38%.</p>	<p>H-GAC developed an alternative scenario Method of Distribution which sets aside a \$10 million base allocation for eligible entities that experienced housing damage to more than 25% of their total qualified housing units. The H-GAC Board of Directors considered this scenario, as well as the draft Method of Distribution published on June 21, 2018, at the July 17, 2018, Board Meeting. H-GAC submitted original Method of Distribution to the GLO, based on the Board's recommendation.</p> <p>Inclusion of jurisdictions within the <i>HUD Most Impacted Areas</i> is established in the Federal Register. Re-designation of a jurisdiction to the <i>State Most Impacted Areas</i> is beyond the discretion available to H-GAC in its Method of Distribution.</p>
18	7/6/2018	Online Comment Form & Email / Letter	Brennan Griffin, Texas Appleseed (Fort Bend County)	<p>We appreciate the opportunity to provide comments on the HGAC's Method of Distribution (MOD) covering \$240,705,199 in Community Development Block Grant for Disaster Recovery (CDBG-DR) funds allocated by the State of Texas in its Action Plan.</p> <p>Texas Appleseed is a public interest justice center that works to change unjust laws and policies that prevent Texans from realizing their full potential. Since Hurricanes Katrina and Rita in 2005, Texas Appleseed has worked with a network of organizations in Texas, including housing advocates, policy experts, and grassroots community groups, to ensure that all Texas families are able to recover in the wake of a natural disaster, that communities are rebuilt to be more resilient, and that all families have the opportunity to live in safe, decent neighborhoods with equal access to educational and economic opportunity.</p> <p>We do not believe that H-GAC's MOD is compliant with GLO requirements as it does not follow the MOD form provided by GLO and consists only of data and allocation tables. It provides no further information on the details of the buyout or infrastructure programs, nor does it contain any information on the public participation process, how HGAC's MOD furthers long term recovery, unmet</p>	<p>As outlined in a Citizen Participation Plan submitted to the GLO on May 18, 2018, H-GAC implemented a media campaign using local English and non-English newspapers to inform and invite the public to four Public Planning Meetings and two Public Hearings. H-GAC posted notices of these meetings in relevant Papers of General Circulation for all 12 eligible counties and on the H-GAC, General Land Office, and the Secretary of State websites.</p> <p>H-GAC accepted written comments on the draft Method of Distribution beginning at 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, June 21, 2018 through 4:00 p.m. Friday, July 6, 2018. Comments were accepted by mail, through an online form, and in person at two public hearings.</p> <p>The Method of Distribution does not include a factor for Low- to Moderate-Income Households (LMI) and is based solely on housing damage, weighted for severity. The methodology behind this weighting are available on H-GAC's website.</p> <p>The requirement of 70% of the aggregate CDBG-DR funds to be utilized for the benefit of low- or moderate-income population is established in the Federal Register and is reiterated in the GLOS's State Action Plan. The responsibility for developing</p>

			<p>housing needs, the LMI income requirement, or affirmatively furthering fair housing. HGAC must produce a complete and compliant MOD for public comment.</p> <p>We offer the following comments on what needs to be included in HGAC’s MOD:</p> <p><b>A. Local Buyout and Acquisition Program:</b></p> <p>Program guidelines for this program must be developed in a transparent process with extensive community input. Local communities must have a citizen participation process for drafting buyout guidelines. Regardless of whether these planned buyouts are voluntary or mandatory, relocating, away from an existing community or a home that has been in a family for generations, can be difficult and even traumatic. Without planning and community buy-in, a voluntary individual buyout program can result in a patchwork of empty and occupied homes, creating a blighted neighborhood. One of the critical issues in ensuring a successful buyout program is equity and ensuring that program rules and processes do not have a disparate impact on particular groups of homeowners.</p> <p>Local buyout and acquisition programs must also prioritize LMI households in floodways and floodplains, who have the least resources with which to relocate on their own, leaving them a choice between housing instability and potential homelessness, or continuing to live in homes that may be structurally compromised or present health risks because of mold. It is particularly critical for LMI families that this buyout program includes not only acquisition and demolition, but relocation payments and other assistance and incentives as well. As the Federal Register Notice states, “a buyout program that merely pays homeowners to leave their existing homes does not result in a low- and moderate-income household occupying a residential structure and, thus, cannot meet the requirements of the LMH national objective.” (83 FR 5863) Local buyout programs should include plans to build housing in safer areas.</p> <p>Low- and moderate-income households must be provided with enough funds that the choice to move is a realistic one (or to ensure that they can actually move to a safer area in the case of mandatory buyouts.) The worst-case scenario is that families who accept a buyout are unable to find housing in safer areas and are forced to move back into their original or less safe neighborhoods.</p> <p>The decision of whether to use pre- or post-storm home value is an important one. In particular, using the pre-storm value of a home to determine disaster recovery program benefit limits often has a discriminatory impact on the basis of race or ethnicity as well. Following Hurricane Katrina, the National Fair Housing Alliance (NFHA), the Greater New Orleans Fair Housing Action Center (GNOFAC), and African-American homeowners sued the State of Louisiana and the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) alleging racial discrimination in the State’s CDBG-DR funded Road Home Program, which provided grants to homeowners to repair or rebuild their homes. The original grant formula was based on the pre-storm value of a home, which resulted in African-American homeowners receiving less repair money than White homeowners, because their homes were located in neighborhoods with lower home values based on market discrimination and the legacy of segregation. Many African-American families were left unable to complete repairs or return home or living in</p>	<p>specific projects that meet this threshold will rest with local governments. In the event that local governments are unable to deliver eligible projects, H-GAC has recommended a reallocation hierarchy that will redirect funding which cannot be utilized to jurisdictions that have the highest percentage of housing damage.</p> <p>H-GAC is not proposing as part of this Method of Distribution any additional requirements on local implementation of buyout/acquisition or infrastructure projects beyond those that have been established in in the Federal Register or GLO’s State Action Plan. H-GAC will provide the feedback regarding additional policies for buyouts/acquisitions to the GLO.</p>
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19	7/6/2018	Online Comment Form	Amelia Adams, Texas Housers (Austin County)	<p>Using FEMA-Verified Loss categories will reproduce inequality in disaster funding designation. FEMA damage levels (FVL) are not adequate to determine allocation of funding. They rely on personal property damage for renters, which undercounts these households, leaving them out of the calculation of need. The "weighted damage" calculation will also further undercount households that were found to have low FVL levels due to the pre-existing condition or low value pre-storm value of their home. As a result, H-GAC should not rely entirely on this data to determine where funding will be distributed. The income (and hence ability to pay) of disaster survivors should be considered when determining whether they will require funding to recover. One way to accomplish this is to utilize the methodology recommended by Texas Housers in response to the Draft Action Plan. This methodology factors in the income level (ELI/VLI/LI) of the household when a threshold for unmet need. In other words, there is a lower threshold for unmet need among lower income households because they are more likely to require outside aid to recover. More research and planning is needed to impactfully and equitably designate buyout funding. The Buyout and Acquisition Program's allocation methodology is seriously flawed. The first problem is that it assumes damage weights will reflect the suitability of these areas for buyouts, not to mention the fact that the damage was caused by flooding, as opposed to wind. Within the H-GAC region, the majority of Harvey damage claims appears to be, in fact, caused by flooding and not wind,</p>	<p>The GLO requires that the Method of Distribution be based on data that represents actual needs for a comprehensive data source. H-GAC is aware that there are other data sources available. However, the FEMA data is the most comprehensive data source for the region, and it is imperative that data be consistent between all 12 counties and 118 cities in the project area.</p> <p>H-GAC reviewed the methodology recommended by Texas Housers in response to the State Action Plan. However, it determined that its own methodology, which included the full range of damage claims, including the Minor-Low and Minor-High categories, was more suitable for the purposes of establishing a Method of Distribution.</p> <p>H-GAC is not proposing as part of this Method of Distribution any additional requirements on local implementation of buyout/acquisition or infrastructure projects beyond those that have been established in the Federal Register or in the GLO's State Action Plan. However, we will share the comments regarding additional policies for buyouts/acquisitions and infrastructure projects with the GLO.</p>



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20	7/6/2018	Online Comment Form	June Tyler, City of Baytown (Chambers County)	<p>In the MOD, the City of Baytown was allocated funding for buyouts/acquisition. If the City chooses not to expend this full allocation on buyouts/acquisition, we would like to expend the difference on eligible infrastructure projects. Will H-GAC administer a Housing program region-wide, including within the Baytown City limits? Or will the City of Baytown have to apply for funding and self-administer a housing program for homes damaged within the City limits? The City would like H-GAC to complete eligible housing projects within the City limits. Since Baytown is already included in the MOD, does this disqualify Baytown from any competitive application process made available by H-GAC? Does H-GAC plan to administer all programs (housing and infrastructure) for the entire region including each jurisdiction receiving an allocation? Or, will H-GAC allow jurisdictions to "self-administer" if they are able to show capacity and a proven track record on similar programs with similar allocations? The City of Baytown is interested in administering its own buyout and infrastructure programs. Given that the approval of the MOD and resulting distribution of funds could take months to complete, the City of Baytown would like to immediately procure the administration of infrastructure and buyout services.</p>	<p>The funding allocated for buyouts/acquisitions and infrastructure projects are limited to the eligible categories outline in the GLO's State Action Plan. Any transfer of funds between these categories would require approval by the GLO and HUD.</p> <p>Only the Chambers County portion of Baytown is included in Method of Distribution. Any funding the City intends to pursue within the portion of Baytown within Harris County will need to be pursued through the Harris County program.</p> <p>Direct housing assistance programs will be administered by Harris County and, for the Chambers County portion of Baytown, by the GLO. Beyond development of the MOD, H-GAC will not be directly administering either the buyouts/acquisition or infrastructure programs. These programs will be administered by Harris County in the Harris County portion and by the GLO in the Chambers County portion. H-GAC's only continued involvement following the approval of the MOD will be to authorize reallocation of funds should a jurisdiction be unable to expend the funds allocated to it under the MOD. H-GAC has recommended a reallocation</p>

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## **Meeting #3 Materials**



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**HOUSTON-GALVESTON AREA COUNCIL**

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## **Public Meeting Notes – September 10, 2018**

The meeting was called to order at 10 a.m. Monday, September 10, 2018 at Houston-Galveston Area Council, 3555 Timmons Lane, Houston, Texas. Six people were in attendance.

Jeff Taebel, H-GAC staff, presented information about the Method of Distribution that apportions \$110,953,432 for local buyouts/acquisition and \$129,751,767 for infrastructure projects in 12 counties in the H-GAC region outside of Harris County and specifically requested additional input on information provided in the *Council of Government (COG) Method of Distribution for 2017 Hurricane Harvey CDBG-Disaster Recovery Allocation Summary Form*.

Spanish, and Vietnamese interpreters were present and available as needed. An American Sign Language interpreter was requested and confirmed but did not attend. No one in attendance needed the services of language interpreters.

H-GAC staff took comments from those in attendance who wished to comment. A sign in sheet from this public meeting and aggregate comments and responses from the public comment period (8-30-18—9-14-18) follow. The meeting adjourned at noon.



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Public Comment Continuation: August 30, 2018 – September 14, 2018

#	DATE RCVD	FORM	SUBMITTED BY	COMMENTS	H-GAC RESPONSE
1	9/4/2018	Public Comment Form (Online)	Michael Coon, City Manager, City of Richwood	Why cities with less than 5,000 housing units were left off the grant reallocation method? As a percentage of total housing in the damaged area, Richwood has a higher percentage and there are a lot of improvements that could be done in Richwood with funds that may be available through reallocation. For instance, Brazoria County is #8 on the reallocation list, but if you were to look at just Richwood, we would be in the top 3. I think we should get a portion of any funds that are reallocated, now granted it would be smaller than most due to our smaller size, but I don't know why we don't use the previous formula for any funds that are to be reallocated. At 332 homes damaged, the City of Richwood had about 28 percent of our homes damaged.	<p>Thank you for your comment.</p> <p>The 5,000-unit threshold was established to ensure that reallocated funds will benefit communities with the greatest concentration of damages, not the largest percent by damage. Additionally, while the Texas General Land Office has set a minimum allocation threshold of \$1,000,0000 for housing buyouts/acquisitions, Brazoria County could elect to direct funds from its allocation to support these activities in the City of Richwood.</p> <p>Your comments will be passed along to the H-GAC Board of Directors and the Texas General Land Office.</p>
2	9/7/2018	Public Comment Form (Online)	Kimberly Avila, Homeowner in Montgomery County	We believe that the CBDG funds received from the Federal Government should be allocated for buyouts to the homeowners that were flooded during Hurricane Harvey in 2017. Many, if not all of these homes have flooded many times and will continue to flood in the future. FEMA has changed the flood zone of our properties from a flood zone to a floodway, making flood insurance rates extremely high and most can't pay the rates. Funds should not be allocated to those that stand to benefit economically and/or have caused the conditions that are causing our homes to flood more frequently. Many of us are still suffering one year after the storm. We are told that we have to raise our homes many feet to meet the requirements to obtain flood insurance. Raising a home is very expensive and none of us can afford it, making it impossible to rebuild. Our only option is a buyout.	<p>Thank you for your comment.</p> <p>The Texas General Land Office (GLO) tasked councils of governments, such as the Houston-Galveston Area Council (H-GAC), to develop a Method of Distribution for buyouts/acquisitions of flood-prone residential properties, as well as infrastructure repair. Under H-GAC's Method of Distribution, Montgomery County will receive a funding allocation for buyouts/acquisitions. It will be the responsibility of the county to identify specific buyout/acquisitions projects. We suggest you forward your concerns to the appropriate officials in Montgomery County.</p> <p>Your comments will be passed along to the H-GAC Board of Directors and the Texas General Land Office.</p>
3	9/7/2018	Public Comment Form (Online)	Patrick Wiltshire, President / CEO, Public Management Inc.	Regarding the Buyout/Acquisition allocation - in particular, the proposed uses of the Acquisition process: -Will jurisdictions be allowed to use the allocated funds to purchase Easement/Right-of-Way to acquire property that will focus on future drainage improvements? This could ensure compliance with the statement, "thereby preventing repetitive loss and the possibility of catastrophic human loss". -Proposals may include only taking a portion of the property necessary for proposed drainage improvements rather than acquiring the entire property and demolishing the structure.	<p>Thank you for your comment.</p> <p>Your comments will be passed along to the H-GAC Board of Directors and the Texas General Land Office.</p>

## **Outreach and Contacts**

**Notices Published on H-GAC Websites**





# Hurricane Harvey Community Development Block Grant Disaster Funds

## H-GAC Seeks Public Input on Use of Harvey Infrastructure and Home Buyout Funds

The Houston-Galveston Area Council (H-GAC) Board of Directors approved a Method of Distribution (MOD) for approximately \$241 million in Harvey recovery funds to support infrastructure projects and home buyouts/acquisitions outside the City of Houston and Harris County. The funds are part of the first round of Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds provided by the U.S Department of Housing and Urban Development to support long-term recovery in Texas. The MOD underwent a rigorous public input process that went above and beyond the requirements of the State of Texas General Land Office. Specific information, and city and county level allocations, can be viewed below.

The Texas General Land Office has reviewed the H-GAC Board-approved MOD and requested that H-GAC seek additional input on the Council of Government (COG) Method of Distribution for 2017 Hurricane Harvey CDBG-Disaster Recovery Allocation Summary Form (Summary Form) that accompanies the allocations. These forms focus on guidance supporting long-term recovery, affirmatively furthering fair housing, addressing unmet housing needs, and determining how economic revitalization and infrastructure activities contribute to long-term recovery.

H-GAC is continuing our Citizen Participation process by seeking input to help inform guidance we will make available to local governments as they plan and prioritize use of their allocated CDBG Disaster Recovery infrastructure and home buyout/ acquisition funds.

We are especially seeking input to the elements found on pages 5-8 of the Summary Form. We are not seeking comments on the H-GAC Board-approved allocation formula.

## Public Meeting and Public Input Period

H-GAC will host a public meeting as part of continuing the Citizen Participation process. The meeting will include a brief presentation by H-GAC staff and opportunity to provide written and oral comments. **The public meeting is scheduled from 10 a.m. to noon Monday, September 10, at H-GAC Conference Room A, Second Floor, 3555 Timmons Lane, Houston, Texas.**

The public comment period regarding the Council of Government (COG) Method of Distribution for 2017 Hurricane Harvey CDBG-Disaster Recovery Allocation Summary Form opens at noon Thursday, August 30, 2018, and will close at noon, Friday, September 14, 2018. Comments will be accepted online, by e-mail, and by mail. Comments may also be hand-delivered to H-GAC.

### How to Submit Your Comments

**H-GAC will accept written comments from noon August 30, 2018, through noon, September 14, 2018.**

#### Online

Submit your comments online using our online comment form.

[Online Comment Form](#)

#### By-E-mail

[HarveyMODComments@h-gac.com](mailto:HarveyMODComments@h-gac.com)

#### By Mail

Attn: Jeff Taebel, Director of Community and Environmental Planning  
Houston-Galveston Area Council  
P.O. Box 22777  
Houston, Texas 77227

## Hand Delivered

H-GAC  
3555 Timmons Lane, Suite 120  
Houston, Texas 77027

## Resources

- Council of Government (COG) Method of Distribution for 2017 Hurricane Harvey CDBG- Disaster Recovery Allocation Summary Form (Summary Form)
- Método de Distribución del Consejo de Gobierno (COG) de la Subvención Global para el Desarrollo Comunitario (CDBG) y de la Asignación para la Recuperación de Desastres por el Huracán Harvey de 2017
- Council of Government (COG) Method of Distribution for 2017 Hurricane Harvey CDBG- Disaster Recovery Allocation Citizen Participation Plan (Appendix A)
- Process for Developing the Method of Distribution
- Method of Distribution available as a PDF (Appendix B-1) and an Excel spreadsheet (Appendix B-2)
- Public Participation Plan for COG Method of Distribution for Hurricane Harvey CDBG- Disaster Recovery Allocation Public Comment Continuation (Appendix C)
- Regional Flood Information system interactive mapping tool (includes a variety of Harvey-related data, including HUD Low-Moderate Income Areas)
- Texas General Land Office Community Development and Revitalization Program (presentation)



# Hurricane Harvey CDBG Method of Distribution of Funds Development

The Houston-Galveston Area Council Board of Directors, on July 17, 2018, approved the final Method of Distribution (MOD) for the allocation of Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Disaster Recovery funding to counties and local jurisdictions for buyout/acquisition and infrastructure projects associated with Hurricane Harvey.

The Texas General Land Office allocated approximately \$111 million of recovery funds to the H-GAC region outside of the City of Houston and Harris County for a local buyout/acquisition program and approximately \$130 million for local infrastructure. The General Land Office required that H-GAC submit a Method of Distribution for the funding to the following counties in the H-GAC service area: Austin, Brazoria, Chambers, Colorado, Fort Bend, Galveston, Liberty, Matagorda, Montgomery, Waller, Walker, and Wharton.

The Method of Distribution includes the amount of funding available to eligible jurisdictions (counties and cities) for Hurricane Harvey-related buyouts/acquisitions and infrastructure projects only. Harris County and the City of Houston are not included in this allocation and will receive funding directly from the General Land Office.

## Overview of Preliminary Allocation Process

As presented in the State of Texas Plan for Disaster Recovery: Hurricane Harvey - Round 1 dated April 6, 2018 and prepared by the Texas General Land Office Community Development & Revitalization Program, H-GAC is responsible for developing a Method of Distribution to allocate HUD CDBG-DR funds for housing buyouts/acquisitions and infrastructure for cities and counties within the H-GAC service area outside of the City of

Houston and Harris County. Important aspects of the allocation process include a total of \$110,953,432 for housing buyouts/acquisitions and \$129,751,767 for infrastructure. The primary funding categories are further divided into two subsets:

1. funding for the area defined by HUD as most impacted; and,
2. the remainder of the impacted area

View the State Action Plan.

Following a series of public planning meetings at H-GAC and in Wharton, Galveston, and Liberty counties, and an input session with local advocacy groups, H-GAC staff considered public input and revised the draft Method of Distribution. H-GAC presented the draft Method of Distribution to the Board of Directors on June 19, 2018. The Board of Directors authorized this draft for public comment.

## Public Comments

The Method of Distribution public comment period was open from June 21, 2018, to July 6, 2018. Public comment period closed at 4 p.m. July 6, 2018.

## Summary of Public Comments

### Final H-GAC Board of Directors Approval

H-GAC presented the final Method of Distribution to the Board of Directors on July 17, 2018. The Board of Directors authorized this MOD for submission to the General Land Office for approval.

Questions can be directed to Jeff Taebel, Director of Community and Environmental Planning, at 713-627-3200 or [jeff.taebel@h-gac.com](mailto:jeff.taebel@h-gac.com).

**Notices Published on General Land Office Website**

**From:** Shawn Strange  
**To:** [Tantillo, Andrea](#)  
**Cc:** [ROSE WALKER; Alexandra Gamble](#)  
**Subject:** RE: Requesting H-GAC MOD meeting to be added to GLO website  
**Date:** Wednesday, September 5, 2018 9:04:15 AM

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Hi Andrea,

I have shared the below with our Website Content Managers. Will let you know the status shortly.

Best,

Shawn

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**From:** Tantillo, Andrea <Andrea.Tantillo@h-gac.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 5, 2018 8:41 AM  
**To:** Shawn Strange <Shawn.Strange.GLO@recovery.TEXAS.GOV>  
**Subject:** FW: Requesting H-GAC MOD meeting to be added to GLO website

Hi Shawn,

Would it be possible to get the H-GAC MOD public meeting included on the GLO website please?

H-GAC will host a public meeting as part of continuing the Citizen Participation process. The meeting will include a brief presentation by H-GAC staff and opportunity to provide written and oral comments. **The public meeting is scheduled from 10 a.m. to noon Monday, September 10, at H-GAC Conference Room A, Second Floor, 3555 Timmons Lane, Houston, Texas.**

More information is available at <http://www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds/default.aspx>

Thank you,

**Andrea Tantillo**

*Senior Communication Coordinator*

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## REGIONAL PARTNERS

The GLO acknowledges that disasters are local and so is the recovery process. Through the utilization of partnerships with the Texas Association of Regional Councils and impacted regional Councils of Governments, counties and cities, the GLO is able to oversee the local administration of funds following major disasters. From 2015 to 2017, 23 of the 24 COG regions have been impacted by Presidentially Declared Disasters.

Given the size of the impacted area and how Hurricane Harvey impacted each region differently, local control through a regional approach is vital to long-term recovery. Each COG will develop local Method of Distribution of funds for buyout / acquisitions and infrastructure projects in their region and will conduct public hearings.

### HURRICANE HARVEY CDBG-DR REGIONAL MEETINGS

- [Alamo Area Council of Governments – DRAFT Method of Distribution – Public Meetings](#)
- [Brazos Valley Council of Governments – DRAFT Method of Distribution Public Meetings](#)
- [Capital Area Council of Governments DRAFT Method of Distribution – Public Meetings](#)
- [Deep East Texas Council of Governments DRAFT Method of Distribution – Public Meetings](#)
- [Golden Crescent Regional Planning Commission DRAFT Method of Distribution – Public Meetings](#)
- [Houston-Galveston Area Council’s DRAFT Method of Distribution - Public Meetings](#)
- [South East Texas Regional Planning Commission DRAFT Method of Distribution – Public Meetings](#)

#### Local Action Plan Meetings

Harris County and the City of Houston will develop Local Action Plans to be included in the Hurricane Harvey State Action Plan. The development of the Local Action Plans will include public meetings and and a public comment period.

- [Harris County Disaster Recovery Information](#)
- [City of Houston Long-Term Recovery Meetings](#)

For more information about our partners in recovery please visit their websites:

- Texas Association of Regional Councils - <http://txregionalcouncil.org/>
- FEMA – Region VI - <https://www.fema.gov/region-vi-arkansas-louisiana-new-mexico-oklahoma-texas>

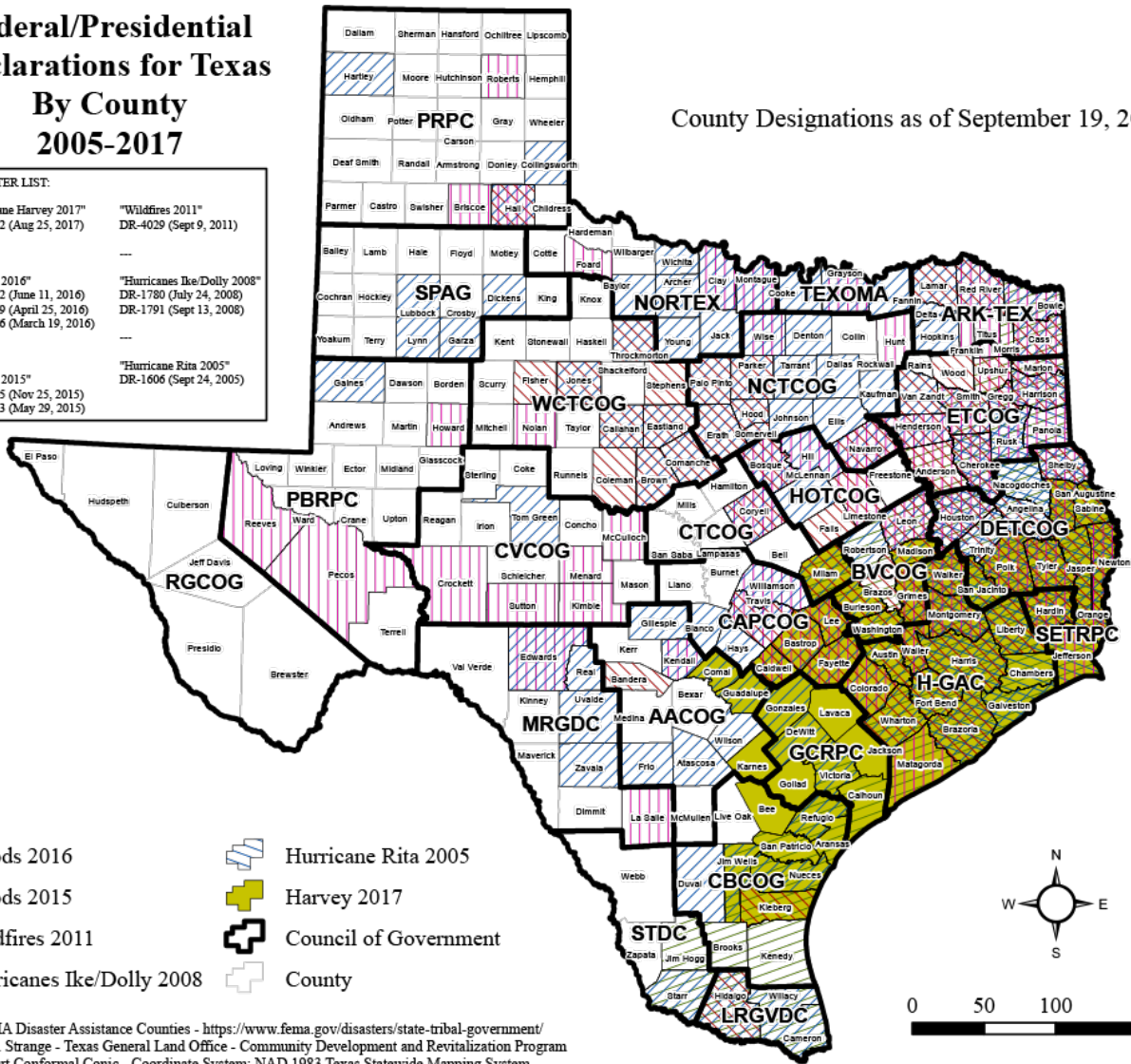


- Alamo Area Council of Governments (Atascosa, Bandera, Bexar, Comal, Frio, Gillespie, Guadalupe, Karnes, Kendall, Kerr, McMullen, Medina, Wilson) <http://www.aacog.com/>
- Ark-Texas Council of Governments (Bowie, Cass, Delta, Franklin, Hopkins, Lamar, Morris, Red River, Titus Counties in TX and Miller Co., AR) <http://atcog.org/>
  - Brazos Valley Council of Governments (Brazos, Burleson, Grimes, Leon, Madison, Robertson, Washington) <http://www.bvcog.org/>
  - Capitol Area Council of Governments (Bastrop, Blanco, Burnet, Caldwell, Fayette, Hays, Lee, Llano, Travis, Williamson) <http://www.capcog.org/>
  - Central Texas Council of Governments (Bell, Coryell, Hamilton, Lampasas, Milam, Mills, San Saba) <https://ctcog.org/>
  - Coastal Bend Council of Governments (Aransas, Bee, Brooks, Duval, Jim Wells, Kenedy, Kleberg, Live Oak, Nueces, Refugio, San Patricio) <http://www.cbcog98.org/>
  - Concho Valley Council of Governments (Coke, Concho, Crockett, Irion, Kimble, Mason, McCulloch, Menard, Reagan, Schleicher, Sterling, Sutton, Tom Green) <http://www.cvcog.org>
  - Deep East Texas Councils of Government (Angelina, Houston, Jasper, Nacogdoches, Newton, Polk, Sabine, San Augustine, San Jacinto, Shelby, Trinity, Tyler) <http://www.detcog.org/>
  - East Texas Council of Government (Anderson, Camp, Cherokee, Gregg, Harrison, Henderson, Marion, Panola, Rains, Rusk, Smith, Upshur, Van Zandt, Wood) <http://www.etcog.org/>
  - Golden Crescent Regional Planning Commission (Calhoun DeWitt, Goliad, Gonzales, Jackson, Lavaca, Victoria) <http://www.gcrpc.org/>
  - Heart of Texas Council of Governments (Bosque, Falls, Freestone, Hill, Limestone, McLennan) <http://www.hotcog.org/>
  - Houston-Galveston Area Council (Austin, Brazoria, Chambers, Colorado, Fort Bend, Galveston, Harris, Liberty, Matagorda, Montgomery, Walker, Waller, Wharton) <http://www.h-gac.com/>
  - Lower Rio Grande Valley Development Council (Cameron, Hidalgo, Willacy) <http://www.lrgvdc.org/>
  - Middle Rio Grande Development Council (Dimmit, Edwards, Kinney, La Salle, Maverick, Real, Uvalde, Val Verde, Zavala) <http://www.mrgdc.org/>
  - Nortex Regional Planning Commission (Archer, Baylor, Clay, Cottle, Foard, Hardeman, Jack, Montague, Wichita, Wilbarger, Young) <http://www.nortexrpc.org/>
  - North Central Texas Council of Governments (Collin, Dallas, Denton, Ellis, Erath, Hood, Hunt, Johnson, Kaufman, Navarro, Palo Pinto, Parker, Rockwall, Somervell, Tarrant, Wise) <http://www.nctcog.org/>
  - Panhandle Regional Planning Commission (Armstrong, Briscoe, Carson, Castro, Childress, Collingsworth, Dallam, Deaf Smith, Donley, Gray, Hall, Hansford, Hartley, Hemphill, Hutchinson, Lipscomb, Moore, Ochiltree, Oldham, Parmer, Potter, Randall, Roberts, Sherman, Swisher, Wheeler) <http://www.theprpc.org/>
  - Permian Basin Regional Planning Commission (Andrews, Borden, Crane, Dawson, Ector, Gaines, Glasscock, Howard, Loving, Martin, Midland, Pecos, Reeves, Terrell, Upton, Ward, Winkler) <http://www.pbrpc.org/>
  - Rio Grande Council of Governments (Brewster, Culberson, El Paso, Hudspeth, Jeff Davis, Presidio) <http://www.riocog.org/>
  - South East Texas Regional Planning Commission (Hardin, Orange, Jefferson) <http://www.setrpc.org/>
  - South Plains Association of Governments (Bailey, Cochran, Crosby, Dickens, Floyd, Garza, Hale, Hockley, King, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, Motley, Terry, Yoakum) <http://www.spag.org/>
  - South Texas Development Council (Jim Hogg, Starr, Webb, Zapata) <http://www.stdc.cog.tx.us/>
  - Texoma Council of Governments (Cooke, Fannin, Grayson) <http://www.texoma.cog.tx.us/>
  - West Central Texas Council of Governments (Brown, Callahan, Coleman, Comanche, Eastland, Fisher, Haskell, Jones, Kent, Knox, Mitchell, Nolan, Runnels, Scurry, Shackelford, Stephens, Stonewall, Taylor, Throckmorton) <http://www.wctcog.org/>
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# Federal/Presidential Declarations for Texas By County 2005-2017

County Designations as of September 19, 2017

DISASTER LIST:	
"Hurricane Harvey 2017" DR-4332 (Aug 25, 2017)	"Wildfires 2011" DR-4029 (Sept 9, 2011)
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"Floods 2016" DR-4272 (June 11, 2016) DR-4269 (April 25, 2016) DR-4266 (March 19, 2016)	"Hurricanes Ike/Dolly 2008" DR-1780 (July 24, 2008) DR-1791 (Sept 13, 2008)
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"Floods 2015" DR-4245 (Nov 25, 2015) DR-4223 (May 29, 2015)	"Hurricane Rita 2005" DR-1606 (Sept 24, 2005)



Data Source: FEMA Disaster Assistance Counties - <https://www.fema.gov/disasters/state-tribal-government/>  
 Author: Shawn M. Strange - Texas General Land Office - Community Development and Revitalization Program  
 Projection: Lambert Conformal Conic - Coordinate System: NAD 1983 Texas Statewide Mapping System

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Keeping you up to date on the community planning, economic development, and environmental planning programs at H-GAC.



## Your Monthly News & Updates

# Upcoming Events

### Parks and Natural Area Roundtable - September 10

The next [Parks and Natural Areas Roundtable](#) will be from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. **Monday, September 10**, at H-GAC Conference Room A, Second Floor.

Representatives from Asakura Robinson and League City will present their [award-winning parks projects](#), H-GAC staff will provide a program update, and participants will share information about upcoming parks and natural areas-related projects and events.



[Online registration](#) is requested. For more information, contact [Andrea Tantillo](#) at 832-681-2507.

### U.S. Census PSAP Workshops - September 12, October 15

H-GAC is the official liaison for the United States Census Bureau's Participant Statistical Areas Program (PSAP) for the 13-county H-GAC planning region. As part of the PSAP, the U.S. Census Bureau requires re-establishing boundaries based on population growth or loss at the Census Tract and Census Block Group levels with every decennial census count.



H-GAC staff will host a series of workshops to engage stakeholders in open dialogue about the process for reestablishing boundaries. The workshops are designed for individuals at the county and local levels who use cCensus data for planning purposes and demographic data users who base research and policy decisions on Census Tracts, Block Groups, or Census Designated Places. They are free and open to the public, but you must register to attend either.

### PSAP Workshop 1

Wednesday, September 12

1 - 4 p.m.

H-GAC Conference Room B, Second Floor

[Registration Information](#)

### PSAP Workshop 2

Monday, October 15

9 a.m. - noon

H-GAC Conference Room B, Second Floor

[Registration Information](#)

For more information on the workshops, contact [Brooks Andrews](#) at 713-993-4519.

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## Broadband Listening Tour - September 13

H-GAC and the Gulf Coast Economic Development District will host a [Broadband Listening Tour workshop](#) from 1:30 to 3 p.m. **Thursday, September 13**, at H-GAC Conference Room A, Second Floor.

Attendees will learn more about broadband opportunities in the region. Through collaboration with the Still Water Foundation, Texas Department of Agriculture, Texas State Library and Archives Commission, Texas Education Agency, and other foundations and stakeholders, Connected Nation is hosting listening tours and resource information sessions across the state.



For more information, contact [Joshua Owens](#) at 832-681-2613 or visit <https://connectednation.org>.

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## Future of Retail: Your Community Destination Workshop - September 21

Join us for [Future of Retail: Your Community Destination](#) from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. **Friday, September 21**, at H-GAC Conference Room B, Second Floor.

At this half-day workshop, participants will gain insights from experts on retail trends and future opportunities and learn how small communities are attracting and retaining retail tenants while rebranding their retail destinations through practical policies, programs, and projects.

Presenters include Austin Farmer, Regional Project Director, The Retail Coach; Steve Spillette, President, Community Development Strategies; Aron Kulhavy, City Manager, City of Huntsville; Bret Gardella, Director, Rosenberg Economic Development Corporation; and Brad Stafford, City Manager, City of Navasota.

Breakfast begins at 8:30 a.m. [Registration](#) is requested. For more information, contact [Anita Hollmann](#) at 713-993-4587.

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## Texas Energy Summit - September 24-26

The [2018 Texas Energy Summit](#), formerly the Clean Air Through Energy Efficiency/CATEE Conference, will be **September 24-26** at Hyatt Regency Houston/Galleria, 2626 Sage Road, Houston.

The annual summit provides a forum to

- Share information on state and local energy efficiency, renewable energy, and air quality policies;
- Raise awareness of the importance of energy efficiency, renewable energy, and sustainability measures for the state's economic well-being;



- Highlight and celebrate successful policies and programs being implemented to achieve emissions reductions and related environmental and economic benefits;
- Explore the growing importance of the Energy/Water Nexus; and
- Consider advances in intelligent building design, Smart Cities and energy efficiency Internet of Things (IOT), including manufacturing/industrial IOT.

[Registration](#) is required. H-GAC partners can receive a 10% discount using PARTNER10 at checkout.

## Bringing Back Main Street Roundtable - October 23



Save the date for H-GAC's next [Bringing Back Main Street Roundtable](#) scheduled from 9:30 a.m. to noon **Tuesday, October 23**. The location and topic are to be determined.

H-GAC hosts quarterly roundtables to help local governments, chambers of commerce, and economic development interests promote the economic revitalization of downtown areas.

For more information, contact [Joey Kaspar](#) at 713-993-4547.

## Fall Planning Workshop - November 9



Mark your calendars for the annual [Fall Planning Workshop](#) from 8:30 a.m. to noon, **Friday, November 9**, at H-GAC Conference Room B, Second Floor.

This annual half-day workshop series for local governments features presentations on best planning practices for communities.

This year's workshop, Planning at the Edge, invites participants to join in discussion with local cities and counties, especially unincorporated areas, experiencing growth and development. This workshop will focus on common issues, challenges, and potential management solutions.

For more information, e-mail [livablecenters@h-gac.com](mailto:livablecenters@h-gac.com).

## Trash Bash - March 30, 2019

Every year, thousands of volunteers gather to clean up trash and debris along area waterways by participating in the largest, single-day waterway cleanup in Texas, the [River, Lakes, Bays 'N Bayous Trash Bash®](#). Join them on **Saturday, March 30, 2019**, for the 26th annual cleanup.



With locations across the Galveston Bay watershed, there's a cleanup location near home, work, or school. An educational area offers opportunities to learn more about protecting water quality. Participating in Trash Bash® is free, with supplies, t-shirts, lunch, and door prizes provided. Scouts and students are encouraged to participate.

Learn more about becoming a [volunteer](#) or [sponsor](#) for Trash Bash® 2019.

# Announcements

**H-GAC Seeks Public Input on Use of**

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## Parks and Natural Areas Awards Application Open Until September 28

H-GAC will accept [Parks and Natural Areas \(PNA\) Awards applications](#) through **Friday, September 28**.

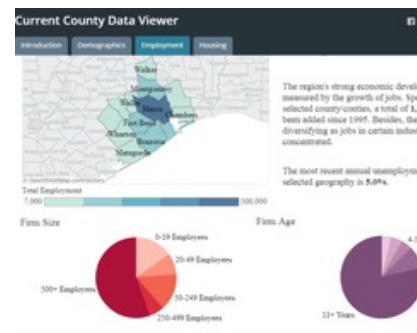
[PNA awards](#) honor projects in four categories: Projects Over \$500,000; Projects Under \$500,000; Planning Process; and Policy Tools. Winning entries serve as models for planning and project implementation for parks and natural areas in the region.



Winners will be notified in December. The awards ceremony and half-day parks event will be in February 2019. For more information, contact [Andrea Tantillo](#) at 832-681-2507.

## H-GAC Launches Current County Data Viewer

H-GAC recently released the [Current County Data Viewer](#). This interactive application displays the most recent county-level data of the 13-county H-GAC region. The tool offers demographic, economic and housing data. Most of the data used in this application is only available at the county level.



H-GAC's [interactive web applications](#) provide information in a convenient, easy-to-use format. The applications are accessible on any browsers and are mobile-friendly.

## Partner Announcements

### 2019 Texas Environmental Excellence Awards

Each year, the Governor's Office and commissioners from the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality honor the state's most outstanding environmental projects through the [Texas Environmental Excellence Awards](#). Winners from

across the state exemplify how Texans set the standard for ensuring clean air, clean water, and the safe management of waste. [The application period for the 2019 awards is now open.](#) Winners will be honored at an awards banquet **May 15, 2019**, where videos of the winning projects will be featured. Applications will be accepted through **Friday, September 28.**



### Federal Highway Administration Environmental Excellence Awards

The Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) is accepting nominations for the [2019 Environmental Excellence Awards](#) through **Friday, September 14.** This biennial awards program recognizes partners, projects, and processes that use FHWA funding sources to go beyond environmental compliance and achieve environmental excellence.



### Recycle Bowl Registration

Keep America Beautiful presents [Recycle Bowl](#), a national K-12 competition between schools to invigorate student participation in recycling efforts. The competition runs from **October 15 to November 15**, but [registration](#) is open now. There are both competitive and non-competitive divisions for this program.



### America Recycles Day Event Registration

For almost two decades, communities have come together on **November 15** to celebrate [America Recycles Day](#). Do you have plans for hosting a special event on that day? Register your event [here](#).



America Recycles Day  
**NOVEMBER 15**

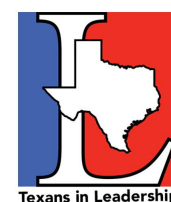
### Take Care of Texas Video Contest

The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) invites students in 6th through 12th grades to enter the annual [Take Care of Texas Video Contest](#). Student videos should be 30 seconds long and portray positive ways Texans can help keep air and water clean, conserve water and energy, or reduce waste. The contest deadline is **Friday, December 14**, and the public will have the opportunity to pick their favorite videos **January 10 through 24, 2019**. The middle and high school students who win first place will be invited to travel to Austin, along with their teacher, parent, or guardian, to be recognized by the TCEQ and Waste Management of Texas, Inc., at the 2019 Environmental Trade Fair and Conference.



### Texas Rural Leadership Program

The [Texas Rural Leadership Program \(TRLP\)](#) offers leadership development training in communities through its TRLP Leaders-In-Action Workshop Series. TRLP partners with Texas A&M AgriLife Extension and Texas A&M University Public Partnership & Outreach. For more information about what TRLP offers, visit <https://trlp.tamu.edu/> or contact [Craig Rotter](#) at 979-587-1992.



### Community Resilience Collaborative

The [Community Resilience Collaborative \(CRC\)](#) provides technical assistance for planning, outreach, and education aimed at coastal communities, particularly resource managers, land use planners, and emergency managers who deal with hazard mitigation. Planning is emphasized to address critical land use, environmental, hazard mitigation, and disaster recovery issues through coastal planning. Priority is placed on providing planning assistance to low-capacity, low-resource, and/or underrepresented communities. For more information regarding the CRC, contact [Heather Wade](#) at 979-845-3855.



## More Upcoming Events

### Center for Houston's Future Summer Salons

[The Center for Houston's Future](#) is hosting the third of [three monthly summer salons](#) at 7:30 a.m. **Wednesday, September 13**, at the Junior League of Houston, 1811 Briar Oaks Lane, Houston. This casual breakfast conversation brings big-picture thinkers and regional experts together with broader audiences for an extended discussion on regional issues, with a focus on the next steps for





creating a sustainable and competitive Houston region. [Registration](#) is \$30 per person and includes a seated breakfast.

### Greater Houston Partnership Economy Series

The Greater Houston Partnership and Visit Houston will host [Placemaking - The Role of Tourism on Houston's Perception](#) from noon to 1:30 p.m. **Friday, September 21**, at Marriott Marquis, 1777 Walker Street, Houston. The two-part luncheon includes the State of Tourism address from Mike Waterman, Executive Chief Sales and Marketing Officer of Houston First Corp. and President of Visit Houston. Aaron Price, Chief Marketing Officer for Brand Expedia Group, will then describe what it takes for cities to transform their communities into great places. Registration begins at \$90 for members. For more information, contact [Ryan Albright](#) at 713-844-3632.



### Texas Parks and Wildlife Recreation Grants Criteria Discussion

The Texas Parks and Wildlife Department (TPWD) Recreation Grants program is hosting a series of public input meetings to discuss and assess evaluation criteria for awarding funds through the Community Outdoor Outreach Program (CO-OP) Grant and for Local Park Grants. A meeting in the H-GAC region will be **Thursday, September 13**, at TPWD State Parks Region 4 HQ, 14200 Garrett Road, Houston. Local Park Grant evaluation criteria discussion will be from 9 to 11:30 a.m., and Co-Op Grant evaluation criteria discussion will be from 1 to 3:30 p.m. [Webinars](#) are available for anyone who cannot attend in person. Existing evaluation criteria for each of these grant programs is available [online](#). For more information, e-mail [Recreation Grants](#) or call 512-389-8224.



### America Walks Webinars

[America Walks](#) is hosting [free monthly webinars](#) at 1 p.m. the second Wednesday of each month. These webinars look to expand knowledge, highlight success stories, and share new tools and resources. Registration is required. Upcoming webinars include [Pedestrians are People Too: The Criminalization of Walking](#), **September 12**; [Walk Into Action: Walking and Walkability Policy Issues](#), **October 10**; [Where Do We Go Next? Mapping and Tracking in the Future](#), **November 14**; and [On a Sustainable Path: The Role of Walkability in Addressing Climate Change](#), **December 12**.



### Texas General Land Office Adopt-A-Beach Fall Cleanup

The 2018 Texas General Land Office [Adopt-A-Beach Fall Cleanup](#) will be from 8:30 a.m. to noon **Saturday, September 15**, at 30 sites along the Texas coast. There are 10 sites in the Houston-Galveston area: four in Galveston County, one in LaPorte, two in the Freeport area, and three in the Bay City area. [Registration](#) is requested.



### Gulf of Mexico Alliance Wednesday Webinars

The [Gulf of Mexico Alliance \(GOMA\)](#) is hosting a [Wednesday Webinar series](#) at 2 p.m. the last Wednesday of every other month. [Join](#) to learn about resources and projects from around the Gulf. Preregistration is not required. Upcoming webinars include Tool Highlights (Dave Reed), **September 26**; and Harmful Algal Blooms (HAB) Detection (Kate Hubbard), **November 28**.



### National Association of Development Organizations Conference

Registration is open for the [National Association of Development Organization's \(NADO\) 2018 Annual Training Conference](#), Investing in the Future of Regional Development **October 13-16** in Charlotte, NC. The conference will be four days of interactive learning, networking with peers, thought-provoking plenary sessions, hands-on learning labs and workshops, mobile workshops, and more.



### Drug Enforcement Agency National Prescription Drug Take Back Day

The Drug Enforcement Agency's (DEA) [National Prescription Drug Take Back Day](#) will be from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on **Saturday, October 27**. Check the [DEA website](#) in early October for area drop-off locations. The collection event provides a safe, convenient, and responsible means of disposing of prescription drugs, while also educating the general public about the potential for abuse of medications and environmental contamination. Law enforcement agencies interested in hosting a collection site should call the [point of contact](#) for this area.



### STAR Texas Recycling Summit

Registration is now open for the [State of Texas Alliance for Recycling \(STAR\) Texas Recycling Summit 2018](#) **October 28-31** at Moody Gardens, 7 Hope Boulevard, Galveston. This is the only state conference dedicated entirely to recycling and waste diversion activities in Texas. It's also an opportunity to network with professionals from the recycling industry to learn, collaborate, share successes, and support recycling efforts.



### Texas A&M AgriLife Extension, Master Gardeners Composter Training

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service and Fort Bend County Master Gardeners Association are hosting a [three-day composter specialist event](#) from 10 a.m. to noon **December 5-7** at the AgriLife Extension Office, 1402 Band Road, Suite 100, Rosenberg. This training is sanctioned by the Texas Master Gardener program, and the 24 attendees will receive the title of "Composter Specialist." More information, including an [agenda and registration](#), is available online.



## Funding Sources

### USDA Rural Water Infrastructure Projects

The U.S. Department of Agriculture Office of Rural Development has more than [\\$4 billion in direct loans available to help rural communities build or upgrade water infrastructure](#). Water districts and rural communities can apply for USDA loans electronically using the interactive [RDApply tool](#). [USDA state and field offices](#) are available to help during the application process.



The deadline to apply is **Thursday, September 30**.

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seeking projects to help communities in the Houston-Galveston region recover from Hurricane Harvey.



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- Eligible applicants include governments, nonprofits, and universities

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H-GAC has compiled a list of [local, regional, state, federal, and private funding sources](#) for local governments and other organizations. H-GAC also maintains a list of ongoing [funding opportunities for parks improvements](#).

If you know of a funding opportunity, forward it to [Andrea Tantillo](#).

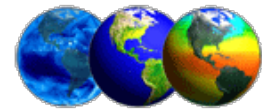
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## Community and Environmental Planning Programs

### Mapping Applications

Looking for interactive applications or GIS data related to the H-GAC Community and Environmental Planning Department? Visit H-GAC's [interactive applications web page](#) to see the latest information, including Census, Regional Forecast, and more.



### Facebook

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### Twitter

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HOUSTON-GALVESTON AREA COUNCIL

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### August Board of Directors Meeting

At the August meeting, the H-GAC Board of Directors unanimously approved nearly \$4 million in contracts funding transportation, aging, workforce, early education/child care, parks and recreation, and water quality management programs.

The Board also approved a contract with the Economic Development Administration and the Texas Association of Regional Councils to assist local governments and economic development organizations in the region to recover from the damage caused by Hurricane Harvey by providing technical assistance in identifying potential economic recovery projects.

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## Meetings and Events

### H-GAC Board of Directors

Meetings are held at 10:00 a.m. on the third Tuesday of each month. Agendas for all committees can be found on our [website](#). Please visit our [calendar](#) for upcoming meetings and events.

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# INPUT OPPORTUNITIES

## FCC Seeks Nominations for Broadband Deployment Advisory Committee by September 7

The Federal Communications Commission (FCC) has released a public notice soliciting nominations for a new working group within its **Broadband Deployment Advisory Committee** (BDAC).

The FCC is seeking applicants from several categories, including local governments - particularly nominations for first responders, emergency managers, emergency planners, local network managers, and risk management staff.

All applications must include the information listed in the public notice and be submitted by email to the FCC no later than **September 7, 2018**.

If you or a local or regional leader you know is planning to apply for the BDAC Disaster Response and Recovery Working Group, please email [maci.morin@narc.org](mailto:maci.morin@narc.org) so that NARC can write a letter in support of your nomination.

## H-GAC Seeks Public Input on Use of Harvey Infrastructure and Home Buyout Funds

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## 2045 Regional Transportation Plan Update

The Transportation Policy Council (TPC) approved the initiation of the 2018 Call for Projects at its August meeting.

H-GAC will seek proposals from local governments and other eligible project sponsors to implement transportation projects beginning **September 4, 2018** and ending **October 31, 2018** at 5:00 p.m.



Project proposals requesting federal funding will be aligned with goals, strategies, and investment priorities emphasized in the [2045 Regional Transportation Plan](#) (RTP).

To assist potential sponsor agencies and other interested parties with application submittal, H-GAC will conduct an application workshop on September 11, 2018 from 9:00am - 11:00am at Houston TranStar. Click here to [register for the workshop](#).

## Texas General Land Office Requests Input for \$137M in Grant Funding

**Texas General Land Office** (GLO) officials are seeking more local and regional input to decide on projects eligible for \$137 million in Community Development Block Grants for Disaster Recovery (CDBG-DR). The grants will be used to help pay for local, regional, and state planning to mitigate and reduce the impact of future disasters, according to Land Commissioner George P. Bush.

GLO officials plan to distribute the survey to citizens, local officials, councils of government, and river authorities. Input has been requested on flood control, drainage improvements, resilient housing solutions, economic development and infrastructure upgrades. The grants from the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) will be used to fund studies in impacted areas to promote sound, long term recovery. This allocation is part of the \$5.024 billion State Action Plan recently approved by HUD. The survey is available [HERE](#).



## Texas Motor Vehicle Safety Inspection Survey

The University of Texas Center for Transportation Research is conducting a study of costs and benefits of the Texas motor vehicle safety inspection program. A short survey for Texas vehicle owners about their experiences with annual safety inspections can be taken [HERE](#).

For any questions or for more information regarding this survey, please contact [Dr. Mike Murphy, P.E.](#) at 512-232-3134.



THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN  
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# EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

## Broadband Listening Tour - September 13

[Connected Nation](#) is hosting a Broadband Listening Tour on **Thursday, September 13, 2018 from 1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.** in Conference Room A - 2nd Floor of the Houston-Galveston Area Council, 3555 Timmons Ln., Houston, TX 77027.

This session is intended to develop and share a state and federal resource guide that will assist rural

Texas communities in identifying funding and resources that can be used for broadband technology projects.

For more information, contact [Joshua Owens](#) at 832-681-2613.



## Census 2020 Workshops - September 12 and October 15

The Houston-Galveston Area Council and The United States Census Bureau are hosting workshops to prepare for the upcoming 2020 Census. Attend to learn about the Participant Statistical Area Program and how it could shape your community for the Census.



### Event Locations:

#### Participant Statistical Areas Program Stakeholder Workshop #1

Wednesday, September 12, 2018  
Houston-Galveston Area Council  
3555 Timmons Ln  
2nd Floor, Conference Rooms B & C  
Houston, TX 77027  
Register [HERE](#).

#### Participant Statistical Areas Program Stakeholder Workshop #2

Monday, October 15, 2018  
Houston-Galveston Area Council  
3555 Timmons Ln  
2nd Floor, Conference Rooms B & C  
Houston, TX 77027  
Register [HERE](#).

\*\*Online registration is **required** to attend these workshops.

For more information, contact:

#### United States Census Bureau

Jim Castagneri  
Geographic Coordinator  
Office: 720-962-3882  
[James.D.Castagneri@census.gov](mailto:James.D.Castagneri@census.gov)

#### Houston-Galveston Area Council

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Office: 713-993-4519  
[Brooks.Andrews@h-gac.com](mailto:Brooks.Andrews@h-gac.com)

## Future of Retail: Your Community Destination - September 21

Save the date for **Future of Retail: Your Community Destination** from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. **Friday, September 21**, at H-GAC Conference Room B, Second Floor.

At this half-day workshop, participants will gain insights from experts on retail trends and future opportunities and learn how small communities like Navasota, Rosenberg, and Huntsville are attracting and retaining retail tenants while re-branding their retail destinations through practical policies, programs and projects.



Breakfast and registration begins at 8:30 a.m. The program begins at 9:00 a.m. **Registration** is requested. View the full agenda [HERE](#). For more information, contact [Anita Hollmann](#) at 713-993-4587.

## Parks and Natural Areas Awards Application Open Until September 28

H-GAC will accept **Parks and Natural Areas (PNA) Awards applications** through **Friday, September 28**.

PNA awards honor projects in four categories: Projects Over \$500,000; Projects Under \$500,000; Planning Process; and Policy Tools. Winning entries serve as models for planning and project implementation for parks and natural areas in the region.

Winners will be notified in December. The awards ceremony and half-day parks event will be in February 2019. For more information, contact [Andrea Tantillo](#) at 832-681-2507.



# NEW IN THE REGION

## H-GAC 2018 Salary Survey

H-GAC conducts a regional salary and benefits survey as a service to its member cities. The survey covers nearly 80 municipal jobs and includes questions on city benefit practices. The [2018 H-GAC Regional Salary and Benefits Survey](#) is now available for purchase. For more information, contact [Staci Stalarow](#) at 832-681-2631.



## H-GAC Home Rule and General Law Caucuses

Home Rule and General Law Representatives: Please Save the Date for the upcoming 2018 caucuses to elect your 2019 H-GAC Board Representatives. The **Home Rule Caucus** will be held on **Thursday, November 1** and the **General Law Caucus** will be held on **Thursday, November 8** at Maggiano's Little Italy at 2019 Post Oak Blvd. Registration information will follow in the coming weeks.



## Tow And Go

Ever find yourself broken down on the freeway and you just don't know what to do? Well now there is an App for that!

The [Tow and Go Program](#), launched by H-GAC, provides no-cost towing for vehicles that break down from mechanical failures while traveling within the City of Houston. Vehicles that break down due to mechanical failure (e.g., out of gas, overheating, flat tires) while traveling in the program's service area will be cleared, at no cost, to a safe location within one mile. The program also includes motorcycles and trailers.



For more information visit [TowAndGo.com](#).

## H-GAC Offices Closed Monday, September 3

The Houston-Galveston Area Council offices will be closed Monday, September 3 in observance of Labor Day.



## Careers at H-GAC

H-GAC offers opportunities in clerical, technical, and professional positions, when available. Qualified, motivated individuals are encouraged to view our current opportunities and apply.

H-GAC is currently seeking:

- [Data Analyst \(Economist\)](#)
- [Financial Analyst - Human Services/Workforce](#)
- [GIS Analyst - Developer](#)
- [Manager - Multimodal Planning - Transportation](#)
- [Principal Data Analyst - Transportation](#)
- [Principal Planner - Transportation](#)
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**Electronic Notices of Public Meeting and Public Input Period**



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# Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recovery Funding

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#### **BY EMAIL**

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#### **BY MAIL**

Attn: Jeff Taebel, Director of Community and Environmental Planning  
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P.O. Box 22777  
Houston, Texas 77227

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**PUBLIC MEETING**

H-GAC will host a public meeting as part of continuing the Citizen Participation process. The meeting will include a brief presentation by H-GAC staff and opportunity to provide written and oral comments.

**PUBLIC MEETING**

**When:** Monday, September 10, 2018 – 10 a.m. to Noon.

**Where:** Houston-Galveston Area Council, 2nd Floor Conference Rooms, 3555 Timmons Lane, Houston

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Sincerely,  
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**To:** H-GAC Board Members  
**Subject:** Update on H-GAC Method of Distribution of Hurricane Harvey CDBG Disaster Recovery Funds  
**From:** Chuck Wemple   
**Date:** August 30, 2018

This memo includes an update on the H-GAC Board-approved Method of Distribution (MOD), which details the allocation of approximately \$241 million in Harvey recovery funds to support infrastructure projects and home buyouts/acquisitions outside the City of Houston and Harris County. As you are aware, the MOD underwent a rigorous public input process that went above and beyond the requirements of the State of Texas General Land Office (GLO), and full consideration and discussion by our Board at our July 2018 meeting.

The GLO has reviewed the H-GAC Board-approved MOD and is requiring a portion of the MOD undergo additional public comment prior to completing their review. Several other Councils of Government have received the same instructions. The specific portion of the MOD that is subject to additional input is the Summary Form that accompanies the allocations. These forms focus on guidance supporting long-term recovery, affirmatively furthering fair housing, addressing unmet housing needs, and determining how economic revitalization and infrastructure activities contribute to long-term recovery.

To move our MOD forward and gain GLO approval, H-GAC is [continuing our Citizen Participation process and seeking input](#) to help inform guidance we will make available to local governments as they plan and prioritize use of their allocated CDBG Disaster Recovery infrastructure and home buyout/acquisition funds. We are especially seeking input to the elements found on pages 5-8 of the [Summary Form](#). We are not seeking comments on the H-GAC Board-approved allocation formula.

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I will provide an update on the MOD at our September Board meeting. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions about the continuation of our Citizen Participation process



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### **Houston-Galveston Area Council**

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E-English - Vietnamese	T-Translation	Min. Charge	100	1	\$100.00
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## **El H-GAC solicita comentarios del público sobre el uso de fondos para infraestructura y compra de viviendas dañadas por el huracán Harvey**

La Junta Directiva del Concejo del Área de Houston-Galveston (H-GAC) aprobó un método de distribución (MOD) para aproximadamente \$241 millones en fondos de recuperación por el huracán Harvey con el fin de apoyar proyectos de infraestructura y adquisición/compra de viviendas fuera de la Ciudad de Houston y el Condado de Harris. Los fondos son parte de la primera ronda del Subsidio Global para Desarrollo Comunitario (CDBG) provistos por el Departamento de Vivienda y Desarrollo Urbano de los Estados Unidos con el propósito de respaldar la recuperación a largo plazo en Texas. El método de distribución fue sometido a un riguroso proceso de opiniones y comentarios por parte del público que fue mucho más allá de los requisitos establecidos por la Oficina General de Tierras del Estado de Texas. La información específica y las asignaciones a nivel de ciudad y condado pueden consultarse en [www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds](http://www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds).

La Oficina General de Tierras del Estado de Texas ha evaluado el método de distribución aprobado por la Junta del H-GAC. A partir de dicha evaluación, ha pedido al H-GAC que solicite opiniones y comentarios adicionales sobre el método de distribución utilizado por el Concejo de Gobierno (COG) en el Formulario de Resumen de Asignaciones para la Recuperación de Desastres del subsidio CDBG por el huracán Harvey de 2017 que acompaña las asignaciones. Estos formularios se concentran en la orientación que respalda la recuperación a largo plazo, promoviendo afirmativamente la vivienda justa, abordando las necesidades de vivienda no satisfechas y determinando cómo la revitalización económica y las actividades de infraestructura contribuyen a la recuperación a largo plazo.

El H-GAC continúa nuestro proceso de participación ciudadana solicitando opiniones y comentarios para ayudar a informar los lineamientos que pondremos a disposición de los gobiernos locales a medida que planeen y prioricen el uso de sus fondos de infraestructura y compra/adquisición de viviendas para la recuperación de desastres de los subsidios CDBG asignados.

En particular, estamos solicitando opiniones y comentarios sobre los elementos detallados en las páginas 5 a 8 del Formulario de Resumen. No estamos solicitando comentarios sobre la fórmula de asignación aprobada por la Junta del H-GAC.

### **Reunión pública y período de comentarios del público**

Como parte del proceso continuo de participación ciudadana, el H-GAC organizará una reunión pública. La reunión incluirá una breve presentación del personal del H-GAC y ofrecerá la oportunidad de aportar comentarios orales y escritos. La reunión pública se ha programado de las 10 a.m. al mediodía del lunes 10 de septiembre, en la Sala de Conferencias A del H-GAC, segundo piso, 3555 Timmons Lane, Houston, Texas.

El período de comentarios del público sobre el método de distribución utilizado por el Concejo de Gobierno (COG) en el Formulario de Resumen de Asignaciones para Recuperación de Desastres del subsidio CDBG por el huracán Harvey de 2017 comienza el mediodía del jueves 30 de agosto de 2018 y finaliza el mediodía del viernes 14 de septiembre de 2018. Se aceptarán comentarios en línea, por correo electrónico y por correo postal. Los comentarios también podrán entregarse en mano en el H-GAC.



### **Cómo enviar sus comentarios**

**El H-GAC aceptará comentarios por escrito desde el mediodía del 30 de agosto hasta el mediodía del 14 de septiembre de 2018.**

#### **En línea**

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#### **Por correo electrónico**

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## **H-GAC Muốn Biết Ý Kiến Công Chúng về việc Sử Dụng Quỹ Phục Hồi Cơ Sở Hạ Tầng Mua Lại Nhà và Bị Hư Hỏng do Cơ Bão Harvey**

Ban Giám Đốc Hội Đồng Khu Vực Houston-Galveston (H-GAC) đã phê chuẩn một Biện Pháp Phân Bỏ (MOD) cho khoảng \$241 triệu ngân quỹ phục hồi thiệt hại do cơn bão Harvey để yểm trợ các dự án hạ tầng cơ sở và mua lại những căn nhà bị hư hỏng ở bên ngoài Thành Phố Houston và Quận Harris. Ngân quỹ này nằm trong khuôn khổ đợt ngân quỹ đầu tiên của Trợ Cấp Phát Triển Cộng Đồng (CDBG) do Sở Gia Cư và Phát Triển Đô Thị Hoa Kỳ cung cấp nhằm yểm trợ hoạt động khôi phục dài hạn ở Texas. MOD đã tiến hành một quy trình tiếp nhận ý kiến công chúng nghiêm ngặt, vượt ngoài phạm vi yêu cầu của Tổng Cục Quản Lý Đất Tiểu Bang Texas. Quý vị có thể xem thông tin cụ thể, và các phân bổ ngân quỹ theo cấp độ thành phố và quận trên trang mạng [www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds](http://www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds).

Tổng Cục Quản Lý Đất Tiểu Bang Texas đã duyệt xét biện pháp MOD đã được Ban Giám Đốc H-GAC phê chuẩn và H-GAC muốn có thêm ý kiến đóng góp về Phương Pháp Phân Bỏ Ngân Quỹ của Hội Đồng Chính Quyền (COG) cho CDBG do Bão Harvey 2017-Mẫu Tóm Tắt Phân Bỏ Ngân Quỹ Khôi Phục Sau Thảm Họa (Mẫu Tóm Tắt) đi kèm với các phân bổ đó. Các mẫu điền này chú trọng đến hướng dẫn yểm trợ hoạt động khôi phục dài hạn, tiếp tục khuyến khích hơn nữa quan điểm gia cư công bằng, đáp ứng các nhu cầu về gia cư còn để ngỏ, và xác định vai trò đóng góp của các hoạt động phục hồi hạ tầng cơ sở và tái thiết kinh tế đối với việc khôi phục dài hạn.

H-GAC đang tiếp tục quy trình Công Dân Tham Gia qua việc tiếp nhận ý kiến đóng góp nhằm giúp làm cơ sở cho hướng dẫn sẽ cung cấp cho các chính quyền địa phương để hoạch định và xác định thứ tự ưu tiên sử dụng ngân quỹ Khôi Phục Sau Thảm Họa CDBG đã phân bổ cho hoạt động phục hồi cơ sở hạ tầng và mua lại nhà bị hư hỏng.

Chúng tôi đặc biệt cần ý kiến đóng góp cho các vấn đề ghi ở trang 5-8 của Mẫu Tóm Tắt. Chúng tôi không cần ý kiến nhận xét về cơ cấu phân bổ đã được Ban Giám Đốc H-GAC phê chuẩn.

### **Buổi Họp Công Cộng và Giai Đoạn Tiếp Nhận Ý Kiến Công Chúng**

H-GAC sẽ tổ chức một buổi họp công cộng trong khuôn khổ tiếp tục quy trình Sự Tham Gia của Công Dân. Cuộc họp sẽ có phần trình bày ngắn gọn của nhân viên H-GAC và cơ hội cho ý kiến nhận xét bằng miệng và trên văn bản. Buổi họp công cộng này dự kiến diễn ra từ 10 giờ sáng đến trưa thứ Hai, ngày 10 tháng Chín, tại H-GAC Conference Room A (Phòng Họp A của H-GAC), Tầng Lầu 2, 3555 Timmons Lane, Houston, Texas.

Giai đoạn tiếp nhận ý kiến nhận xét của công chúng về Phương Pháp Phân Bỏ Ngân Quỹ của Hội Đồng Chính Quyền (COG) cho CDBG do Bão Harvey 2017-Mẫu Tóm Tắt Phân Bỏ Ngân Quỹ Khôi Phục Sau Thảm Họa diễn ra vào buổi trưa thứ Năm, ngày 30 tháng Tám, 2018 và sẽ kết thúc vào buổi trưa thứ Sáu, ngày 14 tháng Chín, 2018. Ý kiến nhận xét sẽ được tiếp nhận trên mạng trực tuyến, qua e-mail, và qua thư bưu điện. Cũng có thể trực tiếp đưa ý kiến nhận xét cho H-GAC.

### **Cách Thức Gửi Ý Kiến Nhận Xét**

**H-GAC sẽ tiếp nhận ý kiến nhận xét trên văn bản từ trưa ngày 30 tháng Tám, 2018 đến hết trưa ngày 14 tháng Chín, 2018.**

**Trực tuyến**

Sẽ có mẫu điền đóng góp ý kiến trên mạng trực tuyến bắt đầu từ thứ Năm, ngày 30 tháng Tám, 2018 tại [www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds](http://www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds).

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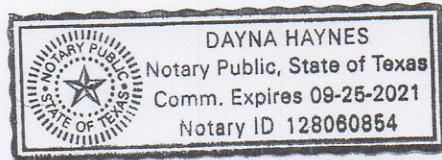
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c/o BARBARA ANN HAMPTON P.O. Box 973, Anahuac, Texas 77514. DATED the 30<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2018.

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### REQUEST FOR COMPETITIVE SEALED PROPOSALS THE MOSQUITO CONTROL BUILDING CHAMBERS COUNTY

Chambers County will accept Base Competitive Sealed Proposals until 2:00 P.M. on Thursday, September 13, 2018, at the Chambers County Courthouse Purchasing Office Conference Room, 404 Washington Ave, Anahuac, TX 77514 for the Mosquito Control Building project. A Pre-Proposal Conference will be held on Thursday, September 06, 2018 at 2:00 P.M. at the Road and Bridge Conference Room, 201 Chambers County Airport, Anahuac, TX 77514. Proposal Evaluation Criteria are published in the "Instructions to Offerors" section of the proposal documents. Plans and specifications will be released on Friday, August 17, 2018, and are available to general contractors from the following address upon deposit of \$100.00 per set: PBK Architects, Inc., 11 Greenway Plaza, 22nd Floor, Houston, Texas 77046, 713-965-0608. The Owner reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all proposals.

## ERRORS

The Progress is responsible for the first incorrect ad insertion only. Call 409-267-6131 to notify the newspaper of a needed correction

## NOTICE TO IMPLEMENT REVISED FIXED FUEL FACTOR

Entergy Texas, Inc. hereby publishes NOTICE that, pursuant to Section 36.203 of the Public Utility Regulatory Act (codified in TEX. UTIL. CODE) and 16 Tex. Admin. Code § 25.235(b), it filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (the "Commission") on August 17, 2018 a tariff to implement a revised fixed fuel factor. All of Entergy Texas' retail customers whose fuel charges are calculated under the Texas fixed fuel factor tariff – including but not limited to Residential, Small General Service, Large General Service, Large Industrial Power Service, and Street and Outdoor Lighting Service – will be affected by the Commission's approval of the revised fixed fuel factor. The revised fixed fuel factor, if approved, will affect only the fuel portion of the rates charged by Entergy Texas and will have no effect on non-fuel base rates.

Entergy Texas seeks Commission approval to revise the fixed fuel factor effective with the first billing cycle of the September 2018 billing month. Entergy Texas proposed that the fixed fuel factor be changed pursuant to a semi-annual filing to be made each February and August, with revised fuel factors to be effective with the first billing cycle of the March and September billing months, pursuant to a methodology that changes the fuel factor based upon changes in the published price of natural gas. This methodology was authorized for use in Docket No. 32915.

The revised fixed fuel factor, differentiated by voltage level, is as follows:

### FACTOR BY VOLTAGE LEVELS

Delivery Voltage	Fixed Fuel Factor	
Secondary	\$0.0291890	per kWh
Primary	\$0.0284428	per kWh
69kV/138kV	\$0.0277355	per kWh
230kV	\$0.0272740	per kWh

The revised fuel factor would result in a decrease in Entergy Texas' annual Texas retail fuel and purchased power revenues by approximately \$10.1 million, or 1.81%, on an annual basis. Compared to the fixed fuel factor approved by the Commission effective March 2018, a residential customer using 1000 kilowatt-hours (kWh) of electricity per month would see an approximate decrease of 1.86% annually, or \$0.54 on average per month, on his/her electric bill. The fixed fuel factor rate is designed to pass through to customers the actual fuel costs incurred by Entergy Texas to serve customers. Entergy Texas is not allowed to make a profit on fuel costs. Amounts collected from affected customers pursuant to the revised fixed fuel factor will be subject to final review by the Commission in Entergy Texas' next applicable fuel reconciliation proceeding before the Commission. Entergy Texas expects the revised fixed fuel factor to be in effect for the billing period of September 2018 through February 2019.

Persons with questions or who want more information on this petition may contact Entergy Texas at Attn: Customer Service – Fuel Factor, 350 Pine Street, Beaumont, Texas 77701, or call [1-800-368-3749 (once you hear: "Welcome to Entergy" select option 1, then press 5, then press 7)] during normal business hours. A complete copy of this petition is available for inspection at the address listed above.

The Commission has assigned Docket No. 48604 to this proceeding. Persons who wish to formally participate in this proceeding, or who wish to express their comments concerning this petition should contact the Public Utility Commission of Texas, Office of Customer Protection, P.O. Box 13326, Austin, Texas 78711-3326, or call (512) 936-7120 or toll-free at (888) 782-8477. Hearing and speech-impaired individuals with text telephones (TTY) may call (512) 936-7136 or use Relay Texas (toll-free) 1-800-735-2989.

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## Affidavit of Publication

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF MATAGORDA

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Brenda Burr who on his/her oath stated: I am the Publisher of The Bay City Tribune, a newspaper of general circulation in Matagorda County, Texas, and know the facts herein stated to be true and correct: attached is a printed copy of publication of the notice/citation of which it purports to be a copy, as the same appeared in such newspaper in the respective issue:

September 2, 2018



Brenda Burr, Publisher

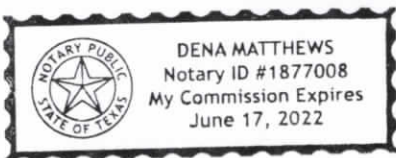
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7<sup>th</sup> day of September 2018



Dena Matthews

Notary Public in and for Matagorda County, Texas





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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF ROY L. SELLERS, NO. PR18-0090 IN THE COUNTY COURT OF MATAGORDA COUNTY, TEXAS, SITTING IN MATTERS PROBATE**

Notice is hereby given that original Letters of Testamentary upon the Estate of Roy L. Sellers, Deceased, was granted to me, the undersigned, on August 20, 2018, by the County Court of Matagorda County, Texas. All persons having claims against said Estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My residence and post office address is as follows:

Mr. Alan Sellers  
 4764 County Road 142  
 Bay City, Texas 77414

*/s/*  
**ALAN SELLERS,**  
 Independent Executor of the Estate of ROY L. SELLERS, Deceased

**LEGAL NOTICE**

The Bay City Housing Authority is now accepting Bids for Tree Trimming and the extraction of tree roots.

Bids an be turned in at the office located at 3012 Sycamore.

Contact Person: Director - Belma Davalos  
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 Ext. 101

**SMALL TAXING UNIT NOTICE**

Matagorda County Drainage District #4 will hold a meeting at 7:00 on September 13, 2018 at the Blessing Fire Dept Building, Blessing, Texas to consider adopting a proposed tax rate for tax year 2018. The proposed tax rate is .23800 per \$100 of valuation.

**Legal Notices**

**The Texas Parks and Wildlife Dept.** will conduct a prescribed burn between October 15, 2018 and January 13, 2019 on Mad Island Wildlife Management Area. For additional information, call (979) 323-9579 or go to <https://tpwd.texas.gov/>.

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**By-E-mail**

HarveyMOD Comments@h-gac.com

By Mail  
 Attn: Jeff Taebel, Director of Community and Environmental Planning  
 Houston-Galveston

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Area Council  
 P.O. Box 22777  
 Houston, Texas 77227

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H-GAC  
 3555 Timmons Lane, Suite 120  
 Houston, Texas 77027

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Victoria Bond AIR Clerk  
NEWSPAPER REPRESENTATIVE

Sworn and subscribed to before me, this 31st Day of August A.D. 2018



Delilah Metzger  
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Houston, Texas 77227

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FINANCE DEPARTMENT  
H-GAC

PUBLISHER'S AFFIDAVIT

MOD notice

THE STATE OF TEXAS §  
COUNTY OF FORT BEND §

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Lee Hartman who being by me duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the Publisher of *Fort Bend Herald* and that said newspaper meets the requirements of Section 2051.044 of the Texas Government Code, to wit:

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- 3. it is entered as second-class postal matter in the county where it is published; and
- 4. it has been published regularly and continuously since 1959.
- 5. it is generally circulated within Fort Bend County.

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\_\_\_\_\_, A.D. 2018



Lee Hartman  
Publisher

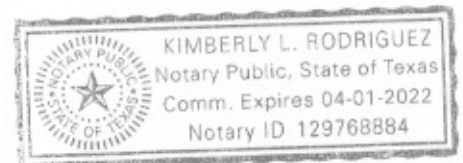
SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN BEFORE ME by Lee Hartman, who

X a) is personally known to me, or

\_\_\_\_\_ b) provided the following evidence to establish his/her identity, \_\_\_\_\_

on this the 4 day of September, A.D. 2018 to certify which witness my hand and seal of office.

  
Notary Public, State of Texas



MOD letter

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THE STATE OF TEXAS  
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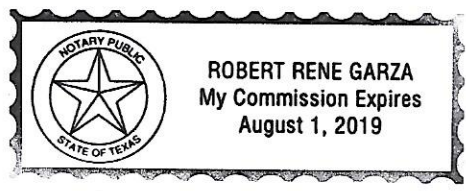
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## El H-GAC solicita comentarios del público sobre el uso de fondos para infraestructura y compra de viviendas dañadas por el huracán Harvey

Junta Directiva del Concejo del Área de Houston-Galveston (H-GAC) aprobó un método de distribución (MOD) para \$11 millones en fondos de recuperación por el huracán Harvey con el fin de apoyar proyectos de infraestructura y adquisiciones fuera de la Ciudad de Houston y el Condado de Harris. Los fondos son parte de la primera ronda del Subsidio Global Comunitario (CDBG) provistos por el Departamento de Vivienda y Desarrollo Urbano de los Estados Unidos con el propósito de la recuperación a largo plazo en Texas. El método de distribución fue sometido a un riguroso proceso de opiniones y comentarios del público que fue mucho más allá de los requisitos establecidos por la Oficina General de Tierras del Estado de Texas. La información sobre las asignaciones a nivel de ciudad y condado pueden consultarse en [www.hgac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds](http://www.hgac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds).

La Oficina General de Tierras del Estado de Texas ha evaluado el método de distribución aprobado por la Junta del H-GAC. Como resultado de esta evaluación, ha pedido al H-GAC que solicite opiniones y comentarios adicionales sobre el método de distribución utilizado por el gobierno (COG) en el Formulario de Resumen de Asignaciones para la Recuperación de Desastres del subsidio CBDG por el huracán Harvey de 2017 que acompaña las asignaciones. Estos formularios se concentran en la orientación que respalda la recuperación de viviendas moviendo afirmativamente la vivienda justa, abordando las necesidades de vivienda no satisfechas y determinando cómo las actividades de infraestructura contribuyen a la recuperación a largo plazo.

El H-GAC continúa nuestro proceso de participación ciudadana solicitando opiniones y comentarios para ayudar a informar cómo pondremos a disposición de los gobiernos locales a medida que planeen y prioricen el uso de sus fondos de infraestructura para la adquisición de viviendas para la recuperación de desastres de los subsidios CBDG asignados.

En particular, estamos solicitando opiniones y comentarios sobre los elementos detallados en las páginas 5 a 8 del Formulario de Resumen de Asignaciones para la Recuperación de Desastres del subsidio CBDG por el huracán Harvey de 2017. También estamos solicitando comentarios sobre la fórmula de asignación aprobada por la Junta del H-GAC.

### Reunión pública y período de comentarios del público

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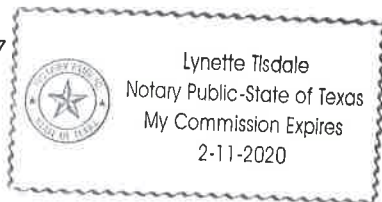


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September 5, 2018

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(Newspaper Representative's Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 7th day of

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Dated: August 22, 2018

/s/ Debra Mergel

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The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax fund at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a current obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund:	General Fund
Balance:	\$3,047,948

**SCHEDULE "B": Current Year Debt Service**

The taxing unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts to be paid by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues, sales tax revenues, if applicable).

2018 Debt Service: NONE

This Notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rates. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at:

Coveler & Peeler, P.C.  
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820 Gessner, Suite 1710  
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Name of Person preparing this Notice: John W. Peeler, District Counsel

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**PURCHASE ORDER**  
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 Phone - / Fax -

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Date	Require Date	Prepared By	Workflow	Status	Description
09/04/2018	09/14/2018	VIRGIE L. HALL	CE - ECONOMIC DEVLPMENT	ACCOUNTING Documents	THE VINDICATOR   A.TANTILLO

**H-GAC MOD PUBLIC COMMENT NOTICE**

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KRISTINA KOLLAJA	PURCHASING REVIEW	09/07/2018 5:27 PM
MARIVIC KEENAN	CODING REVIEW	09/05/2018 2:15 PM
CHERYL MERGO	PROGRAM MANAGER	09/05/2018 2:12 PM
RAMAN BAKARI	FINANCE GRANT REVIEW	09/05/2018 8:50 AM
VIRGIE L. HALL	REQUESTER	09/04/2018 1:57 PM

**TOTAL \$220.00**

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**PURCHASE ORDER**  
**18-EN-827**

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Date	Require Date	Prepared By	Workflow	Status	Description
08/30/2018	09/09/2018	VIRGIE L. HALL	CE - ECONOMIC DEVLPMENT	ACCOUNTING Documents	WHARTON JOURNAL SPECTATOR   A.TANTILLO

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MARIVIC KEENAN	CODING REVIEW	09/05/2018 2:16 PM
CHERYL MERGO	PROGRAM MANAGER	09/04/2018 10:23 AM
RAMAN BAKARI	FINANCE GRANT REVIEW	09/04/2018 9:54 AM
VIRGIE L. HALL	REQUESTER	09/04/2018 8:12 AM

**TOTAL \$272.80**

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## **Interpretation Services for Public Meeting**

From: masterword@masterword.com  
To: [Tantillo, Andrea](#)  
Subject: Interpreter Confirmation to Client for Job# 853933  
Date: Wednesday, September 5, 2018 12:31:15 PM

## Interpreter Confirmation



Any Language Any Time

To:	Andrea Tantillo	From:	Jana Bielfeldt
Phone:	713-627-3200	fax:	713-993-4503
Email:	Andrea.Tantillo@h-gac.com		
Date:	9/5/2018	Job #:	853933

RE: Confirmation of Interpretation Services

Dear Andrea Tantillo,  
Thank you for choosing MasterWord Services. We are confirming that the interpreter assigned to your request is Megan Mantey.

Services Required: Interpretation, Consecutive

Assignment #: **853933**

Language pair: American Sign Language to/from E-English

Assignment Date & Time: 9/10/2018 10:00:00 AM


Estimated Length of Assignment: 2 Hours

Request Type: **Scheduled**

Special Instructions:

The interpreters will only need to introduce themselves and provide services as needed during a brief (5-10 minute) presentation and public comment period. They will not be interpreting the entire meeting the entire time.

Requestor Name: **Andrea Tantillo**

 Address: 3555 Timmons Lane, Houston, TX 77027 - 2nd floor conference room

Contact name: Andrea Tantillo

Contact phone: 832-681-2507

Our interpreter will have a MasterWord time sheet or a special form that they will present to you upon completion of the assignment. Please sign confirming the number of hours completed. Please feel free to write any comments regarding the services provided on the time sheet.

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fax: (281) 589-1104

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Best Regards,  
Jana Bielfeldt On Behalf of Masterword Interpretation Division



From: masterword@masterword.com  
To: [Tantillo, Andrea](#)  
Subject: Interpreter Confirmation to Client for Job# 853934  
Date: Thursday, September 6, 2018 4:38:35 PM

## Interpreter Confirmation



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To:	Andrea Tantillo	From:	Sandra Bernal
Phone:	713-627-3200	fax:	713-993-4503
Email:	Andrea.Tantillo@h-gac.com		
Date:	9/6/2018	Job #:	853934

RE: Confirmation of Interpretation Services

Dear Andrea Tantillo,  
Thank you for choosing MasterWord Services. We are confirming that the interpreter assigned to your request is Jessica Fasquelle.

Services Required: Interpretation, Consecutive

Assignment #: **853934**

Language pair: S-Spanish Latin American to/from E-English

Assignment Date & Time: 9/10/2018 10:00:00 AM


Estimated Length of Assignment: 2 Hours

Request Type: **Scheduled**

Special Instructions:

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 Address: 3555 Timmons Lane, Houston, TX 77027 - 2nd floor conference room

Contact name: Andrea Tantillo

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Best Regards,  
Sandra Bernal On Behalf of Masterword Interpretation Division

From: masterword@masterword.com  
To: [Tantillo, Andrea](#)  
Subject: Interpreter Confirmation to Client for Job# 853935  
Date: Friday, August 31, 2018 4:17:06 PM

## Interpreter Confirmation



Any Language Any Time

To: Andrea Tantillo From: Briana Alba

Phone: 713-627-3200 fax: 713-993-4503

Email: [Andrea.Tantillo@h-gac.com](mailto:Andrea.Tantillo@h-gac.com)

Date: 8/31/2018 Job #: 853935

RE: Confirmation of Interpretation Services

Dear Andrea Tantillo,  
Thank you for choosing MasterWord Services. We are confirming that the interpreter assigned to your request is Thuy Thanh Nguyen.

Services Required: Interpretation, Consecutive

Assignment #: **853935**

Language pair: Vietnamese to/from E-English

Assignment Date & Time: 9/10/2018 10:00:00 AM


Estimated Length of Assignment: 2 Hours

Request Type: **Scheduled**

Special Instructions:

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Best Regards,  
Briana Alba On Behalf of Masterword Interpretation Division

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# Hurricane Harvey Community Development Block Grant Disaster Funds

## H-GAC Seeks Public Input on Use of Harvey Infrastructure and Home Buyout Funds

The Houston-Galveston Area Council (H-GAC) Board of Directors approved a Method of Distribution (MOD) for approximately \$241 million in Harvey recovery funds to support infrastructure projects and home buyouts/acquisitions outside the City of Houston and Harris County. The funds are part of the first round of Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds provided by the U.S Department of Housing and Urban Development to support long-term recovery in Texas. The MOD underwent a rigorous public input process that went above and beyond the requirements of the State of Texas General Land Office. Specific information, and city and county level allocations, can be viewed below.

The Texas General Land Office has reviewed the H-GAC Board-approved MOD and requested that H-GAC seek additional input on the [Council of Government \(COG\) Method of Distribution for 2017 Hurricane Harvey CDBG-Disaster Recovery Allocation Summary Form \(Summary Form\)](#) that accompanies the allocations. These forms focus on guidance supporting long-term recovery, affirmatively furthering fair housing, addressing unmet housing needs, and determining how economic revitalization and infrastructure activities contribute to long-term recovery.

H-GAC is continuing our Citizen Participation process by seeking input to help inform guidance we will make available to local governments as they plan and prioritize use of their allocated CDBG Disaster Recovery infrastructure and home buyout/ acquisition funds.

We are especially seeking input to the elements found on pages 5-8 of the Summary Form. We are not seeking comments on the H-GAC Board-approved allocation formula.

## Public Meeting and Public Input Period

H-GAC will host a public meeting as part of continuing the Citizen Participation process. The meeting will include a brief presentation by H-GAC staff and opportunity to provide written and oral comments. **The public meeting is scheduled from 10 a.m. to noon Monday, September 10, at H-GAC Conference Room A, Second Floor, 3555 Timmons Lane, Houston, Texas.**

The public comment period regarding the Council of Government (COG) Method of Distribution for 2017 Hurricane Harvey CDBG-Disaster Recovery Allocation Summary Form opens at noon Thursday, August 30, 2018, and will close at noon, Friday, September 14, 2018. Comments will be accepted online, by e-mail, and by mail. Comments may also be hand-delivered to H-GAC.

### How to Submit Your Comments

**H-GAC will accept written comments from noon August 30, 2018, through noon, September 14, 2018.**

#### Online

Submit your comments online using our online comment form.

[Online Comment Form](#)

#### By-E-mail

[HarveyMODComments@h-gac.com](mailto:HarveyMODComments@h-gac.com)

#### By Mail

Attn: Jeff Taebel, Director of Community and Environmental Planning  
Houston-Galveston Area Council  
P.O. Box 22777  
Houston, Texas 77227

## Hand Delivered

H-GAC  
3555 Timmons Lane, Suite 120  
Houston, Texas 77027

## Resources

- Council of Government (COG) Method of Distribution for 2017 Hurricane Harvey CDBG-Disaster Recovery Allocation Summary Form (Summary Form)
- Método de Distribución del Consejo de Gobierno (COG) de la Subvención Global para el Desarrollo Comunitario (CDBG) y de la Asignación para la Recuperación de Desastres por el Huracán Harvey de 2017
- Council of Government (COG) Method of Distribution for 2017 Hurricane Harvey CDBG-Disaster Recovery Allocation Citizen Participation Plan (Appendix A)
- Process for Developing the Method of Distribution
- Method of Distribution available as a PDF (Appendix B-1) and an Excel spreadsheet (Appendix B-2)
- Public Participation Plan for COG Method of Distribution for Hurricane Harvey CDBG-Disaster Recovery Allocation Public Comment Continuation (Appendix C)
- Regional Flood Information system interactive mapping tool (includes a variety of Harvey-related data, including HUD Low-Moderate Income Areas)
- Texas General Land Office Community Development and Revitalization Program (presentation)



# Hurricane Harvey CDBG Method of Distribution of Funds Development

The Houston-Galveston Area Council Board of Directors, on July 17, 2018, approved the final Method of Distribution (MOD) for the allocation of Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Disaster Recovery funding to counties and local jurisdictions for buyout/acquisition and infrastructure projects associated with Hurricane Harvey.

The Texas General Land Office allocated approximately \$111 million of recovery funds to the H-GAC region outside of the City of Houston and Harris County for a local buyout/acquisition program and approximately \$130 million for local infrastructure. The General Land Office required that H-GAC submit a Method of Distribution for the funding to the following counties in the H-GAC service area: Austin, Brazoria, Chambers, Colorado, Fort Bend, Galveston, Liberty, Matagorda, Montgomery, Waller, Walker, and Wharton.

The Method of Distribution includes the amount of funding available to eligible jurisdictions (counties and cities) for Hurricane Harvey-related buyouts/acquisitions and infrastructure projects only. Harris County and the City of Houston are not included in this allocation and will receive funding directly from the General Land Office.

## Overview of Preliminary Allocation Process

As presented in the State of Texas Plan for Disaster Recovery: Hurricane Harvey - Round 1 dated April 6, 2018 and prepared by the Texas General Land Office Community Development & Revitalization Program, H-GAC is responsible for developing a Method of Distribution to allocate HUD CDBG-DR funds for housing buyouts/acquisitions and infrastructure for cities and counties within the H-GAC service area outside of the City of

Houston and Harris County. Important aspects of the allocation process include a total of \$110,953,432 for housing buyouts/acquisitions and \$129,751,767 for infrastructure. The primary funding categories are further divided into two subsets:

1. funding for the area defined by HUD as most impacted; and,
2. the remainder of the impacted area

View the State Action Plan.

Following a series of public planning meetings at H-GAC and in Wharton, Galveston, and Liberty counties, and an input session with local advocacy groups, H-GAC staff considered public input and revised the draft Method of Distribution. H-GAC presented the draft Method of Distribution to the Board of Directors on June 19, 2018. The Board of Directors authorized this draft for public comment.

## Public Comments

The Method of Distribution public comment period was open from June 21, 2018, to July 6, 2018. Public comment period closed at 4 p.m. July 6, 2018.

## Summary of Public Comments

### Final H-GAC Board of Directors Approval

H-GAC presented the final Method of Distribution to the Board of Directors on July 17, 2018. The Board of Directors authorized this MOD for submission to the General Land Office for approval.

Questions can be directed to Jeff Taebel, Director of Community and Environmental Planning, at 713-627-3200 or [jeff.taebel@h-gac.com](mailto:jeff.taebel@h-gac.com).



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**From:** Shawn Strange  
**To:** [Tantillo, Andrea](#)  
**Cc:** [ROSE WALKER](#); [Alexandra Gamble](#)  
**Subject:** RE: Requesting H-GAC MOD meeting to be added to GLO website  
**Date:** Wednesday, September 5, 2018 9:04:15 AM

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Hi Andrea,

I have shared the below with our Website Content Managers. Will let you know the status shortly.

Best,

Shawn

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**From:** Tantillo, Andrea <Andrea.Tantillo@h-gac.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 5, 2018 8:41 AM  
**To:** Shawn Strange <Shawn.Strange.GLO@recovery.TEXAS.GOV>  
**Subject:** FW: Requesting H-GAC MOD meeting to be added to GLO website

Hi Shawn,

Would it be possible to get the H-GAC MOD public meeting included on the GLO website please?

H-GAC will host a public meeting as part of continuing the Citizen Participation process. The meeting will include a brief presentation by H-GAC staff and opportunity to provide written and oral comments. **The public meeting is scheduled from 10 a.m. to noon Monday, September 10, at H-GAC Conference Room A, Second Floor, 3555 Timmons Lane, Houston, Texas.**

More information is available at <http://www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds/default.aspx>

Thank you,

**Andrea Tantillo**

*Senior Communication Coordinator*

*Office Hours: Monday - Thursday, 7 a.m. to 6 p.m.*

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## REGIONAL PARTNERS

The GLO acknowledges that disasters are local and so is the recovery process. Through the utilization of partnerships with the Texas Association of Regional Councils and impacted regional Councils of Governments, counties and cities, the GLO is able to oversee the local administration of funds following major disasters. From 2015 to 2017, 23 of the 24 COG regions have been impacted by Presidentially Declared Disasters.

Given the size of the impacted area and how Hurricane Harvey impacted each region differently, local control through a regional approach is vital to long-term recovery. Each COG will develop local Method of Distribution of funds for buyout / acquisitions and infrastructure projects in their region and will conduct public hearings.

### HURRICANE HARVEY CDBG-DR REGIONAL MEETINGS

- [Alamo Area Council of Governments – DRAFT Method of Distribution – Public Meetings](#)
- [Brazos Valley Council of Governments – DRAFT Method of Distribution Public Meetings](#)
- [Capital Area Council of Governments DRAFT Method of Distribution – Public Meetings](#)
- [Deep East Texas Council of Governments DRAFT Method of Distribution – Public Meetings](#)
- [Golden Crescent Regional Planning Commission DRAFT Method of Distribution – Public Meetings](#)
- [Houston-Galveston Area Council’s DRAFT Method of Distribution - Public Meetings](#)
- [South East Texas Regional Planning Commission DRAFT Method of Distribution – Public Meetings](#)

#### Local Action Plan Meetings

Harris County and the City of Houston will develop Local Action Plans to be included in the Hurricane Harvey State Action Plan. The development of the Local Action Plans will include public meetings and and a public comment period.

- [Harris County Disaster Recovery Information](#)
- [City of Houston Long-Term Recovery Meetings](#)

For more information about our partners in recovery please visit their websites:

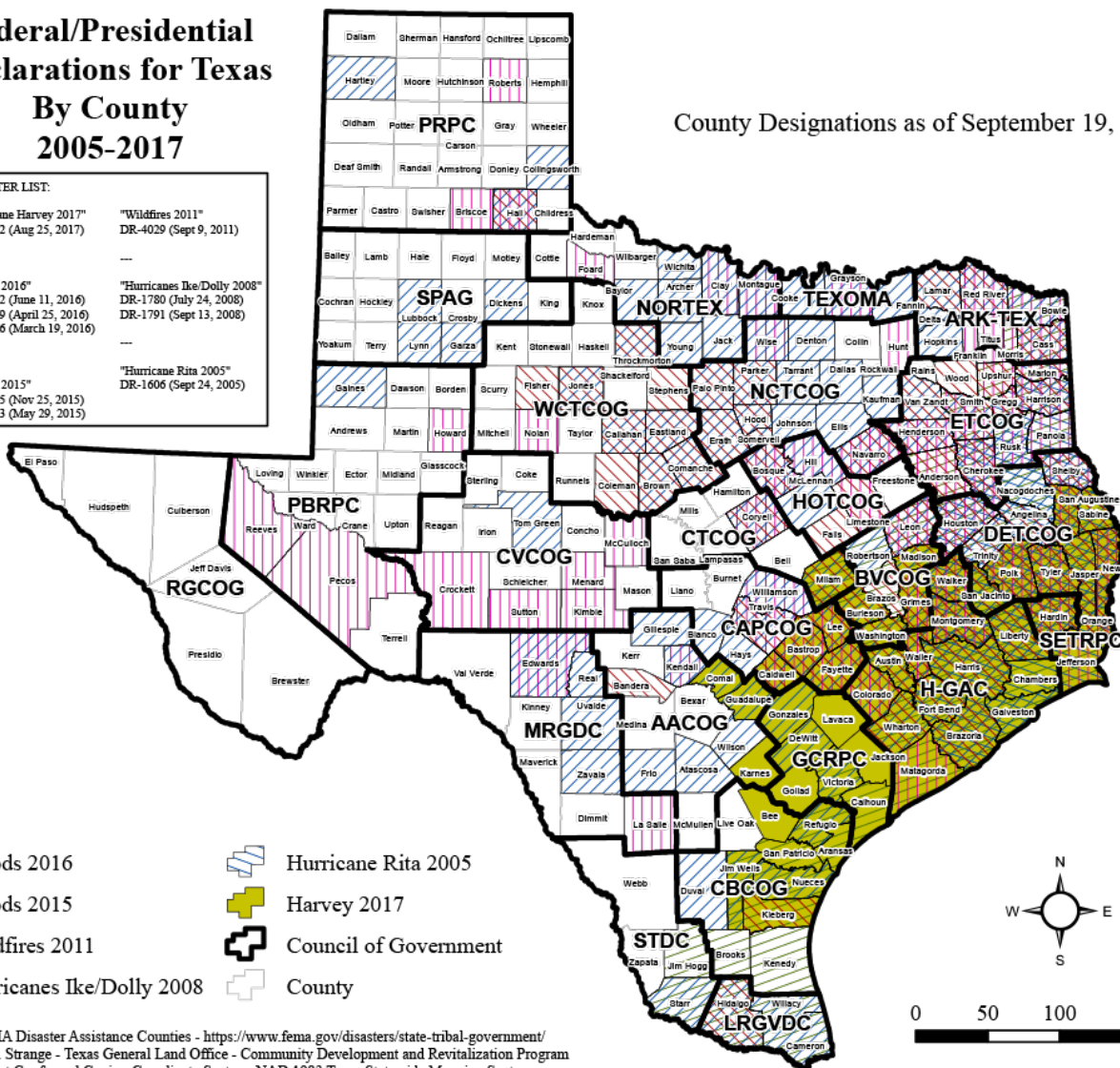
- Texas Association of Regional Councils - <http://txregionalcouncil.org/>
- FEMA – Region VI - <https://www.fema.gov/region-vi-arkansas-louisiana-new-mexico-oklahoma-texas>

- Alamo Area Council of Governments (Atascosa, Bandera, Bexar, Comal, Frio, Gillespie, Guadalupe, Karnes, Kendall, Kerr, McMullen, Medina, Wilson) <http://www.aacog.com/>
- Ark-Texas Council of Governments (Bowie, Cass, Delta, Franklin, Hopkins, Lamar, Morris, Red River, Titus Counties in TX and Miller Co., AR) <http://atcog.org/>
  - Brazos Valley Council of Governments (Brazos, Burleson, Grimes, Leon, Madison, Robertson, Washington) <http://www.bvcog.org/>
  - Capitol Area Council of Governments (Bastrop, Blanco, Burnet, Caldwell, Fayette, Hays, Lee, Llano, Travis, Williamson) <http://www.capcog.org/>
  - Central Texas Council of Governments (Bell, Coryell, Hamilton, Lampasas, Milam, Mills, San Saba) <https://ctcog.org/>
  - Coastal Bend Council of Governments (Aransas, Bee, Brooks, Duval, Jim Wells, Kenedy, Kleberg, Live Oak, Nueces, Refugio, San Patricio) <http://www.cbcog98.org/>
  - Concho Valley Council of Governments (Coke, Concho, Crockett, Irion, Kimble, Mason, McCulloch, Menard, Reagan, Schleicher, Sterling, Sutton, Tom Green) <http://www.cvcog.org>
  - Deep East Texas Councils of Government (Angelina, Houston, Jasper, Nacogdoches, Newton, Polk, Sabine, San Augustine, San Jacinto, Shelby, Trinity, Tyler) <http://www.detcog.org/>
  - East Texas Council of Government (Anderson, Camp, Cherokee, Gregg, Harrison, Henderson, Marion, Panola, Rains, Rusk, Smith, Upshur, Van Zandt, Wood) <http://www.etcog.org/>
  - Golden Crescent Regional Planning Commission (Calhoun DeWitt, Goliad, Gonzales, Jackson, Lavaca, Victoria) <http://www.gcrpc.org/>
  - Heart of Texas Council of Governments (Bosque, Falls, Freestone, Hill, Limestone, McLennan) <http://www.hotcog.org/>
  - Houston-Galveston Area Council (Austin, Brazoria, Chambers, Colorado, Fort Bend, Galveston, Harris, Liberty, Matagorda, Montgomery, Walker, Waller, Wharton) <http://www.h-gac.com/>
  - Lower Rio Grande Valley Development Council (Cameron, Hidalgo, Willacy) <http://www.lrgvdc.org/>
  - Middle Rio Grande Development Council (Dimmit, Edwards, Kinney, La Salle, Maverick, Real, Uvalde, Val Verde, Zavala) <http://www.mrgdc.org/>
  - Nortex Regional Planning Commission (Archer, Baylor, Clay, Cottle, Foard, Hardeman, Jack, Montague, Wichita, Wilbarger, Young) <http://www.nortexrpc.org/>
  - North Central Texas Council of Governments (Collin, Dallas, Denton, Ellis, Erath, Hood, Hunt, Johnson, Kaufman, Navarro, Palo Pinto, Parker, Rockwall, Somervell, Tarrant, Wise) <http://www.nctcog.org/>
  - Panhandle Regional Planning Commission (Armstrong, Briscoe, Carson, Castro, Childress, Collingsworth, Dallam, Deaf Smith, Donley, Gray, Hall, Hansford, Hartley, Hemphill, Hutchinson, Lipscomb, Moore, Ochiltree, Oldham, Parmer, Potter, Randall, Roberts, Sherman, Swisher, Wheeler) <http://www.theprpc.org/>
  - Permian Basin Regional Planning Commission (Andrews, Borden, Crane, Dawson, Ector, Gaines, Glasscock, Howard, Loving, Martin, Midland, Pecos, Reeves, Terrell, Upton, Ward, Winkler) <http://www.pbrpc.org/>
  - Rio Grande Council of Governments (Brewster, Culberson, El Paso, Hudspeth, Jeff Davis, Presidio) <http://www.riocog.org/>
  - South East Texas Regional Planning Commission (Hardin, Orange, Jefferson) <http://www.setrpc.org/>
  - South Plains Association of Governments (Bailey, Cochran, Crosby, Dickens, Floyd, Garza, Hale, Hockley, King, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, Motley, Terry, Yoakum) <http://www.spag.org/>
  - South Texas Development Council (Jim Hogg, Starr, Webb, Zapata) <http://www.stdc.cog.tx.us/>
  - Texoma Council of Governments (Cooke, Fannin, Grayson) <http://www.texoma.cog.tx.us/>
  - West Central Texas Council of Governments (Brown, Callahan, Coleman, Comanche, Eastland, Fisher, Haskell, Jones, Kent, Knox, Mitchell, Nolan, Runnels, Scurry, Shackelford, Stephens, Stonewall, Taylor, Throckmorton) <http://www.wctcog.org/>
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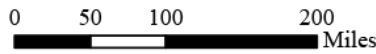
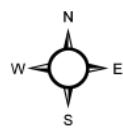
# Federal/Presidential Declarations for Texas By County 2005-2017

County Designations as of September 19, 2017

DISASTER LIST:	
"Hurricane Harvey 2017" DR-4332 (Aug 25, 2017)	"Wildfires 2011" DR-4029 (Sept 9, 2011)
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"Floods 2016" DR-4272 (June 11, 2016) DR-4269 (April 25, 2016) DR-4266 (March 19, 2016)	"Hurricanes Ike/Dolly 2008" DR-1780 (July 24, 2008) DR-1791 (Sept 13, 2008)
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"Floods 2015" DR-4245 (Nov 25, 2015) DR-4223 (May 29, 2015)	"Hurricane Rita 2005" DR-1606 (Sept 24, 2005)



- Floods 2016
- Floods 2015
- Wildfires 2011
- Hurricanes Ike/Dolly 2008
- Hurricane Rita 2005
- Harvey 2017
- Council of Government
- County



Data Source: FEMA Disaster Assistance Counties - <https://www.fema.gov/disasters/state-tribal-government/>  
 Author: Shawn M. Strange - Texas General Land Office - Community Development and Revitalization Program  
 Projection: Lambert Conformal Conic - Coordinate System: NAD 1983 Texas Statewide Mapping System

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# Upcoming Events

### Parks and Natural Area Roundtable - September 10

The next [Parks and Natural Areas Roundtable](#) will be from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. **Monday, September 10**, at H-GAC Conference Room A, Second Floor.

Representatives from Asakura Robinson and League City will present their [award-winning parks projects](#), H-GAC staff will provide a program update, and participants will share information about upcoming parks and natural areas-related projects and events.



[Online registration](#) is requested. For more information, contact [Andrea Tantillo](#) at 832-681-2507.

### U.S. Census PSAP Workshops - September 12, October 15

H-GAC is the official liaison for the United States Census Bureau's Participant Statistical Areas Program (PSAP) for the 13-county H-GAC planning region. As part of the PSAP, the U.S. Census Bureau requires re-establishing boundaries based on population growth or loss at the Census Tract and Census Block Group levels with every decennial census count.



H-GAC staff will host a series of workshops to engage stakeholders in open dialogue about the process for reestablishing boundaries. The workshops are designed for individuals at the county and local levels who use cCensus data for planning purposes and demographic data users who base research and policy decisions on Census Tracts, Block Groups, or Census Designated Places. They are free and open to the public, but you must register to attend either.

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Wednesday, September 12

1 - 4 p.m.

H-GAC Conference Room B, Second Floor

[Registration Information](#)

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## Texas Energy Summit - September 24-26

The [2018 Texas Energy Summit](#), formerly the Clean Air Through Energy Efficiency/CATEE Conference, will be **September 24-26** at Hyatt Regency Houston/Galleria, 2626 Sage Road, Houston.

The annual summit provides a forum to

- Share information on state and local energy efficiency, renewable energy, and air quality policies;
- Raise awareness of the importance of energy efficiency, renewable energy, and sustainability measures for the state's economic well-being;





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H-GAC hosts quarterly roundtables to help local governments, chambers of commerce, and economic development interests promote the economic revitalization of downtown areas.

For more information, contact [Joey Kaspar](#) at 713-993-4547.

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Mark your calendars for the annual [Fall Planning Workshop](#) from 8:30 a.m. to noon, **Friday, November 9**, at H-GAC Conference Room B, Second Floor.

This annual half-day workshop series for local governments features presentations on best planning practices for communities.

This year's workshop, Planning at the Edge, invites participants to join in discussion with local cities and counties, especially unincorporated areas, experiencing growth and development. This workshop will focus on common issues, challenges, and potential management solutions.

For more information, e-mail [livablecenters@h-gac.com](mailto:livablecenters@h-gac.com).

## Trash Bash - March 30, 2019



Every year, thousands of volunteers gather to clean up trash and debris along area waterways by participating in the largest, single-day waterway cleanup in Texas, the [River, Lakes, Bays 'N Bayous Trash Bash®](#). Join them on **Saturday, March 30, 2019**, for the 26th annual cleanup.

With locations across the Galveston Bay watershed, there's a cleanup location near home, work, or school. An educational area offers opportunities to learn more about protecting water quality. Participating in Trash Bash® is free, with supplies, t-shirts, lunch, and door prizes provided. Scouts and students are encouraged to participate.

Learn more about becoming a [volunteer](#) or [sponsor](#) for Trash Bash® 2019.

# Announcements

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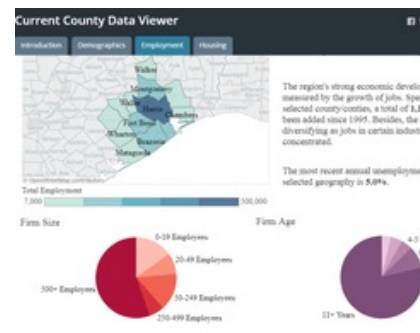
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H-GAC's [interactive web applications](#) provide information in a convenient, easy-to-use format. The applications are accessible on any browsers and are mobile-friendly.

## Partner Announcements

### 2019 Texas Environmental Excellence Awards

Each year, the Governor's Office and commissioners from the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality honor the state's most outstanding environmental projects through the [Texas Environmental Excellence Awards](#). Winners from

across the state exemplify how Texans set the standard for ensuring clean air, clean water, and the safe management of waste. [The application period for the 2019 awards is now open.](#) Winners will be honored at an awards banquet **May 15, 2019**, where videos of the winning projects will be featured. Applications will be accepted through **Friday, September 28.**



### Federal Highway Administration Environmental Excellence Awards

The Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) is accepting nominations for the [2019 Environmental Excellence Awards](#) through **Friday, September 14.** This biennial awards program recognizes partners, projects, and processes that use FHWA funding sources to go beyond environmental compliance and achieve environmental excellence.



### Recycle Bowl Registration

Keep America Beautiful presents [Recycle Bowl](#), a national K-12 competition between schools to invigorate student participation in recycling efforts. The competition runs from **October 15 to November 15**, but [registration](#) is open now. There are both competitive and non-competitive divisions for this program.



### America Recycles Day Event Registration

For almost two decades, communities have come together on **November 15** to celebrate [America Recycles Day](#). Do you have plans for hosting a special event on that day? Register your event [here](#).



America Recycles Day  
**NOVEMBER 15**

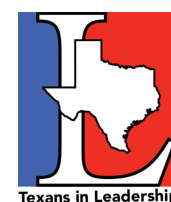
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The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) invites students in 6th through 12th grades to enter the annual [Take Care of Texas Video Contest](#). Student videos should be 30 seconds long and portray positive ways Texans can help keep air and water clean, conserve water and energy, or reduce waste. The contest deadline is **Friday, December 14**, and the public will have the opportunity to pick their favorite videos **January 10 through 24, 2019**. The middle and high school students who win first place will be invited to travel to Austin, along with their teacher, parent, or guardian, to be recognized by the TCEQ and Waste Management of Texas, Inc., at the 2019 Environmental Trade Fair and Conference.



### Texas Rural Leadership Program

The [Texas Rural Leadership Program \(TRLP\)](#) offers leadership development training in communities through its TRLP Leaders-In-Action Workshop Series. TRLP partners with Texas A&M AgriLife Extension and Texas A&M University Public Partnership & Outreach. For more information about what TRLP offers, visit <https://trlp.tamu.edu/> or contact [Craig Rotter](#) at 979-587-1992.



### Community Resilience Collaborative

The [Community Resilience Collaborative \(CRC\)](#) provides technical assistance for planning, outreach, and education aimed at coastal communities, particularly resource managers, land use planners, and emergency managers who deal with hazard mitigation. Planning is emphasized to address critical land use, environmental, hazard mitigation, and disaster recovery issues through coastal planning. Priority is placed on providing planning assistance to low-capacity, low-resource, and/or underrepresented communities. For more information regarding the CRC, contact [Heather Wade](#) at 979-845-3855.



## More Upcoming Events

### Center for Houston's Future Summer Salons

[The Center for Houston's Future](#) is hosting the third of [three monthly summer salons](#) at 7:30 a.m. **Wednesday, September 13**, at the Junior League of Houston, 1811 Briar Oaks Lane, Houston. This casual breakfast conversation brings big-picture thinkers and regional experts together with broader audiences for an extended discussion on regional issues, with a focus on the next steps for



creating a sustainable and competitive Houston region. [Registration](#) is \$30 per person and includes a seated breakfast.

### Greater Houston Partnership Economy Series

The Greater Houston Partnership and Visit Houston will host [Placemaking - The Role of Tourism on Houston's Perception](#) from noon to 1:30 p.m. **Friday, September 21**, at Marriott Marquis, 1777 Walker Street, Houston. The two-part luncheon includes the State of Tourism address from Mike Waterman, Executive Chief Sales and Marketing Officer of Houston First Corp. and President of Visit Houston. Aaron Price, Chief Marketing Officer for Brand Expedia Group, will then describe what it takes for cities to transform their communities into great places. Registration begins at \$90 for members. For more information, contact [Ryan Albright](#) at 713-844-3632.



### Texas Parks and Wildlife Recreation Grants Criteria Discussion

The Texas Parks and Wildlife Department (TPWD) Recreation Grants program is hosting a series of public input meetings to discuss and assess evaluation criteria for awarding funds through the Community Outdoor Outreach Program (CO-OP) Grant and for Local Park Grants. A meeting in the H-GAC region will be **Thursday, September 13**, at TPWD State Parks Region 4 HQ, 14200 Garrett Road, Houston. Local Park Grant evaluation criteria discussion will be from 9 to 11:30 a.m., and Co-Op Grant evaluation criteria discussion will be from 1 to 3:30 p.m. [Webinars](#) are available for anyone who cannot attend in person. Existing evaluation criteria for each of these grant programs is available [online](#). For more information, e-mail [Recreation Grants](#) or call 512-389-8224.



### America Walks Webinars

[America Walks](#) is hosting [free monthly webinars](#) at 1 p.m. the second Wednesday of each month. These webinars look to expand knowledge, highlight success stories, and share new tools and resources. Registration is required. Upcoming webinars include [Pedestrians are People Too: The Criminalization of Walking](#), **September 12**; [Walk Into Action: Walking and Walkability Policy Issues](#), **October 10**; [Where Do We Go Next? Mapping and Tracking in the Future](#), **November 14**; and [On a Sustainable Path: The Role of Walkability in Addressing Climate Change](#), **December 12**.



### Texas General Land Office Adopt-A-Beach Fall Cleanup

The 2018 Texas General Land Office [Adopt-A-Beach Fall Cleanup](#) will be from 8:30 a.m. to noon **Saturday, September 15**, at 30 sites along the Texas coast. There are 10 sites in the Houston-Galveston area: four in Galveston County, one in LaPorte, two in the Freeport area, and three in the Bay City area. [Registration](#) is requested.



### Gulf of Mexico Alliance Wednesday Webinars

The [Gulf of Mexico Alliance \(GOMA\)](#) is hosting a [Wednesday Webinar series](#) at 2 p.m. the last Wednesday of every other month. [Join](#) to learn about resources and projects from around the Gulf. Preregistration is not required. Upcoming webinars include Tool Highlights (Dave Reed), **September 26**; and Harmful Algal Blooms (HAB) Detection (Kate Hubbard), **November 28**.



### National Association of Development Organizations Conference

Registration is open for the [National Association of Development Organization's \(NADO\) 2018 Annual Training Conference](#), Investing in the Future of Regional Development **October 13-16** in Charlotte, NC. The conference will be four days of interactive learning, networking with peers, thought-provoking plenary sessions, hands-on learning labs and workshops, mobile workshops, and more.



### Drug Enforcement Agency National Prescription Drug Take Back Day

The Drug Enforcement Agency's (DEA) [National Prescription Drug Take Back Day](#) will be from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on **Saturday, October 27**. Check the [DEA website](#) in early October for area drop-off locations. The collection event provides a safe, convenient, and responsible means of disposing of prescription drugs, while also educating the general public about the potential for abuse of medications and environmental contamination. Law enforcement agencies interested in hosting a collection site should call the [point of contact](#) for this area.



### STAR Texas Recycling Summit

Registration is now open for the [State of Texas Alliance for Recycling \(STAR\) Texas Recycling Summit 2018](#) **October 28-31** at Moody Gardens, 7 Hope Boulevard, Galveston. This is the only state conference dedicated entirely to recycling and waste diversion activities in Texas. It's also an opportunity to network with professionals from the recycling industry to learn, collaborate, share successes, and support recycling efforts.



### Texas A&M AgriLife Extension, Master Gardeners Composter Training

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service and Fort Bend County Master Gardeners Association are hosting a [three-day composter specialist event](#) from 10 a.m. to noon **December 5-7** at the AgriLife Extension Office, 1402 Band Road, Suite 100, Rosenberg. This training is sanctioned by the Texas Master Gardener program, and the 24 attendees will receive the title of "Composter Specialist." More information, including an [agenda and registration](#), is available online.



## Funding Sources

### USDA Rural Water Infrastructure Projects

The U.S. Department of Agriculture Office of Rural Development has more than [\\$4 billion in direct loans available to help rural communities build or upgrade water infrastructure](#). Water districts and rural communities can apply for USDA loans electronically using the interactive [RDApply tool](#). [USDA state and field offices](#) are available to help during the application process.



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H-GAC has compiled a list of [local, regional, state, federal, and private funding sources](#) for local governments and other organizations. H-GAC also maintains a list of ongoing [funding opportunities for parks improvements](#).

If you know of a funding opportunity, forward it to [Andrea Tantillo](#).

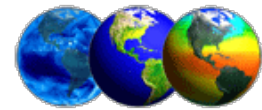
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## Community and Environmental Planning Programs

### Mapping Applications

Looking for interactive applications or GIS data related to the H-GAC Community and Environmental Planning Department? Visit H-GAC's [interactive applications web page](#) to see the latest information, including Census, Regional Forecast, and more.



### Facebook

H-GAC has a [Facebook page](#) where information about current and upcoming events is posted. Please visit and like H-GAC's page. While there, visit other H-GAC pages on Facebook, including [Recycling](#), [Trash Bash](#), [Regional Data Lab](#), [Bacteria Implementation Group](#) (BIG), [West Fork Watersheds Partnership](#), and [Cedar Bayou Watershed Partnership](#).



### Twitter

Find the latest information about activities around the region at H-GAC's Twitter feed [@hgaccog](#). H-GAC's water resources program also offers Twitter updates on water quality issues in the region [@HGACwater](#).



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August 2018

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### August Board of Directors Meeting

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## Meetings and Events

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# INPUT OPPORTUNITIES

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The FCC is seeking applicants from several categories, including local governments - particularly nominations for first responders, emergency managers, emergency planners, local network managers, and risk management staff.

All applications must include the information listed in the public notice and be submitted by email to the FCC no later than **September 7, 2018**.

If you or a local or regional leader you know is planning to apply for the BDAC Disaster Response and Recovery Working Group, please email [maci.morin@narc.org](mailto:maci.morin@narc.org) so that NARC can write a letter in support of your nomination.

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The Transportation Policy Council (TPC) approved the initiation of the 2018 Call for Projects at its August meeting.

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Project proposals requesting federal funding will be aligned with goals, strategies, and investment priorities emphasized in the [2045 Regional Transportation Plan](#) (RTP).

To assist potential sponsor agencies and other interested parties with application submittal, H-GAC will conduct an application workshop on September 11, 2018 from 9:00am - 11:00am at Houston TranStar. Click here to [register for the workshop](#).

## Texas General Land Office Requests Input for \$137M in Grant Funding

**Texas General Land Office** (GLO) officials are seeking more local and regional input to decide on projects eligible for \$137 million in Community Development Block Grants for Disaster Recovery (CDBG-DR). The grants will be used to help pay for local, regional, and state planning to mitigate and reduce the impact of future disasters, according to Land Commissioner George P. Bush.

GLO officials plan to distribute the survey to citizens, local officials, councils of government, and river authorities. Input has been requested on flood control, drainage improvements, resilient housing solutions, economic development and infrastructure upgrades. The grants from the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) will be used to fund studies in impacted areas to promote sound, long term recovery. This allocation is part of the \$5.024 billion State Action Plan recently approved by HUD. The survey is available [HERE](#).



## Texas Motor Vehicle Safety Inspection Survey

The University of Texas Center for Transportation Research is conducting a study of costs and benefits of the Texas motor vehicle safety inspection program. A short survey for Texas vehicle owners about their experiences with annual safety inspections can be taken [HERE](#).

For any questions or for more information regarding this survey, please contact [Dr. Mike Murphy, P.E.](#) at 512-232-3134.



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### Event Locations:

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For more information, contact:

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# NEW IN THE REGION

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H-GAC conducts a regional salary and benefits survey as a service to its member cities. The survey covers nearly 80 municipal jobs and includes questions on city benefit practices. The [2018 H-GAC Regional Salary and Benefits Survey](#) is now available for purchase. For more information, contact [Staci Stalarow](#) at 832-681-2631.



## H-GAC Home Rule and General Law Caucuses

Home Rule and General Law Representatives: Please Save the Date for the upcoming 2018 caucuses to elect your 2019 H-GAC Board Representatives. The **Home Rule Caucus** will be held on **Thursday, November 1** and the **General Law Caucus** will be held on **Thursday, November 8** at Maggiano's Little Italy at 2019 Post Oak Blvd. Registration information will follow in the coming weeks.



## Tow And Go

Ever find yourself broken down on the freeway and you just don't know what to do? Well now there is an App for that!

The [Tow and Go Program](#), launched by H-GAC, provides no-cost towing for vehicles that break down from mechanical failures while traveling within the City of Houston. Vehicles that break down due to mechanical failure (e.g., out of gas, overheating, flat tires) while traveling in the program's service area will be cleared, at no cost, to a safe location within one mile. The program also includes motorcycles and trailers.



For more information visit [TowAndGo.com](#).

## H-GAC Offices Closed Monday, September 3

The Houston-Galveston Area Council offices will be closed Monday, September 3 in observance of Labor Day.



## Careers at H-GAC

H-GAC offers opportunities in clerical, technical, and professional positions, when available. Qualified, motivated individuals are encouraged to view our current opportunities and apply.

H-GAC is currently seeking:

- [Data Analyst \(Economist\)](#)
- [Financial Analyst - Human Services/Workforce](#)
- [GIS Analyst - Developer](#)
- [Manager - Multimodal Planning - Transportation](#)
- [Principal Data Analyst - Transportation](#)
- [Principal Planner - Transportation](#)
- [Procurement Coordinator](#)
- [Specifications Coordinator](#)
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To learn more and stay up to date on all career opportunities at H-GAC click [HERE](#) and follow us on [LinkedIn](#).



**Electronic Notices of Public Meeting and Public Input Period**



Houston-Galveston  
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#### **BY MAIL**

Attn: Jeff Taebel, Director of Community and Environmental Planning  
Houston-Galveston Area Council  
P.O. Box 22777  
Houston, Texas 77227

#### **HAND DELIVERED**

H-GAC  
3555 Timmons Lane, Suite 100

Houston, Texas 77027

**PUBLIC MEETING**

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**PUBLIC MEETING**

**When:** Monday, September 10, 2018 – 10 a.m. to Noon.

**Where:** Houston-Galveston Area Council, 2nd Floor Conference Rooms, 3555 Timmons Lane, Houston

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Sincerely,  
Jeff Taebel, FAICP, Community & Environmental Department Director  
Houston-Galveston Area Council  
713-993-4560

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**HOUSTON-GALVESTON AREA COUNCIL**

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**To:** H-GAC Board Members  
**Subject:** Update on H-GAC Method of Distribution of Hurricane Harvey CDBG Disaster Recovery Funds  
**From:** Chuck Wemple   
**Date:** August 30, 2018

This memo includes an update on the H-GAC Board-approved Method of Distribution (MOD), which details the allocation of approximately \$241 million in Harvey recovery funds to support infrastructure projects and home buyouts/acquisitions outside the City of Houston and Harris County. As you are aware, the MOD underwent a rigorous public input process that went above and beyond the requirements of the State of Texas General Land Office (GLO), and full consideration and discussion by our Board at our July 2018 meeting.

The GLO has reviewed the H-GAC Board-approved MOD and is requiring a portion of the MOD undergo additional public comment prior to completing their review. Several other Councils of Government have received the same instructions. The specific portion of the MOD that is subject to additional input is the Summary Form that accompanies the allocations. These forms focus on guidance supporting long-term recovery, affirmatively furthering fair housing, addressing unmet housing needs, and determining how economic revitalization and infrastructure activities contribute to long-term recovery.

To move our MOD forward and gain GLO approval, H-GAC is [continuing our Citizen Participation process and seeking input](#) to help inform guidance we will make available to local governments as they plan and prioritize use of their allocated CDBG Disaster Recovery infrastructure and home buyout/acquisition funds. We are especially seeking input to the elements found on pages 5-8 of the [Summary Form](#). We are not seeking comments on the H-GAC Board-approved allocation formula.

The public comment period regarding the [Summary Form](#) will begin Thursday, August 30, 2018, and will close at noon, Friday, September 14, 2018. We will take comments online, by e-mail, by mail, hand-delivered, and at a public meeting from 10 a.m. to noon Monday, September 10, at H-GAC Conference Room A, Second Floor. More information is available on the [project website](#).

I will provide an update on the MOD at our September Board meeting. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions about the continuation of our Citizen Participation process





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## **Press Releases/In the News**



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**NEWS RELEASE**

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

August 30, 2018

Contact: Jeff Taebel: 713-993-4560 or [jeff@h-gac.com](mailto:jeff@h-gac.com)

Andrea Tantillo: 832-681-2507 or [andrea.tantillo@h-gac.com](mailto:andrea.tantillo@h-gac.com) (Media Inquires Only)

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H-GAC will accept written comments beginning Thursday, August 30, through noon Friday, September 14. Written comments may be submitted online at [www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds](http://www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds); e-mailed to [HarveyMODComments@h-gac.com](mailto:HarveyMODComments@h-gac.com); mailed to H-GAC, Attn: Jeff Taebel, Director of Community and Environmental Planning, Houston-Galveston Area Council, P.O. Box 22777, Houston, Texas 77227; or hand-delivered to H-GAC, 3555 Timmons Lane, Suite 120, Houston, Texas 77027. H-GAC encourages the public to use the online form, e-mail, or hand-deliver comments to ensure delivery before the comment period closes.

### **Houston-Galveston Area Council**

The Houston-Galveston Area Council ([www.h-gac.com](http://www.h-gac.com)) is a voluntary association of local governments in the 13-county Gulf Coast Planning Region—an area of 12,500 square miles and nearly 7 million people. H-GAC works to promote efficient and accountable use of local, state, and federal tax dollars and serves as a problem-solving and information forum for local government needs.

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### **How to Submit Your Comments**

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## Quote # 853099

Quote Date: 08/29/2018  
Client Name: Andrea Tantillo  
Company Name: Houston-Galveston Area Council  
Service Type: Translation  
Project Name: PUBLIC NOTICE-Final-MOD-Public-Comment-Continuation.docx

### Scope of Work

- **Translation** of the documents provided to us from Source Language into Target Language. Translation will be performed by native speakers, professional translators, with experience in the appropriate subject matter.
- **Editing** of the translated documents by professional editors/translators for consistency in terminology, meaning, and style.
- **Proofreading** of the translated documents.
- Development of the **Translation Memory** (usually applicable for documents in source/native format) and Terminology (glossary) databases.
- **Project Management** of the entire process.
- **24/7** Project Management assistance and availability.
- **Post-project assistance.** Should you have any questions regarding the translation or need to update the translated copy based on the changes in your original text, MasterWord is ready to provide our expert assistance around the clock (additional fees may apply).

### Quoted turnaround time in days: 1 days

The turnaround is quoted based on industry standards, language combination, project complexity, and availability of resources. Rush services may be available. [Please contact your Project Manager](#) if your translation is needed faster.

## Estimated Cost

Language Pair	Service	Unit	Rate	Quantity	Total
E-English - S-Spanish Latin American	T-Translation	Min. Charge	75	1	\$75.00
<b>E-English - S-Spanish Latin American Total:</b>					<b>\$75.00</b>
E-English - Vietnamese	T-Translation	Min. Charge	100	1	\$100.00
<b>E-English - Vietnamese Total:</b>					<b>\$100.00</b>
<b>Total:</b>					<b>\$175.00</b>

**Payment terms:**

Unless otherwise indicated in the contract or a prepayment is necessary, payment of final invoice is due within 30 days of receipt. All past due invoices will incur a 1.8% late charge every 30 days until paid in full.

## **El H-GAC solicita comentarios del público sobre el uso de fondos para infraestructura y compra de viviendas dañadas por el huracán Harvey**

La Junta Directiva del Concejo del Área de Houston-Galveston (H-GAC) aprobó un método de distribución (MOD) para aproximadamente \$241 millones en fondos de recuperación por el huracán Harvey con el fin de apoyar proyectos de infraestructura y adquisición/compra de viviendas fuera de la Ciudad de Houston y el Condado de Harris. Los fondos son parte de la primera ronda del Subsidio Global para Desarrollo Comunitario (CDBG) provistos por el Departamento de Vivienda y Desarrollo Urbano de los Estados Unidos con el propósito de respaldar la recuperación a largo plazo en Texas. El método de distribución fue sometido a un riguroso proceso de opiniones y comentarios por parte del público que fue mucho más allá de los requisitos establecidos por la Oficina General de Tierras del Estado de Texas. La información específica y las asignaciones a nivel de ciudad y condado pueden consultarse en [www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds](http://www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds).

La Oficina General de Tierras del Estado de Texas ha evaluado el método de distribución aprobado por la Junta del H-GAC. A partir de dicha evaluación, ha pedido al H-GAC que solicite opiniones y comentarios adicionales sobre el método de distribución utilizado por el Concejo de Gobierno (COG) en el Formulario de Resumen de Asignaciones para la Recuperación de Desastres del subsidio CDBG por el huracán Harvey de 2017 que acompaña las asignaciones. Estos formularios se concentran en la orientación que respalda la recuperación a largo plazo, promoviendo afirmativamente la vivienda justa, abordando las necesidades de vivienda no satisfechas y determinando cómo la revitalización económica y las actividades de infraestructura contribuyen a la recuperación a largo plazo.

El H-GAC continúa nuestro proceso de participación ciudadana solicitando opiniones y comentarios para ayudar a informar los lineamientos que pondremos a disposición de los gobiernos locales a medida que planeen y prioricen el uso de sus fondos de infraestructura y compra/adquisición de viviendas para la recuperación de desastres de los subsidios CDBG asignados.

En particular, estamos solicitando opiniones y comentarios sobre los elementos detallados en las páginas 5 a 8 del Formulario de Resumen. No estamos solicitando comentarios sobre la fórmula de asignación aprobada por la Junta del H-GAC.

### **Reunión pública y período de comentarios del público**

Como parte del proceso continuo de participación ciudadana, el H-GAC organizará una reunión pública. La reunión incluirá una breve presentación del personal del H-GAC y ofrecerá la oportunidad de aportar comentarios orales y escritos. La reunión pública se ha programado de las 10 a.m. al mediodía del lunes 10 de septiembre, en la Sala de Conferencias A del H-GAC, segundo piso, 3555 Timmons Lane, Houston, Texas.

El período de comentarios del público sobre el método de distribución utilizado por el Concejo de Gobierno (COG) en el Formulario de Resumen de Asignaciones para Recuperación de Desastres del subsidio CDBG por el huracán Harvey de 2017 comienza el mediodía del jueves 30 de agosto de 2018 y finaliza el mediodía del viernes 14 de septiembre de 2018. Se aceptarán comentarios en línea, por correo electrónico y por correo postal. Los comentarios también podrán entregarse en mano en el H-GAC.

### **Cómo enviar sus comentarios**

**El H-GAC aceptará comentarios por escrito desde el mediodía del 30 de agosto hasta el mediodía del 14 de septiembre de 2018.**

#### **En línea**

A partir del jueves 30 de agosto de 2018, en [www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds](http://www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds), encontrará disponible un formulario para presentar comentarios en línea.

#### **Por correo electrónico**

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## **H-GAC Muốn Biết Ý Kiến Công Chúng về việc Sử Dụng Quỹ Phục Hồi Cơ Sở Hạ Tầng Mua Lại Nhà và Bị Hư Hỏng do Cơ Bão Harvey**

Ban Giám Đốc Hội Đồng Khu Vực Houston-Galveston (H-GAC) đã phê chuẩn một Biện Pháp Phân Bỏ (MOD) cho khoảng \$241 triệu ngân quỹ phục hồi thiệt hại do cơn bão Harvey để yểm trợ các dự án hạ tầng cơ sở và mua lại những căn nhà bị hư hỏng ở bên ngoài Thành Phố Houston và Quận Harris. Ngân quỹ này nằm trong khuôn khổ đợt ngân quỹ đầu tiên của Trợ Cấp Phát Triển Cộng Đồng (CDBG) do Sở Gia Cư và Phát Triển Đô Thị Hoa Kỳ cung cấp nhằm yểm trợ hoạt động khôi phục dài hạn ở Texas. MOD đã tiến hành một quy trình tiếp nhận ý kiến công chúng nghiêm ngặt, vượt ngoài phạm vi yêu cầu của Tổng Cục Quản Lý Đất Tiểu Bang Texas. Quý vị có thể xem thông tin cụ thể, và các phân bổ ngân quỹ theo cấp độ thành phố và quận trên trang mạng [www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds](http://www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds).

Tổng Cục Quản Lý Đất Tiểu Bang Texas đã duyệt xét biện pháp MOD đã được Ban Giám Đốc H-GAC phê chuẩn và H-GAC muốn có thêm ý kiến đóng góp về Phương Pháp Phân Bỏ Ngân Quỹ của Hội Đồng Chính Quyền (COG) cho CDBG do Bão Harvey 2017-Mẫu Tóm Tắt Phân Bỏ Ngân Quỹ Khôi Phục Sau Thảm Họa (Mẫu Tóm Tắt) đi kèm với các phân bổ đó. Các mẫu điền này chú trọng đến hướng dẫn yểm trợ hoạt động khôi phục dài hạn, tiếp tục khuyến khích hơn nữa quan điểm gia cư công bằng, đáp ứng các nhu cầu về gia cư còn để ngỏ, và xác định vai trò đóng góp của các hoạt động phục hồi hạ tầng cơ sở và tái thiết kinh tế đối với việc khôi phục dài hạn.

H-GAC đang tiếp tục quy trình Công Dân Tham Gia qua việc tiếp nhận ý kiến đóng góp nhằm giúp làm cơ sở cho hướng dẫn sẽ cung cấp cho các chính quyền địa phương để hoạch định và xác định thứ tự ưu tiên sử dụng ngân quỹ Khôi Phục Sau Thảm Họa CDBG đã phân bổ cho hoạt động phục hồi cơ sở hạ tầng và mua lại nhà bị hư hỏng.

Chúng tôi đặc biệt cần ý kiến đóng góp cho các vấn đề ghi ở trang 5-8 của Mẫu Tóm Tắt. Chúng tôi không cần ý kiến nhận xét về cơ cấu phân bổ đã được Ban Giám Đốc H-GAC phê chuẩn.

### **Buổi Họp Công Cộng và Giai Đoạn Tiếp Nhận Ý Kiến Công Chúng**

H-GAC sẽ tổ chức một buổi họp công cộng trong khuôn khổ tiếp tục quy trình Sự Tham Gia của Công Dân. Cuộc họp sẽ có phần trình bày ngắn gọn của nhân viên H-GAC và cơ hội cho ý kiến nhận xét bằng miệng và trên văn bản. Buổi họp công cộng này dự kiến diễn ra từ 10 giờ sáng đến trưa thứ Hai, ngày 10 tháng Chín, tại H-GAC Conference Room A (Phòng Họp A của H-GAC), Tầng Lầu 2, 3555 Timmons Lane, Houston, Texas.

Giai đoạn tiếp nhận ý kiến nhận xét của công chúng về Phương Pháp Phân Bỏ Ngân Quỹ của Hội Đồng Chính Quyền (COG) cho CDBG do Bão Harvey 2017-Mẫu Tóm Tắt Phân Bỏ Ngân Quỹ Khôi Phục Sau Thảm Họa diễn ra vào buổi trưa thứ Năm, ngày 30 tháng Tám, 2018 và sẽ kết thúc vào buổi trưa thứ Sáu, ngày 14 tháng Chín, 2018. Ý kiến nhận xét sẽ được tiếp nhận trên mạng trực tuyến, qua e-mail, và qua thư bưu điện. Cũng có thể trực tiếp đưa ý kiến nhận xét cho H-GAC.

### **Cách Thức Gửi Ý Kiến Nhận Xét**

**H-GAC sẽ tiếp nhận ý kiến nhận xét trên văn bản từ trưa ngày 30 tháng Tám, 2018 đến hết trưa ngày 14 tháng Chín, 2018.**

**Trực tuyến**

Sẽ có mẫu điền đóng góp ý kiến trên mạng trực tuyến bắt đầu từ thứ Năm, ngày 30 tháng Tám, 2018 tại [www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds](http://www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds).

**Qua E-mail**

[HarveyMODComments@h-gac.com](mailto:HarveyMODComments@h-gac.com)

**Qua thư bưu điện**

Attn: Jeff Taebel, Director of Community and Environmental Planning  
Houston-Galveston Area Council  
P.O. Box 22777  
Houston, Texas 77227

**Đưa trực tiếp**

H-GAC  
3555 Timmons Lane, Suite 120  
Houston, Texas 77027

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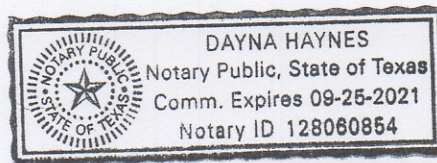
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The public comment period regarding the Council of Government (COG) Method of Distribution for 2017 Hurricane Harvey CDBG-Disaster Recovery Allocation Summary Form opens at noon Thursday, August 30, 2018, and will close at noon, Friday, September 14, 2018. Comments will be accepted online, by e-mail, and by mail. Comments may also be hand-delivered to H-GAC.

**How to Submit Your Comments**  
H-GAC will accept written comments from noon August 30, 2018, through noon, September

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c/o BARBARA ANN HAMPTON P.O. Box 973, Anahuac, Texas 77514. DATED the 30<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2018.

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309 Miller Street  
Anahuac, Texas 77514  
Telephone: (409) 267-3322 Facsimile: (409) 267-3240. E-mail: [edlieck@edliecklaw.com](mailto:edlieck@edliecklaw.com)

### REQUEST FOR COMPETITIVE SEALED PROPOSALS THE MOSQUITO CONTROL BUILDING CHAMBERS COUNTY

Chambers County will accept Base Competitive Sealed Proposals until 2:00 P.M. on Thursday, September 13, 2018, at the Chambers County Courthouse Purchasing Office Conference Room, 404 Washington Ave, Anahuac, TX 77514 for the Mosquito Control Building project. A Pre-Proposal Conference will be held on Thursday, September 06, 2018 at 2:00 P.M. at the Road and Bridge Conference Room, 201 Chambers County Airport, Anahuac, TX 77514. Proposal Evaluation Criteria are published in the "Instructions to Offerors" section of the proposal documents. Plans and specifications will be released on Friday, August 17, 2018, and are available to general contractors from the following address upon deposit of \$100.00 per set: PBK Architects, Inc., 11 Greenway Plaza, 22nd Floor, Houston, Texas 77046, 713-965-0608. The Owner reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all proposals.

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## NOTICE TO IMPLEMENT REVISED FIXED FUEL FACTOR

Entergy Texas, Inc. hereby publishes NOTICE that, pursuant to Section 36.203 of the Public Utility Regulatory Act (codified in TEX. UTIL. CODE) and 16 Tex. Admin. Code § 25.235(b), it filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (the "Commission") on August 17, 2018 a tariff to implement a revised fixed fuel factor. All of Entergy Texas' retail customers whose fuel charges are calculated under the Texas fixed fuel factor tariff – including but not limited to Residential, Small General Service, Large General Service, Large Industrial Power Service, and Street and Outdoor Lighting Service – will be affected by the Commission's approval of the revised fixed fuel factor. The revised fixed fuel factor, if approved, will affect only the fuel portion of the rates charged by Entergy Texas and will have no effect on non-fuel base rates.

Entergy Texas seeks Commission approval to revise the fixed fuel factor effective with the first billing cycle of the September 2018 billing month. Entergy Texas proposed that the fixed fuel factor be changed pursuant to a semi-annual filing to be made each February and August, with revised fuel factors to be effective with the first billing cycle of the March and September billing months, pursuant to a methodology that changes the fuel factor based upon changes in the published price of natural gas. This methodology was authorized for use in Docket No. 32915.

The revised fixed fuel factor, differentiated by voltage level, is as follows:

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The revised fuel factor would result in a decrease in Entergy Texas' annual Texas retail fuel and purchased power revenues by approximately \$10.1 million, or 1.81%, on an annual basis. Compared to the fixed fuel factor approved by the Commission effective March 2018, a residential customer using 1000 kilowatt-hours (kWh) of electricity per month would see an approximate decrease of 1.86% annually, or \$0.54 on average per month, on his/her electric bill. The fixed fuel factor rate is designed to pass through to customers the actual fuel costs incurred by Entergy Texas to serve customers. Entergy Texas is not allowed to make a profit on fuel costs. Amounts collected from affected customers pursuant to the revised fixed fuel factor will be subject to final review by the Commission in Entergy Texas' next applicable fuel reconciliation proceeding before the Commission. Entergy Texas expects the revised fixed fuel factor to be in effect for the billing period of September 2018 through February 2019.

Persons with questions or who want more information on this petition may contact Entergy Texas at Attn: Customer Service – Fuel Factor, 350 Pine Street, Beaumont, Texas 77701, or call [1-800-368-3749 (once you hear: "Welcome to Entergy" select option 1, then press 5, then press 7)] during normal business hours. A complete copy of this petition is available for inspection at the address listed above.

The Commission has assigned Docket No. 48604 to this proceeding. Persons who wish to formally participate in this proceeding, or who wish to express their comments concerning this petition should contact the Public Utility Commission of Texas, Office of Customer Protection, P.O. Box 13326, Austin, Texas 78711-3326, or call (512) 936-7120 or toll-free at (888) 782-8477. Hearing and speech-impaired individuals with text telephones (TTY) may call (512) 936-7136 or use Relay Texas (toll-free) 1-800-735-2989.

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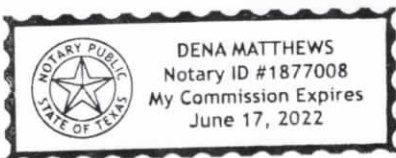
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Notice is hereby given that original Letters of Testamentary upon the Estate of Roy L. Sellers, Deceased, was granted to me, the undersigned, on August 20, 2018, by the County Court of Matagorda County, Texas. All persons having claims against said Estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My residence and post office address is as follows:

Mr. Alan Sellers  
 4764 County Road 142  
 Bay City, Texas 77414

*/s/*  
**ALAN SELLERS,**  
 Independent Executor of the Estate of ROY L. SELLERS, Deceased

**LEGAL NOTICE**

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Contact Person:  
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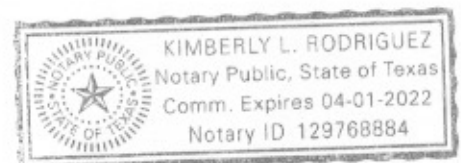
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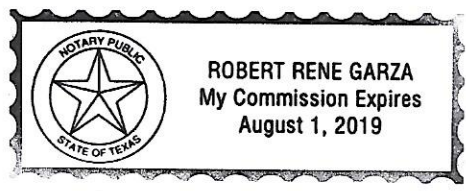
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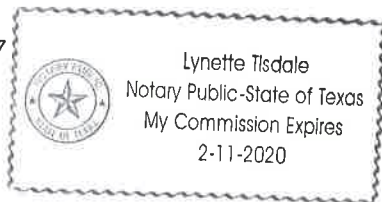


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September 5, 2018

*Stephen Johnson*

(Newspaper Representative's Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 7th day of

September, 2018.

*Mary L. Byer*

Notary Public Signature

Mary L. Byer

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## LEGAL / PUBLIC NOTICES

### LEGAL NOTICE

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Dated: August 22, 2018

/s/ Debra Mergel

Debra S. Mergel,  
 Attorney for Robbie J. Smart  
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Attn: Jeff Taebel, Director of Community and Environmental Planning  
Houston-Galveston Area Council  
P.O. Box 22777  
Houston, Texas 77227

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H-GAC  
3555 Timmons Lane, Suite 120  
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Dated: August 22, 2018

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**Statement of Increase/Decrease**

If Waller-Harris Emergency Services District No. 200 adopts a 2018 tax rate of the effective tax rate of \$0.093520 per \$100 of value, taxes would increase to 2017 taxes by \$371,246.

**SCHEDULE "A": Unencumbered Fund Balances**

The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax fund at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a current obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund:	General Fund
Balance:	\$3,047,948

**SCHEDULE "B": Current Year Debt Service**

The taxing unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts to be paid by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues, sales tax revenues, if applicable).

2018 Debt Service:	NONE
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This Notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rates. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at:

Coveler & Peeler, P.C.  
Two Memorial City Plaza  
820 Gessner, Suite 1710  
Houston, Texas 77024

Name of Person preparing this Notice: John W. Peeler, District Counsel

Date: August 27, 2018

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Houston, Texas 77227

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**18-EN-826**

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HUNTSVILLE, TX 77342-0539  
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KRISTINA KOLLAJA	PURCHASING REVIEW	09/07/2018 5:37 PM
MARIVIC KEENAN	CODING REVIEW	09/05/2018 2:16 PM
CHERYL MERGO	PROGRAM MANAGER	09/04/2018 10:23 AM
RAMAN BAKARI	FINANCE GRANT REVIEW	09/04/2018 9:54 AM
VIRGIE L. HALL	REQUESTER	09/04/2018 8:06 AM

**TOTAL \$295.81**

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**18-EN-819**

**Vendor Information Shipping Information**

**THE COLORADO COUNTY CITIZEN**  
 PO BOX 548  
 COLUMBUS, TX 78934  
 Phone - / Fax -

3555 Timmons Lane, Ste 100  
 Houston, TX 77027  
 (713)627-3200  
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CHERYL MERGO	PROGRAM MANAGER	09/04/2018 10:25 AM
RAMAN BAKARI	FINANCE GRANT REVIEW	08/30/2018 5:07 PM
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**PURCHASE ORDER**  
**18-EN-842**

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**THE FACTS**

PO BOX 549  
CLUTE, TX 77531  
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3555 Timmons Lane, Ste 100  
Houston, TX 77027  
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**18-EN-817**

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**THE SEALY NEWS**  
193 SCHMIDT ROAD  
SEALY, TX 77474  
Phone - / Fax -

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**18-EN-841**

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**THE VINDICATOR**  
PO BOX 1010  
TAYLOR, TX 76574-1010  
Phone - / Fax -

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Houston, TX 77027  
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## **Interpretation Services for Public Meeting**

From: masterword@masterword.com  
To: [Tantillo, Andrea](#)  
Subject: Interpreter Confirmation to Client for Job# 853933  
Date: Wednesday, September 5, 2018 12:31:15 PM

## Interpreter Confirmation



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To: Andrea Tantillo From: Jana Bielfeldt  
Phone: 713-627-3200 fax: 713-993-4503  
Email: Andrea.Tantillo@h-gac.com  
Date: 9/5/2018 Job #: 853933

RE: Confirmation of Interpretation Services

Dear Andrea Tantillo,  
Thank you for choosing MasterWord Services. We are confirming that the interpreter assigned to your request is Megan Mantey.

Services Required: Interpretation, Consecutive

Assignment #: **853933**

Language pair: American Sign Language to/from E-English

Assignment Date & Time: 9/10/2018 10:00:00 AM


Estimated Length of Assignment: 2 Hours

Request Type: **Scheduled**

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Contact name: Andrea Tantillo

Contact phone: 832-681-2507

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From: masterword@masterword.com  
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To:	Andrea Tantillo	From:	Sandra Bernal
Phone:	713-627-3200	fax:	713-993-4503
Email:	Andrea.Tantillo@h-gac.com		
Date:	9/6/2018	Job #:	853934

RE: Confirmation of Interpretation Services

Dear Andrea Tantillo,  
Thank you for choosing MasterWord Services. We are confirming that the interpreter assigned to your request is Jessica Fasquelle.

Services Required: Interpretation, Consecutive

Assignment #: **853934**

Language pair: S-Spanish Latin American to/from E-English

Assignment Date & Time: 9/10/2018 10:00:00 AM


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Phone: 713-627-3200 fax: 713-993-4503

Email: Andrea.Tantillo@h-gac.com

Date: 8/31/2018 Job #: 853935

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## By Mail

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Houston-Galveston Area Council's (H-GAC) Method of Distribution for Hurricane Harvey Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recovery Funds

As presented in the State of Texas Plan for Disaster Recovery: Hurricane Harvey - Round 1 dated April 6, 2018 and prepared by the Texas General Land Office Community Development & Revitalization Program, H-GAC is responsible for developing a Method of Distribution to allocate HUD CDBG-DR funds for housing buyouts/acquisitions and infrastructure for cities and counties within the [H-GAC service area outside of the City of Houston and Harris County](#). Important aspects of the allocation process include a total of \$111 million for housing buyouts/acquisitions and \$130 million for infrastructure. The primary funding categories are further divided into two subsets:

1. funding for the area defined by HUD as most impacted; and,
2. the remainder of the impacted area

View the [State Action Plan](#).

H-GAC will develop the Method of Distribution in a transparent process that will include a robust planning and public comment process, and adoption by the H-GAC Board of Directors. Our [Hurricane Harvey Community Development Block Grant Disaster Funds](#) page will have information regarding meetings

and input opportunities.

H-GAC presented preliminary allocation numbers to the Board of Directors on May 15, 2018\*. View [documentation](#) on the process for developing the preliminary allocation. Allocation numbers presented to the H-GAC Board of Directors on May 15, 2018 are available as a [PDF](#) and an [Excel spreadsheet](#).

*\*Please note that the damage weighting used for the allocation of Infrastructure funding distributed as a handout to the H-GAC Board on May 15, 2018, were inconsistent with those used in the MOD presentation at the same meeting. The weights used for the allocation of Buyouts were consistent with the presentation.*

*A revised draft allocation handout, consistent with the MOD presented to the Board, was produced on May 25, 2018, and is available as a [PDF](#) and an [Excel spreadsheet](#).*

Questions can be directed to Jeff Taebel, Director of Community and Environmental Planning at 713-627-3200 or [jeff.taebel@h-gac.com](mailto:jeff.taebel@h-gac.com).

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June 21, 2018

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Following a series of public planning meetings at H-GAC and in Wharton, Galveston, and Liberty counties, and an input session with local advocacy groups, H-GAC staff considered public input and revised the draft Method of Distribution. H-GAC presented the draft Method of Distribution to the

Board of Directors on June 19, 2018. The Board of Directors authorized this draft for public comment. View documentation on the [process for developing the Method of Distribution](#). The Method of Distribution is available as a [PDF](#) and an [Excel spreadsheet](#).

## Public Comments

The Method of Distribution is available for public comment. The public comment period closes at 4 p.m. on Friday, July 6, 2018. Details about how to submit public comments are available on our [Hurricane Harvey Community Development Block Grant Disaster Funds page](#).

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**Organization Name**

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**Address**

## Your Comment

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**Your Comment (Required)**

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Given the size of the impacted area and how Hurricane Harvey impacted each region differently, local control through a regional approach is vital to long-term recovery. Each COG will develop local Method of Distribution of funds for buyout / acquisitions and infrastructure projects in their region and will conduct public hearings.

### HURRICANE HARVEY CDBG-DR REGIONAL MEETINGS

- [Brazos Valley Council of Governments – DRAFT Method of Distribution Public Meetings](#)
- [Houston-Galveston Area Council’s DRAFT Method of Distribution - Public Meetings](#)
- [Capital Area Council of Governments DRAFT Method of Distribution – Public Meetings](#)
- [Golden Crescent Regional Planning Commission DRAFT Method of Distribution – Public Meetings](#)
- [Deep East Texas Council of Governments DRAFT Method of Distribution – Public Meetings](#)
- [South East Texas Regional Planning Commission DRAFT Method of Distribution – Public Meetings](#)

#### Local Action Plan Meetings

Harris County and the City of Houston will develop Local Action Plans to be included in the Hurricane Harvey State Action Plan. The development of the Local Action Plans will include public meetings and a public comment period.

- [Harris County Disaster Recovery Information](#)
- [City of Houston Long-Term Recovery Meetings](#)

For more information about our partners in recovery please visit their websites:

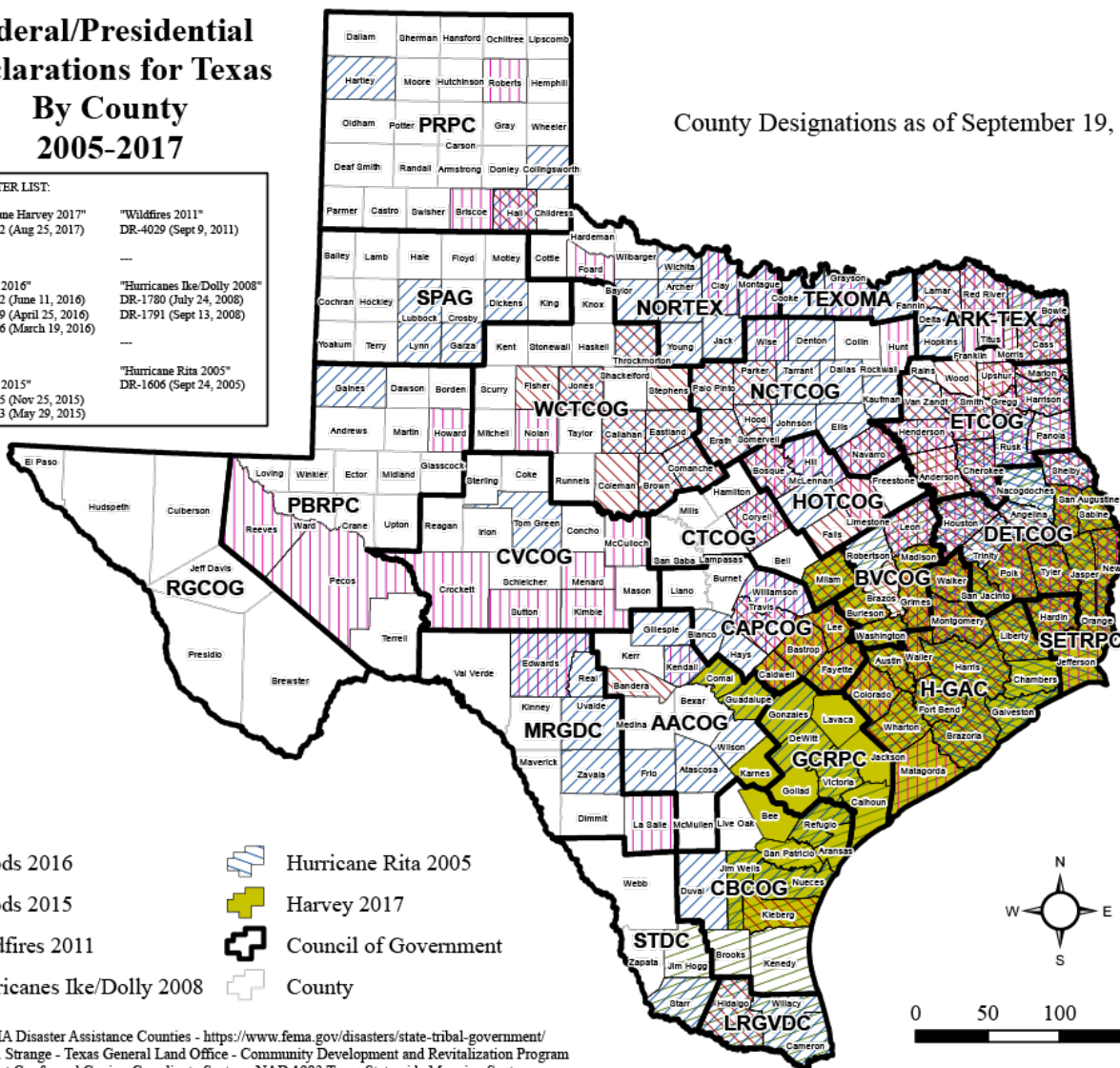
- Texas Association of Regional Councils - <http://txregionalcouncil.org/>
- FEMA – Region VI - <https://www.fema.gov/region-vi-arkansas-louisiana-new-mexico-oklahoma-texas>
- Alamo Area Council of Governments (Atascosa, Bandera, Bexar, Comal, Frio, Gillespie, Guadalupe, Karnes,

- Kendall, Kerr, McMullen, Medina, Wilson) <http://www.aacog.com/>
- Ark-Texas Council of Governments (Bowie, Cass, Delta, Franklin, Hopkins, Lamar, Morris, Red River, Titus Counties in TX and Miller Co., AR) <http://atcog.org/>
  - Brazos Valley Council of Governments (Brazos, Burleson, Grimes, Leon, Madison, Robertson, Washington) <http://www.bvcog.org/>
  - Capitol Area Council of Governments (Bastrop, Blanco, Burnet, Caldwell, Fayette, Hays, Lee, Llano, Travis, Williamson) <http://www.capcog.org/>
  - Central Texas Council of Governments (Bell, Coryell, Hamilton, Lampasas, Milam, Mills, San Saba) <https://ctcog.org/>
  - Coastal Bend Council of Governments (Aransas, Bee, Brooks, Duval, Jim Wells, Kenedy, Kleberg, Live Oak, Nueces, Refugio, San Patricio) <http://www.cbco98.org/>
  - Concho Valley Council of Governments (Coke, Concho, Crockett, Irion, Kimble, Mason, McCulloch, Menard, Reagan, Schleicher, Sterling, Sutton, Tom Green) <http://www.cvcog.org>
  - Deep East Texas Councils of Government (Angelina, Houston, Jasper, Nacogdoches, Newton, Polk, Sabine, San Augustine, San Jacinto, Shelby, Trinity, Tyler) <http://www.detcog.org/>
  - East Texas Council of Government (Anderson, Camp, Cherokee, Gregg, Harrison, Henderson, Marion, Panola, Rains, Rusk, Smith, Upshur, Van Zandt, Wood) <http://www.etcog.org/>
  - Golden Crescent Regional Planning Commission (Calhoun DeWitt, Goliad, Gonzales, Jackson, Lavaca, Victoria) <http://www.gcrpc.org/>
  - Heart of Texas Council of Governments (Bosque, Falls, Freestone, Hill, Limestone, McLennan) <http://www.hotcog.org/>
  - Houston-Galveston Area Council (Austin, Brazoria, Chambers, Colorado, Fort Bend, Galveston, Harris, Liberty, Matagorda, Montgomery, Walker, Waller, Wharton) <http://www.h-gac.com/>
  - Lower Rio Grande Valley Development Council (Cameron, Hidalgo, Willacy) <http://www.lrgvdc.org/>
  - Middle Rio Grande Development Council (Dimmit, Edwards, Kinney, La Salle, Maverick, Real, Uvalde, Val Verde, Zavala) <http://www.mrgdc.org/>
  - Nortex Regional Planning Commission (Archer, Baylor, Clay, Cottle, Foard, Hardeman, Jack, Montague, Wichita, Wilbarger, Young) <http://www.nortexrpc.org/>
  - North Central Texas Council of Governments (Collin, Dallas, Denton, Ellis, Erath, Hood, Hunt, Johnson, Kaufman, Navarro, Palo Pinto, Parker, Rockwall, Somervell, Tarrant, Wise) <http://www.nctcog.org/>
  - Panhandle Regional Planning Commission (Armstrong, Briscoe, Carson, Castro, Childress, Collingsworth, Dallam, Deaf Smith, Donley, Gray, Hall, Hansford, Hartley, Hemphill, Hutchinson, Lipscomb, Moore, Ochiltree, Oldham, Parmer, Potter, Randall, Roberts, Sherman, Swisher, Wheeler) <http://www.theprpc.org/>
  - Permian Basin Regional Planning Commission (Andrews, Borden, Crane, Dawson, Ector, Gaines, Glasscock, Howard, Loving, Martin, Midland, Pecos, Reeves, Terrell, Upton, Ward, Winkler) <http://www.pbrpc.org/>
  - Rio Grande Council of Governments (Brewster, Culberson, El Paso, Hudspeth, Jeff Davis, Presidio) <http://www.riocog.org/>
  - South East Texas Regional Planning Commission (Hardin, Orange, Jefferson) <http://www.setrpc.org/>
  - South Plains Association of Governments (Bailey, Cochran, Crosby, Dickens, Floyd, Garza, Hale, Hockley, King, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, Motley, Terry, Yoakum) <http://www.spag.org/>
  - South Texas Development Council (Jim Hogg, Starr, Webb, Zapata) <http://www.stdc.cog.tx.us/>
  - Texoma Council of Governments (Cooke, Fannin, Grayson) <http://www.texoma.cog.tx.us/>
  - West Central Texas Council of Governments (Brown, Callahan, Coleman, Comanche, Eastland, Fisher, Haskell, Jones, Kent, Knox, Mitchell, Nolan, Runnels, Scurry, Shackelford, Stephens, Stonewall, Taylor, Throckmorton) <http://www.wctcog.org/>
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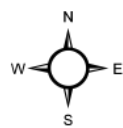
# Federal/Presidential Declarations for Texas By County 2005-2017

County Designations as of September 19, 2017

DISASTER LIST:	
"Hurricane Harvey 2017" DR-4332 (Aug 25, 2017)	"Wildfires 2011" DR-4029 (Sept 9, 2011)
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"Floods 2016" DR-4272 (June 11, 2016) DR-4269 (April 25, 2016) DR-4266 (March 19, 2016)	"Hurricanes Ike/Dolly 2008" DR-1780 (July 24, 2008) DR-1791 (Sept 13, 2008)
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"Floods 2015" DR-4245 (Nov 25, 2015) DR-4223 (May 29, 2015)	"Hurricane Rita 2005" DR-1606 (Sept 24, 2005)



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Data Source: FEMA Disaster Assistance Counties - <https://www.fema.gov/disasters/state-tribal-government/>  
 Author: Shawn M. Strange - Texas General Land Office - Community Development and Revitalization Program  
 Projection: Lambert Conformal Conic - Coordinate System: NAD 1983 Texas Statewide Mapping System



**IN ADDITION**

**Texas State Affordable Housing Corporation**

**Notice of Public Hearing Regarding the Issuance of Bonds**

Notice is hereby given of a public hearing to be held by the Texas State Affordable Housing Corporation (the "Issuer") at the Polk-Wisdom Branch Library at 27151 Library Ln, Dallas, Texas 75232 on Friday, June 22, 2018, at 1:00 p.m., on the proposed issuance by the Issuer of one or more series of multifamily housing revenue bonds (the "Bonds") to provide financing for the acquisition, rehabilitation and equipping of the following multifamily housing project (the "Project"), as well as to fund any working capital for the Project, any reserve funds and costs of issuance for the Bonds:

Beckley Townhomes (fka Rosemont at Timber Creek), 801 Beckleymease Avenue, Dallas, Texas 75232.

The maximum aggregate face amount of the Bonds to be issued with respect to the Project is \$10,000,000. The owner of the Project is Dallas Leased Housing Associates V, LLLP, a Minnesota Limited Liability Partnership.

All interested persons are invited to attend the public hearing to express orally or in writing their views on the Project and the issuance of the Bonds. Further information with respect to the proposed Bonds will be available at the hearing or upon written request prior thereto addressed to the Issuer at 2200 East Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard, Austin, Texas 78702, Attention: David W. Danenfelzer; (512) 477-3562.

Individuals who require auxiliary aids in order to attend this meeting should contact Lacy Brown, ADA Responsible Employee, at (512) 220-1174 at least two days before the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

Individuals may transmit written testimony or comments regarding the subject matter of this public hearing to David Danenfelzer at [ddanenfelzer@tsahc.org](mailto:ddanenfelzer@tsahc.org).

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Senior Director of Development Finance Programs

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David Long

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Texas State Affordable Housing Corporation

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Walnut Creek Apartments, Located at 6409 Springdale Road, Austin, Texas 78723.

The maximum aggregate face amount of the Bonds to be issued with respect to the Project is \$16,000,000. The owner of the Project is LIH Walnut Creek Austin LP, a Texas forprofit corporation.

All interested persons are invited to attend the public hearing to express orally or in writing their views on the Project and the issuance of the Bonds. Further information with respect to the proposed Bonds will be available at the hearing or upon written request prior thereto addressed to the Issuer at 2200 East Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard, Austin, Texas

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## **Office of Consumer Credit Commissioner**

### **Notice of Rate Ceilings**

The Consumer Credit Commissioner of Texas has ascertained the following rate ceilings by use of the formulas and methods described in §§303.003, 303.005, 303.008, 303.009, 304.003, and 346.101, Texas Finance Code.

The weekly ceiling as prescribed by §303.003 and §303.009 for the period of 06/04/18 - 06/10/18 is 18% for Consumer<sup>1</sup>/Agricultural/Commercial<sup>2</sup> credit through \$250,000.

The weekly ceiling as prescribed by §303.003 and §303.009 for the period of 06/04/18 - 06/10/18 is 18% for Commercial over \$250,000.

The monthly ceiling as prescribed by §303.005<sup>3</sup> for the period of 05/01/18 - 05/31/18 is 18% or Consumer/Agricultural/Commercial credit through \$250,000.

The monthly ceiling as prescribed by §303.005 for the period of 05/01/18 - 05/31/18 is 18% for Commercial over \$250,000.

The standard quarterly rate as prescribed by §303.008 and §303.009 for the period of 07/01/18 - 09/30/18 is 18% for Consumer/Agricultural/Commercial credit through \$250,000.

The standard quarterly rate as prescribed by §303.008 and §303.009 for the period of 07/01/18 - 09/30/18 is 18% for Commercial over \$250,000.

The retail credit card quarterly rate as prescribed by §303.009<sup>1</sup> for the period of 07/01/18 - 09/30/18 is 18% for Consumer/Agricultural/Commercial credit through \$250,000.

The lender credit card quarterly rate as prescribed by §346.101<sup>1</sup> for the period of 07/01/18 - 09/30/18 is 18% for Consumer/Agricultural/Commercial credit through \$250,000.

The standard annual rate as prescribed by §303.008 and §303.009<sup>4</sup> for the period of 07/01/18 - 09/30/18 is 18% for Consumer/Agricultural/Commercial credit through \$250,000.

The standard annual rate as prescribed by §303.008 and §303.009 for the period of 07/01/18 - 09/30/18 is 18% for Commercial over \$250,000.

The retail credit card annual rate as prescribed by §303.009<sup>1</sup> for the period of 07/01/18 - 09/30/18 is 18% for Consumer/Agricultural/Commercial credit through \$250,000.

The judgment ceiling as prescribed by §304.003 for the period of 06/01/18 - 06/30/18 is 5.00% for Consumer/Agricultural/Commercial credit through \$250,000.

The judgment ceiling as prescribed §304.003 for the period of 06/01/18 - 06/30/18 is 5.00% for Commercial over \$250,000.

<sup>1</sup> Credit for personal, family or household use.

<sup>2</sup> Credit for business, commercial, investment or other similar purpose.

<sup>3</sup> For variable rate commercial transactions only.

<sup>4</sup> Only for open-end credit as defined in §301.002(14), Texas Finance Code.

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Leslie L. Pettijohn

Commissioner

Office of Consumer Credit Commissioner

Filed: May 29, 2018

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## **Court of Criminal Appeals**

### **Availability of Grant Funds**

The Court of Criminal Appeals announces the availability of funds to be provided in the form of grants to entities for the purpose of providing continuing legal education courses, programs, and technical assistance projects for prosecutors, prosecutor office personnel, criminal defense attorneys and criminal defense attorney office personnel who regularly represent indigent defendants in criminal matters, clerks, judges, and other court personnel of the appellate courts, district courts, county courts at law, county courts, justice courts and municipal courts of this State, or other persons as provided by statute.

The Court of Criminal Appeals also announces the availability of funds to be provided in the form of grants to entities for the purpose of providing continuing legal education courses, programs, and technical assistance projects on actual innocence for law enforcement officers, law students, criminal defense attorneys, prosecuting attorneys, judges, or other persons as provided by statute.

Funds are subject to the provisions of Chapter 56 of the Texas Government Code and the General Appropriations Act.

The grant period is September 1, 2018, through August 31, 2019. The deadline for applications is July 2, 2018. Applicants may request an application packet by contacting the Judicial Education Section of the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals: 201 West 14th Street, Suite 103, Austin, Texas 78701, (512) 475-2312, [judicialeducation@txcourts.gov](mailto:judicialeducation@txcourts.gov).

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Megan Molleur

Grant Administrator

Court of Criminal Appeals

Filed: May 24, 2018

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## **State Board of Dental Examiners**

### **Anesthesia Stakeholder Meeting Notice**

The Anesthesia Committee, a standing committee of the Texas State Board of Dental Examiners (board), is tasked with the ongoing review of the sedation/anesthesia rules and permitting process along with considering new rules pursuant to SB 313 of the 85th Regular Legislative Session. The committee is scheduled to meet on **Thursday, May 31, 2018**, to discuss and take possible action on the following rules:

- Proposed 22 Tex. Admin. Code §110.16 Sedation of High Risk Patients
- Proposed 22 Tex. Admin. Code §110.17 Sedation of Pediatric Patients
- New 22 Tex. Admin. Code §110.18 Inspection of Sedation/Anesthesia Providers

Board staff will convene a Stakeholder Meeting to provide interested persons an opportunity to provide input on the content of any of the above rules. The Stakeholder Meeting will be held on:

**Tuesday, May 29, 2018, at 1:00 p.m.**

**at the**

**William P. Hobby Jr. Building**

**Tower 3, Room 102**

**333 Guadalupe Street**

**Austin, Texas 78701**

Persons who are planning to attend and need special accommodations should contact Nelda Chapa at [nchapa@tsbde.texas.gov](mailto:nchapa@tsbde.texas.gov) or (512) 463-0721. Arrangements should be made as far in advance as possible.

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Alex Phipps

General Counsel

State Board of Dental Examiners

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## Texas Education Agency

### **Texas Classroom Teachers Association Public Comment on Proposed New 19 TAC Chapter 152, Commissioner's Rules Concerning Examination Requirements, §152.1001, Exceptions to Examination Requirements for Individuals Certified Outside the State**

Filing Date. May 30, 2018

The purpose of this notice is to publish TCTA's public comment on proposed new 19 TAC Chapter 152, Commissioner's Rules Concerning Examination Requirements, §152.1001, Exceptions to Examination Requirements for Individuals Certified Outside the State.

The Texas Education Agency (TEA) filed on April 13, 2018, the adoption of new 19 TAC §152.1001 (TRD #201801601) for publication in the April 27, 2018, issue of the *Texas Register*.

The TCTA submitted public comment on proposed new 19 TAC §152.1001 on March 2, 2018, to the TEA via email; however, due to spam filtration software, the TEA did not receive TCTA's public comment.

Following is a summary of TCTA's public comment on proposed new 19 TAC §152.1001, including TEA's response.

**Comment:** TCTA commented that a requirement should be added in subsection (c)(1) that eliminates individuals certified in other states from being eligible for an exemption from examination requirements if they have attempted and/or failed certification tests.

**Agency Response:** The agency disagrees with the recommendation to not allow individuals to qualify for the exemption if they have attempted to meet certification requirements by taking Texas examinations. Individuals who have completed the review of credentials process are instructed by the agency to take and pass required tests to establish their standard certificate. Most individuals certified in other states who gain employment in Texas are encouraged by their employing districts to establish a standard certificate prior to or by the expiration date of their one-year temporary certificate to maintain eligibility for employment in Texas. Thus, individuals attempt tests in their good faith effort to follow the state's instructions to obtain licensure. TEA staff has determined it would be unfair to ban these individuals from the opportunity to apply for and, if eligible, be granted an exemption from examination requirements while allowing the exemption for others who have never attempted the tests.

**Comment:** TCTA commented that subsection (c)(1)(E) and (F) should be modified to specify that, to qualify for exemption from examination requirements, an individual certified as a classroom teacher in another state should be required to have at least three academic years of verifiable, full-time teaching experience in the last five years and that an individual certified in a role other than classroom teacher in another state should be required to have at least two academic years of verifiable, full-time experience in the last five years.

**Agency Response:** The agency disagrees. TEA staff has determined that one year of experience for a classroom teacher and two years of experience in a role other than classroom teacher is a reasonable requirement for implementation of the rule.

**Comment:** TCTA commented that an additional provision should be added to subsection (d) that requires applicants certified as classroom teachers to provide a completed teacher service record that verifies and documents their teaching experience.

**Agency Response:** The agency agrees and will consider including this requirement in future rulemaking. For now, TEA staff have procedures in place to ensure that completed teacher service records are provided by all applicants for the exemption from examination requirements.

**Comment:** TCTA commented that in subsection (d)(2), the phrase "at least" should be included before the phrase "two

years of experience in the role aligned with the professional class of certificate."

Agency Response: The agency disagrees with the recommendation to modify the rule text as staff has determined this is an unnecessary change and would not substantively change the meaning of the rule.

TRD-201802365

Cristina De La Fuente-Valadez

Director, Rulemaking

Texas Education Agency

Filed: May 30, 2018

## Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

### Agreed Orders

The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ or commission) staff is providing an opportunity for written public comment on the listed Agreed Orders (AOs) in accordance with Texas Water Code (TWC), §7.075. TWC, §7.075 requires that before the commission may approve the AOs, the commission shall allow the public an opportunity to submit written comments on the proposed AOs. TWC, §7.075 requires that notice of the proposed orders and the opportunity to comment must be published in the *Texas Register* no later than the 30th day before the date on which the public comment period closes, which in this case is July 10, 2018. TWC, §7.075 also requires that the commission promptly consider any written comments received and that the commission may withdraw or withhold approval of an AO if a comment discloses facts or considerations that indicate that consent is inappropriate, improper, inadequate, or inconsistent with the requirements of the statutes and rules within the commission's jurisdiction or the commission's orders and permits issued in accordance with the commission's regulatory authority. Additional notice of changes to a proposed AO is not required to be published if those changes are made in response to written comments.

A copy of each proposed AO is available for public inspection at both the commission's central office, located at 12100 Park 35 Circle, Building C, 1st Floor, Austin, Texas 78753, (512) 239-2545 and at the applicable regional office listed as follows. Written comments about an AO should be sent to the enforcement coordinator designated for each AO at the commission's central office at P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087 and must be received by 5:00 p.m. on July 10, 2018. Written comments may also be sent by facsimile machine to the enforcement coordinator at (512) 239-2550. The commission's enforcement coordinators are available to discuss the AOs and/or the comment procedure at the listed phone numbers; however, TWC, §7.075 provides that comments on the AOs shall be submitted to the commission in writing.

(1) COMPANY: ABCF LLC dba Hondo Food Mart; DOCKET NUMBER: 2018-0212-PST-E; IDENTIFIER: RN102263720; LOCATION: Hondo, Medina County; TYPE OF FACILITY: convenience store with retail sales of gasoline; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §334.49(a)(1) and TWC, §26.3475(d), by failing to provide corrosion protection for the underground storage tank system; PENALTY: \$2,438; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Ross Luedtke, (512) 239-3157; REGIONAL OFFICE: 14250 Judson Road, San Antonio, Texas 78233-4480, (210) 490-3096.

(2) COMPANY: Aqua Utilities, Incorporated; DOCKET NUMBER: 2018-0118-PWS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN102685641; LOCATION: Fort Worth, Tarrant County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §290.46(d)(2)(A) and §290.110(b)(4) and Texas Health and Safety Code, §341.0315(c), by failing to maintain a disinfectant residual of at least 0.2 milligrams per liter of free chlorine throughout the distribution system at all times; and 30 TAC §290.44(d)(6), by failing to provide all dead-end mains with acceptable flush valves and discharge piping; PENALTY: \$535; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Yuliya Dunaway, (210) 403-4077; REGIONAL OFFICE: 2309 Gravel Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76118-6951, (817) 588-5800.

(3) COMPANY: Bharat Patel; DOCKET NUMBER: 2018-0263-EAQ-E; IDENTIFIER: RN110098241; LOCATION:

Dripping Springs, Hays County; TYPE OF FACILITY: property; RULE VIOLATED: 30 TAC §213.23(a)(1), by failing to obtain approval of an Edwards Aquifer Protection plan prior to commencing a regulated activity over the Edwards Aquifer Contributing Zone; PENALTY: \$14,266; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Had Darling, (512) 239-2520; REGIONAL OFFICE: P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 339-2929.

(4) COMPANY: BZ Enterprises, Incorporated dba I-35 Texaco; DOCKET NUMBER: 2018-0009-PST-E; IDENTIFIER: RN102719630; LOCATION: Dallas, Dallas County; TYPE OF FACILITY: convenience store with retail sales of gasoline; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §334.50(b)(1)(A) and (2) and TWC, §26.3475(a) and (c)(1), by failing to monitor the underground storage tanks (USTs) for releases at a frequency of at least once every month (not to exceed 35 days between each monitoring), and failing to provide release detection for the pressurized piping associated with the UST system; and 30 TAC §334.10(b)(2), by failing to assure that all UST recordkeeping requirements are met; PENALTY: \$4,924; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Rahim Momin, (512) 239-2544; REGIONAL OFFICE: 2309 Gravel Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76118-6951, (817) 588-5800.

(5) COMPANY: C.C. Crawford Retreading Company, Incorporated; DOCKET NUMBER: 2016-1922-MSW-E; IDENTIFIER: RN103074746; LOCATION: Ennis, Ellis County; TYPE OF FACILITY: used tire repair and retreading and scrap tire processing and transporting facility; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §328.55(5), by failing to submit a new registration application within ten days if a change in operations or management methods occurs such that the existing registration no longer adequately describes current operations or management methods at the facility; 30 TAC §328.61(a), (b)(1), (c), (d) and (f), by failing to design the scrap tire storage site so that the health, welfare, and safety of operators, transporters, and others who may utilize the site are maintained, failing to maintain the limit of three piles of whole used or scrap tires on the ground that cover an area no greater than 8,000 square feet, failing to maintain a minimum separation of 40 feet between outdoor piles consisting of scrap tires or tire pieces, failing to ensure that outdoor piles consisting of scrap tires or tire pieces and entire buildings used to store scrap tires or tire pieces are not within 40 feet of the property line or easements of the scrap tire storage site, and failing to control access to the facility to prevent unauthorized activities; and 30 TAC §37.3011 and §328.71(g), by failing to demonstrate financial assurance for closure, post closure, and corrective action for the facility; PENALTY: \$48,750; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Margarita Dennis, (817) 588-5892; REGIONAL OFFICE: 2309 Gravel Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76118-6951, (817) 588-5800.

(6) COMPANY: Central Texas Mart LLC dba Als Mart; DOCKET NUMBER: 2018-0179-PST-E; IDENTIFIER: RN101493658; LOCATION: San Marcos, Hays County; TYPE OF FACILITY: convenience store with retail sales of gasoline; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §334.49(a)(1) and TWC, §26.3475(d), by failing to provide corrosion protection for the underground storage tank system; PENALTY: \$5,625; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Jonathan Nguyen, (512) 239-1661; REGIONAL OFFICE: P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 339-2929.

(7) COMPANY: CIRCLE Y SADDLES, INCORPORATED; DOCKET NUMBER: 2018-0060-MLM-E; IDENTIFIER: RN106037542; LOCATION: Yoakum, Lavaca County; TYPE OF FACILITY: leatherworking; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §§335.62, 335.503(a), and 335.504, and 40 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) §262.11, by failing to conduct hazardous waste determinations and waste classifications; 30 TAC §335.513(c) and 40 CFR §262.40(c), by failing to maintain documentation of hazardous waste determinations and waste classifications, including analytical data and/or process knowledge; and 30 TAC §327.5(c) and §330.15(a) and TWC, §26.121(a), by failing to prevent the unauthorized disposal of municipal solid waste; PENALTY: \$8,001; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Carlos Molina, (512) 239-2557; REGIONAL OFFICE: 6300 Ocean Drive, Suite 1200, Corpus Christi, Texas 78412-5839, (512) 339-2929.

(8) COMPANY: City of Goodlow; DOCKET NUMBER: 2017-0453-PWS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN101439982; LOCATION: Goodlow, Navarro County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §290.115(f)(1) and Texas Health and Safety Code, §341.0315(c), by failing to comply with the maximum contaminant level of 0.080 milligrams per liter for total trihalomethanes, based on the locational running annual average; 30 TAC §290.117(i)(6) and (j), by failing to provide a consumer notification of lead tap water monitoring results to persons served at the sites (taps) that were tested, and failing to mail a copy of the consumer notification of tap results to the executive director (ED) along with certification that the consumer notification has been distributed for the January 1, 2012 - December 31, 2014, monitoring period; 30 TAC §290.271(b) and §290.274(a) and (c), by failing to mail or

directly deliver one copy of the Consumer Confidence Report (CCR) to each bill paying customer by July 1st for each year, and failing to submit a copy of the annual CCR and certification that the CCR has been distributed to the customers of the facility and that the information in the CCR is correct and consistent with compliance monitoring data to the TCEQ for calendar years 2014 and 2015; 30 TAC §290.272 and §290.274(a) and (c), by failing to meet the adequacy requirements of the CCR distributed to the customers of the facility for calendar year 2013; and 30 TAC §290.122(c)(2)(A) and (f), by failing to provide public notification and submit a copy of the public notification to the ED regarding the failure to provide the results of Stage 2 Disinfection Byproducts sampling for the January 1, 2015 - December 31, 2015, monitoring period, and failure to submit a Disinfectant Level Quarterly Operating Report for the third quarter of 2015; PENALTY: \$610; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Sarah Kim, (512) 239-4728; REGIONAL OFFICE: 2309 Gravel Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76118-6951, (817) 588-5800.

(9) COMPANY: City of Lockney; DOCKET NUMBER: 2017-0388-PWS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN101383701; LOCATION: Lockney, Floyd County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water system; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §290.46(z), by failing to create a Nitrification Action Plan for a system distributing chloraminated water; and 30 TAC §290.44(h)(1)(A), by failing to ensure that a backflow prevention assembly or an air gap is installed at all residences and establishments where an actual or potential contamination hazard exists; PENALTY: \$2,100; Supplemental Environmental Project offset amount of \$1,680; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Abigail Lindsey, (512) 239-2576; REGIONAL OFFICE: 5012 50th Street, Suite 100, Lubbock, Texas 79414-3426, (806) 796-7092.

(10) COMPANY: City of Port Neches; DOCKET NUMBER: 2017-1607-PWS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN102672318; LOCATION: Port Neches, Jefferson County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §290.42(l), by failing to compile and maintain a thorough and up-to-date plant operations manual; 30 TAC §290.121(a) and (b), by failing to develop and maintain an up-to-date chemical and microbiological monitoring plan that identifies all sampling locations, describes the sampling frequency, and specifies the analytical procedures and laboratories that the facility will use to comply with the monitoring requirements; 30 TAC §290.111(h), by failing to properly complete the Surface Water Monthly Operating Reports submitted to the commission; 30 TAC §290.43(c)(4), by failing to ensure that all clearwells and water storage tanks have a liquid level indicator located at the tank site which can be a float with a moving target, an ultrasonic level indicator, or a pressure gauge calibrated in feet of water; 30 TAC §290.43(e), by failing to ensure that potable water storage tank and pressure maintenance facilities are installed in a lockable building that is designed to prevent intruder access or enclosed by an intruder-resistant fence with lockable gates; 30 TAC §290.43(c)(3), by failing to size the overflow to handle the maximum possible fill rate without exceeding the capacity of the overflow; 30 TAC §290.41(e)(2)(C), by failing to designate the restricted zone around the intake structure with signs recounting the restrictions; 30 TAC §290.42(d)(2)(A), by failing to provide vacuum breakers on each hose bibb within the plant facility; 30 TAC §290.42(d)(13), by failing to identify the influent, effluent, waste backwash, and chemical feed lines by the use of labels or various colors of paint; 30 TAC §290.42(d)(2)(C), by failing to provide make-up water supply lines to chemical feeder solution mixing chambers with an air gap or other acceptable backflow prevention device; 30 TAC §290.42(d)(2)(E), by failing to provide filter-to-waste connections with an air gap connection to waste; 30 TAC §290.46(m), by failing to initiate maintenance and housekeeping practices to ensure the good working condition and general appearance of the system's facilities and equipment; 30 TAC §290.46(z) and (z)(2), by failing to create a nitrification action plan that contains system-specific action levels of free ammonia, monochloramine, total chlorine, nitrite, and nitrate levels where action must be taken; 30 TAC §290.110(c)(5)(D)(i), by failing to monitor monochloramine and free ammonia (as nitrogen) in the distribution system weekly at the same time as a compliance sample required in 30 TAC §290.110(c)(4); 30 TAC §290.46(l), by failing to flush all dead-end mains at monthly intervals during the months of October 2016 and December 2016; 30 TAC §290.46(s)(2)(B)(iii), by failing to calibrate the four on-line turbidimeters with primary standards at least once every 90 days; 30 TAC §290.46(s)(2)(C)(ii), by failing to check the accuracy of the two continuous disinfectant residual analyzers at least once every seven days with a chlorine solution of known concentration or by comparing the results from the on-line analyzer with the result of approved benchtop method in accordance with 30 TAC §290.119; 30 TAC §290.46(d)(2)(B) and Texas Health and Safety Code, §341.0315(c), by failing to operate the disinfection equipment to maintain a minimum chloramine residual of 0.5 milligrams per liter (measured as total chlorine); and 30 TAC §290.46(q)(1), by failing to issue a boil water notification to the customers of the facility within 24 hours of a low chlorine residual using the prescribed format in 30 TAC §290.47(c); PENALTY: \$3,232; Supplemental Environmental Project offset amount of \$2,586; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Michaelle Garza, (210) 403-4076; REGIONAL OFFICE: 3870 Eastex Freeway, Beaumont, Texas 77703-1830, (409) 898-3838.



(11) COMPANY: Clean Harbors Deer Park, LLC; DOCKET NUMBER: 2017-1665-AIR-E; IDENTIFIER: RN102184173; LOCATION: La Porte, Harris County; TYPE OF FACILITY: hazardous waste management; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §117.310(f) and §122.143(4), Federal Operating Permit (FOP) Number O1566, Special Terms and Conditions (STC) Number 1.A, and Texas Health and Safety Code (THSC), §382.085(b), by failing to prevent the operation of an engine for testing or maintenance purposes during restricted hours; 30 TAC §122.143(4) and §122.145(2)(A), FOP Number O1566, General Terms and Conditions, and THSC, §382.085(b), by failing to report all instances of deviations; and 30 TAC §116.115(b)(2)(F) and (c) and §122.143(4), New Source Review Permit Numbers 5064 and N001, Special Conditions Number 1, FOP Number O1566, STC Number 24, and THSC, §382.085(b), by failing to comply with the permitted annual maximum allowable emissions rates for volatile organic compounds nitrogen oxides, sulfur dioxide, particulate matter equal to or less than ten microns in diameter, and carbon monoxide; PENALTY: \$83,211; Supplemental Environmental Project offset amount of \$33,284; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: David Carney, (512) 239-2583; REGIONAL OFFICE: 5425 Polk Street, Suite H, Houston, Texas 77023-1452, (713) 767-3500.

(12) COMPANY: Crossroads RV Village LLC; DOCKET NUMBER: 2018-0167-PWS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN106495963; LOCATION: Victoria, Victoria County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §290.109(d)(4)(B) (formerly §290.109(c)(4)(B)) and §290.122(c)(2)(A) and (f), by failing to collect, within 24 hours of notification of the routine distribution total coliform-positive samples on April 25, 2016 and May 25, 2016, at least one raw groundwater source *Escherichia coli* (or other approved fecal indicator) sample from each active groundwater source in use at the time the distribution coliform-positive samples were collected, and failing to issue public notification and submit a copy of the public notification to the executive director (ED) regarding the failure to collect raw groundwater source samples in April 2016 and May 2016; and 30 TAC §290.122(c)(2)(A) and (f), by failing to issue a public notification and submit a copy of the public notification to the ED regarding the failure to conduct routine coliform monitoring during the month of November 2015; PENALTY: \$384; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Epifanio Villarreal, (361) 825-3421; REGIONAL OFFICE: 6300 Ocean Drive, Suite 1200, Corpus Christi, Texas 78412-5839, (361) 825-3100.

(13) COMPANY: Delta Millworks U.S., LLC; DOCKET NUMBER: 2018-0275-AIR-E; IDENTIFIER: RN109728808; LOCATION: Austin, Travis County; TYPE OF FACILITY: lumber mill; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §116.110(a) and Texas Health and Safety Code, §382.0518(a) and §382.085(b), by failing to obtain authorization prior to constructing and operating a source of air emissions; PENALTY: \$1,312; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Abigail Lindsey, (512) 239-2576; REGIONAL OFFICE: P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, (512) 339-2929.

(14) COMPANY: Hana Travel Plaza Amarillo, Incorporated; DOCKET NUMBER: 2018-0206-PST-E; IDENTIFIER: RN101789519; LOCATION: Amarillo, Potter County; TYPE OF FACILITY: convenience store with retail sales of gasoline; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §334.50(b)(1)(A) and (2) and TWC, §26.3475(a) and (c)(1), by failing to monitor the underground storage tanks (USTs) for releases at a frequency of at least once every month (not to exceed 35 days between each monitoring), and failing to provide release detection for the pressurized piping associated with the UST system; and 30 TAC §334.10(b)(2), by failing to assure that all UST recordkeeping requirements are met; PENALTY: \$7,074; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Abigail Lindsey, (512) 239-2576; REGIONAL OFFICE: 3918 Canyon Drive, Amarillo, Texas 79109-4933, (806) 353-9251.

(15) COMPANY: J and V KIT SERVICES, INCORPORATED dba J and V Chevron; DOCKET NUMBER: 2017-1604-PST-E; IDENTIFIER: RN101538387; LOCATION: Mesquite, Dallas County; TYPE OF FACILITY: convenience store with retail sales of gasoline; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §334.50(b)(1)(A) and TWC, §26.3475(c) (1), by failing to monitor the underground storage tanks (USTs) for releases at a frequency of at least once every month (not to exceed 35 days between each monitoring); and 30 TAC §334.10(b)(2), by failing to assure that all UST recordkeeping requirements are met; PENALTY: \$3,600; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Tyler Richardson, (512) 239-4872; REGIONAL OFFICE: 2309 Gravel Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76118-6951, (817) 588-5800.

(16) COMPANY: JACKSONVILLE EXPRESS MART, INCORPORATED dba Hot Spot 5; DOCKET NUMBER: 2017-1703-PST-E; IDENTIFIER: RN101838431; LOCATION: Jacksonville, Cherokee County; TYPE OF FACILITY: convenience store with retail sales of gasoline; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §334.50(b)(1)(A) and TWC, §26.3475(c) (1), by failing to monitor the underground storage tank (UST) for releases at a frequency of at least once every month

(not to exceed 35 days between each monitoring); and 30 TAC §334.10(b)(2), by failing to assure that all UST recordkeeping requirements are met; PENALTY: \$4,000; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: James Baldwin, (512) 239-1337; REGIONAL OFFICE: 2916 Teague Drive, Tyler, Texas 75701-3734, (903) 535-5100.

(17) COMPANY: Johan Gerrit Koke and Sonya Ann Koke dba Blue Jay Dairy; DOCKET NUMBER: 2018-0186-AGR-E; IDENTIFIER: RN102932142; LOCATION: Lingleville, Erath County; TYPE OF FACILITY: dairy farm; RULES VIOLATED: TWC, §26.121(a)(1), 30 TAC §321.36(b) and §321.40(d), and Texas Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Permit Number WQ0003439000, VII, Pollution Prevention Plan Requirements A.8.(f)(2)(i) and X, Special Provisions M.4, by failing to prevent the discharge of agricultural waste into or adjacent to water in the state; PENALTY: \$2,963; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Farhaud Abbaszadeh, (512) 239-0779; REGIONAL OFFICE: 2309 Gravel Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76118-6951, (817) 588-5800.

(18) COMPANY: Jorawhar Incorporated dba Star Mart; DOCKET NUMBER: 2018-0022-PST-E; IDENTIFIER: RN101730075; LOCATION: Gilmer, Upshur County; TYPE OF FACILITY: convenience store with retail sales of gasoline; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §334.50(b)(1)(A) and TWC, §26.3475(c)(1), by failing to monitor the underground storage tanks (USTs) for releases at a frequency of at least once every month (not to exceed 35 days between each monitoring); and 30 TAC §334.10(b)(2), by failing to assure that all UST recordkeeping requirements are met; PENALTY: \$7,750; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Rahim Momin, (512) 239-2544; REGIONAL OFFICE: 2916 Teague Drive, Tyler, Texas 75701-3734, (903) 535-5100.

(19) COMPANY: Lucite International, Incorporated; DOCKET NUMBER: 2017-1401-AIR-E; IDENTIFIER: RN102736089; LOCATION: Nederland, Jefferson County; TYPE OF FACILITY: chemical manufacturing plant; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §116.115(b)(2)(F) and (c) and §122.143(4), Federal Operating Permit (FOP) Number O1959, General Terms and Conditions (GTC) and Special Terms and Conditions (STC) Number 14, New Source Review Permit Number 318, Special Conditions Number 1, and Texas Health and Safety Code (THSC), §382.085(b), by failing to comply with the maximum allowable emissions rates; 30 TAC §122.143(4) and §122.144(1)(E), FOP Number O1959, GTC and STC Number 13, and THSC, §382.085(b), by failing to properly record weekly visible emissions observations; and 30 TAC §122.143(4) and §122.145(2)(A), FOP Number O1959, GTC, and THSC, §382.085(b), by failing to report all instances of deviations; PENALTY: \$76,500; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Raime Hayes-Falero, (713) 767-3567; REGIONAL OFFICE: 3870 Eastex Freeway, Beaumont, Texas 77703-1830, (409) 898-3838.

(20) COMPANY: Perrin-Whitt Consolidated Independent School District; DOCKET NUMBER: 2018-0146-MWD-E; IDENTIFIER: RN102492071; LOCATION: Perrin, Jack County; TYPE OF FACILITY: wastewater treatment facility; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §305.125(1) and (17) and §319.7(d) and Texas Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (TPDES) Permit Number WQ0015059001, Monitoring and Reporting Requirements Number 1, by failing to timely report monitoring results at intervals specified in the permit; 30 TAC §305.125(1) and (9) and TPDES Permit Number WQ0015059001, Monitoring and Reporting Requirements Number 7.c., by failing to report to the TCEQ in writing, any effluent violation which deviates from the permitted effluent limitation by more than 40% within five working days of becoming aware of noncompliance; and TWC, §26.121(a)(1), 30 TAC §305.125(1), and TPDES Permit Number WQ0015059001, Effluent Limitations and Monitoring Requirements Number 1, by failing to comply with permitted effluent limitations; PENALTY: \$4,725; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Chase Davenport, (512) 239-2615; REGIONAL OFFICE: 1977 Industrial Boulevard, Abilene, Texas 79602-7833, (325) 698-9674.

(21) COMPANY: Phillips 66 Company; DOCKET NUMBER: 2017-0315-AIR-E; IDENTIFIER: RN102495884; LOCATION: Borger, Hutchinson County; TYPE OF FACILITY: petroleum refinery; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §§101.20(3), 116.715(a), and 122.143(4), Federal Operating Permit Number O1440, Special Terms and Conditions Number 20, Flexible Permit Numbers 9868A and PSDTX102M7, Special Conditions Number 1, and Texas Health and Safety Code, §382.085(b), by failing to prevent unauthorized emissions; PENALTY: \$7,500; Supplemental Environmental Project offset amount of \$3,000; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Raime Hayes-Falero, (713) 767-3567; REGIONAL OFFICE: 3918 Canyon Drive, Amarillo, Texas 79109-4933, (806) 353-9251.

(22) COMPANY: Rainbow Ranch of Texas, L.L.C.; DOCKET NUMBER: 2018-0253-PWS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN110118643; LOCATION: Groesbeck, Limestone County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; RULES

VIOLATED: 30 TAC §290.46(n)(1), by failing to maintain accurate and up-to-date detailed as-built plans or record drawings and specifications for each treatment plant, pump station, and storage tank at the facility; 30 TAC §290.46(n)(3), by failing to keep on file copies of well completion data as defined in 30 TAC §290.41(c)(3)(A) for as long as the well remains in service; and 30 TAC §290.46(d)(2)(A) and §290.110(b)(4) and Texas Health and Safety Code, §341.0315(c), by failing to maintain a disinfectant residual of at least 0.2 milligrams per liter of free chlorine throughout the distribution system at all times; PENALTY: \$350; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Steven Hall, (512) 239-2569; REGIONAL OFFICE: 6801 Sanger Avenue, Suite 2500, Waco, Texas 76710-7826, (254) 751-0335.

(23) COMPANY: RANDOLPH WATER SUPPLY CORPORATION; DOCKET NUMBER: 2017-1664-PWS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN101236891; LOCATION: Randolph, Fannin County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §290.44(d) and §290.46(r), by failing to provide a minimum pressure of 35 pounds per square inch throughout the distribution system under normal operating conditions; 30 TAC §290.46(q)(1) and (2), by failing to issue a boil water notice to the customers of the facility within 24 hours of a low pressure event or water outage using the prescribed format in 30 TAC §290.47(c); and 30 TAC §290.44(f)(2), by failing to encase the water line in a separate watertight pipe encasement and provide valves on each side of the crossing when water lines are laid under any flowing or intermittent stream; PENALTY: \$313; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Ronica Rodriguez, (361) 825-3425; REGIONAL OFFICE: 2309 Gravel Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76118-6951, (817) 588-5800.

(24) COMPANY: Rosebud-Lott Independent School District; DOCKET NUMBER: 2018-0120-PWS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN101194082; LOCATION: Rosebud, Falls County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §290.115(f)(1) and Texas Health and Safety Code, §341.0315(c), by failing to comply with the maximum contaminant level of 0.080 milligrams per liter for total trihalomethanes, based on the locational running annual average; PENALTY: \$405; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Toni Red, (512) 239-1704; REGIONAL OFFICE: 6801 Sanger Avenue, Suite 2500, Waco, Texas 76710-7826, (254) 751-0335.

(25) COMPANY: SUBHA Incorporated dba S. Buckner Mart; DOCKET NUMBER: 2017-1700-PST-E; IDENTIFIER: RN101543494; LOCATION: Dallas, Dallas County; TYPE OF FACILITY: convenience store with retail sales of gasoline; RULES VIOLATED: 30 TAC §334.50(b)(1)(A) and TWC, §26.3475(c)(1), by failing to monitor the underground storage tank for releases at a frequency of at least once every month (not to exceed 35 days between each monitoring); PENALTY: \$4,125; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Rahim Momin, (512) 239-2544; REGIONAL OFFICE: 2309 Gravel Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76118-6951, (817) 588-5800.

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Director, Litigation Division

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

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### **Notice of a Proposed Renewal with Amendment of General Permit WQG200000 Authorizing the Discharge of Wastewater**

The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ or commission) is proposing to renew and amend State-Only General Permit WQG200000. This general permit authorizes the disposal of wastewater by evaporation or beneficial irrigation adjacent to water in the state from livestock manure compost operations. The proposed general permit applies to the entire state of Texas. General permits are authorized by Texas Water Code, §26.040.

**PROPOSED GENERAL PERMIT.** The executive director has prepared a draft general permit renewal with amendments of an existing general permit that authorizes the disposal of wastewater by evaporation or beneficial irrigation adjacent to water in the state from livestock manure compost operations. No significant degradation of high quality waters is expected and existing uses will be maintained and protected. The executive director proposes to require

regulated entities to submit a Notice of Intent to obtain authorization under the general permit.

The executive director has reviewed this action for consistency with the goals and policies of the Texas Coastal Management Program (CMP) according to Coastal Coordination Advisory Committee regulations and has determined that the action is consistent with applicable CMP goals and policies.

On the date that this notice is published, a copy of the proposed general permit and fact sheet will be available for a minimum of 30 days for viewing and copying at the TCEQ Office of the Chief Clerk located at the TCEQ Austin office, at 12100 Park 35 Circle, Building F. These documents will also be available at the TCEQ's 16 regional offices and on the TCEQ website at <https://www.tceq.texas.gov/permitting/wastewater/general/index.html>.

**PUBLIC COMMENT/PUBLIC MEETING.** You may submit public comments or request a public meeting about this proposed general permit. The purpose of a public meeting is to provide the opportunity to submit written or oral comment or to ask questions about the proposed general permit. Generally, the TCEQ will hold a public meeting if the executive director determines that there is a significant degree of public interest in the proposed general permit or if requested by a state legislator. A public meeting is not a contested case hearing.

Written public comments must be received by the Office of the Chief Clerk, MC 105, TCEQ, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087 or electronically at <https://www.tceq.texas.gov/about/comments.html> within 30 days from the date this notice is published.

**APPROVAL PROCESS.** After the comment period, the executive director will consider all the public comments and prepare a written response. The response will be filed with the TCEQ Office of the Chief Clerk at least 10 days before the scheduled commission meeting when the commission will consider approval of the general permit. The commission will consider all public comment in making its decision and will either adopt the executive director's response or prepare its own response. The commission will issue its written response on the general permit at the same time the commission issues or denies the general permit. A copy of any issued general permit and response to comments will be made available to the public for inspection at the agency's Austin office and regional offices. A notice of the commissioners' action on the proposed general permit and a copy of its response to comments will be mailed to each person who submitted a comment. Also, a notice of the commission's action on the proposed general permit and the text of its response to comments will be published in the *Texas Register*.

**MAILING LISTS.** In addition to submitting public comments, you may ask to be placed on a mailing list to receive future public notices mailed by the TCEQ Office of the Chief Clerk. You may request to be added to: 1) the mailing list for this specific general permit; 2) the permanent mailing list for a specific county; or 3) both. Clearly specify the mailing lists to which you wish to be added and send your request to the TCEQ Office of the Chief Clerk at the address previously mentioned. Unless you otherwise specify, you will be included only on the mailing list for this specific general permit.

**INFORMATION.** If you need more information about this general permit or the permitting process, please call the TCEQ Public Education Program, toll free, at (800) 687-4040. General information about the TCEQ can be found at our website at: <https://www.tceq.texas.gov>.

Further information may also be obtained by calling Laurie Fleet, TCEQ Water Quality Division, at (512) 239-5445.

*Si desea información en español, puede llamar (800) 687-4040.*

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## Notice of District Petition

TCEQ Internal Control No. D-03052018-005; M/I Homes of Houston, LLC (Petitioner) filed a petition for creation of Brazoria County Municipal Utility District No. 73 (District) with the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ). The petition was filed pursuant to Article XVI, §59 of the Constitution of the State of Texas; Chapters 49 and 54 of the Texas Water Code; 30 Texas Administrative Code Chapter 293; and the procedural rules of the TCEQ. The petition states that: (1) the Petitioner holds title to a majority in value of the land to be included in the proposed District; (2) there are no lienholders on the property to be included in the proposed District; (3) the proposed District will contain approximately 69.49 acres located within Brazoria County, Texas; and (4) all of the land within the proposed District is within the corporate limits of the City of Alvin, Texas, and no portion of land within the proposed District is within the corporate limits or extraterritorial jurisdiction of any other city. By Ordinance No. 18-E, passed and approved on January 18, 2018, the City of Alvin, Texas, gave its consent to the creation of the proposed District, pursuant to Texas Water Code §54.016. The petition further states that the proposed District will: (1) purchase, construct, acquire, improve, extend, maintain, and operate a waterworks and sanitary sewer system for residential and commercial purposes; (2) purchase, construct, acquire, improve, extend, maintain, and operate works, improvements, facilities, plants, equipment, and appliances helpful or necessary to provide more adequate drainage for the proposed District; (3) control, abate, and amend local storm waters or other harmful excesses of water; and (4) purchase, construct, acquire, improve, extend, maintain, and operate such other additional improvements, facilities, and equipment as may be consonant with all of the purposes for which the proposed District is created. Within the proposed District, it may also purchase interest in land and purchase, construct, acquire, improve, extend, maintain, and operate improvements, facilities, and equipment for the purpose of providing recreational facilities, exercise road powers and authority, and establish, finance, provide, operate, and maintain a fire department and/or fire-fighting services. According to the petition, a preliminary investigation has been made to determine the cost of the project, and it is estimated by the Petitioner, from the information available at this time, that the cost of said project will be approximately \$8,025,000 (\$7,355,000 for water, wastewater, and drainage plus \$615,000 for recreation plus \$55,000 for roads).

## INFORMATION SECTION

To view the complete issued notice, view the notice on our web site at [www.tceq.texas.gov/agency/cc/pub\\_notice.html](http://www.tceq.texas.gov/agency/cc/pub_notice.html) or call the Office of the Chief Clerk at (512) 239-3300 to obtain a copy of the complete notice. When searching the web site, type in the issued date range shown at the top of this document to obtain search results.

The TCEQ may grant a contested case hearing on the petition if a written hearing request is filed within 30 days after the newspaper publication of the notice. To request a contested case hearing, you must submit the following: (1) your name (or for a group or association, an official representative), mailing address, daytime phone number, and fax number, if any; (2) the name of the Petitioner and the TCEQ Internal Control Number; (3) the statement "I/we request a contested case hearing"; (4) a brief description of how you would be affected by the petition in a way not common to the general public; and (5) the location of your property relative to the proposed District's boundaries. You may also submit your proposed adjustments to the petition. Requests for a contested case hearing must be submitted in writing to the Office of the Chief Clerk at the address provided in the information section below. The Executive Director may approve the petition unless a written request for a contested case hearing is filed within 30 days after the newspaper publication of this notice. If a hearing request is filed, the Executive Director will not approve the petition and will forward the petition and hearing request to the TCEQ Commissioners for their consideration at a scheduled Commission meeting. If a contested case hearing is held, it will be a legal proceeding similar to a civil trial in state district court. Written hearing requests should be submitted to the Office of the Chief Clerk, MC 105, TCEQ, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087. For information concerning the hearing process, please contact the Public Interest Counsel, MC 103, at the same address. For additional information, individual members of the general public may contact the Districts Review Team, at (512) 239-4691. Si desea información en español, puede llamar al (512) 239-0200. General information regarding TCEQ can be found at our web site at [www.tceq.state.tx.us](http://www.tceq.state.tx.us).

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Chief Clerk

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

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**Notice of Public Hearing on Proposed Revisions to 30 TAC Chapter 336**

The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (commission) will conduct a public hearing to receive testimony regarding proposed revisions to 30 Texas Administrative Code Chapter 336, Radioactive Substance Rules, §§336.356, 336.1301, 336.1305, 336.1307, 336.1309 - 336.1311, and 336.1317 and the proposed repeal of §336.1313, under the requirements of Texas Government Code, Chapter 2001, Subchapter B.

The rulemaking is proposed to add a requirement for licensees to minimize the introduction of residual radioactivity into the site, including the subsurface; adjust the surcharge fees for compact waste disposal; and remove the annual requirement for rate adjustment for disposal of Low-Level Radioactive Waste to allow flexibility to incorporate rate adjustments on an as-needed basis.

The commission will hold a public hearing on this proposal in Austin on June 28, 2018, at 10:00 a.m. in Building E, Room 201S, at the commission's central office located at 12100 Park 35 Circle. The hearing is structured for the receipt of oral or written comments by interested persons. Individuals may present oral statements when called upon in order of registration. Open discussion will not be permitted during the hearing; however, commission staff members will be available to discuss the proposal 30 minutes prior to the hearing.

Persons who have special communication or other accommodation needs who are planning to attend the hearing should contact Sandy Wong, Office of Legal Services at (512) 239-1802 or (800) RELAY-TX (TDD). Requests should be made as far in advance as possible.

Written comments may be submitted to Derek Baxter, MC 205, Office of Legal Services, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, or faxed to (512) 239-4808. Electronic comments may be submitted at: <https://www6.tceq.texas.gov/rules/ecomments/>. File size restrictions may apply to comments being submitted via the *eComments* system. All comments should reference Rule Project Number 2016-034-336-WS. The comment period closes on July 10, 2018. Copies of the proposed rulemaking can be obtained from the commission's website at [https://www.tceq.texas.gov/rules/propose\\_adopt.html](https://www.tceq.texas.gov/rules/propose_adopt.html). For further information, please contact Hans Weger, Radioactive Materials Division, at (512) 239-6465.

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Robert Martinez

Director, Environmental Law Division

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

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**Notice of Public Meeting for an Air Quality Permit Proposed Air Quality Permit Numbers 6825A, PSDTX49M1, and GHGPSDTX167**

**APPLICATION.** The Premcor Refining Group Inc., P.O. Box 909, Port Arthur, Texas 77641-0909, has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) for modification of State Air Quality Permit 6825A, modification to Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) Air Quality Permit PSDTX49M1, and issuance of

Greenhouse Gas (GHG) PSD Air Quality Permit GHGPSDTX167 for emissions of GHGs, which would authorize modification of the Valero Port Arthur Refinery located at 1801 S Gulfway Dr, Port Arthur, Jefferson County, Texas 77640. This application was processed in an expedited manner, as allowed by the commission's rules in 30 Texas Administrative Code, Chapter 101, Subchapter J. The existing facility will emit the following air contaminants in a significant amount: hydrogen sulfide, nitrogen oxides, organic compounds, hazardous air pollutants, particulate matter including particulate matter with diameters of 10 microns or less and 2.5 microns or less, sulfur dioxide, and greenhouse gases.

The executive director has completed the technical review of the application and prepared a draft permit which, if approved, would establish the conditions under which the facility must operate. The executive director has made a preliminary decision to issue the permit because it meets all rules and regulations.

**PUBLIC COMMENT/PUBLIC MEETING. You may submit public comments to the Office of the Chief Clerk at the address below.** The TCEQ will consider all public comments in developing a final decision on the application. A public meeting will be held and will consist of two parts, an Informal Discussion Period and a Formal Comment Period. A public meeting is not a contested case hearing under the Administrative Procedure Act. During the Informal Discussion Period, the public will be encouraged to ask questions of the applicant and TCEQ staff concerning the permit application. The comments and questions submitted orally during the Informal Discussion Period will not be considered before a decision is reached on the permit application, and no formal response will be made. Responses will be provided orally during the Informal Discussion Period. During the Formal Comment Period on the permit application, members of the public may state their formal comments orally into the official record. At the conclusion of the comment period, all formal comments will be considered before a decision is reached on the permit application. A written response to all formal comments will be prepared by the Executive Director and will be sent to each person who submits a formal comment or who requested to be on the mailing list for this permit application and provides a mailing address. Only relevant and material issues raised during the Formal Comment Period can be considered if a contested case hearing is granted on this permit application.

The Public Meeting is to be held: Thursday, June 7, 2018, at 7:00 p.m.

**Carl A. Parker Multipurpose Center, Banquet Room 212**

**At Lamar State College-Port Arthur 1800 Lakeshore Drive**

**Port Arthur, Texas 77640**

**INFORMATION.** Citizens are encouraged to submit written comments anytime during the public meeting or by mail before the close of the public comment period to the Office of the Chief Clerk, TCEQ, Mail Code MC-105, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087 or electronically at <http://www.tceq.texas.gov/about/comments.html>. If you need more information about the permit application or the permitting process, please call the TCEQ Public Education Program, toll free, at (800) 687-4040. General information can be found at our Web site at [www.tceq.texas.gov](http://www.tceq.texas.gov). *Si desea información en español, puede llamar al (800) 687-4040.*

The permit application, executive director's preliminary decision, draft permit, and the executive director's preliminary determination summary and executive director's air quality analysis, will be available for viewing and copying at the TCEQ central office, the TCEQ Beaumont regional office, and at the Groves Public Library, 5600 West Washington Avenue, Groves, Texas. The facility's compliance file, if any exists, is available for public review at the TCEQ Beaumont Regional Office, 3870 Eastex Fwy, Beaumont, Texas. Further information may also be obtained from The Premcor Refining Group Inc. at the address stated above or by calling Ms. Paula Larocca, Manager Environmental Engineering at (409) 985-1200.

Persons with disabilities who need special accommodations at the meeting should call the Office of the Chief Clerk at (512) 239-3300 or (800) RELAY-TX (TDD) at least one week prior to the meeting.

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**Notice of Request for Public Comment and Notice of a Public Meeting to Receive Comments on One Draft Total Maximum Daily Load for Indicator Bacteria in Sycamore Creek**

The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ or commission) has made available for public comment the draft Total Maximum Daily Load (TMDL) for indicator bacteria in Sycamore Creek in Tarrant County.

The purpose of the public meeting is to provide the public an opportunity to comment on the draft TMDL for indicator bacteria in one assessment unit (AU) in Segment 0806E: 0806E\_01 in Tarrant County and the decision to join the implementation efforts of an approved, adjacent Implementation Plan (I-Plan).

The TCEQ is taking public comment on the draft TMDL for indicator bacteria in Sycamore Creek. A TMDL is a detailed water quality assessment that provides the scientific foundation to allocate pollutant loads in a certain body of water in order to restore and maintain designated uses. The commission requests comments on each of the major components of the TMDL: problem definition, endpoint identification, source analysis, seasonal variation, linkage between sources and receiving waters, margin of safety, pollutant loading allocation, public participation, and implementation and reasonable assurances.

The stakeholders for this project requested to join the implementation efforts of the Greater Trinity River Bacteria I-Plan Project, which has an approved I-Plan in a large area adjacent to the project's watershed. On June 15, 2017, the Coordination Committee for the Greater Trinity River Bacteria I-Plan agreed to accept the addition of the Sycamore Creek watershed to the existing I-Plan.

After the public comment period, the TCEQ may revise the draft TMDL if appropriate. The final TMDL will then be considered by the commission for adoption. The commission will also consider approving the decision to join the existing Greater Trinity River I-Plan. Upon adoption of the TMDL by the commission, the final TMDL and a response to all comments received will be made available on the TCEQ website. The TMDL will then be submitted to the EPA Region 6 office for final action by the EPA. Upon approval by the EPA, the TMDL will be certified as an update to the State of Texas Water Quality Management Plan.

The public comment meeting for the draft TMDL will be held on Tuesday, June 26, 2018, at 6:00 p.m. at the Ella Mae Shamblee Library, Shamblee Library Meeting Room, 1062 Evans Avenue, Fort Worth, Texas, 76104.

At this meeting, individuals will have the opportunity to present oral statements when called upon in order of registration. An agency staff member will give a brief presentation at the start of the meeting and will be available to answer questions before and after all public comments have been received.

Written comments on the draft TMDL should be submitted to Dania Grundmann, Water Quality Planning Division, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, MC 203, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas, 78711-3087 or faxed to (512) 239-1414. Comments may be submitted electronically to <https://www6.tceq.texas.gov/rules/ecomments/> by midnight on July 9, 2018, and should reference *One Total Maximum Daily Load for Indicator Bacteria in Sycamore Creek*.

For further information regarding the draft TMDL and the decision to join the existing Greater Trinity River I-Plan, please contact Dania Grundmann at (512) 239-3449 or [Dania.Grundmann@tceq.texas.gov](mailto:Dania.Grundmann@tceq.texas.gov). Copies of the draft TMDL will be available and can be obtained via the commission's website at: <http://www.tceq.texas.gov/waterquality/tmdl/tmdlnews.html> or by calling (512) 239-6682.



Persons with disabilities who have special communication or other accommodation needs who are planning to attend the meeting should contact the commission at (512) 239-6682. Requests should be made as far in advance as possible.

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Robert Martinez

Director, Environmental Law Division

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

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## Notice of Water Rights Application

Notice issued May 25, 2018

APPLICATION NO. 14-1387A; Craig T. Stephens and Kelly Jo Stephens, 9314 Sunlit Point, San Antonio, Texas 78240, Applicants, seek an amendment to a Certificate of Adjudication to authorize an additional diversion point on the Colorado River, Colorado River Basin, for agricultural purposes to irrigate land in Concho and McCulloch Counties. More information on the application and how to participate in the permitting process is given below. The application and fees were received on September 17, 2012. Additional information and fees were received on July 1 and July 8, 2013, and April 2 and April 5, 2014. The application was declared administratively complete and filed with the Office of the Chief Clerk on December 22, 2015. Additional information was received on January 8, 2018. The Executive Director has completed the technical review of the application and prepared a draft amendment. The draft amendment, if granted, would include special conditions, including, but not limited to, streamflow restrictions and maintaining a measuring device. The application, technical memoranda, and Executive Director's draft amendment are available for viewing and copying at the Office of the Chief Clerk, 12100 Park 35 Circle, Bldg. F., Austin, Texas 78753. Written public comments and requests for a public meeting should be submitted to the Office of the Chief Clerk at the address provided in the information section below by June 12, 2018.

To view the complete issued notice, view the notice on our web site at [www.tceq.texas.gov/agency/cc/pub\\_notice.html](http://www.tceq.texas.gov/agency/cc/pub_notice.html) or call the Office of the Chief Clerk at (512) 239-3300 to obtain a copy of the complete notice. When searching the web site, type in the issued date range shown at the top of this document to obtain search results.

A public meeting is intended for the taking of public comment, and is not a contested case hearing.

The Executive Director can consider approval of an application unless a written request for a contested case hearing is filed. To request a contested case hearing, you must submit the following: (1) your name (or for a group or association, an official representative), mailing address, daytime phone number, and fax number, if any; (2) applicant's name and permit number; (3) the statement [I/we] request a contested case hearing; and (4) a brief and specific description of how you would be affected by the application in a way not common to the general public. You may also submit any proposed conditions to the requested application which would satisfy your concerns. Requests for a contested case hearing must be submitted in writing to the TCEQ Office of the Chief Clerk at the address provided in the information section below.

If a hearing request is filed, the Executive Director will not issue the requested permit and may forward the application and hearing request to the TCEQ Commissioners for their consideration at a scheduled Commission meeting.

Written hearing requests, public comments or requests for a public meeting should be submitted to the Office of the Chief Clerk, MC 105, TCEQ, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711 3087. For information concerning the hearing process, please contact the Public Interest Counsel, MC 103, at the same address. For additional information, individual members of the general public may contact the Public Education Program at (800) 687 4040. General information regarding the TCEQ can be found at our web site at [www.tceq.texas.gov](http://www.tceq.texas.gov). Si desea información en español, puede llamar

al (800) 687-4040.

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Chief Clerk

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

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**Texas Facilities Commission**

**Request for Proposals #303-9-20633**

The Texas Facilities Commission (TFC), on behalf of the Office of the Attorney General (OAG), announces the issuance of Request for Proposals (RFP) #303-9-20633. TFC seeks a five (5) or ten (10) year lease of approximately 12,864 square feet of office space in Austin, Pflugerville, or Round Rock, Texas.

The deadline for questions is June 18, 2018, and the deadline for proposals is June 25, 2018, at 3:00 p.m. The award date is July 19, 2018. TFC reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals submitted. TFC is under no legal or other obligation to execute a lease on the basis of this notice or the distribution of an RFP. Neither this notice nor the RFP commits TFC to pay for any costs incurred prior to the award of a grant.

Parties interested in submitting a proposal may obtain information by contacting the Program Specialist, Evelyn Esquivel, at (512) 463-6494. A copy of the RFP may be downloaded from the Electronic State Business Daily at <http://www.txsmartbuy.com/sp/303-9-20633>.

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Naomi Gonzalez

Acting General Counsel

Texas Facilities Commission

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**Texas Health and Human Services Commission**

**Public Notice - Public Meetings on Implementation of Peer Support Services as a Medicaid Benefit**

The Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) announces its intent to update the public on the implementation of Peer Support Services as a Medicaid Benefit. House Bill 1486, 85th Legislature, Regular Session, 2017, directed the HHSC to add peer support services as a Medicaid benefit. As required by the bill, a stakeholder workgroup provided input on Medicaid rules defining requirements for training, certification, scope of services, and supervision of peer specialists. HHSC will use this meeting to take public comment and review the bill, the stakeholder's work, and the draft rules. The meetings will be held on Monday, June 11, 2018, from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. in the Public Hearing Room at the Texas Health and Human Services Commission, Brown Heatly Building, 4900 North Lamar Boulevard, Austin, Texas 78751 and Tuesday, June 12, 2018, from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. in the Public Hearing Room at the Texas Health and Human Services Commission, Moreton Building, 1100 West 49th Street, Austin, Texas 78756.

**Copy of Proposed Rules.** (Interested parties may obtain a free copy of the proposed rules by contacting Laura Gold,

Senior Policy Advisor, by U.S. mail, telephone, fax, or by email at the addresses below.)

**Written Comments.** Written comments and/or requests to review comments may be sent by U.S. mail, overnight mail, special delivery mail, hand delivery, fax, or email:

**U.S. Mail**

Texas Health and Human Services Commission

Attention: Laura Gold

Brown-Heatly Building

4900 North Lamar

Mail Code H600

Austin, Texas 78751

**Overnight mail, special delivery mail, or hand delivery**

Texas Health and Human Services Commission

Attention: Laura Gold

Brown-Heatly Building

4900 North Lamar

Mail Code H600

Austin, Texas 78751

Phone number for package delivery: (512) 730-7440

**Fax**

Attention: Medicaid/CHIP Services and FAX (512) 487-3403

**Email**

IDD-BH\_Peer\_Support\_Services-Medicaid\_Benefit@hhsc.state.tx.us

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Karen Ray

Chief Counsel

Texas Health and Human Services Commission

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**Public Notice - Texas State Plan for Medical Assistance Amendments**

The Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) announces its intent to submit amendments to the Texas

State Plan for Medical Assistance under Title XIX of the Social Security Act. The proposed amendments are effective September 1, 2018.

The purpose of these amendments is to update the fee schedules in the current state plan by adjusting fees, rates, or charges for the following services:

Ambulance Services; and

Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis, and Treatment Services (EPSDT), which includes Dental Services.

The proposed amendments are estimated to result in an aggregate cost savings of \$1,208,589 for the remainder of federal fiscal year (FFY) 2018, consisting of \$687,445 in federal funds and \$521,144 in state general revenue. For FFY 2019, the estimated annual aggregate cost savings is \$14,735,310, consisting of \$8,574,477 in federal funds and \$6,160,833 in state general revenue. For FFY 2020, the estimated annual aggregate cost savings is \$14,971,073, consisting of \$8,951,205 in federal funds and \$6,019,868 in state general revenue.

Further detail on specific reimbursement rates and percentage changes is available on the HHSC Rate Analysis website under the proposed effective date at: <http://rad.hhs.texas.gov/rate-packets>.

**Rate Hearing.** A rate hearing was held on May 3, 2018, at 1:30 p.m. in Austin, Texas. Information about the proposed rate changes (including methodology and justification) and the hearing can be found in the April 27, 2018, issue of the *Texas Register* on page 2622 at <http://www.sos.state.tx.us/texreg/index.shtml>.

**Copy of Proposed Amendments.** Interested parties may obtain a free copy of the proposed amendments and/or additional information about the amendments by contacting Beren Dutra, State Plan Program Specialist, by mail at the Health and Human Services Commission, P.O. Box 13247, Mail Code H-600, Austin, TX 78711; by telephone at (512) 428-1932; by facsimile at (512) 730-7472; or by email at [Medicaid\\_Chip\\_SPA\\_Inquiries@hhsc.state.tx.us](mailto:Medicaid_Chip_SPA_Inquiries@hhsc.state.tx.us). Copies of the proposed amendments will be available for review at the local county offices of the Texas Department of Aging and Disability Services.

**Written Comments.** Written comments about the proposed amendments and/or requests to review comments may be sent by U.S. mail, overnight mail, special delivery mail, hand delivery, fax, or email:

#### **U.S. Mail**

Texas Health and Human Services Commission

Attention: Rate Analysis, Mail Code H-400

P.O. Box 149030

Austin, Texas 78714-9030

#### **Overnight mail, special delivery mail, or hand delivery**

Texas Health and Human Services Commission

Attention: Rate Analysis, Mail Code H-400

Brown-Heatly Building

4900 North Lamar Blvd.

Austin, Texas 78751

Phone number for package delivery: (512) 730-7401

**Fax**

Attention: Rate Analysis at (512) 730-7475

**Email**

*RADAcuteCare@hhsc.state.tx.us*

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Karen Ray

Chief Counsel

Texas Health and Human Services Commission

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**Department of State Health Services**

**Designation of Practices Serving a Medically Underserved Population**

The Texas Department of State Health Services (department) is required under Texas Occupations Code §157.051 to designate practices serving a medically underserved population. In addition, the department is required to publish notice of such designations in the *Texas Register* and to provide an opportunity for public comment on the designations.

Accordingly, the department has proposed designating the following as practices serving a medically underserved population:

- Clinicas Mi Doctor, 6751 Abrams Road, Suite 108, Dallas, Texas 75231;
- Clinicas Mi Doctor, 5230 Aldine Mail Route Road, Houston, Texas 77039;
- MD Family Clinic, 2959 Buckner Boulevard, Suite 700, Dallas, Texas 75227;
- MD Family Clinic, 9991 Marsh Lane, Suite 100, Dallas, Texas 75220;
- MD Kids Pediatrics, 490 IH-10 North, Suite 100, Beaumont, Texas 77702;
- MD Kids Pediatrics, 20403 Farm to Market Road 529, Suite 200, Cypress, Texas 77433;
- MD Kids Pediatrics, 3201 West Saner Avenue, Dallas, Texas 75233;
- MD Kids Pediatrics, 3050 South 1st Street, Suite 209, Garland, Texas 75041;
- MD Kids Pediatrics, 6812 Harrisburg Boulevard, Houston, Texas 77011; and
- MD Kids Pediatrics, 1410 Fry Road, Houston, Texas 77084.

These designations are based on eligibility as practices serving a disproportionate number of clients eligible for federal, state or locally funded health care programs.

Oral and written comments on these designations may be directed to Matthew Turner, PhD, MPH, Program Director, Health Professions Resource Center - Mail Code 1898, Center for Health Statistics, Texas Department of State Health Services, P.O. Box 149347, Austin, Texas 78714-9347; telephone (512) 776-6541. Comments will be accepted for 30

days from the publication date of this notice.

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Barbara L. Klein

General Counsel

Department of State Health Services

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**Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs**

**Notice of Public Hearing and Public Comment Period on the Draft 2019 Regional Allocation Formula Methodology**

The Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs ("the Department") will hold a public hearing to accept public comment on the Draft 2019 Regional Allocation Formula ("RAF") Methodology.

The public hearing will take place as follows:

Thursday, June 7, 2018

2:00 p.m. Austin local time

Stephen F. Austin Building

1700 North Congress Avenue, Room 172

Austin, TX 78701

The RAF may be accessed from TDHCA's Public Comment Center at: <https://www.tdhca.state.tx.us/public-comment.htm>.

The RAF utilizes appropriate statistical data to measure the affordable housing need and available resources in the 13 State Service Regions that are used for planning purposes. The RAF also allocates funding to rural and urban subregions within each region. The Department has flexibility in determining variables to be used in the RAF, per §2306.1115(a)(3) of the Texas Governing Code, "the department shall develop a formula that...includes other factors determined by the department to be relevant to the equitable distribution of housing funds." The RAF is revised annually to reflect current data, respond to public comment, and better assess regional housing needs and available resources.

The Single Family HOME Investment Partnerships Program ("HOME"), Multifamily HOME, Housing Tax Credit ("HTC") and State Housing Trust Fund ("SHTF") program RAFs each use slightly different formulas because the programs have different eligible activities, households, and geographical service areas. For example, §2306.111(c) of the Texas Government Code requires that 95% of HOME funding be set aside for non-participating jurisdictions ("non-PJs"). Therefore, the Single Family and Multifamily HOME RAFs only use need and available resource data for non-PJs.

The RAF methodology explains the use of factors, in keeping with the statutory requirements, which include the need for housing assistance, the availability of housing resources, and other factors relevant to the equitable distribution of housing funds in urban and rural areas of the state.

The public comment period for the Draft 2019 RAF methodology will be open from Friday, May 25, 2018, through Friday June 15, 2018, at 6:00 p.m. Austin local time. Anyone may submit comments on the Draft 2019 RAF

Methodology in written form or oral testimony at the June 7, 2018, public hearing. Written comments concerning the Draft 2019 RAF Methodology may be submitted by mail to the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs, Housing Resource Center, P.O. Box 13941, Austin, TX 78711-3941, by email to [info@tdhca.state.tx.us](mailto:info@tdhca.state.tx.us), or by fax to (512) 475-0070. Comments must be received no later than Friday June 15, 2018, at 6:00 p.m. Austin local time.

Individuals who require auxiliary aids or services at the public hearing should contact Ms. Sidney Beaty, ADA responsible employee, at (512) 475-4577 or Relay Texas at (800) 735-2989 at least three (3) days before the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

Non-English speaking individuals who require interpreters at the public hearing should contact Elena Peinado by phone at (512) 475-3814 or by email at [elena.peinado@tdhca.state.tx.us](mailto:elena.peinado@tdhca.state.tx.us) at least three (3) days before the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

Personas que hablan español y requieren un intérprete, favor de llamar a Elena Peinado al siguiente número (512) 475-3814 o enviarle un correo electrónico a [elena.peinado@tdhca.state.tx.us](mailto:elena.peinado@tdhca.state.tx.us) por lo menos tres días antes de la junta para hacer los preparativos apropiados.

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Timothy K. Irvine

Executive Director

Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs

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## **Houston-Galveston Area Council**

### **Development Block Grant Funding Public Meeting and Solicitation for Public Comment**

Notice is hereby given that the Houston-Galveston Area Council (H-GAC) is seeking input on the draft method of distribution of \$241 million in Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Disaster Recovery funding to counties and local jurisdictions for only buyout/acquisition and infrastructure projects associated with Hurricane Harvey. The allocation includes \$111 million of recovery funds for a local buyout/acquisition program and \$130 million for local infrastructure projects in Austin, Brazoria, Chambers, Colorado, Fort Bend, Galveston, Liberty, Matagorda, Montgomery, Waller, Walker, and Wharton counties. Written and oral comments will be taken at three public planning meetings and two public hearings scheduled for the following dates, times and locations:

Public Planning Meeting Monday, June 4, 2018 - 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.- Wharton Civic Center, 1924 N. Fulton Street, Wharton

Public Planning Meeting Tuesday, June 5, 2018 - 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. - Helen Hall Library Meeting Room, 100 W. Walker Street, League City

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Jeff Taebel

Director of Community and Environmental Planning

Houston-Galveston Area Council

Filed: May 23, 2018

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## **North Central Texas Council of Governments**

### **Notice of Contract Award--DART Red and Blue Line Corridors Last Mile Connections Project**

Pursuant to the provisions of Government Code, Chapter 2254, the North Central Texas Council of Governments publishes this notice of contract award. The request appeared in the December 1, 2017, issue of the *Texas Register* (42 TexReg 6842). The selected entity will perform technical and professional work for the DART Red and Blue Line Corridors Last Mile Connections project.

The entity selected for this project is Lee Engineering, LLC, 3030 LBJ Freeway, Suite 1660, Dallas, Texas 75234. The amount of the contract is not to exceed \$650,000.

Issued in Arlington, Texas on May 25, 2018.

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R. Michael Eastland

Executive Director

North Central Texas Council of Governments

Filed: May 29, 2018

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## **Public Utility Commission of Texas**

### **Notice of Application for Sale, Transfer, or Merger**

Notice is given to the public of an application filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) on May 23, 2018, under the Public Utility Regulatory Act, Tex. Util. Code Ann. §39.154 and §39.158.

Docket Style and Number: Application of Mountain Sunrise Solar, LLC Under §39.158 of the Public Utility Regulatory



Act, Docket Number 48381.

The Application: On May 23, 2018, Mountain Sunrise Solar, LLC filed an application for approval of the sale of membership interests in Mountain Sunrise Solar, LLC to Wells Fargo Central Pacific Holdings, Inc. The combined generation owned and controlled by Mountain Sunrise and its affiliates following the proposed purchase will not exceed twenty percent of the total electricity offered for sale in the Electric Reliability Council of Texas.

Persons wishing to intervene or comment on the action sought should contact the Commission as soon as possible as an intervention deadline will be imposed. A comment or request to intervene should be mailed to P.O. Box 13326, Austin, Texas 78711-3326, or by phone at (512) 936-7120 or toll-free at (888) 782-8477. Hearing and speech-impaired individuals with text telephone (TTY) may contact the commission through Relay Texas by dialing 7-1-1. All comments should reference Docket Number 48381.

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Andrea Gonzalez

Assistant Rules Coordinator

Public Utility Commission of Texas

Filed: May 25, 2018

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### **Notice of Application for Sale, Transfer, or Merger**

Notice is given to the public of an application filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (commission) on May 24, 2018, under the Public Utility Regulatory Act, Tex. Util. Code Ann. §39.154 and §39.158.

Docket Style and Number: Joint Application of MidAmerican Wind Tax Equity Holdings, LLC and Blue Cloud TE Partnership LLC Under §39.158 of the Public Utility Regulatory Act, Docket Number 48386.

The Application: On May 24, 2018, MidAmerican Wind Tax Equity Holdings, LLC and Blue Cloud TE Partnership LLC filed a joint application for approval of the sale of Class A interests in Blue Cloud to MidAmerican. Blue Cloud owns 100% of the equity interest in Blue Cloud Wind Energy, LLC which is developing a 148.35 MW wind-powered electric generation facility located in Lamb and Bailey Counties. The combined generation owned and controlled by MidAmerican and its affiliates following the proposed purchase will not exceed 20% of the total electricity offered for sale in the Electric Reliability Council of Texas.

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TRD-201802359

Adriana Gonzales

Rules Coordinator

Public Utility Commission of Texas

Filed: May 29, 2018

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### **Notice of Application for Service Area Boundary Change**

The Public Utility Commission of Texas (commission) gives notice to the public of an application filed with the commission on May 22, 2018, for a certificate of convenience and necessity (CCN) service area boundary change within Jim Wells County.

Docket Style and Number: Application of AEP Texas, Inc. and Nueces Electric Cooperative, Inc. for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity Minor Boundary Change in Jim Wells County. Docket Number 48380.

The Application: AEP Texas, Inc. and Nueces Electric Cooperative, Inc. filed an application to amend their CCN boundaries. The proposed service area boundary change will clarify which utility provides electric utility service to future customers.

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Public Utility Commission of Texas

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## **Regional Water Planning Group - Area B**

### **Public Notice Regional Water Planning Group - Area B Solicitation of Nominations**

The Regional Water Planning Group -- Area B (RWPG-B) was established by state law, including Texas Water Code Chapter 16, TWDB rules, and 31 TAC Chapters 355, 357, and 358 on February 19, 1998. Area B includes the following counties: Archer, Baylor, Clay, Cottle, Foard, Hardeman, King, Montague, Wichita, Wilbarger, and the part of Young County that encompasses the City of Olney. The purpose of the RWPG-B is to provide comprehensive regional water planning and to carry out the related responsibilities placed on regional water planning groups by state law. Foremost among those responsibilities is the development of a regional water plan for Area B that identifies both short and long-term water supply needs and recommends water management strategies for addressing them.

Notice is hereby given that the Regional Water Planning Group -- Area B is soliciting nominations for the following interest category seats whose 5-year terms expire effective August 31, 2018:

**Environmental** -- J. K. (Rooter) Brite, Montague County, **River Authorities** -- Curtis W. Campbell, Wichita County, **Water Utilities** -- N. E. Deweber, Baylor County, **Agricultural** -- Vacant, Wilbarger County, **Counties** -- Judge Kenneth Liggett, Clay County, **Water Districts** -- Mike McGuire, Baylor County, **Agricultural** -- Wilson Scaling, Clay County, **Municipalities** -- Mayor Gayle Simpson, Foard County, **Industries** -- Tamela Armstrong, Wichita County.

Additionally, Region B is soliciting nominations to fill two open seats on the planning group representing the **Electric Generating Utilities** Interest category, and the **Municipalities** Interest category, with terms expiring August 31, 2021.

Nominees must represent the interest category for which a member is sought within the Region B planning area, be willing to participate in the regional water planning process, and abide by the Bylaws of the planning group, to qualify for voting membership on the RWPG-B.

If you would like to submit a nomination for a voting member representative of one of the interest categories listed

above, you may do so by sending a letter to the administrative agency -- Red River Authority of Texas, Attention: Stacey Green, Post Office Box 240, Wichita Falls, Texas 76307-0240, or email your nominations to [stacey.green@rra.texas.gov](mailto:stacey.green@rra.texas.gov). **Nominations must be received or postmarked by Friday, July 13, 2018, to be considered.** Consideration of nominations and voting will take place at the RWPG-B Public Meeting tentatively scheduled for Wednesday, August 22, 2018.

If you have any questions, please contact Red River Authority of Texas at (940) 723-2236 or email at [stacey.green@rra.texas.gov](mailto:stacey.green@rra.texas.gov).

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Randy Whiteman

General Manager

Regional Water Planning Group - Area B

Filed: May 24, 2018

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## Texas Department of Transportation

### Aviation Division - Request for Qualifications for Professional Engineering Services

The City of Palacios, through its agent, the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT), intends to engage a professional engineering firm for services pursuant to Chapter 2254, Subchapter A, of the Government Code. TxDOT Aviation Division will solicit and receive qualification statements for the current aviation project as described below.

**Current Project:** City of Palacios; TxDOT CSJ No.: 1813PALCS.

The TxDOT Project Manager is Paul Slusser.

Scope: Provide engineering and design services, including construction administration, to:

1. Rehabilitate Runway 13/31;
2. Mark Runway 13/31;
3. Rehabilitate and mark parallel Taxiway A;
4. Rehabilitate and mark connector Taxiways A1, A2, and A3; and
5. Rehabilitate and mark terminal apron.

The Agent, in accordance with the provisions of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (78 Stat. 252, 42 U.S.C. §§2000d to 2000d-4) and the Regulations, hereby notifies all respondents that it will affirmatively ensure that for any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full and fair opportunity to submit in response to this solicitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in consideration for an award.

The proposed contract is subject to 49 CFR Part 26 concerning the participation of Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBE).

The DBE goal for the design phase of the current project is 17%. The goal will be re-set for the construction phase.

Utilizing multiple engineering/design and construction grants over the course of the next five years, future scope of

work items at the Palacios Municipal Airport may include the following: rehabilitate Runway 17/35; replace medium intensity lighting on Runway 13/31; replace precision approach path indicator on Runway 13/31; construct aircraft hangars; and conduct airfield drainage repairs.

The City of Palacios reserves the right to determine which of the services listed above may or may not be awarded to the successful firm and to initiate additional procurement action for any of the services listed above.

To assist in your qualification statement preparation, the criteria, project diagram, and most recent Airport Layout Plan are available online at <http://www.dot.state.tx.us/avn/avninfo/notice/consult/index.htm> by selecting "Palacios Municipal Airport." The qualification statement should address a technical approach for the current scope only. Firms shall use page 4, Recent Airport Experience, to list relevant past projects.

### **AVN-550 Preparation Instructions:**

Interested firms shall utilize the latest version of Form AVN-550, titled "Qualifications for Aviation Architectural/Engineering Services." The form may be requested from TxDOT, Aviation Division, 125 E. 11th Street, Austin, Texas 78701-2483, phone number, (800) 68-PILOT (74568). The form may be emailed by request or downloaded from the TxDOT website at <http://www.txdot.gov/inside-txdot/division/aviation/projects.html>. The form may not be altered in any way. Firms must carefully follow the instructions provided on each page of the form. Qualifications shall not exceed the number of pages in the AVN-550 template. The AVN-550 consists of eight pages of data plus one optional illustration page. A prime provider may only submit one AVN-550. If a prime provider submits more than one AVN-550, or submits a cover page with the AVN-550, that provider will be disqualified. Responses to this solicitation WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED IN ANY OTHER FORMAT.

**ATTENTION:** To ensure utilization of the latest version of Form AVN-550, firms are encouraged to download Form AVN-550 from the TxDOT website as addressed above. Utilization of Form AVN-550 from a previous download may not be the exact same format. Form AVN-550 is a PDF Template.

The completed Form AVN-550 must be received in the TxDOT Aviation eGrants system no later than July 11, 2018, 11:59 p.m. (CDST). Electronic facsimiles or forms sent by email or regular/overnight mail will not be accepted.

Firms that wish to submit a response to this solicitation must be a user in the TxDOT Aviation eGrants system no later than one business day before the solicitation due date. To request access to eGrants, please complete the Contact Us web form located at <http://txdot.gov/government/funding/egrants-2016/aviation.html>.

An instructional video on how to respond to a solicitation in eGrants is available at <http://txdot.gov/government/funding/egrants-2016/aviation.html>.

Step by step instructions on how to respond to a solicitation in eGrants will also be posted in the RFQ packet at <http://www.dot.state.tx.us/avn/avninfo/notice/consult/index.htm>.

The consultant selection committee will be composed of local government representatives. The final selection by the committee will generally be made following the completion of review of AVN-550s. The committee will review all AVN-550s and rate and rank each. The Evaluation Criteria for Engineering Qualifications can be found at <http://www.txdot.gov/inside-txdot/division/aviation/projects.html> under Information for Consultants. All firms will be notified and the top rated firm will be contacted to begin fee negotiations for the design and bidding phases. The selection committee does, however, reserve the right to conduct interviews for the top rated firms if the committee deems it necessary. If interviews are conducted, selection will be made following interviews.

Please contact TxDOT Aviation for any technical or procedural questions at (800) 68-PILOT (74568). For procedural questions, please contact Bobby Hidrogo. For technical questions, please contact Paul Slusser, TxDOT Project Manager.

For questions regarding responding to this solicitation in eGrants, please contact the TxDOT Aviation help desk at (800) 687-4568 or [avn-egrantshelp@txdot.gov](mailto:avn-egrantshelp@txdot.gov).

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Joanne Wright

Deputy General Counsel

Texas Department of Transportation

Filed: May 25, 2018

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**Request for Qualifications**

Pursuant to the authority granted under Transportation Code, Chapter 223, Subchapter F (enabling legislation), the Texas Department of Transportation (department), may enter into, in each fiscal year, up to three design-build contracts for the design, construction, expansion, extension, maintenance, rehabilitation, alteration, or repair of a highway project with a construction cost estimate of \$150 million or more. The enabling legislation authorizes private involvement in design-build projects and provides a process for the department to solicit proposals for such projects. Transportation Code §223.245 prescribes requirements for issuance of a request for qualifications and requires the department to publish a notice of such issuance in the *Texas Register*. The Texas Transportation Commission (commission) adopted Texas Administrative Code, Title 43, Chapter 9, Subchapter I relating to design-build contracts (the "rules"). The enabling legislation, as well as the rules, govern the submission and processing of qualifications submittals, and provide for the issuance of a request for qualifications that sets forth the basic criteria for qualifications, experience, technical competence, and ability to develop a proposed project and such other information the department considers relevant or necessary.

The commission has authorized the issuance of a request for qualifications (RFQ) to design, develop, construct, and potentially maintain improvements in the I-635 corridor from US 75 to I-30 in Dallas County (I-635 LBJ East Project). The project extends a distance of approximately eleven miles and will include full reconstruction and widening from eight to ten general purpose lanes and full reconstruction of the two existing tolled managed lanes for a total of 12 general purpose and tolled managed lanes, construction of continuous frontage roads, and improvements to the I-635/I-30 interchange. The I-635 LBJ East Project to be constructed under the agreement will improve safety and mobility, enhance system continuity, relieve traffic congestion, reduce travel time, and accommodate growth through the region; and has an estimated design-build cost of approximately \$1.6 billion.

Through this notice, the department is seeking qualifications submittals (QS) from teams interested in entering into a design-build contract and potentially a capital maintenance contract. The department intends to evaluate any QS received in response to the RFQ and may request submission of detailed proposals, potentially leading to the negotiation, award, and execution of a design-build contract and potentially a capital maintenance contract. The department will accept for consideration any QS received in accordance with the enabling legislation, the rules, and the RFQ, on or before the deadline in this notice. The department anticipates issuing the RFQ, receiving and analyzing the QS, developing a shortlist of proposing entities or consortia, and issuing a request for proposals (RFP) to the shortlisted entities. After review and a best value evaluation of the responses to the RFP, the department may negotiate and enter into a design-build contract and potentially a capital maintenance contract for the project.

**Release of RFQ and Due Date.** The department currently anticipates that the RFQ will be available on June 8, 2018. Copies of the RFQ will be available at the Texas Department of Transportation, 7600 Chevy Chase Drive, Building 2, Suite 400, Austin, Texas 78752, or at the following website:

<https://www.txdot.gov/inside-txdot/division/debt/strategic-projects/alternative-delivery/lbj-east/rfq.html>.

QSs will be due by 12:00 noon Central Time on July 6, 2018, at the address specified in the RFQ.

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Joanne Wright

Deputy General Counsel

Texas Department of Transportation

Filed: May 30, 2018

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## Request for Qualifications

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The commission has authorized the issuance of a request for qualifications (RFQ) to design, develop, construct, and potentially maintain the I-2/I-69C Interchange Project in Hidalgo County, Texas. The I-2/I-69C Interchange Project will provide approximately 7.8 miles of non-tolled improvements along I-2 from just west of 2nd Street to just east of FM 2557 (S. Stewart Road) and I-69C from Nolana Loop to I-2 in the cities of McAllen, Pharr, and San Juan, Texas. The proposed improvements include the full reconstruction of the I-2/I-69C interchange to include two-lane direct connectors in all four directions and the I-2 general purpose lanes will be reconstructed and/or widened from six to eight non-tolled general purpose lanes (four in each direction) from 2nd Street to the I-2/I-69C interchange. Operational improvements include the reconfiguration of main lane ramps on I-2 from 2nd Street to FM 2557 (S. Stewart Road) and improvements to the approaches and departures to and from the direct connectors.

The Project has an estimated design-build cost of approximately \$320 million.

Through this notice, the department is seeking qualifications statements (QSs) from teams interested in entering into a design-build contract and, potentially, a capital maintenance contract. The department intends to evaluate any QS received in response to the RFQ and may request submission of detailed proposals, potentially leading to the negotiation, award, and execution of a design-build contract, and potentially, a capital maintenance contract. The department will accept for consideration any QS received in accordance with the enabling legislation, the rules, and the RFQ, on or before the deadline in this notice. The department anticipates issuing the RFQ, receiving and evaluating the QSs, developing a shortlist of proposing entities or consortia, and issuing a request for proposals (RFP) to the shortlisted entities. After review and a best value evaluation of the responses to the RFP, the department may negotiate and enter into a design-build contract and potentially, a capital maintenance contract, for the Project.

**RFQ Evaluation Criteria.** QSs will be evaluated by the department for shortlisting purposes using the following general criteria: project qualifications and experience, statement of technical approach, and safety qualifications. The specific criteria under the foregoing categories will be identified in the RFQ, as will the relative weighting of the criteria.

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QSS will be due by 12:00 p.m. (noon) CST on July 31, 2018 at the address specified in the RFQ.

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Joanne Wright

Deputy General Counsel

Texas Department of Transportation

Filed: May 30, 2018

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**Workforce Solutions Deep East Texas**

**Request for Proposals #18-370**

The Deep East Texas Local Workforce Development Board, Inc. dba Workforce Solutions Deep East Texas (Board) is seeking an employer of record for participants in the Wage Services for Paid Work Experience. Deadline for submitting a Proposal is June 15, 2018 at 5:00 p.m. The Request for Proposal (RFP 18-370) is available at [www.detwork.org](http://www.detwork.org) or a request for a copy of the RFP can be made to: Kim Moulder, Staff Services Specialist, DETLWDB, 415 S. First St., Suite 110 B Lufkin, TX 75901, phone (936) 639-8898, fax (936) 633-7491, or email [kmoulder@detwork.org](mailto:kmoulder@detwork.org).

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Kim Moulder

Staff Service Specialist

Workforce Solutions Deep East Texas

Filed: May 24, 2018

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**Electronic Notices of Public Planning Meetings and Public Hearings**



**Janhsen, Kathy**

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**From:** Houston-Galveston Area Council <jeff.taebel@h-gac.com>  
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## Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recovery Funding

### Input Session - Regional & Local Advocacy Groups

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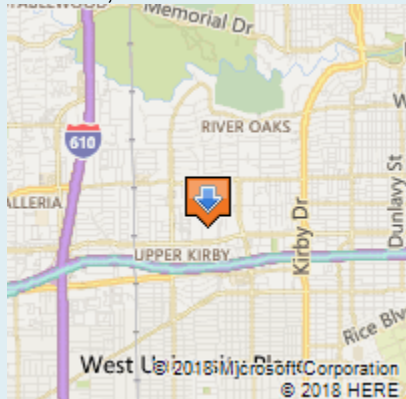
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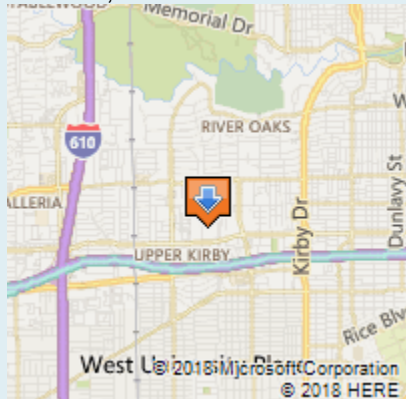
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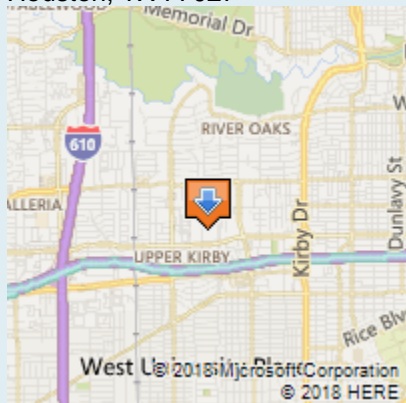
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## Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recovery Funding

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#### **Project Overview**

The Texas General Land Office allocated \$111 million of recovery funds to the H-GAC region outside of the City of Houston and Harris County for a local buyout/acquisition program and \$130 million for local infrastructure. The General Land Office is requiring that H-GAC submit a Method of Distribution for the funding to the following counties in the H-GAC service area: Austin, Brazoria, Chambers, Colorado, Fort Bend, Galveston, Liberty, Matagorda, Montgomery, Waller, Walker, and Wharton.

The Method of Distribution includes the amount of funding available to eligible jurisdictions (counties and cities) for Hurricane Harvey-related buyouts/acquisitions and infrastructure projects only. Harris County and the City of Houston are not included in this allocation and will receive funding directly from the General Land Office.

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#### **Public Comment Period**

H-GAC presented the draft [Method of Distribution](#) to the Board of Directors on June 19, 2018. The Board of Directors authorized this draft for public comment. The public comment period closes at 4 p.m. on Friday, July 6, 2018. You can provide comments in several ways.

#### **ONLINE**

[Submit your comments online.](#)

#### **BY MAIL**

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**PUBLIC HEARINGS**

Written and oral comments will be taken at two public hearings scheduled for the following dates, times and locations:

**PUBLIC HEARING #1**

**When:** Thursday, June 28, 2018 – 5 p.m. to 7 p.m.

**Where:** Courtyard Marriott at Katy Mills, 25402 Katy Mills Pkwy,  
Katy

**PUBLIC HEARING #2**

**When:** Friday, June 29, 2018 – 10 a.m. to noon

**Where:** Hilton Homewood Suites, 3000 Interstate 45 North, Conroe

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Help spread the word by forwarding this email. For more information, visit [the project website](#).

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Keeping you up to date on the community planning, economic development, and environmental planning programs at H-GAC.



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# Upcoming Events

### H-GAC Seeks Feedback on Hurricane Harvey Funding Draft Method of Distribution



H-GAC is seeking input on the draft method of distribution of \$241 million in Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Disaster Recovery funding to counties and local jurisdictions for buyout/acquisition and infrastructure projects associated with Hurricane Harvey. The allocation includes \$111 million of recovery funds for a local buyout/acquisition program and \$130 million for local infrastructure projects in Austin, Brazoria, Chambers, Colorado, Fort Bend, Galveston, Liberty, Matagorda, Montgomery, Waller, Walker, and Wharton counties.

Written and oral comments will be taken at four public planning meetings and two public hearings. Times, dates and places are posted [online](#).

The Draft Method of Distribution will be posted on **Thursday, June 21**, at [www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds](http://www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds). H-GAC will accept written comments through 4 p.m. **Friday, July 6**. Comments can be made online, mailed to H-GAC (Attention Jeff Taebel), or hand-delivered. More information about the comment period and methods for delivering comments will be published [online](#).

### CWI Workshop - June 20

The next [Clean Waters Initiative](#) (CWI) workshop will be from 2 to 4 p.m. **June 20**, at H-GAC Conference Room B and C, Second Floor.



The topic for this workshop is Water Quality and Public Health. It will include presentations on various diseases that may be caused through contact with contaminated water, and high-resolution mapping to identify standing water from failing septic systems as a potential source of mosquito breeding areas.

The CWI program offers workshops helping local governments, landowners, and residents

develop effective strategies to reduce water pollution.

[Registration](#) is requested. For more information, contact [Kathy Janhsen](#) at 713-993-2423.

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## Parks and Natural Areas Roundtable Field Trip - July 9

The next [Parks and Natural Areas Roundtable](#) will be from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. **Monday, July 9**, at H-GAC Conference Room A, Second Floor.

Speakers will include Marlon Conley with the Trust for Public Land, and Tim May, with Halff Associates, Inc. The group will discuss changes to the annual PNA awards timeline and recognition event. A roundtable discussion will follow the presentations.



The [Parks and Natural Areas Roundtable](#) serves as a forum for discussion of parks and natural areas in the H-GAC region and is open to anyone who would like to participate.

[Registration](#) is requested. For more information, contact [Andrea Tantillo](#) at 832-681-2507.

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## Bringing Back Main Street Roundtable - July 24



H-GAC's next [Bringing Back Main Street Roundtable](#) will be from 9:30 a.m. to noon **Tuesday, July 24**, West Columbia Civic Center, 512 East Brazos, West Columbia.

Jaimie Masterson, Associate Director of [Texas Target Communities](#), will discuss planning and technical assistance services available to small and rural communities.

[Registration](#) is requested. For more information, contact [Clint McManus](#) at 832-681-2513.

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## Housing for the Future: A Regional Conversation - August 17

Join H-GAC for [Housing for the Future: a Regional Conversation](#) from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. **Friday, August 17**, at H-GAC Conference Rooms B&C, Second Floor.

This summit will bring together housing experts and local officials from across the region to discuss a broad vision for the region's housing and the specific strategies that can be used to increase housing availability, quality, and affordability across rural, suburban, and urban communities.



Breakfast begins at 8:30 a.m. [Registration](#) is requested. For more information, contact [Amy Combs](#) at 713-993-4544 or [Clint McManus](#) at 832-681-2513.

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# Announcements

## H-GAC Updates Regional Flood Information Application with FEMA Blockgroup-level Data

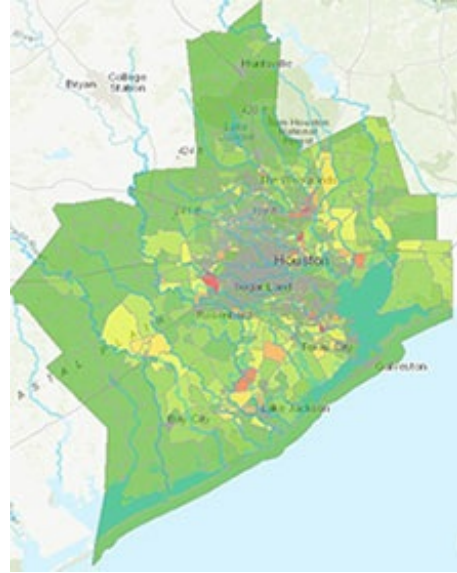
H-GAC has updated the [Regional Flood Information Application](#) with new FEMA Block-Group Level data on Housing Individual Assistance related to Hurricane Harvey.

To access this layer

1. Go the [Regional Flood Information Application](#),
2. Click on the clipboard icon at the bottom of the application,
3. Select the layer "FEMA Blockgroup-level Individual Assistance Housing,"and
4. Click on any block group on the map for additional information

A [user guide](#) is available with instructions on accessing the features of the application.

For more information, e-mail [cegis@h-gac.com](mailto:cegis@h-gac.com).



## H-GAC Seeks Comments on West Fork Watershed Protection Plan



H-GAC released the draft Watershed Protection Plan for the West Fork San Jacinto River and Lake Creek watersheds. The draft is available at [www.westforkwpp.com](http://www.westforkwpp.com) under the project documents tab.

This planning document, based on scientific analysis and local knowledge, identifies water quality priorities and provides a list of voluntary solutions to improve water quality in the area.

H-GAC will accept comments through **Friday, June 15**. For more information or to provide comments, contact [Justin Bower](#) at 713-499-6653.

## H-GAC Launches Regional Data Lab Facebook Page

The H-GAC socio-economic modeling program recently launched a new Facebook page: [H-GAC Regional Data Lab](#) to update the community about new and updated data-based applications, news, and events.

The H-GAC program produces a variety of data-driven products and applications, such as

- the Regional Growth Forecast, an essential tool used by local governments in long-range planning, and
- Interactive Web Applications, easy to use tools focusing on community planning, demographics, economics, environmental planning, land use, and water quality.



## Partner Announcements

### Resource Recycling Conference Grant Available

The [Steve Thompson Memorial Grant](#) provides free travel, accommodations and registration for the [2018 Resource Recycling Conference](#) to more than 40 winners. The grant includes conference registration, a two-night hotel stay, and travel reimbursement up to \$500. The 2018 Resource Recycling Conference will be October 22 to 24 in St. Louis, Missouri. [Apply online](#) by **Monday, June 4**. For more information, contact [Tricia Tiedt](#).



### Strengthening Coastal Counties Resilience Challenge

The National Association of Counties, the Association of State Floodplain Managers, and the Coastal States Organization launched the [Strengthening Coastal Counties Resilience Challenge](#). Coastal counties from the Gulf of Mexico region with populations of less than 250,000 are invited to form teams to apply to receive technical assistance to help them identify ways to strengthen existing and implement new local plans and policies to increase resilience to extreme weather and climate-related hazards. Applications are due **Friday, June 15**. Learn more and apply [online](#).



### 2018 EPA Region 6 Outstanding GI/LID Project Competition

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Region 6 is seeking abstracts for outstanding Green Infrastructure/Low Impact Development projects to be highlighted at the [EPA Region 6 Stormwater Conference August 19-23](#) in Albuquerque, New Mexico. Students and professionals are invited to [submit abstracts](#) by **Monday, July 9**. The [call for project abstracts](#) and [competition rules](#) are available online. For more information, contact Nichole Young at (214) 665-6447 or Suzanna Perea at (214) 665-7217.



### NADO Innovation Awards

Each year, the [National Association of Development Organizations](#) recognizes member organizations that demonstrate innovative approaches to regional economic and community development through the [Innovation Awards](#) program. Previous award-winning projects have showcased innovative efforts in a variety of program areas including business and economic development, community health initiatives, emergency planning, brownfields, sustainability, technology, transportation, and workforce development. Applications are due **Friday, July 20**. For more information, contact [Brett Schwartz](#) or [Laurie Thompson](#).



### Texas Main Street Designation Application

The Texas Historical Commission is accepting applications from cities interested in becoming designated [Main Street Communities](#). Each year, the Texas Historical Commission may select up to five cities for official Main Street Designation. Communities selected this year will enter the program in January 2019. Main Street is an economic development program focusing on small business development, using reuse of historic properties and historic preservation as primary tools. Full applications are due **Tuesday, July 31**. Main Street communities in the region are Bay City, Huntsville, Rosenberg, and Sealy.



### STAR Summit Exhibitor, Sponsor Packets Available

[State of Texas Alliance for Recycling \(STAR\) 2018 Summit](#) exhibitor and sponsor packets are available for the annual conference set for **October 28-31** in Galveston. Approximately 200 to 300 professionals representing private sector companies, government, academic institutions, nonprofit organizations, and trade associations attend the summit each year. The summit features educational sessions, equipment demonstrations, round table discussions, and training opportunities. Early [exhibitor prices](#) are good through **Friday, June 15**, and include discounted conference registrations. Various [levels of sponsorships](#) are available, and the deadline to guarantee sponsorship benefits is **Wednesday, August 1**.



### Texas Sea Grant Community Resilience Collaborative

[Texas Sea Grant](#) is increasing its efforts to help communities increase their resilience by launching the [Community Resilience Collaborative](#) (CRC). This research- and extension- based program provides planning assistance to communities that suffered impacts from Hurricane Harvey. One of the resources available through CRC is the [Texas Homeowner's Handbook to Prepare for Coastal Natural Hazards](#), including general information about tropical storms and ways to build or retrofit a home to make it more resistant to wind and rain.



### Trust for Public Land ParkServe

The [Trust for Public Land](#) (TPL) launched [ParkServe](#), a comprehensive GIS database for park access, available free online. The tool, part of [TPL's national campaign](#) to ensure every person in America has access to a quality park, analyzes current access to parks in cities towns and communities nationwide.



### USDOT BUILD Grant Webinars

The [U.S. Department of Transportation \(USDOT\) Better Utilizing Investments to Leverage Development \(BUILD\) Transportation Discretionary Grants program](#), formerly known as TIGER, is now open. To provide technical assistance to a broad array of stakeholders, USDOT will host a series of webinars during the grant application process. A webinar on how to compete for BUILD

Transportation grants for all applicants will be held on [Thursday, June 5](#); a webinar for rural and tribal applicants will be held on [Wednesday, June 6](#); and a webinar on how to prepare a benefit cost analysis for a BUILD application will be held on [Wednesday, June 13](#). All webinars will be from 1 to 3 p.m. and will be recorded and posted on the website for later viewing. The BUILD application deadline is **Thursday, July 19**.



### Keep Texas Beautiful Conference

The [51st Annual Keep Texas Beautiful Conference](#) will be **June 11-13** in Georgetown. This three-day, multi-track format offers attendees a variety of education sessions and interactive forums. Presentations are designed for all levels of experience, and KTB looks for a wide variety of topics.



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### Healthcare Playbook for Community Developers Webinar

The [Build Healthy Places Network](#) is hosting a free webinar at noon on **Tuesday, June 12**. [How to Get into the Partnership Game: A Healthcare Playbook for Community Developers](#) lets participants learn how three cross-sector leaders are building effective partnerships across the community development and healthcare sectors. [Registration](#) is required.



### TDA TxCDBG Workshop

Texas Department of Agriculture will host a TxCDBG 2018 Implementation Manual workshop in Huntsville at 8:30 a.m. on **Thursday, July 19**, at the Walker County Storm Shelter, 455 Highway 75, Huntsville. Participants will receive their 2018 TxCDBG Administrator certification. [Registration](#) is required.



## Funding Sources

### APA Foundation Harvey Recovery Grants for Planners

The American Planning Association Foundation issued a [Disaster Recovery Request for Proposals](#) to help economically challenged and disaster-devastated communities affected by hazards such as floods, hurricanes, and wildfires. Planners in communities affected by 2017 disasters are invited to apply for grants to assist them in efforts to help their communities recover.



More information, including details about eligibility, qualified activities, and other requirements is available [online](#). Applications will be accepted through **Monday, June 18**, by email to [Foundation@planning.org](mailto:Foundation@planning.org).

### Texas Water Development Board Flood Protection Grants

The Texas Water Development Board (TWDB) has posted a request for applications (RFA) for \$1.8 million in grants for flood protection planning, flood early warning systems, and flood response strategies.



Applications will be accepted until 2 p.m. on **Wednesday, July 11, 2018**. The TWDB anticipates announcing the recipients of the grant funding in September 2018.

All political subdivisions in Texas with the authority to plan for and implement projects related to

flood protection are eligible to apply. The TWDB will review applications and award the grants based on criteria outlined in the RFA.

The full RFA is available on the [TWDB's website](#).

For additional information, please contact Ivan Ortiz at 512-463-8184 or [Ivan.Ortiz@twdb.texas.gov](mailto:Ivan.Ortiz@twdb.texas.gov).

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## H-GAC Septic System Repair/ Replacement Funding Program

H-GAC has funding available for the repair or replacement of failing traditional or aerobic on-site sewage facilities (septic systems) in the H-GAC service region.

Funds are available to homeowners who meet certain income restrictions. No cost sharing is required. For more information, contact [Will Merrell](#) at 713-993-4594.

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- Eligible applicants include governments, nonprofits, and universities

For more information, contact [Robert Peche](#) of the EDA.

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H-GAC has compiled a list of [local, regional, state, federal, and private funding sources](#) for local governments and other organizations. H-GAC also maintains a list of ongoing [funding opportunities for parks improvements](#).

If you know of a funding opportunity, forward it to [Andrea Tantillo](#).

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## Community and Environmental Planning Programs

### Mapping Applications

Looking for interactive applications or GIS data related to the H-GAC Community and Environmental Planning Department? Visit H-GAC's [interactive applications web page](#) to see the latest information, including Census, Regional Forecast, and more.



### Facebook

H-GAC has a [Facebook page](#) where information about current and upcoming events is posted. Please visit and like H-GAC's page. While

there, visit other H-GAC pages on Facebook, including [Recycling](#), [Trash Bash](#), [Regional Data Lab](#), [Bacteria Implementation Group \(BIG\)](#), [West Fork Watersheds Partnership](#), and [Cedar Bayou Watershed Partnership](#).



### Twitter

Find the latest information about activities around the region at H-GAC's Twitter feed [@hgaccog](#). H-GAC's water resources program also offers Twitter updates on water quality issues in the region [@HGACwater](#).



Would you like us to consider featuring your municipality, program, or regional photo on the C&E Planning Update banner? Just forward [Andrea Tantillo](#) your picture, along with some information about the subject and the photographer, and you might see it in a future month's newsletter.

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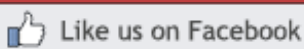
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### June Board of Directors Meeting

At the June meeting, the H-GAC Board of Directors unanimously approved grants for solid waste management and water quality management planning.



The Board also authorized the Gulf Coast Workforce Board to contract with 12 providers for adult education services. For more information on Adult Literacy Programs near you, click [HERE](#).

In addition, the Board approved the release of the H-GAC draft Method of Distribution for Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recovery Funds for buyouts and infrastructure. More information about feedback opportunities below.

### OPPORTUNITIES TO FUND LOCAL PROJECTS

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### WE NEED YOUR INPUT

H-GAC could use your feedback on a number of important funding and planning activities. Please look below for information and

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## Meetings and Events

### H-GAC Board of Directors

Meetings are held at 10:00 a.m. on the third Tuesday of each month. Agendas for all committees can be found on our [website](#). Please visit our [calendar](#) for upcoming meetings and events.

Unless otherwise listed, meetings are held on the second floor at H-GAC's office, 3555 Timmons Lane, Houston, TX 77027



contact us if you have any questions.

## 2045 Regional Transportation Plan Update

Residents, transportation partners, elected officials, and other stakeholders actively participated in the first round of 2045 RTP public meetings, which concluded May 1, 2018.



The majority of public comments received pertain to building a balanced, integrated multi-modal transportation system that provides accessibility, reduces dependence on automobiles, and reduces traffic congestion.

Next steps in the process involve the 2018 call for projects, which begins **July 30, 2018 and closes at 5:00 p.m. on September 28, 2018**. To learn about submitting projects, visit H-GAC's [Transportation Improvement Program](#) web page.

Interested in a presentation of the 2045 RTP at your next council, court or community meeting? Please email [publiccomments@h-gac.com](mailto:publiccomments@h-gac.com) to request a presentation for your organization.

## H-GAC Seeks Feedback On Harvey Buyout and Infrastructure Funding

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H-GAC held two public hearings to gather feedback. The Draft Method of Distribution can be found [here](#). A hard copy of the draft is available for public inspection and comment at the H-GAC reception area at 3555 Timmons Lane, Suite 120, Houston, TX 77027 until the comment period closes.

**H-GAC will accept written comments through 4 p.m. Friday, July 6.** More information about the comment period and methods for delivering comments are published online.

## OPPORTUNITIES TO LEARN

H-GAC hosts workshops and training opportunities throughout the year. Please see below for upcoming events.

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## Save The Date! TML Region 14 Fall Meeting and Workshop Aug. 10 - 11

The **TML Region 14 Fall Meeting and Workshop** will be held **August 10-11, 2018** at the Moody Gardens Resort in Galveston, TX. Make plans to join Region 14 for an exciting and informative event. Registration will be opening soon.

If you are interested in sponsoring this event, please click **HERE** or contact **Cynthia Jones** at 713-993-4591.



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Mr. Wemple brings over 15 years of experience in the fields of Economic Development, Disaster Recovery, Regional Resiliency, and Community and Environmental Planning. Chuck began his career at H-GAC in 2003 and was promoted to Chief Operating Officer in March 2013.

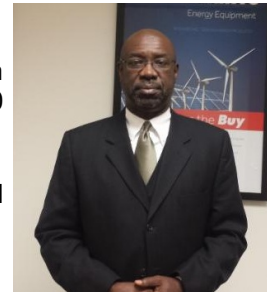


## H-GAC Announces New Public Services Director

**Ronnie Barnes** has been named Public Services Director for H-GAC.

Ronnie previously served as the Program Manager of the HGACBuy Program and has worked in the Cooperative Purchasing Program since 2012. He has 20 years of experience with H-GAC.

Ronnie now leads a staff of 30, dedicated to the Cooperative Purchasing and Public Safety Programs for the region. For more information, please visit [H-GACBuy.org](http://H-GACBuy.org).



## Careers at H-GAC

H-GAC offers opportunities in clerical, technical, and professional positions, when available. Qualified, motivated individuals are encouraged to view our current opportunities and apply.

H-GAC is currently seeking:

- [Data Analyst \(Economist\)](#)
- [Financial Analyst - Human Services](#)
- [Manager - Contract/Grant Development - Transportation](#)
- [Manager - Multimodal Planning - Transportation](#)
- [Manager - Workforce Operations](#)
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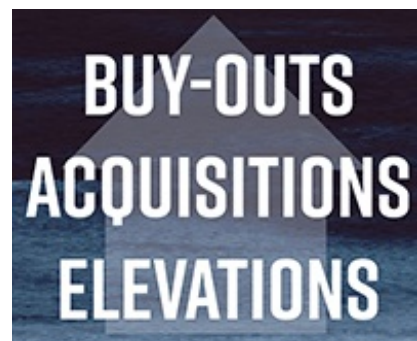
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Local agencies and organizations interested in hosting a take back event as part of the Drug Enforcement Agency's collection efforts in April and October each year can hear tips from people who have hosted multiple events. Featured presenters include Cheryl Burton-Fentress with Harris County and Becki Begley with H-GAC.

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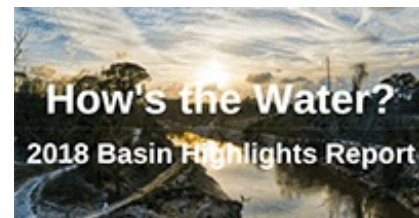
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The Socioeconomic Modeling team at H-GAC released a new [Interactive Regional Growth Report](#). It compares key demographic and socio-economic changes of the Houston-Galveston Region to other major metropolitan areas in the US over the past few decades. It helps understand the reasons, strengths and potential challenges behind the region's growth.



## How's the Water? 2018 Basin Highlights Report Available Online

The H-GAC [Clean Rivers Program](#) publishes an annual report for the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality summarizing the state of water quality in the region.



The [2018 Basin Highlights Report](#) includes a regional water quality summary and trends analysis, detailed characterizations of three watersheds, and a technical water quality primer. The report is accessible online with interactive maps, photos, and graphics.

# Partner Announcements

## 2019 Texas Environmental Excellence Awards

Each year, the Governor's Office and commissioners from the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality honor the state's most outstanding environmental projects through the [Texas Environmental Excellence Awards](#). Winners from across the state exemplify how Texans set the standard for ensuring clean air, clean water, and the safe management of waste. [The application period for the 2019 awards is now open](#). Winners will be honored at an awards banquet held on **May 15, 2019**, where videos of the winning projects will be featured. [See the winner videos for 2018](#). Applications will be accepted through **Friday, September 28**.



## 2018 EPA Region 6 Outstanding GI/LID Project Competition

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Region 6 is seeking



abstracts for outstanding Green Infrastructure/Low Impact Development projects to be highlighted at the [EPA Region 6 Stormwater Conference August 19-23](#) in Albuquerque, New Mexico. Students and professionals are invited to [submit abstracts](#) by **Monday, July 9**. The [call for project abstracts](#) and [competition rules](#) are available online. For more information, contact Nichole Young at 214-665-6447 or Suzanna Perea at 214-665-7217.



### NADO Innovation Awards

Each year, the [National Association of Development Organizations](#) recognizes member organizations that demonstrate innovative approaches to regional economic and community development through the [Innovation Awards](#) program. Previous award-winning projects have showcased innovative efforts in a variety of program areas including business and economic development, community health initiatives, emergency planning, brownfields, sustainability, technology, transportation, and workforce development. Applications are due **Friday, July 20**. For more information, contact [Brett Schwartz](#) or [Laurie Thompson](#).



### Texas Main Street Designation Application

The Texas Historical Commission is accepting applications from cities interested in becoming designated [Main Street Communities](#). Each year, the Texas Historical Commission may select up to five cities for official Main Street Designation. Communities selected this year will enter the program in January 2019. Main Street is an economic development program focusing on small business development, using reuse of historic properties and historic preservation as primary tools. Full applications are due **Tuesday, July 31**. Main Street communities in the region are Bay City, Huntsville, Rosenberg, and Sealy.



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### STAR Summit Exhibitor, Sponsor Packets Available

[State of Texas Alliance for Recycling \(STAR\) 2018 Summit exhibitor](#) and [sponsor](#) packets are available for the annual conference set for **October 28-31** in Galveston. Approximately 200 to 300 professionals representing private sector companies, government, academic institutions, nonprofit organizations, and trade associations attend the summit each year. The summit features educational sessions, equipment demonstrations, round table discussions, and training opportunities. The deadline to guarantee sponsorship benefits is **Wednesday, August 1**.



## More Upcoming Events

### Center for Houston's Future Summer Salons

[The Center for Houston's Future](#) is hosting [three monthly summer salons](#) at 7:30 a.m. at the Junior League of Houston, 1811 Briar Oaks Lane, Houston. These casual breakfast conversations will bring big-picture thinkers and regional experts together with broader audiences for an extended discussion on regional issues, with a focus on the next steps for creating a sustainable and competitive Houston region. Registration is \$30 per person and includes a seated breakfast. [Registration](#) for all three is \$60 per person. Upcoming salons include Follow the Dollars: Tracking Houston's Economic Vitality, **Tuesday, July 10**; Follow the Construction: Development in the Post-Harvey World, **Wednesday, August 8**; and Follow the Big Ideas: Smart Cities, **Wednesday, September 13**.



### America Walks Free Webinars

[America Walks](#) is hosting [free monthly webinars](#) at 1 p.m. the second Wednesday of each month. These webinars look to expand knowledge, highlight success stories, and share new tools and resources. Registration is required. Upcoming webinars include [Opportunities for Walkability in Rural Communities and Small Towns](#), **July 11**; [Act Fast: The Growing Call of Slower Speeds](#), **August 8**; [Pedestrians are People Too: The Criminalization of Walking](#), **September 12**; [Walk Into Action: Walking and Walkability Policy Issues](#), **October 10**; [Where Do We Go Next? Mapping and Tracking in the Future](#), **November 14**; and [On a Sustainable Path: The Role of Walkability in Addressing Climate Change](#), **December 12**.



### TDA TxCDBG Workshop

Texas Department of Agriculture will host a TxCDBG 2018 Implementation Manual workshop in Huntsville at 8:30 a.m. on **Thursday, July 19**, at the

Walker County Storm Shelter, 455 Highway 75, Huntsville. Participants will receive their 2018 TxCDBG Administrator certification. [Registration](#) is required.



### Texas Watershed Coordinator Roundtable

[Registration](#) is open for the [Texas Watershed Coordinator Roundtable](#) from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. **Tuesday, July**



**24**, at Texas A&M University, Thomas G. Hildebrand Equine Complex, 3240 F&B Road (Andras B Classroom), College Station. Lunch is \$10. For more information, contact [Nathan Glaw](#).

### Gulf of Mexico Alliance Wednesday Webinars

The [Gulf of Mexico Alliance \(GOMA\)](#) is hosting a [Wednesday Webinar series](#) at 2 p.m., the last Wednesday of every other month. [Join](#) to learn about resources and projects from around the Gulf. Preregistration is not required. Upcoming webinars include: Microplastics (Eric Sparks), **July 25**; Tool Highlights (Dave Reed), **September 26**; and HAB Detection (Kate Hubbard), **November 28**.



### Wetland Delineation Training Course

[Texas Research Institute for Environmental Studies \(TRIES\) Aquatic Lab](#) is hosting a Wetland Delineation training course **July 30-August 3** at Sam Houston State University, Huntsville. This intensive training course adheres to the Army Corps of Engineers (ACOE) Wetland Delineator Certification Program criteria, and students will gain the legal, theoretical and technical skills necessary to proficiently delineate wetlands. More information, including registration and costs, is available on the TRIES website or by contacting [Kaitlen Gary](#) at 936-294-2501.



### Urban Riparian and Stream Restoration Program Workshop

Texas Riparian Association is hosting the [Urban Riparian and Stream Restoration Program workshop](#) from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. **Thursday, August 16**, at The Recreation Center at Bear Branch Park - Live Oak Room, 5310 Research Forest Drive, The Woodlands. [The training](#) will focus on natural design processes for stream restoration projects. Registration is limited to the first 40 people. The cost is \$100 and includes all training materials, lunch, and a certificate of completion. [Registration](#) is required by **Monday, August 13**.



### Texas A&M AgriLife Extension, Master Gardeners Composter Training

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service and Fort Bend County Master Gardeners Association are hosting a [three-day composter specialist event](#) from 10 a.m. to noon **December 5-7** at the AgriLife Extension Office, 1402 Band Road, Suite 100, Rosenberg. This training is sanctioned by the Texas Master Gardener program, and the 24 attendees will receive the title of "Composter Specialist." More information, including an [agenda and registration](#), is available online.



## News and Notes

### Timmons Talkers Toastmasters Club Starts at H-GAC

[Toastmasters International](#), the world's leading communication and leadership development organization, recently chartered a new club at H-GAC.

[Timmons Talkers](#) is open to anyone who would like to attend and meets from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Thursdays in one of the H-GAC conference rooms on the second floor (specific room will be posted). More information is available [online](#).



Guests are invited to bring their lunch and see the fun the group has while learning to be better speakers and leaders.

### Gulf-Houston Regional

## Conservation Plan Targets 24% in Nature-based Infrastructure by 2040

The 8-county [Gulf-Houston Regional Conservation Plan \(Gulf-Houston RCP\)](#), comprised of over 100 governmental, environmental, academic, and business groups with a diverse steering committee, announced the public launch of the Gulf-Houston RCP's 24% by 2040 Nature-based Infrastructure Strategy - a collaboration to improve the quality of life in the 8-county region through increases in protected/ preserved land-use in Harris, Brazoria, Chambers, Fort Bend, Galveston, Liberty, Montgomery and Waller counties.



The strategy is available online as an [interactive project map](#) and [downloadable document](#).

## Community Resilience Collaborative Provides Resources to Area Communities

The [Community Resilience Collaborative \(CRC\)](#) is a research- and extension-based coastal planning program that combines the reach and resources of the Texas Sea Grant College Program and Texas Target Communities (TTC).



The CRC provides technical assistance for planning, outreach and education aimed at coastal communities, particularly resource managers, land use planners and emergency managers who deal with hazard mitigation. Planning is emphasized to address critical land use, environmental, hazard mitigation and disaster recovery issues through coastal planning. Priority is placed on providing planning assistance to low-capacity, low-resource and/or underrepresented communities.

For more information regarding the CRC, contact [Heather Wade](#) at 979-845-3855.

## Funding Sources

### Texas Water Development Board Flood Protection Grants



The Texas Water Development Board (TWDB) has posted a request for applications (RFA) for \$1.8 million in grants for flood protection planning, flood early warning systems, and flood response strategies.

Applications will be accepted until 2 p.m. on **Wednesday, July 11**. The TWDB anticipates announcing the recipients of the grant funding in September 2018.

All political subdivisions in Texas with the authority to plan for and implement projects related to flood protection are eligible to apply. The TWDB will review applications and award the grants based on criteria outlined in the RFA.

The full RFA is available on the [TWDB's website](#).

For additional information, please contact [Ivan Ortiz](#) at 512-463-8184.

### H-GAC Septic System Repair/ Replacement Funding Program

H-GAC has funding available for the repair or replacement of failing traditional or aerobic on-site

sewage facilities (septic systems) in the H-GAC service region.

Funds are available to homeowners who meet certain income restrictions. No cost sharing is required. For more information, contact [Will Merrell](#) at 713-993-4594.

## EDA Harvey Recovery Grants

The U.S. Economic Development Administration's (EDA) Austin regional office received \$129,119,000 in supplemental funding for disaster relief and is actively seeking projects to help communities in the Houston-Galveston region recover from Hurricane Harvey.



The recently released [Notice of Funding Opportunity](#) outlines the requirements, which include the following:

- Projects require a 20 percent match, which can include in-kind
- Typical projects will range from \$1-\$2.5 million
- First round of 14-15 applications anticipated to be funded by September 2018, with 1 or 2 subsequent rounds of funding
- Must demonstrate a nexus to Harvey, in terms of economic recovery or resilience
- Eligible applicants include governments, nonprofits, and universities

For more information, contact [Robert Peche](#) of the EDA.

H-GAC has compiled a list of [local, regional, state, federal, and private funding sources](#) for local governments and other organizations. H-GAC also maintains a list of ongoing [funding opportunities for parks improvements](#).

If you know of a funding opportunity, forward it to [Andrea Tantillo](#).

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## Community and Environmental Planning Programs

### Mapping Applications

Looking for interactive applications or GIS data related to the H-GAC Community and Environmental Planning Department? Visit H-GAC's [interactive applications web page](#) to see the latest information, including Census, Regional Forecast, and more.



### Facebook

H-GAC has a [Facebook page](#) where information about current and upcoming events is posted. Please visit and like H-GAC's page. While there, visit other H-GAC pages on Facebook, including [Recycling](#), [Trash Bash](#), [Regional Data Lab](#), [Bacteria Implementation Group](#) (BIG), [West Fork Watersheds Partnership](#), and [Cedar Bayou Watershed Partnership](#).



### Twitter

Find the latest information about activities around the region at H-GAC's Twitter feed [@hgaccog](#). H-GAC's water resources program also offers Twitter updates on water quality issues in the region [@HGACwater](#).



Banner Photo: A fisherman tosses a cast net from a dock into Armand Bayou at Bay Area Park. Bay Area Park in Harris County Precinct 2 is one of the many parks and natural areas in the H-GAC region.

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- Public Planning Meeting Monday, June 4, 2018 - 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.- Wharton Civic Center, 1924 N. Fulton Street, Wharton
- Public Planning Meeting Tuesday, June 5, 2018 – 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. – Helen Hall Library Meeting Room, 100 W. Walker Street, League City
- Public Planning Meeting Wednesday, June 6, 2018 – 10 a.m. to noon – Houston-Galveston Area Council, Conference Room A, Second Floor, 3555 Timmons Lane, Houston
- Public Planning Meeting Thursday, June 7, 2018 – 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. – Liberty County Community Center, 318 San Jacinto, Liberty
- Public Hearing Thursday, June 28, 2018 – 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. - Courtyard Marriott at Katy Mills, 25402 Kathy Mills Parkway, Katy
- Public Hearing Friday, June 29, 2018 – 10 a.m. to noon – Hilton Homewood Suites, 3000 Interstate 45 North, Conroe

The Draft Method of Distribution will be posted on Thursday, June 21, at [www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds](http://www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds). A hard copy of the draft will be made available for public inspection and comment at the H-GAC reception area at 3555 Timmons Lane, Suite 120, Houston, Texas 77027 throughout the comment period.

H-GAC will accept written comments beginning Thursday, June 21, through 4 p.m. Friday, July 6. Written comments may be submitted online at [www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds](http://www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds); mailed to H-GAC, Attn: Jeff Taebel, Director of Community and Environmental Planning, Houston-Galveston Area Council, P.O. Box 22777, Houston, Texas 77227; or hand delivered to H-GAC, 3555 Timmons Lane, Suite 120, Houston, Texas 77027. H-GAC encourages the public to use the online form or hand-deliver comments to ensure delivery before the comment period closes.

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Correction – the meeting in Wharton on Monday is from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m., not 10 a.m. as previously noted. I apologize for any inconvenience.

**Andrea Tantillo**  
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- Cuộc Họp Hoạch Định Công Khai vào thứ Ba, ngày 5 tháng Sáu, 2018 – 6 p.m. đến 8 p.m. – Helen Hall Library Meeting Room, 100 W. Walker Street, League City
- Cuộc Họp Hoạch Định Công Khai vào thứ Tư, ngày 6 tháng Sáu, 2018 – 10 a.m. tới trưa – Hội Đồng Khu Vực Houston-Galveston, Phòng Họp A, Tầng lầu 2, 3555 Timmons Lane, Houston
- Cuộc Họp Hoạch Định Công Khai vào thứ Năm, ngày 7 tháng Sáu, 5 p.m. đến 7 p.m.- Liberty County Community Center, 318 San Jacinto, Liberty
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H-GAC sẽ cung cấp phương tiện trợ giúp đặc biệt hợp lý cho những người tham gia các sự kiện của H-GAC. Nếu cần phương tiện trợ giúp đặc biệt, vui lòng gửi yêu cầu cho nhân viên H-GAC 24 giờ trước khi sự kiện diễn ra. Các buổi điều trần công khai sẽ được tiến hành bằng tiếng Anh, tuy nhiên, sẽ có thông dịch viên cho tiếng Tây ban nha, tiếng Việt, và ngôn ngữ ký hiệu. Để biết thêm thông tin, vui lòng gọi ông Jeff Taebel tại số 713-993-4560 để được giúp đỡ.

Đề Án Phân Bổ Ngân Quỹ sẽ được đăng trên website [www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds](http://www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds) trễ nhất là 4 giờ chiều thứ Năm, ngày 21 tháng Sáu, 2018. Chúng tôi sẽ cung cấp một bản sao trên giấy của đề án này để công chúng xem xét và góp ý ở khu vực tiếp tân của H-GAC tại 3555 Timmons Lane, Suite 120, Houston, Texas 77027 trong toàn bộ thời gian tiếp nhận ý kiến nhận xét.

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## Solicitud de Comentarios del Público

Se da aviso que el Consejo del Área de Houston-Galveston (H-GAC) está solicitando sugerencias sobre el método de distribución de \$241 millones en fondos del programa de Subvención Global para el Desarrollo Comunitario (CDBG o "Community Development Block Grant") para la Recuperación de Desastres a condados y jurisdicciones locales para usarse exclusivamente en proyectos de compras/adquisiciones y de infraestructura asociados con el huracán Harvey. La asignación incluye \$111 millones de fondos de recuperación para un programa de compras/adquisiciones locales y \$130 millones para proyectos locales de infraestructura en los condados de Austin, Brazoria, Chambers, Colorado, Fort Bend, Galveston, Liberty, Matagorda, Montgomery, Waller, Walker y Wharton. Se tomarán comentarios orales y escritos en cuatro reuniones de planificación pública y dos audiencias públicas programadas para las siguientes fechas, horarios y lugares:

- Reunión Pública de Planificación, el lunes, 4 de junio, 2 p.m. a 4 p.m.- Wharton Civic Center, 1924 N. Fulton Street, Wharton
- Reunión Pública de Planificación, el martes, 5 de junio de 2018, 6 p.m. a 8 p.m. – Sala de reuniones de la biblioteca Helen Hall, 100 W. Walker Street, League City
- Reunión Pública de Planificación, el miércoles, 6 de junio de 2018 - 10 a. m. a mediodía - Consejo del Área de Houston-Galveston, sala de conferencias A, segundo piso, 3555 Timmons Lane, Houston
- Reunión Pública de Planificación, jueves, 7 de junio, 5 p.m. a 7 p.m.- Liberty County Community Center, 318 San Jacinto, Liberty
- Audiencia Pública, jueves, 28 de junio de 2018 - 5 p.m. a 7 p.m. - Courtyard Marriott en Katy Mills, 25402 Katy Mills Parkway, Katy
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H-GAC proveerá recintos con instalaciones razonables para las personas que asistan a las funciones de H-GAC. Las solicitudes para personas que requieran arreglos especiales deben ser recibidas por el personal de H-GAC con 24 horas de antelación a la función. Las audiencias públicas se realizarán en inglés; sin embargo, habrá disponibles intérpretes de español, vietnamita e idioma de señas. Para más información, llame a Jeff Taebel al 713-993-4560..

El Borrador del Método de Distribución se publicará el jueves 21 de junio de 2018, a más tardar a las 4:00 p.m. [www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds](http://www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds). Durante todo el período de comentarios, se pondrá a disposición una copia impresa del borrador para su inspección pública y comentarios en el área de recepción de H-GAC en 3555 Timmons Lane, Suite 120, Houston, Texas 77027.

H-GAC aceptará comentarios por escrito a partir del jueves 21 de junio de 2018 hasta las 4:00 p.m. del viernes, 6 de julio de 2018. Los comentarios por escrito pueden enviarse en línea en [www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds](http://www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds); enviarse por correo a H-GAC, Attn: Taebel, Director of Community and Environmental Planning, Houston-Galveston Area Council, P.O. Box 22777, Houston, Texas 77227; o entregarse personalmente en H-GAC, 3555 Timmons Lane, Suite 120, Houston, Texas 77027. H-GAC

alienta al público a utilizar el formulario en línea o entregar los comentarios personalmente para asegurar la entrega de dichos comentarios al Estado.



May 21, 2018

Andrea Tantillo  
Houston-Galveston Area Council  
USA

Dear Andrea,

Thank you for allowing MasterWord Services, Inc. the opportunity to earn your business. The following is MasterWord's quote # 826413.

The following is a quote for translating the documents provided to us from English into Vietnamese and Spanish Latin American. Our estimate is based on the word count in the English original files.

**Scope of work:**

- **Translation** of the documents provided to us from English into Vietnamese and Spanish Latin American. Translation will be performed by native speakers, professional translators, with experience in the appropriate subject matter.
- **Editing** of the translated documents by professional editors/translators for consistency in terminology, meaning, and style.
- **Desktop Publishing/Formatting** of the translated documents (if requested). The translated files will be formatted to match the original layout unless otherwise requested by the client.
- **Proofreading** of the translated documents.
- **Development of the Translation Memory** (usually applicable for documents in source/native format) and Terminology (glossary) databases. Over time, as MasterWord translates more documents for Houston-Galveston Area Council using Translation Memory tool, the database will grow resulting into additional cost and time savings. The Translation Memory database is the property of Houston-Galveston Area Council. The use of this tool will also ensure terminology consistency across all future translated content. The applicable current savings for this translation project due to the use of the tool are shown in the Estimated Cost table on the next page.
- **Project Management** of the entire process.
- **24/7 Project Management** assistance and availability.
- **Supplying the electronic copy of the translation.** MasterWord will keep the electronic copy of the translations for a period of 3 years (unless otherwise requested by Company Name). Therefore, future revisions to these documents can be made without incurring the cost of retranslating the entire document.
- **Post-project assistance.** Should you have any questions regarding the translation or need to update the translated copy based on the changes in your original text, MasterWord is ready to provide our expert assistance around the clock (additional fees may apply).

**Turnaround time:**

The timeline for this project will be defined by Houston-Galveston Area Council. MasterWord has the resources to accommodate your turnaround.

Please note that in some cases rush fees may apply. Rush fees will be confirmed in writing with the client before they are incurred.

**Estimated cost (from English into Vietnamese and Spanish Latin American):**

Language Pair	Service	Unit	Rate	Quantity	Total
English - Spanish Latin American	Translation	Word(s)			
		% TM discount:			
		Unique:	0.16	402	\$64.32
		Leveraged:	0.056	0	\$0.00
<b>Sub-total</b>					<b>\$64.32</b>
English - Vietnamese	Translation	Word(s)			
		% TM discount:			
		Unique:	0.22	402	\$88.44
		Leveraged:	0.077	0	\$0.00
<b>Sub-total</b>					<b>\$88.44</b>
<b>Total</b>					<b>\$152.76</b>

**Please note for translation:**

1. The word count may differ from language to language. You will be billed based on the number of words in the original source document/file (source language) for all languages, except Asian languages, where the word count will be based on the number of words in the English documents/files (regardless source or target), or except for documents submitted for translation in hard copy or uneditable PDF format (where counting in source has to be manual) - the word count will be based on the word count in the final translated documents (target language).
2. The estimated repetition quoted above is for all documents. If the project scope changes (documents are revised or the number of documents changes), then the estimated repetition may change.
3. Desktop publishing will be quoted on a case by case basis. You will be billed based on the actual time spent for Desktop Publishing, however the total number of hours will not exceed the amount of hours quoted.
4. Desktop Publishing is optional. We can also simply number the text sections and provide the translation as a MS Word document to go with the document or drawing. This option would not include any DTP time.
5. Rush fees (50%) may apply in some cases (if a client requests that a specific job is done on a rush basis, over night, weekend or on a public holiday), and have to

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We at MasterWord appreciate the opportunity to assist Houston-Galveston Area Council with your language needs and look forward to working with you. Our goal is to help our clients by providing the most professional, cost-effective and convenient language support possible.

Please do not hesitate to call me if you have any questions at (281) 589-0810.

Sincerely,

Galina Ryabova  
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**To:** MasterWord Accounting; Chrystal McFarlen  
**Subject:** Merchant Email Receipt

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===== ORDER INFORMATION =====

Invoice : 826413

Description : payment for translation services Amount : 152.76 (USD) Payment Method: MasterCard xxxx9671

Transaction Type: Authorization and Capture

===== Line Items =====

===== RESULTS =====

Response : This transaction has been approved.

Auth Code : 031116

Transaction ID : 40722483633

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Customer ID :

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Last Name : Hall

Company : Houston-Galveston Area Council Address :

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State/Province :

Zip/Postal Code : 77227

Country :

Phone :

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E-Mail : andrea.tantillo@h-gac.com

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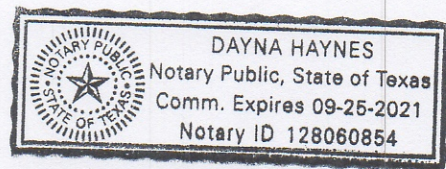
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**REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL**

The Anahuac Independent School District is accepting competitive sealed proposals for Property/Windstorm, Auto, and Liability Insurance coverage for the term July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019. Proposals will be accepted until 10:00 am, May 29, 2018. Sealed proposals should be marked "Anahuac ISD Insurance Proposal" and mailed to Rosie Womack, Business Manager, Anahuac ISD, 804 Mikhael Ricks Drive, P.O. Box 638, Anahuac, Texas 77514. To receive an underwriting specifications package, please contact Rosie Womack @ womackr@anahuacisd.net or 409-267-2003.

**No. 18CPR0027 IN THE ESTATE OF BRYAN L. HARTHCOCK DECEASED IN THE COUNTY COURT OF PROBATE CHAMBERS COUNTY, TEXAS**

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary

for the Estate of **Bryan L. Harthcock**, Deceased, were issued on May 15, 2018, in Cause No. 18CPR0027, pending in the County Court of Chambers County, Texas, to: **LINDA DARLENE WEISINGER**.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them to the undersigned within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

**LINDA DARLENE WEISINGER**  
465 WESTWOOD LOOP  
HEMPHILL, TEXAS 75948  
**LAW OFFICE OF GEORGIA L. CLAPPER**  
P.O. BOX 1074  
ANAHUAC, TEXAS 77514  
DATED the 15<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2018.

Respectfully submitted,  
**LAW OFFICE OF GEORGIA L. CLAPPER**  
GEORGIA L. CLAPPER  
State Bar No.: 04266500  
P.O. Box 1074 Anahuac, Texas 77514  
Telephone: (409) 267-6616  
Telecopier: (409) 267-3802  
e-mail: georgiacrapper@ymail.com

Attorney for the Estate of **BRYAN L. HARTHCOCK**

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
**Crystal Ann McDowell, DECEASED**

Notice is hereby given that original Letters of Independent Administration for the Estate of **Crystal Ann McDowell, a/k/a Crystal Seratte McDowell**, Deceased, were issued on May 15, 2018, under Docket No. 18CPR0024, pending in the County Court of Chambers County, Texas, to **Mandy M. Avalos**, Independent Administrator.

Claims may be presented in care of the attorney for the Estate addressed as follows:

**Mandy M. Avalos**  
Independent Administrator  
Estate of **Crystal Ann McDowell**, Deceased  
c/o Dick Dawson  
Attorney at Law  
501 Ward Rd.  
Baytown, Texas 77520  
(281) 427-1747

All persons having claims against this Estate, which is currently being administered, are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

Dated: May 15, 2018 By: **DICK DAWSON**, Attorney for Applicant

**LEGAL NOTICE**  
**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

Sealed bids addressed to the General Manager will be received at Trinity Bay Conservation District office at 2500 SH 124, P.O. Box 599, Stowell, Texas 77661 until **10:00 a.m. on June 12, 2018**, at which time they will be opened, read publicly and then reviewed for award consideration. The Board of Directors of the District will consider award of the successful bidder at the June 13, 2018 Board Meeting at 9:00 a.m. or at any Board meeting date thereafter. Bidders shall be responsible for holding their bid open for a period of sixty (60) days after June 13, 2018. Bids shall be submitted in sealed envelopes on the form provided. Sealed envelopes shall be clearly marked in the lower left corner with the words iROAD MATERIALS BID 0118. Bids received after the closing time stated will be returned unopened. The District reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive informalities in bidding. In case of ambiguities or lack of clearness in stating the prices in any bid, the District reserves the right to consider the most advantageous or reject the bid. The award will be

made to the responsible bidder submitting the most advantageous bid to the District and result in the best and most economical completion of the District's proposed project as provided for in \$49.273, Water Code.

**Solicitation for Public Comment**

Notice is hereby given that the Houston-Galveston Area Council (H-GAC) is seeking input on the draft method of distribution of \$241 million in Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Disaster Recovery funding to counties and local jurisdictions for only buyout/acquisition and infrastructure projects associated with Hurricane Harvey. The allocation includes \$111 million of recovery funds for a local buyout/acquisition program and \$130 million for local infrastructure projects in Austin, Brazoria, Chambers, Colorado, Fort Bend, Galveston, Liberty, Matagorda, Montgomery, Waller, Walker, and Wharton counties. Written and oral comments will be taken at three public planning meetings and two public hearings scheduled for the following dates, times and locations:

- Public Planning Meeting Monday, June 4, 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. - Wharton Civic Center, 1924 N. Fulton Street, Wharton

- Public Planning Meeting Tuesday, June 5, 2018 – 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. – Helen Hall Library Meeting Room, 100 W. Walker Street, League City

- Public Planning Meeting Wednesday, June 6, 2018 – 10 a.m. to noon – Houston-Galveston Area Council, Conference Room A, Second Floor, 3555 Timmons Lane, Houston

- Public Hearing Thursday, June 28, 2018 – 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. - Courtyard Marriott at Katy Mills, 25402 Katy Mills Parkway, Katy
- Public Hearing Friday, June 29, 2018 – 10 a.m. to noon – Hilton Homewood Suites, 3000 Interstate 45 North, Conroe

H-GAC will provide for reasonable accommodations for persons attending H-GAC functions. Requests for persons needing special accommodations should be received by H-GAC staff 24-hours prior to the function. The public hearings will be conducted in English, however, Spanish, Vietnamese, and sign language interpreters will be available. For more information, please call Jeff Taebel at 713-993-4560 for assistance.

The Draft Method of Distribution will be posted on Thursday, June 21, 2018, by 4:00 p.m. at www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds. A hard copy of the draft will be made available for public inspection and comment at the H-GAC reception area at 3555 Timmons Lane, Suite 120, Houston, Texas 77027 throughout the comment period.

H-GAC will accept written comments beginning Thursday, June 21, 2018, through 4:00 p.m. Friday, July 6, 2018. Written comments may be submitted online at www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds; mailed to H-GAC, Attn: Jeff Taebel, Director of Community and Environmental Planning, Houston-Galveston Area Council, P.O. Box 22777, Houston, Texas 77227; or hand delivered to H-GAC, 3555 Timmons Lane, Suite 120, Houston, Texas 77027. H-GAC encourages the public to use the online form or hand-deliver comments to ensure deliver of said comments to the State.

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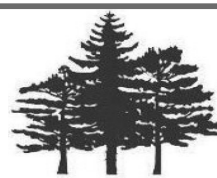
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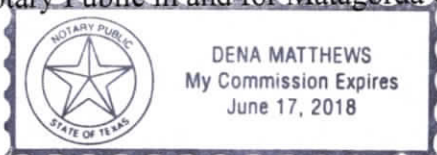
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**Estate of Mary Louise Huebner Frazier, Deceased c/o: KARI LUTRINGER Attorney at Law 101 West Burleson Street Wharton, Texas 77488**

DATED the 23rd day of May, 2018.

/s/Kari Lutringer/s/ KARI LUTRINGER Attorney for Karyle L. Chalfant State Bar No.: 24060849 101 West Burleson Street Wharton, Texas 77488 Telephone: (979) 532-3871 Facsimile: (979) 532-3508 E-mail: klutringer@wphk-law.com

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The envelope containing the bid shall be clearly marked: Bid for 2018 Brush Site Wood Chipping.

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**SOWING**

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prescription for teaching kids “to do this, and why.” Anderson reached out to Carrie Cole, a therapist at Gottman Institute, to find out how to go about having a good relationship with your partner and in turn mirroring it for your children. After compiling her research, Anderson came up with the following 7 important things to teach your kids:

**Teach them to “turn toward.”** We “bid for attention” with people we care about by doing things—starting conversations, for example—in the hope they’ll demonstrate interest and warmth. For example, you might tell your spouse or family member you learned something really cool today.

You hope that he or she will “turn toward” you by inquiring further with interest about your experience.

**Teach them to politely turn down bids for attention.** We can’t always be available to others bidding for our attention, but we can teach our kids how to refrain from “turning toward,” in a way that shows you still value your relationships. If your child is bidding for attention from you while you’re cooking dinner, simply explain that you’re not able to give them your full attention now, but you will be able to after dinner is prepared.

**Teach them to “be overwhelmed without freaking out.”** The goal here is to maintain control

of your emotions even when you’re not in control of a situation. Anderson writes, “Learning to be under stress without taking it out on your nearest and dearest is a valuable relationship skill.”

**Teach them to “make repairs.”** To put it simply, we all fall short. Everybody makes mistakes. The key thing you want to model for your kids is how to react when you’ve screwed up. Apologizing and making amends goes a long way with showing others you care about their needs.

**Teach them to appreciate others out loud.**

Learn to verbalize compliments and your gratitude. Anderson notes, “In small moments, catch someone doing something well or right.” Kids need to hear praise.

**Teach them that contempt is verboten.** We all get angry at the people we care about. However, the important thing is to show kids that it never overwhelms the underlying love.

**Teach them not to tell mean jokes.** Jokes are great; however, mean jokes are often thinly veiled vessels for contempt—and we’ve already seen that contempt is the sign of a dead relationship. Sarcastic remarks or jokes directed toward a loved one is a sign of a lack of emotional intelligence.

We may not realize the connection between our actions and our children’s own behavior but remember the idiom, “The apple doesn’t fall far from the tree.”

**TURTLES**

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new territories. In this area, I primarily see Red-eared Sliders and Box Turtles but there are many others. Turtles are particularly vulnerable to both collection and road kill because they are typically slow moving and non-aggressive. Watch out for those snapping turtles though. They definitely know how to be aggressive if they feel threatened.

Believe it or not, there is a proper and improper way to help a turtle across the road. I’ve always heard you can safely pick up a snapping turtle by its tail but this is untrue. You should never pick up a turtle this way because you can injure it. Small turtles can be picked up by putting one hand on each side of the shell behind the front legs. Try to keep the turtle low to the ground when moving it because if it pushes free from your hands you don’t want it to fall very far. Larger turtles and especially snapping turtles should not be picked up.

You can help them across the road by pushing them with a blunt object.

The final rule of helping turtles across the road is to always move the turtle in the direction it was going. If you turn it around, it will simply turn right back around and attempt to go across the road again after you are gone. Turtles are on a mission and they won’t take a hint from you about going back in the direction they came from. Also, although you may be tempted to relocate a turtle for its safety, this is not a good idea. Turtles have home ranges and if you move them somewhere else, they will attempt to return to the area they call home.

Turtles are slow to sexually mature, lay relatively few eggs, and mortality of eggs and hatchlings is usually pretty high. Add that to an ever increasingly fragmented habitat and you can see why turtle populations are in trouble. So next time you see a turtle in the road, give them a brake (yes I know I spelled that wrong – it’s a play on words!).

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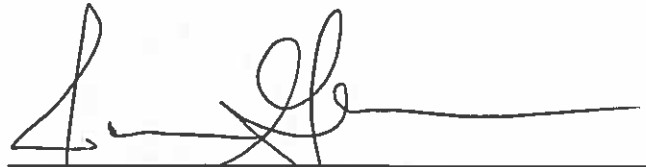
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**OWNER: Miguel Fernandez, Owner**

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO THE HEIRS AND UNKNOWN HEIRS OF **DU'JOUR RE'QUAN VANTERPOOL** PROBATE NO **PR38501**, COUNTY COURT, BRAZORIA COUNTY, TEXAS

**APPLICATION FOR DECLARATION OF HEIRSHIP AND FOR APPOINTMENT OF INDEPENDENT ADMINISTRATOR**

Said application will be heard and acted on by said court at 10:00 o'clock A.M. on the first Monday next after the expiration of ten days from date of publication of this citation, in County Court at Law #4 and Probate Court in the County Courthouse in Angleton, Texas.

All persons interested in said estate are hereby cited to appear before Honorable Court at said above mentioned time and place by filing a written answer contesting such application should they desire to do so.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of the law, and the mandate hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF SAID COURT at office in Angleton, Texas this the 16th day of March, 2018.

JOYCE HUDMAN, CLERK COUNTY COURT  
BRAZORIA COUNTY, TEXAS  
BY: J.Lindley DEPUTY

**ATTORNEY'S NAME, ADDRESS AND PHONE NUMBER**  
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Notice is hereby given that original Letters of Independent Administration for the Estate of MARY HELEN ADAMS, Deceased, were issued on May 4, 2018 in Cause Number PR38481 pending in County Court No. 4 of Brazoria County, Texas to Thomas Charles Adams, who was appointed Independent Administrator of the above estate.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and manner prescribed by law.

The post office address of the Estate to which claims should be submitted is:

ESTATE OF MARY HELEN ADAMS, DECEASED  
c/o: Michael B. Hughes, Attorney at Law  
P. O. Box 629  
Galveston, Texas 77553

Dated the \_\_\_ day of May, 2018.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

Cause No. PR38585

**NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF INDEPENDENT EXECUTRIX**

Notice is given that on May 11, 2018 Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of Harold Frederick Vosloh, Deceased, were issued to Kathy Ann Vosloh Freeman by the County Court at Law and Probate Court No. 3 of Brazoria County, Texas, in Cause No. PR38585, pending upon the Docket of said Court.

All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time prescribed by law in care of the Representative, Estate of Harold Frederick Vosloh, Deceased, to the mailing address of said Representative shown below.

Kathy Ann Vosloh Freeman,  
Independent Executrix  
Estate of Harold Frederick Vosloh,  
Deceased  
3206 Farmers Field  
Pearland, Texas 77581

May 14, 2018

J. Patrick Coulson  
Attorney at Law  
P. O. Box 262683  
Houston, Texas 77207-2683

**INVITATION TO BID**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Freeport, Texas, is interested in selling the following described land, according to the below mentioned specifications:

Portion of Groce Street right of way south of the southern boundary of Mystery Harbor Lane and the northern easement of the toe of the northern boundary of the Velasco Townsite levee, City of Freeport, Brazoria County, Texas.

SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS addressed to the City Manager labeled "Real Property Bid" by any person, firm or corporation desiring to buy the same will be received at the office of the City Manager located at 200 W. 2nd St., Freeport, Brazoria County, Texas 77541, during normal business hours until 2:00 o'clock, p.m., on the 4th day of June, 2018, on which day, beginning at 2:00 o'clock, p.m., all such bids or proposals will be opened and publicly read aloud and on such date presented to the City Council for review and awarding. Any bid received after 2:00 p.m. on such date will be returned unopened.

COPIES OF THE SPECIFICATIONS for such sale are available for public inspection at the above office of the City Manager during normal business hours. A set of such documents may be obtained from such office upon payment of the customary copy charge.

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BY ORDER OF THE CITY COUNCIL of the City of Freeport, Texas, this 7th day of May, 2018.

Ursula Reyes, City Secretary  
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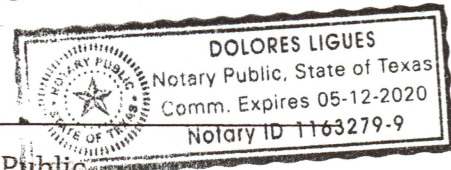
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All persons having claims against these Estates which are currently being administered are required to present them to the undersigned within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

Estates of William R. Jameson & Nancy Culver Jameson  
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DATED this the 2 1st day of May 2018.

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### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed proposals, plainly marked, addressed to the Commissioners' Court of Colorado County, Texas, will be received at the office of the County Judge, Colorado County Courthouse, 400 Spring Street, Room 107, at Columbus, Texas until 2:00 p.m., Wednesday, June 13, 2018, and then publicly opened and read in the County Judge's Office at Columbus, Texas for the following: Fuel for County Precincts, Sheriff's Department, EMS, and Robert R. Wells Jr. Airport. (Specifications to be obtained from the County Judge's Office (979)732-2604 or www.co.colorado.tx.us.) Bids may be awarded at the June 25, 2018 Commissioners' Court Meeting at the regular meeting place of said Court in the County Courtroom, Colorado County Courthouse, 400 Spring Street at Columbus, Texas.

Bidder will use unit pricing as per specifications. Payment will be made upon receipt of invoice after delivery and proper processing by Commissioners' Court.

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The Draft Method of Distribution will be posted on Thursday, June 21, 2018, by 4:00 p.m. at [www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds](http://www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds). A hard copy of the draft will be made available for public inspection and comment at the H-GAC reception area at 3555 Timmons Lane, Suite 120, Houston, Texas 77027 throughout the comment period.

H-GAC will accept written comments beginning Thursday, June 21, 2018, through 4:00 p.m. Friday, July 6, 2018. Written comments may be submitted online at [www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds](http://www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds); mailed to H-GAC, Attn: Jeff Taebel, Director of Community and Environmental Planning, Houston-Galveston Area Council, P.O. Box 22777, Houston, Texas 77227; or hand delivered to H-GAC, 3555 Timmons Lane, Suite 120, Houston, Texas 77027. H-GAC encourages the public to use the online form or hand-deliver comments to ensure deliver of said comments to the State.

### NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE IN TAX SUIT

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COUNTY OF COLORADO

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 25<sup>th</sup> Judicial District Court of Colorado County, Texas, on the 14th day of March, 2018, by the Clerk of said Court of said County, in a certain Cause No. 24795, and whereas, Ovation Services, L.L.C., Plaintiff, and Intervenor, Colorado County, Colorado County Groundwater Conservation District, Rice Consolidated Independent School District, and Rice Hospital District, recovered a judgment against Donald Siptak and Mildred Siptak, Defendants, for the amount of \$41,036.27 (Forty-One Thousand Thirty-Six Dollars and Twenty-Seven Cents), plus penalties and interest that continue to accrue until the date of the Sheriff's Sale, and placed in my hands for service, I, on the 8th day of May, 2018, did seize certain real estate, situated in Colorado County, Texas, described as the following property, to wit:

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and seized as the property of said Donald Siptak and Mildred Siptak, Defendants, and that on the first Tuesday of June, 2018, the same being the 5th day of said month, at the inside South entrance door of the Courthouse of Colorado County, in the City of Columbus, Texas, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock a.m. and 4:00 o'clock p.m., by virtue of said seizure and said Order of Sale, I will offer for sale and sell at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest, in and to said property.

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R. H. WIED, SHERIFF  
COLORADO COUNTY

BY: (s) Carol Richter  
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## STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF Montgomery

Personally appeared before the undersigned, a Notary Public within and for said County and State. Krystal Blanton, Representative for Corey Turner, Director of the Conroe Courier, a newspaper of general circulation in the County of Montgomery State of Texas. Who being duly sworn, states under oath that the report of Legal Notices, a true copy of which is hereto annexed was published in said newspaper(s) in its issue(s) to the

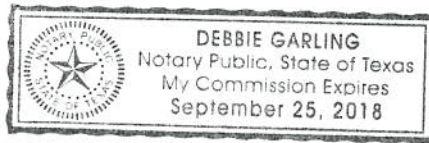
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Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Shelly Ilene Schiebel Taft, Deceased, were issued on May 10, 2018, in Cause No. 18-36366-P, pending in the County Court at Law No. TWO, Montgomery County, Texas, to: Melanie Norman. All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them to the undersigned within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

c/o: **Melanie Norman**  
28930 Savannah Dr.  
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DATED the 18th day of May, 2018.

/s/ David A. Munson

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Notice is hereby given that original Letters of Administration for the Estate of James Messer, Deceased, were issued on April 19, 2018, in Cause No. 18-36350-P, pending in the County Court at Law No. 2, Montgomery County, Texas, to: Jason Broc Messer. All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them to the undersigned within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

c/o: **Jason Broc Messer**  
185 Greenbriar Dr.  
Magnolia, Texas 77355

DATED the 18th day of May, 2018.

/s/ David A. Munson

David A. Munson  
Attorney for Jason Broc Messer  
State Bar No.: 24032768  
David A. Munson, PC  
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The Woodlands, TX 77380  
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#### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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c/o: **OSCAR SOMMERS**  
ATTORNEY AT LAW PLLC  
414 W. Phillips, Suite 101  
Conroe, Texas 77301

DATED the 21st day of May, 2018.

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#### INVITATION TO BID

Sealed bids, in duplicate, for "Installation of Gen-Set and ATS at Water Plant, LEI Job No. 233-042, Contract No. 1," addressed to the President and Board of Directors of Far Hills Utility District, will be received at the office of the Engineer, Langford Engineering, Inc., 1080 West Sam Houston Parkway North, Suite 200, Houston, Texas 77043-5014 until 11:00 a.m. on June 7, 2018, and then publicly opened and read in the conference room, at 11:00 a.m. on June 7, 2018.

Work under this contract, located at 10320 Cude Cemetery Road Willis, TX 77318 includes, but is not limited to the following: Furnishing and installing a 450 kW Emergency Generator, including fuel tank and walk platform, installation of ATS and minor concrete construction.

Plans, Specifications, and Bidding Documents may be secured from: The office of Langford Engineering, Inc., 1080 West Sam Houston Parkway North, Suite 200, Houston, Texas 77043, on deposit of Thirty Dollars (\$30.00) per set. Contract Documents can be downloaded for free from ([www.CivCastUSA.com](http://www.CivCastUSA.com)).

In conformance with applicable statutes, the general prevailing wage rates in the locality in which the work is to be performed have been ascertained, and such rates shall be the minimum paid for labor employed upon this project. In addition, the successful Bidder must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of race, color, religion, sex, age, or national origin.

The OWNER reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive informalities in bidding. In case of ambiguity or lack of clearness in stating the prices in any bid, the OWNER reserves the right to consider the most advantageous construction thereof, or to reject the bid. The award will be made to the responsible bidder submitting the lowest acceptable bid.

A mandatory Prebid Conference will be held in the Conference Room at Langford Engineering, Inc., 1080 West Sam Houston Parkway North, Suite 200, Houston, Texas 77043-5014 at 10:00 a.m. on May 31, 2018.

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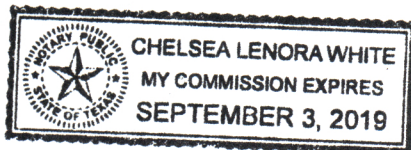
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*Karen Carter Richards*

Publisher

Subscribed and sworn before me this 13 day of July 20 18.



*Chelsea Lenora White*

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women who are changing the landscape of politics across the country.

According to a recent report by the Higher Heights Leadership Fund and the Center for American Women and Politics titled "The Chisholm Effect: Black Women in American Politics 2018," Black women only make up 3.6 percent of the U.S. Congress and less than one percent of statewide elected executive officials. Only 38 other Black women have served in Congress since Shirley Chisholm's groundbreaking victory in 1968 when she became the first Black woman elected to the U.S. Congress.

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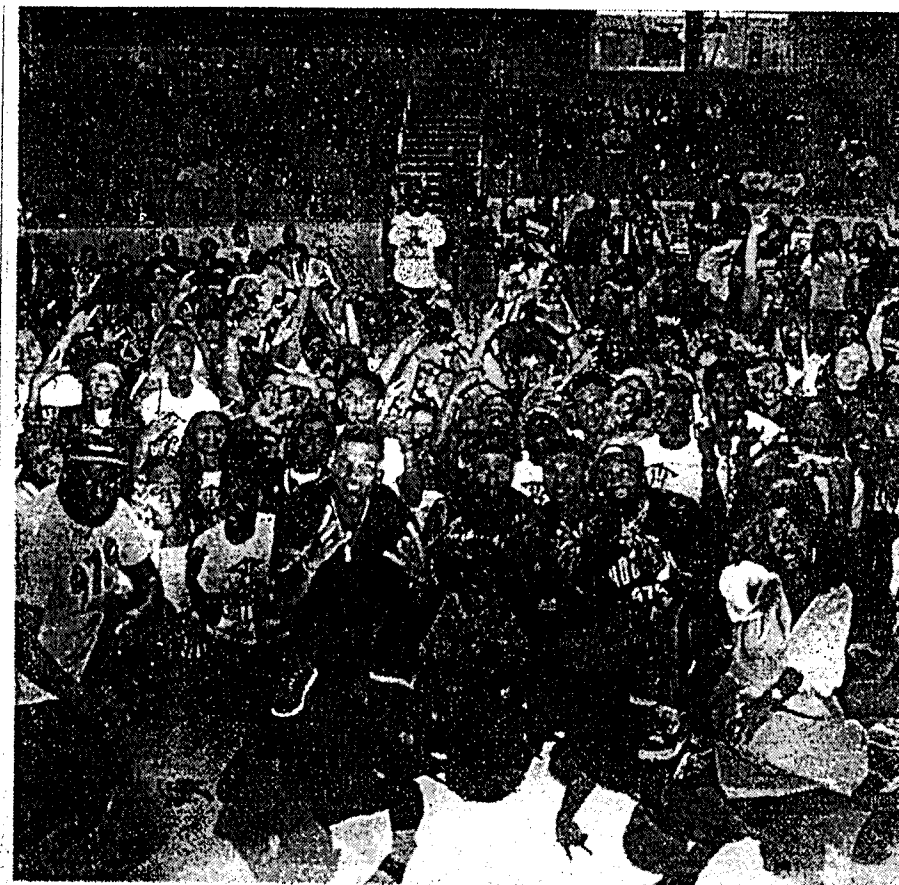
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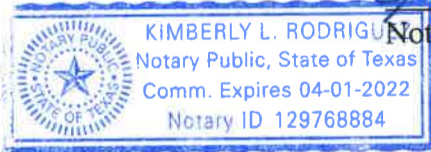
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Publisher

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- X a) is personally known to me, or
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on this the 24 day of May, A.D. 2018 to certify which witness my hand and seal of office.



[Signature] Notary Public, State of Texas



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Donna Rhoades, being duly sworn, says:

That she is Donna Rhoades of the The Galveston County Daily News, a daily newspaper of general circulation, printed and published in Galveston, Galveston County, TX; that the publication, a copy of which is attached hereto, was published in the said newspaper on the following dates:  
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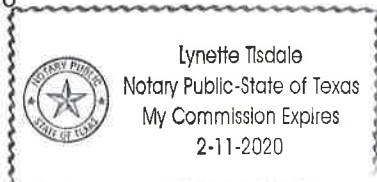


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Kristina Kollaja  
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Before me, the undersigned notary public, on this day personally appeared  
Lina Martinez, who being by me duly sworn, deposes  
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and says that (s)he is the Act. Manager of the  
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Informacion; that said newspaper is  
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*(same county as proposed facility)*

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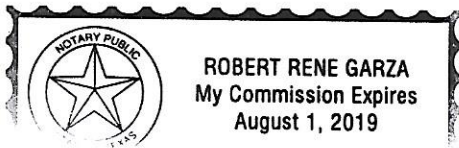
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(Seal)

Robert Garza  
Notary Public in and for the State of Texas

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My Commission Expires August 1st 2019



## Solicitud de Comentarios del Público

Se da aviso que el Consejo del Área de Houston-Galveston (H-GAC) está solicitando sugerencias sobre el método de distribución de \$ 241 millones en fondos del programa de Subvención Global para el Desarrollo Comunitario (CDBG o "Community Development Block Grant") para la Recuperación de Desastres a condados y jurisdicciones locales para usarse exclusivamente en proyectos de compras/adquisiciones y de infraestructura asociados con el huracán Harvey. La asignación incluye \$ 111 millones de fondos de recuperación para un programa de compras/adquisiciones locales y \$ 130 millones para proyectos locales de infraestructura en los condados de Austin, Brazoria, Chambers, Colorado, Fort Bend, Galveston, Liberty, Matagorda, Montgomery, Waller, Walker y Wharton. Se tomarán comentarios orales y escritos en cuatro reuniones de planificación pública y dos audiencias públicas programadas para las siguientes fechas, horarios y lugares:

- Reunión Pública de Planificación, el lunes, 4 de junio, 2 p.m. a 4 p.m.- Wharton Civic Center, 1924 N. Fulton Street, Wharton
- Reunión Pública de Planificación, el martes, 5 de junio de 2018, 6 p.m. a 8 p.m. - Sala de reuniones de la biblioteca Helen Hall, 100 W. Walker Street, League City
- Reunión Pública de Planificación, el miércoles, 6 de junio de 2018 - 10 a. m. a mediodía - Consejo del Área de Houston-Galveston, sala de conferencias A, segundo piso, 3555 Timmons Lane, Houston
- Reunión Pública de Planificación, jueves, 7 de junio, 5 p.m. a 7 p.m.- Liberty County Community Center, 318 San Jacinto, Liberty
- Audiencia Pública, jueves, 28 de junio de 2018 - 5 p.m. a 7 p.m. - Courtyard Marriott en Katy Mills, 25402 Katy Mills Parkway, Katy
- Audiencia Pública, viernes, 29 de junio de 2018 - 10 a. m. a mediodía - Hilton Homewood Suites, 3000 Interstate 45 North, Conroe

H-GAC proveerá recintos con instalaciones razonables para las personas que asistan a las funciones de H-GAC. Las solicitudes para personas que requieran arreglos especiales deben ser recibidas por el personal de H-GAC con 24 horas de antelación a la función. Las audiencias públicas se realizarán en inglés; sin embargo, habrá disponibles intérpretes de español, vietnamita e idioma de señas. Para más información, llame a Jeff Taebel al 713-993-4560..

El Borrador del Método de Distribución se publicará el jueves 21 de junio de 2018, a más tardar a las 4:00 p.m. [www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds](http://www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds). Durante todo el período de comentarios, se pondrá a disposición una copia impresa del borrador para su inspección pública y comentarios en el área de recepción de H-GAC en 3555 Timmons Lane, Suite 120, Houston, Texas 77027.

H-GAC aceptará comentarios por escrito a partir del jueves 21 de junio de 2018 hasta las 4:00 p.m. del viernes, 6 de julio de 2018. Los comentarios por escrito pueden enviarse en línea en [www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds](http://www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds); enviarse por correo a H-GAC, Attn: Taebel, Director of Community and Environmental Planning, Houston-Galveston Area Council, P.O. Box 22777, Houston, Texas 77227; o entregarse personalmente en H-GAC, 3555 Timmons Lane, Suite 120, Houston, Texas 77027. H-GAC alienta al público a utilizar el formulario en línea o entregar los comentarios personalmente para asegurar la entrega de dichos comentarios al Estado.

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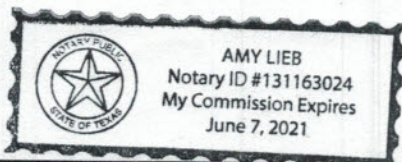
THE STATE OF TEXAS  
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**BEFORE ME**, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared ,  
Karen Lopez known to me, who, being duly  
sworn, upon his/her oath deposes and says that: her/she is the authorized  
agent of *The Sealy News* newspaper of general circulation being published  
in Austin County; and that said newspaper has been continuously and  
regularly published in the said county for more than one year; that a copy of  
the foregoing was published in said newspaper, such publication being on  
the following dates: 5/31/18 - HGAC Block Grant  
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Signed:

Karen Lopez  
Authorized Agent

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me this 1 day of  
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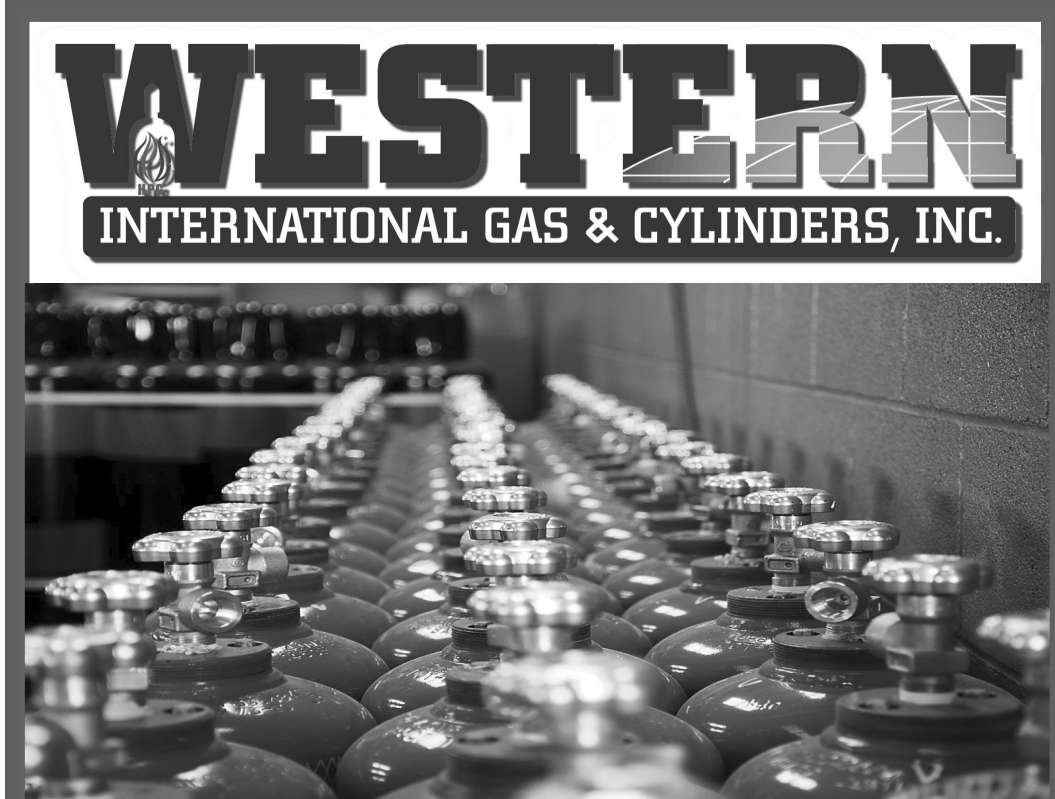


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**Public Notice**  
 I, Dayl Cooksey, City Secretary for the City of Sealy, Texas, certify that the second reading of the following ordinance was approved by the City Council of the City of Sealy, Texas at a regular City Council meeting held on Tuesday, May 22, 2018.  
**ORDINANCE NO. 2018-08**  
**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF SEALY, TEXAS, BY ADDING ADDITIONAL LOCATIONS FOR PLACEMENT OF TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES TO SECTION 98-44 OF ARTICLE II OF CHAPTER 98; BY AMENDING PARAGRAPH (b) STOP SIGN ON 2ND STREET AT DANIEL STREET; AMENDING PARAGRAPH (c) YIELD SIGNS TO REMOVE YIELD SIGN ON 2nd STREET AT DANIEL STREET; REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES OR PARTS OF ORDINANCES INCONSISTENT OR IN CONFLICT HEREWITH; AND PROVIDING SEVERABILITY.**

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**LEGAL NOTICE:**  
 This Texas Lottery Commission scratch ticket game will close on June 7, 2018. You have until December 4, 2018, to redeem any tickets for this game: **#2003 Veterans Cash** (\$2) overall odds are 1 in 4.41. This Texas Lottery Commission scratch ticket game will close on June 18, 2018. You have until December 15, 2018, to redeem any tickets for this game: **#1870 Ultimate Millions** (\$50) overall odds are 1 in 3.16. This Texas Lottery Commission scratch ticket game will close on June 23, 2018. You have until December 20, 2018, to redeem any tickets for this game: **#1897 Texas Lottery® Black** (\$10) overall odds are 1 in 3.30. These Texas Lottery Commission scratch ticket games will close on July 25, 2018. You have until January 21, 2019, to redeem any tickets for these games: **#1879 Money Time** (\$2) overall odds are 1 in 4.72, **#1794 \$5 Set for Life** (\$5) overall odds are 1 in 3.80, **#2023 Dazzling Dollars X9** (\$5) overall odds are 1 in 4.02, **#1891 Strike It Rich** (\$5) overall odds are 1 in 3.95, **#2010 \$500 Frenzy** (\$5) overall odds are 1 in 3.89, **#1853 Money** (\$20) overall odds are 1 in 3.05. The odds listed here are the overall odds of winning any prize in a game, including break-even prizes. Lottery retailers are authorized to redeem prizes of up to and including \$599. Prizes of \$600 or more must be claimed in person at a lottery claim center or by mail, with a completed Texas Lottery® claim form; however, annuity prizes or prizes over \$2,500,000 must be claimed in person at the Commission Headquarters in Austin. Call Customer Service at 800-375-6886 or visit the lottery website at [txlottery.org](http://txlottery.org) for more information and location of nearest claim center. The Texas Lottery is not responsible for lost or stolen tickets, or for tickets lost in the mail. Tickets, transactions, players and winners are subject to, and players and winners agree to abide by, all applicable laws, Commission rules, regulations, policies, directives, instructions, conditions, procedures and final decisions of the Executive Director. A scratch ticket game may continue to be sold even when all the top prizes have been claimed. Must be 18 years of age or older to purchase a Texas Lottery ticket. The Texas Lottery supports Texas education and veterans. PLAY RESPONSIBLY. For help with a gambling problem, [ncpgambling.org](http://ncpgambling.org). © 2018 Texas Lottery Commission. All rights reserved.

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**City's Water Meets Federal Standards**  
 The City of Sealy's drinking water is once again in compliance with federal requirements regulated by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. The news comes after the City of Sealy released its 2017 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report. The report summarizes the quality of drinking water provided by the city to its customers.  
 Sealy's drinking water comes from the Evangeline Aquifer and the latest analysis was made using the data from the most recent U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) required tests. The released information is meant to help residents to become more knowledgeable about what is in their drinking water.  
 Residents wanting a copy of the drinking water quality report can stop by Sealy City Hall, located at 415 Main Street for a copy, or the direct link to the report is available at <http://www.ci.sealy.tx.us/upload/page/0001/docs/CCR2017.pdf>  
 The direct link information can also be found on the current Utility bill mailed on May 25, 2018.  
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Help wanted- All positions: cooks, maintenance, and cashiers. Apply in-person at Kathy's Korner. 9027 S.E. I-10 Frontage Rd, Sealy. 979-987-6077  
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# Affidavit of Publication

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COUNTY OF WALKER }

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*William Hamilton*  
, being duly sworn, says:

That he is Newspaper Representative of the The Huntsville Item, a daily newspaper of general circulation, printed and published in Huntsville, Walker County, Texas; that the publication, a copy of which is attached hereto, was published in the said newspaper on the following dates:

May 23, 2018

That said newspaper was regularly issued and circulated on those dates.

SIGNED:

*W. Hamilton*

Newspaper Representative

Subscribed to and sworn to me this 23rd day of May 2018.

*Cheryl H. Bell*

Cheryl H. Bell, Notary Public, Walker County, Texas

My commission expires: December 04, 2021

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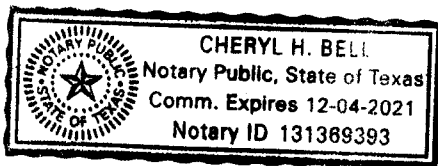
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*Hon. Galv.*



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STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF WALLER

Houston-Galveston Area Council  
Legal Notice  
Solicitation for Public Comment

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Stephen Johnson, who being by me duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the Publisher of The Waller Times; that said newspaper is regularly published in Waller, Texas and generally circulated in Waller County; that the attached notice was published in said newspaper on the following date(s):

May 30, 2018

*Stephen Johnson*

(Newspaper Representative's Signature)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 30<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2018.

*Diane M. Fritzsching*  
Notary Public Signature

Diane M Fritzsching  
Print Name of Notary Public

Commission Expires July 25, 2018





**Affidavit of Publication**

**STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF HARRIS**

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Khanh Vu, who being by me duly sworn, deposes and says that she is the Advertising Manager of Vietnam Moi News, Inc. this said newspaper publishing in Houston, Texas, Harris County.

An **Advertisement for the Houston-Galveston Area Council** was published in the said newspaper in the following date to witness:

May 30th, 2018 Issue #2454 Invoice #18825

Newspaper Representative: Khanh Vu *Khanh Vu*

Subscribed and sworn before me this 25 day of May of 2018,  
to certify which witness my hand and seal of office.

Notary Public in and for the States of Texas  
My commission expires: 12/10/2018

Name: *Xun Wang Chuang*

Sign: *Xun W. Chuang*



## Mời Công Chúng Nhận Xét Góp Ý

Theo đây xin thông báo Hội Đồng Khu Vực Houston-Galveston (H-GAC) muốn có ý kiến đóng góp về đề án phân bổ 241 triệu Mỹ kim trong ngân quỹ Khắc Phục Thảm Họa của chương trình Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) cho các quận và địa hạt địa phương, dành riêng cho các dự án hạ tầng và mua/mua lại những căn nhà bị ngập lụt liên quan đến cơn bão Harvey. Kế hoạch phân bổ bao gồm ngân quỹ trị giá 111 triệu Mỹ kim cho một chương trình mua/mua lại những căn nhà bị ngập lụt ở địa phương và 130 triệu Mỹ kim cho các dự án cơ sở hạ tầng địa phương ở các quận Austin, Brazoria, Chambers, Colorado, Fort Bend, Galveston, Liberty, Matagorda, Montgomery, Waller, Walker, Wharton. Chúng tôi sẽ tổ chức ba buổi họp hoạch định công khai và hai buổi điều trần công khai vào các ngày giờ và địa điểm sau đây để tiếp nhận ý kiến nhận xét bằng miệng và trên văn bản.

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- Buổi Điều Trần Công Khai vào thứ Sáu, ngày 29 tháng Sáu, 2018 - 10 a.m. đến trưa - Hilton Homewood Suites, 3000 Interstate 45 North, Conroe

H-GAC sẽ cung cấp phương tiện trợ giúp đặc biệt hợp lý cho những người tham gia các sự kiện của H-GAC. Nếu cần phương tiện trợ giúp đặc biệt, vui lòng gửi yêu cầu cho nhân viên H-GAC 24 giờ trước khi sự kiện diễn ra. Các buổi điều trần công khai sẽ được tiến hành bằng tiếng Anh, tuy nhiên, sẽ có thông dịch viên cho tiếng Tây ban nha, tiếng Việt, và ngôn ngữ ký hiệu. Để biết thêm thông tin, vui lòng gọi ông Jeff Taebel tại số 713-993-4560 để được giúp đỡ.

Đề Án Phân Bổ Ngân Quỹ sẽ được đăng trên website [www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds](http://www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds) trễ nhất là 4 giờ chiều thứ Năm, ngày 21 tháng Sáu, 2018. Chúng tôi sẽ cung cấp một bản sao trên giấy của đề án này để công chúng xem xét và góp ý ở khu vực tiếp tân của H-GAC tại 3555 Timmons Lane, Suite 120, Houston, Texas 77027 trong toàn bộ thời gian tiếp nhận ý kiến nhận xét.

H-GAC sẽ tiếp nhận ý kiến nhận xét trên văn bản bắt đầu từ thứ Năm, ngày 21 tháng Sáu, 2018 đến hết 4 giờ chiều ngày thứ Sáu, 6 tháng Bảy, 2018. Quý vị cũng có thể gửi thư nhận xét trên mạng trực tuyến tại [www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds](http://www.h-gac.com/harvey/cdbg-disaster-funds); hoặc gửi qua thư bưu điện tới cho H-GAC, Attn: Jeff Taebel, Director of Community and Environmental Planning, Houston-Galveston Area Council, P.O. Box 22777, Houston, Texas 77227; hoặc đưa tận tay cho H-GAC, 3555 Timmons Lane, Suite 120, Houston, Texas 77027. H-GAC khuyến khích công chúng sử dụng mẫu điển trên mạng trực tuyến hoặc tới đưa tận tay để bảo đảm Tiểu Bang nhận được các nhận xét góp ý của quý vị.

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BEFORE ME, THE UNDERSIGNED NOTARY, Jennifer Gray,  
ON THIS May 25, 2018, PERSONALLY APPEARED  
Kim Marlow, KNOWN TO ME TO BE A CREDIBLE PERSON AND OF  
LAWFUL AGE, WHO BEING BY ME FIRST DULY SWORN, ON HIS/HER OATH, DEPOSES  
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Thursday May 24, 2-5pm, Fri-Sat May 25/26 2-5pm 603 Lloyd St, Baytown 77521. 146S to Garth Rd, right on Garth, right on Lloyd. Furniture, books, kitchen items, linens, costume jewelry, clothes, tools. See pics/map at www.EstateSalesby-Lenora.com

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2018, and issued pursuant to a judgment decree(s) of the County Court at Law No. 1 of Galveston County, Texas, out of Suit No. CV0059309; Premier Capital, LLC et al vs. Dany R. Mire, Individually and d/b/a Mira Shrimp Wholesale et al, by the Clerk of said Court, on March 21, 2018, to me directed and delivered, and as Sheriff of said County, I have on the 26th day of March, 2018, seized, levied upon, and will on the first Tuesday in June, 2018, the same being the 5th day of said month, at the Courthouse door of said County, in the City of Liberty, Texas, beginning no earlier than 10:00a.m., on said day and concluding within 3 hours of said beginning time, within legal hours of 10:00a.m. and 4:00p.m. as prescribed by law, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Liberty, and the State of Texas, to-wit

**THE SURFACE ESTATE ONLY** in and to Lot Thirty-Two (32), Block 2, of WOODWAY III, a subdivision in the Joseph Dugat League, Abstract 175, Liberty County, Texas, according to a map or plat thereof recorded in

the United States. If you or your spouse is serving on active military duty, including active duty as a member of the State National Guard or as a member of a reserve component of the armed forces of the United States, please send written notice of the active duty military service to the sender of this notice immediately."

At the time the sale begins, all bidders at the sale must be registered with the Officer who conducts the sale.

Dated at Liberty, Texas, this the 3rd day of May, 2018.

Booby Pader, Sheriff  
Cpt. James Ott  
Liberty County, TX  
Deputy #61

Application has been made with the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission for Beer and Wine for a Beer and Wine Permit Late Hours Permit by Richard K Gashaw dba Salty's to be located at 1409 Hwy 90 liberty tax 77575, Liberty County Texas. Owner of said corporation is Richard K Gashaw, owner.

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promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs. If this citation is not served within ninety (90) days after day of issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court at Liberty, Texas, on the 15th day of May, 2018.

Paulette Williams,  
County Clerk  
Liberty County, Texas

By Shelbeigh Drake,  
Deputy

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
Cause No. P13421

On the 30th day of April, 2018, Letters of Administration upon the Estate of Jonathan Wayne Herring, Deceased, were issued to Brenda Sue Herring, Independent Administrator, by the County Court of Liberty County, Texas in cause number P13421, pending upon the docket of said Court. All persons having claims against said Estate are hereby required to present them within the time prescribed by law at the addresses shown below. The names and addresses where claims may be sent are:  
Zbranek Firm, P.C.  
P. O. Box 2050  
1937 Trinity Street  
Liberty, Texas 77575  
Tel: (936) 336-6454  
Fax: (936) 336-6039  
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State Bar No.

present them to the undersigned within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.  
c/o: Dan Bayless  
Attorney at Law  
106 W. Houston St.  
Cleveland, Texas 77327

Dated the 15th day of May, 2018.  
Dan Bayless  
Attorney for Carol Nowak  
State Bar No. 24003263  
106 W. Houston St.  
Cleveland, Texas 77327  
Telephone: (281) 592-6400  
Facsimile: (281) 592-6413  
E-mail: baylesslaw@att.net

**CAUSE NO. P13468 ESTATE OF RAYMOND A. POSEY, DECEASED, IN THE COUNTY COURT OF LIBERTY COUNTY, TEXAS.**

Notice to Creditors Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of RAYMOND A. POSEY, Deceased, were issued on April 23, 2018, in Cause No. P13468, pending in County Court, Liberty County, Texas, to: ROBERTA JEWEL POSEY  
c/o Cohn & Lambert  
P.O. Box 490  
Cleveland, Texas 77328

All persons having claims against this Estate, which is currently being administered, are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law. All persons having claims should address them in care

Engineers, 1704 Seamist Drive, Suite 410, Houston, Harris County, Texas 77008; and (ii) 8753 South Highway 146, Dayton, Liberty County, Texas 77535. All of said meeting places are declared

On May 15, 2018, Entergy INTENT AND APPLICATION filed its Application with the municipal authority over the Company's electric utility service. In the Application, ETI designed to collect a total of \$117 million per year, which compared to adjusted tax revenues. This proposal of 116%. ETI's proposed Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of \$201.7 million of unprofit over a period of two years during that period, after would be 12.92% of \$117 million. The Application is base requests inclusion in rate April 1, 2013 through the to include capital additions. In addition to approval capital additions closed includes the following requests: approval of a Federal Revenue and Cost through, subject to with certain purchase transmission costs. System Operator, Inc costs. amortization over the million for expenses. approval of a regulated unrecovered capital Facility; approval of a request through ETI's Distribution Factor; approval of a Rate approximately \$3.4 million. Company will incur in the appeal related to these matters. Company's service to approval of other tax

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State #20, Houston, Texas 77027. H-GAC encourages the public to use the online form or hand-deliver comments to ensure deliver of said comments to the State.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS**

TO: UNKNOWN HEIRS OF JO ANN PAUL, DECEASED

**GREETING:** You are hereby commanded to appear before the County Court of Liberty County, Texas, at the Courthouse of said County in the City of Liberty, Liberty County, Texas, at or before 10:00 a.m. of the first Monday after the expiration often days from the date of publication of this citation by filing a written answer to an application filed in said Court on the 14th day of May, 2018, in Cause No. P13492, styled, **IN THE ESTATE OF JO ANN PAUL, DECEASED**

A brief statement of the nature of the Application is as follows, to-wit: **"APPLICATION FOR DETERMINATION OF HEIRSHIP AND FOR ISSUANCE OF LETTERS OF INDEPENDENT ADMINISTRATION"** as is more fully shown by the application on file in this cause.

The officer executing this process shall

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

Cause No. P13458 On the 14th day of May, 2018, Letters of Administration upon the Estate of Jackie Kay Hauke, Deceased, were issued to Kenneth Wayne Rushing, Independent Administrator, by the County Court of Liberty County, Texas in cause number P13458, pending upon the docket of said Court. All persons having claims against said Estate are hereby required to present them within the time prescribed by law at the addresses shown below. The names and addresses where claims may be sent are: Zbranek Firm, PC, P.O. Box 2050, 1937 Trinity Street, Liberty, Texas 77575 Tel: (936) 336-8454 Fax: (936) 336-6039 Zeb D. Zbranek State Bar No. 22253200

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Ruth Ella Ardon Thibodeaux, Deceased, were issued on May 7, 2018, in Cause No. P13475, pending in the County Court of Liberty, Texas, to: Carol Nowak.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to

at the office located above. DATED the 20th day of April, 2018. **MOLLIE C. LAMBERT COHN & LAMBERT** P.O. Box 490 Cleveland, Texas 77328 Telephone: 281-592-5243 Facsimile: 281-592-5244 **ATTORNEYS FOR THE EXECUTOR**

**NOTICE OF DESIGNATION OF OFFICE AND MEETING PLACES OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS OUTSIDE THE DISTRICT TO THE RESIDENTS AND TAXPAYERS OF RIVER BANCH MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT NO. 8 AND TO ALL OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS:**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the board of directors ("Board") of River Ranch Municipal Utility District No. 3 (hereinafter called "District"), at a meeting of said Board held on May 14, 2018, established an office and meeting places of said Board outside the boundaries of the District at 2727 Allen Parkway, Suite 1100, Houston, Harris County, Texas 77019. The District also established meeting places of said Board outside the boundaries of the District at (i) the Offices of Gray Enterprises, 707 Memorial Drive, Baytown, Harris County, Texas 77520, (ii) the Offices of Landev

approval or requested waivers to certain commission rules. To the extent a proposed new rider or schedule is not approved as a separate rider or schedule, ETI proposes to recover such costs through its base rates.

**Effect on Customer Classes**

The rate change proposed in the Application will affect all customers and classes of customers receiving retail electric service from ETI. The following table shows the effect of the proposed base rate and tariff changes on existing rate classes, including with and without the effects of the TCJA Rider:

Rate Class	Number of Customers at Test Year End	Change in Total Revenues Without TCJA Rider Effects	Change in Non-Fuel Revenues*	Change in Total Revenues**
Residential	990,217	13.67%	2.05%	1.51%
Small General	35,060	17.51%	6.03%	4.48%
General	19,612	10.36%	(1.05%)	(0.69%)
Large General	394	14.29%	2.65%	1.49%
Large Industrial Power	108	12.95%	4.88%	1.95%
Competitive Generation	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Lighting	1,042	6.12%	(750%)	(6.28)%
Total Retail	446,433	12.92%	1.84%	1.16%

\* Includes the effects of changes to base rates and ongoing and new riders. \*\* Includes fuel revenues as well as the effects of changes to base and ongoing and new riders.

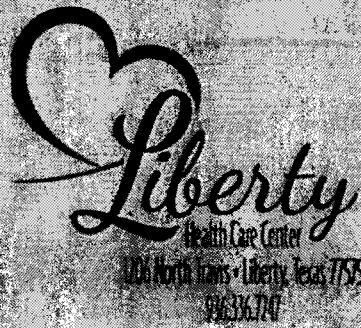
The Application proposes an effective date for this rate change of 35 days after the date of this filing. Accordingly, the proposed effective date is June 19, 2018. The proposed effective date is subject to suspension and extension by actions of the Commission or other regulatory authorities.

**Contact Information**

Persons seeking information on this Application may contact ETI at Entergy Texas, Inc., Attn: Customer Service - 2018 Rate Case, 350 Pine Street, Beaumont, Texas 77701, visit <http://www.enterytexas.com/ratereview>, or call 1-800-368-3749 (once you hear "Welcome to Entergy," select 1, then 5, then 6, then 2, and then 2) during normal business hours. A complete copy of this Application, including the Rate Filing Package, is available for inspection at the address listed above.

Persons who wish to intervene in or comment upon these proceedings should notify the Public Utility Commission of Texas (commission) as soon as possible, as an intervention deadline will be imposed. A request to intervene or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 13326, Austin, Texas 78711-3326. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission at (512) 936-7120 or (888) 782-8477. Hearing- and speech-impaired individuals with text telephones (TTY) may contact the Commission at (512) 936-7136. The deadline for intervention in this proceeding is 45 days after the date the Application was filed with the Commission. Accordingly, the intervention deadline is June 29, 2018. All communications should refer to Docket No. 46371.

Other changes that may occur during that period include, for example, those related to ETI's securitization riders, Energy Efficiency Cost Recovery Factor ("EECRF"), Distribution Cost Recovery Factor ("DCRF"), and Transmission Cost Recovery Factor ("TCRF").



Liberty Health Care Center  
100 North Travis • Liberty, Texas 77535  
936.336.7147

Liberty Health Care Center is currently taking applications for Dietary Cook, C.N.A and Hospitality Aide. Come join a winning team. Please come in and apply @ 1206 North Travis St. Liberty, Texas 77535 or call for more information @ 936-336-7247.





# PUBLISHER'S AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF TEXAS           §  
COUNTY OF WHARTON   §

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Bill Wallace, the publisher of the *Wharton Journal-Spectator*, a newspaper having general circulation in Wharton County, Texas, who being by me duly sworn, deposes and says that the foregoing attached notice was published on: May 26, 2017.

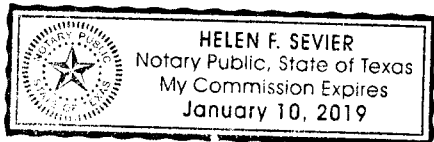


Bill Wallace, publisher

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 8th of June, 2018, to certify which witness my hand and seal of office.



Helen F. Sevier  
Notary Public, State of Texas



H-GAC  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT  
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## CITY OF WHARTON

### REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

The City of Wharton will accept proposals for the following:

#### PLAN REVIEW, INSPECTION SERVICES, BACKFLOW, AND GREASE MANAGEMENT

Copies of specifications and proposals documents may be obtained from the City Secretary at City Hall, 120 East Caney Street, Wharton, Texas.

All proposals should be submitted in a sealed envelope marked **"DO NOT OPEN – PLAN REVIEW, INSPECTION SERVICES, BACKFLOW, AND GREASE MANAGEMENT."**

Proposals will be received at the office of the City Secretary until Monday, June 11, 2018 at 2:00 P.M. at which time all proposals will be opened and publicly read aloud. Any proposals received after that time will be returned unopened. The City Council will consider awarding a contract at the Regular City Council meeting.

The City reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, to waive any irregularities or informalities or both in any proposals, and to make an award in any manner, consistent with the law and deemed to be in the best interest of the City.

No bidder may withdraw its proposals within forty-five (45) days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

City of Wharton, Texas

By: /s/ Paula Favors  
Paula Favors  
City Secretary

The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the M/6 and M/7 Formation, Broussard J.E. Lease, Well Number 15. The proposed injection well is located 3 Miles SW of Withers, Texas in the Magnet Withers Field, in Wharton County.

Fluid will be injected into the strata in the subsurface depth interval from 4500 to 4650 feet.

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Texas Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Capital Station, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512-463-6792).



**Wharton County  
Junior College**

### NOTICE OF SURPLUS AUCTION

Wharton County Junior College is seeking buyers for several lots of surplus equipment and furniture. The College will accept Auction bids on-line for a variety of items such as desks, chairs, tables, & other items. All bids will become final on Monday, June 18, 2018 at 5:00pm, or the stated time listed for each item.

Interested parties should click on the Public Surplus link provided on the WCJC home page. It is: <https://www.publicsurplus.com/wcjc.tx> Items may be viewed and bids placed on-line there. The WCJC Home page is at [WWW.WCJC.EDU](http://WWW.WCJC.EDU).

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This notice was published in the Wharton Journal-Spectator on May 26, 2018 and June 2, 2018.

### **NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR FLUID INJECTION WELL PERMIT**

Apache Corporation, 2000 Post Oak Blvd., Suite 100, Houston, Texas 77056 is applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to inject fluid into a formation which is productive of oil and gas.

from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Capital Station, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512-463-6792).



**Wharton County  
Junior College**

### **NOTICE OF SURPLUS AUCTION**

Wharton County Junior College is seeking buyers for several lots of surplus equipment and furniture. The College will accept Auction bids on-line for a variety of items such as desks, chairs, tables, & other items. All bids will become final on Monday, June 18, 2018 at 5:00pm, or the stated time listed for each item.

Interested parties should click on the Public Surplus link provided on the WCJC home page. It is: <https://www.publicsurplus.com/wcjc.tx>. Items may be viewed and bids placed on-line there. The WCJC Home page is at [WWW.WCJC.EDU](http://WWW.WCJC.EDU).

Bidders must register prior to submitting bids for items. Interested parties can register at the Wharton County Junior College website listed above. Upon completion of the application, a bid number & password will be assigned and on-line bids can be placed. Questions regarding the registration process should be directed to the Facility Director's office at 979-532-6358.

The Board of Trustees reserves the right to reject any and all bids and waive any and all formalities and conditions. The College also may retain all bids received for 30 days prior to taking any action and bidders shall not withdraw their bids at any time thereafter.

WCJC is an equal opportunity employer.

## **Interpretation Services for Public Planning Meetings and Public Hearings**



**Invoice**  
**Invoice Number:**  
 97845  
**Invoice Date:**  
 July 9, 2018

**Houston-Galveston Area Council**  
 Attention: Jessica Byerly, PCED  
 3555 Timmons Ln  
 Houston, TX 77027

Customer PO	Payment Terms	Due Date	Project Code
PO# 18-EN-484	Net 30 days	8/8/2018	N/A

For services provided:

Description	MWS Job ID	Quantity	Unit	Unit Price	Amount
Request Date: 05/24/2018 Assignment Date: 6/4/2018 2:00:00 PM Request type: Scheduled Requested by: Mary Tronnes Address: 1924 N. Fulton Street, Wharton, TX S-Spanish Latin American I-Interpretation C (Consecutive)					
	827361	2	Hour(s)	\$85.97	\$171.94
Mileage	827361	119	Mile(s)	\$0.55	\$64.86
Request Date: 06/01/2018 Assignment Date: 6/4/2018 2:00:00 PM Request type: Scheduled Requested by: Mary Tronnes Address: 1924 N. Fulton Street, Wharton Vietnamese I-Interpretation C (Consecutive)					
	829345	2	Hour(s)	\$85.97	\$171.94
Mileage	829345	100	Mile(s)	\$0.55	\$54.50
Request Date: 06/01/2018 Assignment Date: 6/4/2018 2:00:00 PM Request type: Scheduled Requested by: Mary Tronnes Address: 1924 N. Fulton Street, Wharton American Sign Language Administrative Fee					
	829346	3	Hour(s)	\$79.04	\$237.12
American Sign Language Interpretation S (Simultaneous)	829346	4	Hour(s)	\$79.04	\$316.16
Request Date: 06/01/2018 Assignment Date: 6/5/2018 6:00:00 PM					

Request type: After Hours/Holiday					
Requested by: Mary Tronnes					
Address: 100 W. Walker Street, League City					
American Sign Language Administrative Fee	829347	3	Fixed Fee	\$108.68	\$326.04
American Sign Language Interpretation S (Simultaneous)	829347	4	Hour(s)	\$108.68	\$434.72
Request Date: 06/01/2018					
Assignment Date: 6/5/2018 6:00:00 PM					
Request type: After Hours/Holiday					
Requested by: Mary Tronnes					
Address: 100 W. Walker Street, League City					
S-Spanish Latin American I-Interpretation C (Consecutive)	829351	2	Hour(s)	\$128.96	\$257.92
Request Date: 06/01/2018					
Assignment Date: 6/5/2018 6:00:00 PM					
Request type: After Hours/Holiday					
Requested by: Mary Tronnes					
Address: 100 W. Walker Street, League City					
Vietnamese I-Interpretation C (Consecutive)	829352	2	Hour(s)	\$128.96	\$257.92
Mileage	829352	80	Mile(s)	\$0.55	\$43.60
Request Date: 06/01/2018					
Assignment Date: 6/6/2018 10:00:00 AM					
Request type: Scheduled					
Requested by: Mary Tronnes					
Address: 3555 Timmons Ln Houston, TX 77027					
American Sign Language Administrative Fee	829353	3	Fixed Fee	\$79.04	\$237.12
American Sign Language Interpretation S (Simultaneous)	829353	4	Hour(s)	\$79.04	\$316.16
Request Date: 06/01/2018					
Assignment Date: 6/6/2018 10:00:00 AM					
Request type: Scheduled					
Requested by: Mary Tronnes					
Address: 3555 Timmons Ln Houston, TX 77027					
S-Spanish Latin American I-Interpretation C (Consecutive)	829354	2	Hour(s)	\$85.97	\$171.94
Request Date: 06/01/2018					
Assignment Date: 6/6/2018 10:00:00 AM					
Request type: Scheduled					
Requested by: Mary Tronnes					
Address: 3555 Timmons Ln Houston, TX 77027					
Vietnamese I-Interpretation C (Consecutive)	829355	2	Hour(s)	\$85.97	\$171.94

Request Date: 06/01/2018 Assignment Date: 6/7/2018 5:00:00 PM Request type: After Hours/Holiday Requested by: Mary Tronnes Address: 318 San Jacinto Street, Liberty, TX 77575 Vietnamese I-Interpretation C (Consecutive)	829356	2	Hour(s)	\$128.96	\$257.92
Mileage	829356	110	Mile(s)	\$0.55	\$59.95
Request Date: 06/01/2018 Assignment Date: 6/7/2018 5:00:00 PM Request type: After Hours/Holiday Requested by: Mary Tronnes Address: 318 San Jacinto Street, Liberty, TX 77575 S-Spanish Latin American I-Interpretation C (Consecutive)	829357	2	Hour(s)	\$128.96	\$257.92
Mileage	829357	106	Mile(s)	\$0.55	\$57.77
Request Date: 06/01/2018 Assignment Date: 6/7/2018 5:00:00 PM Request type: Scheduled Requested by: Mary Tronnes Address: 318 San Jacinto Street, Liberty, TX 77575 American Sign Language Administrative Fee	829358	3	Fixed Fee	\$108.68	\$326.04
American Sign Language Interpretation S (Simultaneous)	829358	4	Hour(s)	\$108.68	\$434.72
Request Date: 06/01/2018 Assignment Date: 6/28/2018 5:00:00 PM Request type: Scheduled Requested by: Mary Tronnes Address: 25402 Katy Mills Parkway, Katy, TX 77494 American Sign Language Administrative Fee	829359	1.5	Fixed Fee	\$80.51	\$120.77
American Sign Language Administrative Fee	829359	1.5	Fixed Fee	\$80.51	\$120.77
American Sign Language I-Interpretation C (Consecutive)	829359	2	Hour(s)	\$80.51	\$161.02
American Sign Language I-Interpretation C (Consecutive)	829359	2	Hour(s)	\$80.51	\$161.02
Request Date: 06/01/2018 Assignment Date: 6/28/2018 5:00:00 PM Request type: After Hours/Holiday Requested by: Mary Tronnes Address: 25402 Katy Mills Parkway, Katy, TX 77494 S-Spanish Latin American I-Interpretation C (Consecutive)	829360	2	Hour(s)	\$105.65	\$211.30
Request Date: 06/01/2018 Assignment Date: 6/28/2018 5:00:00 PM					

Request type: After Hours/Holiday					
Requested by: Mary Tronnes					
Address: 25402 Katy Mills Parkway, Katy, TX 77494					
Vietnamese I-Interpretation C (Consecutive)	829361	2	Hour(s)	\$105.65	\$211.30
Vietnamese Mileage	829361	40	Mile(s)	\$0.55	\$21.80
Request Date: 06/01/2018					
Assignment Date: 6/29/2018 10:00:00 AM					
Request type: Scheduled					
Requested by: Mary Tronnes					
Address: 3000 Interstate 45 North, Conroe TX					
Vietnamese I-Interpretation C (Consecutive)	829378	2	Hour(s)	\$88.25	\$176.50
Mileage	829378	110	Hour(s)	\$0.55	\$59.95
Request Date: 06/01/2018					
Assignment Date: 6/29/2018 10:00:00 AM					
Request type: Scheduled					
Requested by: Mary Tronnes					
Address: 3000 Interstate 45 North, Conroe TX					
S-Spanish Latin American I-Interpretation C (Consecutive)	829379	2	Hour(s)	\$88.25	\$176.50
Mileage	829379	101	Mile(s)	\$0.55	\$55.05
Request Date: 06/01/2018					
Assignment Date: 6/29/2018 10:00:00 AM					
Request type: Scheduled					
Requested by: Mary Tronnes					
Address: 3000 Interstate 45 North, Conroe TX					
American Sign Language Administrative Fee	829380	1.5	Fixed Fee	\$80.51	\$120.77
American Sign Language Interpretation S (Simultaneous)	829380	2	Hour(s)	\$80.51	\$161.02
American Sign Language Interpretation S (Simultaneous)	829380	2	Hour(s)	\$80.51	\$161.02

**Total Amount Due**

**\$6,546.99**

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**Public Participation Plan Database – 8-30-18**

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Public Participation Plan Database - County Elected Officials

TITLE	NAME	SUFFIX	POSITION	ENTITY	EMAIL
Hon.	Tim Lapham		County Judge	Austin County	
Hon.	Reese Turner		Commissioner, Precinct 1	Austin County	
Hon.	Robert Rinn		Commissioner, Precinct 2	Austin County	
Hon.	Randy Reichardt		Commissioner, Precinct 3	Austin County	
Hon.	Douglas W. King		Commissioner, Precinct 4	Austin County	
Hon.	Matt Sebesta	Jr.	County Judge	Brazoria County	
Hon.	David Linder		County Commissioner, Precinct 4	Brazoria County	
Hon.	Stacy L. Adams		Commissioner, Precinct 3	Brazoria County	
Hon.	Ryan Cade	Jr.	Commissioner, Precinct 2	Brazoria County	
Hon.	Donald Payne		Commissioner, Precinct 1	Brazoria County	
Hon.	Jimmy Sylvia	Jr.	County Judge	Chambers County	
Hon.	Gary R. Nelson		Commissioner, Precinct 3	Chambers County	
Hon.	Rusty Senac		Commissioner, Precinct 4	Chambers County	
Hon.	Jimmy E. Gore		Commissioner, Precinct 1	Chambers County	
Hon.	Lary G. George		Commissioner, Precinct 2	Chambers County	
Hon.	Ty Prause		County Judge	Colorado County	
Hon.	Doug Wessels		Commissioner, Precinct 1	Colorado County	
Hon.	Tommy Hahn		Commissioner, Precinct 3	Colorado County	
Hon.	Darrell Kubesch		Commissioner, Precinct 2	Colorado County	
Hon.	Darrell Gertson		Commissioner, Precinct 4	Colorado County	
Hon.	Robert E. Hebert		County Judge	Fort Bend County	
Hon.	J. Grady Prestage		Commissioner, Precinct 2	Fort Bend County	
Hon.	Vincent Morales, Jr.		Commissioner, Precinct 1	Fort Bend County	
Hon.	James Patterson		Commissioner, Precinct 4	Fort Bend County	
Hon.	Andy Meyers		Commissioner, Precinct 3	Fort Bend County	
Hon.	Mark Henry		County Judge	Galveston County	
Hon.	Ryan Dennard		Commissioner, Precinct 1	Galveston County	
Hon.	Joseph Giusti		Commissioner, Precinct 2	Galveston County	
Hon.	Stephen Holmes		Commissioner, Precinct 3	Galveston County	
Hon.	Kenneth Clark		Commissioner, Precinct 4	Galveston County	
Hon.	Jay Knight		County Judge	Liberty County	
Hon.	Leon Wilson		Commissioner, Precinct 4	Liberty County	
Hon.	Eddie Lowery		Commissioner, Precinct 3	Liberty County	
Hon.	Bruce Karbowski		Commissioner, Precinct 1	Liberty County	
Hon.	Greg Arthur		Commissioner, Precinct 2	Liberty County	
Hon.	Nate McDonald		County Judge	Matagorda County	
Hon.	Dan Pustka		Commissioner, Precinct 1	Matagorda County	
Hon.	James A. G bson		Commissioner, Precinct 3	Matagorda County	
Hon.	Kent Pollard		Commissioner, Precinct 2	Matagorda County	
Hon.	Charles Frick		Commissioner, Precinct 4	Matagorda County	
Hon.	Craig Doyal		County Judge	Montgomery County	
Hon.	James Noack		Commissioner, Precinct 3	Montgomery County	
Hon.	Charlie Riley		County Commissioner, Precinct 2	Montgomery County	

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TITLE	NAME	SUFFIX	POSITION	ENTITY	EMAIL
Hon.	Jim Clark		Commissioner, Precinct 4	Montgomery County	
Hon.	Mike Meador		Commissioner, Precinct 1	Montgomery County	
Hon.	Robert D. Pierce		County Judge	Waller County	
Hon.	Ronnie White		Commissioner, Precinct 2	Waller County	
Hon.	Bill Daugette		Commissioner, Precinct 3	Waller County	
Hon.	Jimmy Henry		Commissioner, Precinct 4	Waller County	
Hon.	Danny Kuykendall		Commissioner, Precinct 1	Waller County	
Hon.	Trey Duhon	III	County Judge	Waller County	
Hon.	Russell Klecka		Commissioner, Precinct 2	Waller County	
Hon.	Justin Beckendorff		Commissioner, Precinct 4	Waller County	
Hon.	John A. Amsler		County Commissioner	Waller County	
Hon.	Jeron Barnett		Commissioner, Precinct 3	Waller County	
Hon.	Phillip S. Spenrath		County Judge	Wharton County	
Hon.	Richard Zahn		Commissioner, Precinct 1	Wharton County	
Hon.	Steven Goetsch		Commissioner, Precinct 3	Wharton County	
Hon.	Doug Mathews		Commissioner, Precinct 4	Wharton County	
Hon.	Chris King		Commissioner, Precinct 2	Wharton County	

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Title	Contact	Suffix	Organization	City	Email Address
County Engineer	Matt Hanks	JD, PE	Brazoria County	Angleton	
County Engineer	Robert L. Hall, PE	PE	Chambers County	Anahuac	
County Engineer	Kirk Lowe		Colorado County	Columbus	
County Engineer	Richard Stolleis	PE	Fort Bend County	Richmond	
First Assistant County Engineer	Rick J. Staigle		Fort Bend County	Richmond	
County Engineer	G. Michael Fitzgerald	PE	Galveston County	Galveston	
County Engineer	Michael Shannon	PE	Galveston County	Galveston	
County Engineer	Louis W. Bergman	III, PE	Liberty County	Liberty	
County Engineer	Mark J. Mooney	PE	Montgomery County	Conroe	
County Engineer	Jerry Nemec		Walker County	Huntsville	
County Engineer	Vacant		Waller County	Hempstead	
County Engineer	Yancy Scott	PE, CFM	Waller County	Hempstead	

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Entity	Designation	First	Last	Title	Email
Austin County	Primary	Ray	Chislett	EMC	
Brazoria County	Primary	Randy	Rhyne	Captain	
Brazoria County	Alternate	Glenn	Lamont	Assistant EMC	
Chambers County	Primary	Roy	Turner	EMC	
Chambers County	Alternate	Don	Dickens	Deputy EMC	
Colorado County	Primary	Chuck	Rogers	EMC	
Colorado County	Alternate	Chad	Girndt	Deputy EMC	
Fort Bend County	Primary	Jeff	Braun	EMC	
Fort Bend County	Alternate	Douglas	Barnes	Deputy EMC	
Galveston County	Primary	Garret	Foskit	EMC	
Galveston County	Alternate	Alyssa	Young	F/A Coord	
Galveston County	Alternate	Rick	Flanagan	EMC	
Liberty County	Primary	Thomas	Branch	EMC	
Liberty County	Alternate	Crista	Beasley	Assistant EMC	
Matagorda County	Primary	Doug	Matthes	EMC	
Montgomery County	Primary	Darren	Hess	Deputy EMC	
Montgomery County	Alternate	Randy	McDaniel	EMC	
Walker County	Primary	Butch	Davis	EMC	
Walker County	Alternate	Sherri	Pegoda	Deputy EMC	
Waller County	Primary	Brian	Cantrell	Captain	
Waller County	Alternate	Justin	Beckendorff	Commissioner Pct. 4	
Wharton County	Primary	Stephen	Johnson	Sergeant	

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Prefix	Contact	Suffix	Title	Organization	EmailAddress
Hon.	Bobby Byars		Mayor	Town of San Felipe	
Hon.	Charles A. Kalkomey		Mayor	City of Brazos Country	
Hon.	Janice Whitehead		Mayor	City of Sealy	
Hon.	Joe Ed Lynn		Mayor	City of Bellville	
Hon.	Mable Meyers		Mayor	City of Industry	
Hon.	Sandra Vrablec		Councilmember, Position 3	City of Sealy	
Hon.	John Hinze		Councilmember, Position 6	City of Sealy	
Hon.	James Harrison		Alderman, Position 3	City of Bellville	
Hon.	Justin Huebner		Alderman	City of Industry	
Hon.	Brenda Newsome		Alderwoman	Town of San Felipe	
Hon.	Randal Beckley		Aldersperson	City of Brazos Country	
Hon.	Sharon Smith		Aldersperson	City of Brazos Country	
Hon.	Gary Craig		Aldersperson	City of Brazos Country	
Hon.	Bob Wadsworth		Aldersperson	City of Brazos Country	
Hon.	Robert Ray		Aldersperson	City of Brazos Country	
Hon.	Bernadette Parr		Alderwoman	City of Wallis	
Hon.	Jeff Zeigler		Alderman	Town of San Felipe	
Hon.	Derrick Dabney		Alderman	Town of San Felipe	
Hon.	Garth Griffith		Alderman	City of Industry	
Hon.	Charlie Tallerine		Alderman	City of Industry	
Hon.	Clark Main	Jr.	Alderman	City of Wallis	
Hon.	Belinda Halfin		Alderwoman	City of Wallis	
Hon.	Douglas D. Lottridge		Alderman, Position 5	City of Bellville	
Hon.	James King		Alderman	City of Wallis	
Hon.	Alfred Hall		Mayor Pro Tem	Town of San Felipe	
Hon.	Louis Bonner	Jr.	Alderman	Town of San Felipe	
Hon.	Wayne Browning		Alderman, Position 1	City of Bellville	
Hon.	Michael Rudloff		Alderman	City of Industry	
Hon.	Chris Noack		Councilmember, Position 2	City of Sealy	
Hon.	Jennifer Sullivan		Councilmember, Position 4	City of Sealy	
Hon.	Larry Koy		Councilmember, Position 5	City of Sealy	
Hon.	Felix Galvan	Jr.	Alderman	City of Wallis	
Hon.	John Moore		Alderman, Position 2	City of Bellville	
Hon.	Clay Kistler		Alderman, Position 4	City of Bellville	
Hon.	Anthonette Short		Alderwoman	City of Industry	
Hon.	Dee Anne Lerma		Councilmember, Place 1	City of Sealy	
Hon.	Bill Strickland		Mayor	City of Liverpool	
Hon.	Calvin Shiflet		Mayor	City of Clute	
Hon.	Troy Brimage		Mayor	City of Freeport	
Hon.	Raymond Cantu		Mayor	Village of Bonney	
Hon.	Larry Davison		Mayor	Village of Surfside Beach	
Hon.	Paul Horn		Mayor	City of Alvin	
Hon.	Tom Wilson		Mayor	City of Hillcrest Village	
Hon.	Richard Stone		Mayor	City of Danbury	
Hon.	Norman C. Schroeder		Mayor	Town of Holiday Lakes	

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Prefix	Contact	Suffix	Title	Organization	EmailAddress
Hon.	Tom Reid		Mayor	City of Pearland	
Hon.	Gordon Schlemmer		Mayor	Village of Jones Creek	
Hon.	Clifford Louis Guidry		Mayor	City of Oyster Creek	
Hon.	Stephen Alongis		Mayor	Town of Quintana	
Hon.	Michael Holton		Mayor	City of Iowa Colony	
Hon.	Bobby Jo Newell		Mayor	City of Brazoria	
Hon.	Laurie B. Kincannon		Mayor	City of West Columbia	
Hon.	Dale Lemon		Mayor	City of Sweeny	
Hon.	Craig Bailey		Mayor	City of Brookside Village	
Hon.	Mark Guthrie		Mayor	City of Richwood	
Hon.	Joe Rinehart		Mayor	City of Lake Jackson	
Hon.	Debra Davison		Mayor	City of Manvel	
Hon.	Jason A. Perez		Mayor	City of Angleton	
Hon.	Curt Mowery		Mayor	City of Sandy Point	
Hon.	Donald Flynn		Councilmember	City of Brookside Village	
Hon.	Charley Tindol		Alderman, Place 2	City of West Columbia	
Hon.	Brian Brooks		Councilman, Position 3	City of Sweeny	
Hon.	Glenn Jordan		Alderman	Village of Jones Creek	
Hon.	Susan Cottrell		Councilwoman, Position 1	City of Iowa Colony	
Hon.	Tony Carbone		Councilmember, Position 1	City of Pearland	
Hon.	Keith Ordeneaux		Councilmember, Position 4	City of Pearland	
Hon.	Judith McElya		Aldersperson	Village of Bailey's Prairie	
Hon.	Lonnie Carr	Jr.	Alderman, Position 3	City of Oyster Creek	
Hon.	Chris Hardison		Councilman, Position 5	City of Richwood	
Hon.	Will Brooks		Councilmember, Position 2	City of Lake Jackson	
Hon.	Marissa McMinn		Alderwoman	Village of Surfside Beach	
Hon.	Wesley Rolan		Councilman, Position 3	City of Angleton	
Hon.	Frances Vaughn		Councilwoman, Ward E	City of Clute	
Hon.	Travis Quinn		Councilman, Ward D	City of Clute	
Hon.	Greg Thomas		Councilmember	City of Brookside Village	
Hon.	Mike Chilcote		Alderman	Village of Jones Creek	
Hon.	Disa Schulze		Alderwoman, Position 5/Mayor Pro-Tem	Town of Holiday Lakes	
Hon.	Cody Vasut		Councilman, Position 5	City of Angleton	
Hon.	Sue Mercado-Powell		Alderwoman	City of Danbury	
Hon.	Ric Bogue		Alderman	City of Liverpool	
Hon.	Craig Kartye		Alderman	City of Liverpool	
Hon.	Sandra Blaine		Councilwoman, Position 1	City of Sweeny	
Hon.	Gabe Adame		Councilmember, District E	City of Alvin	
Hon.	Johnny B. Phelps		Alderman, Position 3	Town of Holiday Lakes	
Hon.	George Phillips		Alderman / Mayor Pro-Tem	City of Danbury	
Hon.	Rocky Thomas		Alderman	Village of Jones Creek	
Hon.	Terry Jeffers		Alderman	Village of Jones Creek	
Hon.	Timothy Scott		Councilmember, Position 5	City of Lake Jackson	
Hon.	Matthew Broaddus		Councilmember, Position 1	City of Lake Jackson	
Hon.	Jason A bert		Council Member, Place 5	City of Manvel	

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Hon.	Marie Middleton		Alderwoman	City of Liverpool	
Hon.	Jana Largent		Councilmember	City of Brookside Village	
Hon.	Hardwick Bieri		Councilman, Position 1	City of Angleton	
Hon.	John Patsuek		Alderman, Position 4	Town of Holiday Lakes	
Hon.	Jack Taylor		Alderman	Village of Jones Creek	
Hon.	Susan Swanner Parker		Councilwoman, Position 5	City of Brazoria	
Hon.	J. David Little		Councilmember, Position 5	City of Pearland	
Hon.	Sarah Reed		Councilwoman, Position 3	City of Richwood	
Hon.	Gary Moore		Councilmember, Position 3	City of Pearland	
Hon.	Vacant		Aldersperson, Position 5	Village of Bonney	
Hon.	Michelle Powless	III	Aldersperson/Mayor Pro-Tem	Village of Bailey's Prairie	
Hon.	Robert Thomas		Alderman, Place 1	City of West Columbia	
Hon.	Chuck Pate		Councilman, Ward C	City of Clute	
Hon.	Adam Arendell		Councilmember, District B	City of Alvin	
Hon.	Nicole Mireles		Councilmember, Ward C	City of Freeport	
Hon.	Troy McMinn		Alderman/Mayor Pro Tem	Village of Surfside Beach	
Hon.	Debbie Alongis		Alderman, Position 5	Town of Quintana	
Hon.	Jamie Walker		Alderman, Place 4/Mayor Pro Tem	City of West Columbia	
Hon.	Roger Shugart		Councilman, Position 4	City of Brazoria	
Hon.	Brad Richards	III	Councilmember-At-Large, Position 1	City of Alvin	
Hon.	Keith Thompson		Councilmember, District C	City of Alvin	
Hon.	Jennifer Winans		Aldersperson, Position 4	Village of Bonney	
Hon.	Glenda Hundl		Councilmember	City of Brookside Village	
Hon.	Bill Turnipseed		Alderman	City of Danbury	
Hon.	Delores Peters		Alderwoman	City of Liverpool	
Hon.	Roy Maynor		Alderman, Place 3	City of West Columbia	
Hon.	Brooks Bass		Councilmember, Ward B	City of Freeport	
Hon.	Earnest Byrd		Councilmember	City of Brookside Village	
Hon.	Scott Reed		Councilmember, District A	City of Alvin	
Hon.	Jo Mapel		Mayor	Village of Bailey's Prairie	
Hon.	Adrian Gaspar		Council Member, Place 1	City of Manvel	
Hon.	Justin Mills		Alderman, Position 1/Mayor Pro Tem	City of Oyster Creek	
Hon.	Lauren LaCount		Councilwoman, Position 4	City of Richwood	
Hon.	Melissa Sifuentes		Council Member, Place 4	City of Manvel	
Hon.	Roy Yates		Councilmember, Ward D	City of Freeport	
Hon.	Dietrich von Biedenfeld		Alderman, Place 5	City of West Columbia	
Hon.	Kay Roe		Councilwoman, Position 4	City of Sweeny	
Hon.	Larry L. McDonald		Councilmember, Ward A	City of Freeport	
Hon.	Mark Patterson		Aldersperson	City of Hillcrest Village	
Hon.	Stephen Alongis		Mayor	Town of Quintana	
Hon.	Michael Holton		Mayor	City of Iowa Colony	
Hon.	Gail Logsdon		Councilwoman, Position 2	City of Brazoria	
Hon.	Gary Kersh		Councilman, Position 3	City of Brazoria	
Hon.	Glenn Starkey		Councilmember, District D	City of Alvin	
Hon.	Williams Tigner		Councilman, Position 2	City of Angleton	



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Hon.	Darrell Raska		Alderman, Position 5	City of Oyster Creek	
Hon.	Ramiro Mondragon		Aldersperson	City of Hillcrest Village	
Hon.	Terrell Franzen		Aldersperson	City of Hillcrest Village	
Hon.	John (J.T.) Trevino		Alderman, Position 1	Town of Holiday Lakes	
Hon.	Dale Lemon		Mayor	City of Sweeny	
Hon.	Brian Wilmer		Council Member, Place 3	City of Manvel	
Hon.	Bevelria Doyle		Aldersperson, Position 2	Village of Bonney	
Hon.	Vacant		Councilman, Position 1	City of Richwood	
Hon.	Manuel Cantu	Jr.	Aldersperson, Position 3	Village of Bonney	
Hon.	Donald Oakes		Councilman, Ward B	City of Clute	
Hon.	Stephanie M. Cribbs		Councilwoman, Position 1	City of Brazoria	
Hon.	Chris Sanger		Councilmember-At-Large, Position 2	City of Alvin	
Hon.	Joe Rinehart		Mayor	City of Lake Jackson	
Hon.	Tim Pettigrew		Councilman, Position 5	City of Sweeny	
Hon.	Harold Vandergriff		Alderman, Position 4	City of Oyster Creek	
Hon.	R.L. Buster Buell		Councilmember, Position 4	City of Lake Jackson	
Hon.	Tony Gonzalez	Jr.	Aldersperson, Position 1	Village of Bonney	
Hon.	Bonnie McDaniel		City Council (Mayor pro tem)	City of Angleton	
Hon.	Jerome Hudson		Council Member, Place 6	City of Manvel	
Hon.	Gerald Roznovsky		Councilmember, Position 3/Mayor Pro Tem	City of Lake Jackson	
Hon.	Jeff Farley		Councilman, Position 2	City of Sweeny	
Hon.	Glenn Sanco		Council Member	City of Arcola	
Hon.	Kacy Smajstrla		Councilwoman, Position 4	City of Iowa Colony	
Hon.	Robin Bradbery		Councilwoman, Position 3	City of Iowa Colony	
Hon.	Michael Byrum-Bratsen		Councilman, Position 2	City of Iowa Colony	
Hon.	Chad Wilsey		Councilman, Position 5	City of Iowa Colony	
Hon.	Nick Droege		Aldersperson	City of Hillcrest Village	
Hon.	Larry Higgins		Aldersperson	City of Hillcrest Village	
Hon.	Mike Cassata		Alderman, Position 1	Town of Quintana	
Hon.	Shari Wright		Alderswoman, Position 2	Town of Quintana	
Hon.	Lorraine Hehn		Council Member, Place 2	City of Manvel	
Hon.	Wesley Baldwin		Alderman	City of Danbury	
Hon.	Larry Linscombe	Jr.	Alderman	City of Danbury	
Hon.	Mike Fletcher		Alderman, Position 3	Town of Quintana	
Hon.	Macedonio Salinas		Alderman, Position 4	Town of Quintana	
Hon.	Arthur Fuhrmann		Alderman	City of Liverpool	
Hon.	Oscar Greak		Aldersperson	Village of Bailey's Prairie	
Hon.	Cheryl McBeth		Aldersperson	Village of Bailey's Prairie	
Hon.	Toni Capretta		Alderman	Village of Surfside Beach	
Hon.	Dave Guzman		Alderman	Village of Surfside Beach	
Hon.	Peggy P. Llewellyn		Alderswoman	Village of Surfside Beach	
Hon.	Er k Chitwood		Alderman, Position 2	City of Oyster Creek	
Hon.	Alvin Justelien		Alderman, Position 2	Town of Holiday Lakes	
Hon.	Frank Blanks		Councilman, Position 2	City of Richwood	

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Hon.	Woody Owens		Councilmember, Position 7	City of Pearland	
Hon.	Nick Dixon		Mayor	City of Mont Belvieu	
Hon.	Billy Combs		Mayor	City of Beach City	
Hon.	Joe Landry		Mayor	City of Old River-Winfree	
Hon.	Cheryl Sanders		Mayor	City of Anahuac	
Hon.	Judy Leggett		Mayor	City of Cove	
Hon.	J.F. Steadham		Councilman, Position 5	City of Old River-Winfree	
Hon.	Joey McWilliams		Councilman, Position 5/Mayor Pro Tem	City of Mont Belvieu	
Hon.	Paul Newman	III	Alderman	City of Beach City	
Hon.	Wade Clark		Alderman, Position 1	City of Cove	
Hon.	Jackey Lasater		Alderman	City of Beach City	
Hon.	Sean Perry		Alderman, Position 3	City of Anahuac	
Hon.	Janice Jircik		Alderwoman, Position 2	City of Anahuac	
Hon.	Kathy Franssen		Councilwoman, Position 2	City of Old River-Winfree	
Hon.	Charles T. Joseph	III	Alderman, Position 5	City of Cove	
Hon.	Deidre Crews		Alderwoman, Position 4	City of Anahuac	
Hon.	Dana Colquitt		Alderwoman	City of Beach City	
Hon.	Danny Thompson		Alderman, Position 5	City of Anahuac	
Hon.	Joe A. Presnall		Alderman, Position 2	City of Cove	
Hon.	Kenneth Epperson		Councilman, Position 1	City of Old River-Winfree	
Hon.	Douglas Walker		Alderman	City of Beach City	
Hon.	Ricky Shelton		Councilman, Position 2	City of Mont Belvieu	
Hon.	Arnold Peters		Councilman, Position 3	City of Mont Belvieu	
Hon.	Jacqueline Johnson		Councilwoman, Position 3	City of Old River-Winfree	
Hon.	Mike Pomykal		Councilman, Position 1	City of Mont Belvieu	
Hon.	Adonna Creel		Councilwoman, Position 4/Mayor Pro Tem	City of Old River-Winfree	
Hon.	Raymond Smith		Alderman	City of Beach City	
Hon.	Charlie Henry		Alderman, Position 1	City of Anahuac	
Hon.	Sharon L. Simmons		Alderman, Position 3	City of Cove	
Hon.	John T. White		Alderman, Position 4	City of Cove	
Hon.	Charlotte Carley		Councilwoman, Position 6	City of Mont Belvieu	
Hon.	Tim Duree		Councilman, Position 4	City of Mont Belvieu	
Hon.	Milton R. Koller		Mayor	City of Weimar	
Hon.	Dwain Keith Dungen		Mayor	City of Columbus	
Hon.	Mary Parr		Mayor	City of Eagle Lake	
Hon.	Gaye Lynn Thomas		Alderwoman	City of Eagle Lake	
Hon.	Lori An Gobert		Alderman, Place 2	City of Columbus	
Hon.	Carlos Gonzalez		Alderman	City of Eagle Lake	
Hon.	Gary Swindle		Alderman, Place 3	City of Columbus	
Hon.	Roy Ulrich		Councilman, Place 3	City of Weimar	
Hon.	Rex Kloesel		Councilman, Place 5	City of Weimar	
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Hon.	Eddie Hernandez		Alderman, Place 4	City of Columbus	

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Hon.	Chuck Rankin		Alderman, Place 5	City of Columbus	
Hon.	Michael Cooper		Alderman	City of Eagle Lake	
Hon.	Ronell Wilson		Councilman, Place 2	City of Weimar	
Hon.	Keith Cummings		Alderman, Place 1	City of Columbus	
Hon.	Ernie Stuart		Mayor	City of Needville	
Hon.	Mary Rose Zdunkewicz		Mayor	City of Weston Lakes	
Hon.	Bob Haenel		Mayor	Village of Fairchilds	
Hon.	Larry J. Bittner		Mayor	Village of Pleak	
Hon.	Joe R. Zimmerman		Mayor	City of Sugar Land	
Hon.	Jeff Roberts		Mayor	City of Fulshear	
Hon.	Freddie Newsome	Jr.	Mayor	Town of Thompsons	
Hon.	Evalyn W. Moore		Mayor	City of Richmond	
Hon.	Charles D. Jessup	IV	Mayor	City of Meadows Place	
Hon.	William T. Benton		Mayor	City of Rosenberg	
Hon.	Mary Etta Anderson		Mayor	City of Arcola	
Hon.	Louis Boudreaux		Mayor	City of Simonton	
Hon.	Rodney Pavlock		Mayor	City of Orchard	
Hon.	Darryl K. Humphrey	Sr.	Mayor	City of Kendleton	
Hon.	Kenneth Reid		Mayor	City of Beasley	
Hon.	Leonard Scarcella		Mayor	City of Stafford	
Hon.	Allen Owen		Mayor	City of Missouri City	
Hon.	Carolyn Kindred-Jenkins		Councilwoman, Position 4	City of Kendleton	
Hon.	Jimmie J. Pena		Councilor, District 1/Mayor Pro Tem	City of Rosenberg	
Hon.	Terry Henley		Alderman, Position 4/Mayor Pro Tem	City of Meadows Place	
Hon.	Edward Taylor		Alderman	Town of Thompsons	
Hon.	John F. Isbell		Alderman, Position 1	City of Meadows Place	
Hon.	Denis Deluca		Alderman/Mayor Pro Tem	City of Weston Lakes	
Hon.	Bill Ragle		Alderman	City of Weston Lakes	
Hon.	Trent Thomas		Alderman	City of Weston Lakes	
Hon.	Ted Case		Alderman	City of Weston Lakes	
Hon.	Greg Abarr		Council Member	City of Arcola	
Hon.	Carol K. McCutcheon		Council Member District 4	City of Sugar Land	
Hon.	Michael A. John		Alderman/Mayor Pro Tem	Village of Pleak	
Hon.	Jeffrey Young		Alderman/Mayor Pro Tem	City of Simonton	
Hon.	Wade A. Goates		Alderman	Village of Pleak	
Hon.	Brenda Jaynes		Alderwoman	Village of Pleak	
Hon.	Carol Gubbels		Alderwoman	Town of Thompsons	
Hon.	Damon Kuhn		Alderman	Village of Pleak	
Hon.	Al Warnasch		Alderman	Village of Pleak	
Hon.	Rosie T. Rojas		Council Member	City of Arcola	
Hon.	Susan Euton		Councilor, District 2	City of Rosenberg	
Hon.	Richard Vacek		Alderman	Village of Fairchilds	

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Hon.	Todd Lippincott		Aldersperson	City of Simonton	
Hon.	Gina Treadgold		Alderswoman	Town of Thompsons	
Hon.	Linda Kaluza		Aldersperson	Village of Fairchilds	
Hon.	Stephen Gill		Councilor	City of Fulshear	
Hon.	Steve R. Porter		Council Member District 1	City of Sugar Land	
Hon.	Sandy Bohannon		Aldersperson	City of Simonton	
Hon.	Teresa Cisneros		Council Member	City of Beasley	
Hon.	Rick J. Staigle		Alderman, Position 3	City of Meadows Place	
Hon.	Yvonne Meyer		Council Member	City of Beasley	
Hon.	Chad Nesvadba		Aldersperson	City of Needville	
Hon.	Matt Perreault		Commissioner	City of Orchard	
Hon.	Tricia Krenek		Councilor	City of Fulshear	
Hon.	Linda Garcia		Alderswoman	Town of Thompsons	
Hon.	Lance Bertolino		Aldersperson	Village of Fairchilds	
Hon.	Kelle K. Mills		Alderman, Position 5	City of Meadows Place	
Hon.	Steven H. Bezner		Alderman, Position 2	City of Meadows Place	
Hon.	Alice Jozwiak		Councilor, District 3	City of Rosenberg	
Hon.	Dale Lindemann		Council Member/Mayor Pro-Tem	City of Beasley	
Hon.	Scott McElrath		Aldersperson	City of Needville	
Hon.	Joe Supak		Commissioner	City of Orchard	
Hon.	William T. Benton		Mayor	City of Rosenberg	
Hon.	Al Becan		Council Member	City of Beasley	
Hon.	Deborah Brown		Alderswoman	Town of Thompsons	
Hon.	Andrew Bohac		Aldersperson/Mayor Pro-Tem	City of Needville	
Hon.	Jake Davis		Aldersperson	City of Simonton	
Hon.	Lauren Ashley		Councilor	City of Fulshear	
Hon.	Amy Mitchell		Council Member District 3	City of Sugar Land	
Hon.	Jesse Torres		Commissioner Position 1	City of Richmond	
Hon.	Lester Aldridge		Councilman, Position 1	City of Kendleton	
Hon.	Himesh Gandhi		Council Member-At-Large, Position 1	City of Sugar Land	
Hon.	Florence Jackson		Council Member	City of Arcola	
Hon.	Evelyn Jones		Council Member	City of Arcola	
Hon.	Rick Sinclair		Aldersperson	City of Needville	
Hon.	Amanda J. Barta		Councilor-At-Large, Position 2	City of Rosenberg	
Hon.	Lynn Moses		Councilor, District 4	City of Rosenberg	
Hon.	Dana Hollingsworth		Councilor	City of Fulshear	
Hon.	Debra Zagala		Aldersperson	Village of Fairchilds	
Hon.	Carl Drozd		Commissioner Position 3	City of Richmond	
Hon.	Jacob Balderas		Councilor-At-Large, Position 1	City of Rosenberg	
Hon.	Jim Fatheree		Councilor	City of Fulshear	
Hon.	Kaye Kahlich		Councilor	City of Fulshear	
Hon.	Bridget Yeung		Council Member District 2	City of Sugar Land	

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Hon.	Destiny Phillips		Councilwoman, Position 5	City of Kendleton	
Hon.	Mary K. Joyce		Council Member -At-Large, Position 2	City of Sugar Land	
Hon.	Josh Lockhart		Commissioner Position 4	City of Richmond	
Hon.	Wen Guerra		Council Member	City of Stafford	
Hon.	Floyd Emery		Council Member, District D/Mayor Pro Tem	City of Missouri City	
Hon.	Don Jones		Council Member	City of Stafford	
Hon.	Jerry Wyatt		Council Member-At-Large, Position 1	City of Missouri City	
Hon.	Yolanda Ford		Council Member, District A	City of Missouri City	
Hon.	Ken Mathew		Council Member	City of Stafford	
Hon.	Cecil Willis	Jr.	Council Member	City of Stafford	
Hon.	Chris Preston		Council Member-At-Large, Position 2	City of Missouri City	
Hon.	Virginia Rosas		Council Member	City of Stafford	
Hon.	Donald Smith		Council Member, District B	City of Missouri City	
Hon.	Arthur J. Honore		Mayor Pro Tem	City of Stafford	
Hon.	Anthony Maroulis		Council Member, District C	City of Missouri City	
Hon.	Mike McNamara		Mayor	City of Clear Lake Shores	
Hon.	Daniel S. Konyha		Mayor	City of Bayou Vista	
Hon.	Matthew T. Doyle		Mayor	City of Texas City	
Hon.	Steve Spicer		Mayor	City of Jamaica Beach	
Hon.	Julie Dues Masters		Mayor	City of Dickinson	
Hon.	Vernon Teltschick		Mayor	Village of T ki Island	
Hon.	Bobby Hocking		Mayor	City of La Marque	
Hon.	Jeff Tambrella		Mayor	City of Santa Fe	
Hon.	Anthony Matranga		Mayor	City of Hitchcock	
Hon.	Carl Joiner		Mayor	City of Kemah	
Hon.	Jim D. Yarbrough		Mayor	City of Galveston	
Hon.	Kevin M. Holland		Mayor	City of Friendswood	
Hon.	Pat Hallisey		Mayor	City of League City	
Hon.	Diana Hoerner		Council Member	City of Clear Lake Shores	
Hon.	Dorthea Jones		Commissioner, District 3	City of Texas City	
Hon.	Craig Brown		Councilmember, District 2	City of Galveston	
Hon.	Jan Bailey		Council Member	City of Clear Lake Shores	
Hon.	Christopher Lane		Councilman, District B	City of La Marque	
Hon.	Tom Fisher		Alderman	Village of T ki Island	
Hon.	Robin Collins		Councilwoman, Position 4	City of Kemah	
Hon.	Amanda Fenwick		Council Member	City of Clear Lake Shores	
Hon.	Sherwood Green		Alderman	City of Jamaica Beach	
Hon.	Teresa Vazquez-Evans		Councilwoman, Position 1/Mayor Pro Tem	City of Kemah	
Hon.	Jami Clark		Commissioner, District 4	City of Texas City	
Hon.	Mark Johnstone		Alderman, Position 2/Mayor Pro-Tem	City of Bayou Vista	
Hon.	Casey McAuliffe		Councilwoman, District D	City of La Marque	
Hon.	Louis J. Wortham		Alderman, Position 4	City of Bayou Vista	

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Hon.	Monica Cantrell		Commissioner, District 2	City of Hitchcock	
Hon.	Louis Decker		Councilman, Position 5	City of Dickinson	
Hon.	Karen Herring		Alderwoman	Village of T ki Island	
Hon.	Bill Pittman		Councilman, Position 5	City of Santa Fe	
Hon.	Walter Wilson		Councilman, Position 3	City of Dickinson	
Hon.	Joe Carothers		Councilman, Position 1	City of Santa Fe	
Hon.	Gene Montgomery		Alderman/Mayor Pro-Tem	City of Jamaica Beach	
Hon.	Christy Lyons	Jr.	Council Member	City of Clear Lake Shores	
Hon.	Phil Roberts	Jr.	Mayor Pro Tem/Commissioner, District 2	City of Texas City	
Hon.	Bobby Hocking		Mayor	City of La Marque	
Hon.	Keith Bell		Councilman, District A/Mayor Pro-Tem	City of La Marque	
Hon.	Wally Deats		Councilman, Position 4/Mayor Pro Tem	City of Dickinson	
Hon.	Randy Strickland		Commissioner, District 3	City of Hitchcock	
Hon.	Thelma Bowie		Commissioner, District 1	City of Texas City	
Hon.	Bruce Henderson		Councilman, Position 2	City of Dickinson	
Hon.	Charles Suderman		Councilman, Position 1	City of Dickinson	
Hon.	Ronald Jannett		Councilman, Position 4	City of Santa Fe	
Hon.	Bruce Clawson		Commissioner-At-Large	City of Texas City	
Hon.	Marci Kurtz		Alderwoman	City of Jamaica Beach	
Hon.	James L. Cook		Alderman, Position 5	City of Bayou Vista	
Hon.	Dee Ann Haney		Commissioner-At-Large	City of Texas City	
Hon.	Bob Althaus		Alderman, Position 1	City of Bayou Vista	
Hon.	William H. King	III	Councilman, Position 6	City of Dickinson	
Hon.	Terrilyn Tartton-Shannon		Councilmember, District 5	City of Galveston	
Hon.	Wanda Zimmer		Councilwoman, Position 2	City of Kemah	
Hon.	Mark Cook		Commissioner, District 4	City of Hitchcock	
Hon.	Wayne Crozier		Alderman	Village of T ki Island	
Hon.	Frank Maceo		Council Member, District 3	City of Galveston	
Hon.	S. Bud Solmonsson		Council Member	City of Clear Lake Shores	
Hon.	Freddie Carmichael		Alderman	Village of T ki Island	
Hon.	Ronald W. Simons		Mayor Pro-Tem/Alderman	Village of T ki Island	
Hon.	Mike Doherty		Councilmember, District 4	City of Galveston	
Hon.	Rosemary Lindley		Alderwoman	City of Jamaica Beach	
Hon.	David Welch		Alderman	City of Jamaica Beach	
Hon.	Carlos Price		Alderman, Position 3	City of Bayou Vista	
Hon.	Robert Michetich		Councilman, District C	City of La Marque	
Hon.	Matt Wiggins		Councilman, Position 5	City of Kemah	
Hon.	Corey Jannett		Councilman, Position 3/Mayor Pro Tem	City of Santa Fe	
Hon.	Charles Coleman		Councilman, Position 2	City of Santa Fe	
Hon.	Kyle Burks		Councilman, Position 3	City of Kemah	
Hon.	Carolyn Sunseri		Councilmember, District 6	City of Galveston	
Hon.	Todd Kinsey		Mayor Pro Tem/Councilman, Position 4	City of League City	
Hon.	Larry Millican		Councilman, Position 3	City of League City	

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Hon.	Keith Gross		Councilman, Position 6	City of League City	
Hon.	Carl W. Gustafson		Councilmember, Position 6	City of Friendswood	
Hon.	Steve Rockey		Councilmember, Position 1	City of Friendswood	
Hon.	Sally Harris Branson		Councilmember, Position 2	City of Friendswood	
Hon.	Mike Foreman		Councilmember, Position 4	City of Friendswood	
Hon.	Hank Dugie		Councilman, Position 2	City of League City	
Hon.	Nick Long		Councilman, Position 7	City of League City	
Hon.	Greg Gripon		Councilman, Position 5	City of League City	
Hon.	Robert E. Bartlett		Mayor	City of North Cleveland	
Hon.	Martin Wells		Mayor	City of Kenefick	
Hon.	John White		Mayor	City of Ames	
Hon.	Debra K. Fregia		Mayor	City of Daisetta	
Hon.	Alicia Charbonneau		Mayor	Town of Dayton Lakes	
Hon.	Jeff K. Lambright		Mayor	City of Dayton	
Hon.	Carl Pickett		Mayor	City of Liberty	
Hon.	Otis Cohn		Mayor	City of Cleveland	
Hon.	Stephanie Blume		Mayor	City of Hardin	
Hon.	Hugh McNeil		Mayor	City of Devers	
Hon.	Terri Andrews		Aldersperson, Position 5	Town of Dayton Lakes	
Hon.	Carolyn McWaters		Council Member, Position 3	City of Cleveland	
Hon.	Robert B. Bartlett		Alderman	City of North Cleveland	
Hon.	Mary Clayton		Councilwoman, Position 2	City of Devers	
Hon.	Lori L. Tidwell		Councilmember, Position 2	City of Daisetta	
Hon.	Marilyn Clay		Council Member, Position 2	City of Cleveland	
Hon.	Steven Horelica		Councilwoman, Position 1	City of Devers	
Hon.	Stacey Brown		Aldersperson, Position 4	City of Kenefick	
Hon.	Daniel Christopher		Aldersperson, Position 2	City of Kenefick	
Hon.	Austin McElroy		Aldersperson, Position 3	City of Kenefick	
Hon.	Dennis Beasley		Councilmember	City of Liberty	
Hon.	Ronald Greer		Aldersperson, Position 5	City of Kenefick	
Hon.	Libby Simonson		Councilmember	City of Liberty	
Hon.	Jessie Richardson		Aldersperson, Position 3	Town of Dayton Lakes	
Hon.	Dwight Webb		Alderman, Position 3	City of Ames	
Hon.	Vacant		Aldersperson, Position 1	Town of Dayton Lakes	
Hon.	Diane Huddleston		Councilmember/Mayor Pro Tem	City of Liberty	
Hon.	Alvin Burress		Councilman, Position 3	City of Dayton	
Hon.	Jamie Crawford		Alderman	City of North Cleveland	
Hon.	Chris Sullivan		Aldersperson, Position 4	Town of Dayton Lakes	
Hon.	Joseph B. Bartlett		Alderman	City of North Cleveland	
Hon.	Louie Potetz		Councilmember	City of Liberty	
Hon.	Joel Fingleman		Aldersperson, Position 1	City of Kenefick	
Hon.	Dr. John S. Johnson		Councilman, Position 4/Mayor Pro-Tem	City of Dayton	

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Hon.	Paul Glazener		Councilmember	City of Liberty	
Hon.	David Arnold		Councilmember	City of Liberty	
Hon.	Sherial L. Lawson		Councilwoman, Position 2	City of Dayton	
Hon.	Don Neyland		Councilmember, Position 3	City of Daisetta	
Hon.	Danny Lee		Council Member, Position 5	City of Cleveland	
Hon.	Louise Donatto		Alderwoman, Position 5	City of Ames	
Hon.	Mike Penry		Council Member, Position 1	City of Cleveland	
Hon.	Jackie Reeves		Alderperson, Position 2	Town of Dayton Lakes	
Hon.	David Meadows		Councilmember, Position 5	City of Hardin	
Hon.	Janet Scott Carrier		Alderwoman, Position 2	City of Ames	
Hon.	Cindy Burchfield		Councilmember, Position 1	City of Daisetta	
Hon.	Troy Barton		Councilman, Position 5	City of Dayton	
Hon.	Christian Goodwin		Councilmember, Position 1	City of Hardin	
Hon.	Morris Nelms		Councilmember, Position 4	City of Hardin	
Hon.	Robert Walters		Alderman, Position 4	City of Ames	
Hon.	Anthony Jones		Councilman, Position 3	City of Devers	
Hon.	Maria Sanchez		Councilwoman, Position 4	City of Devers	
Hon.	Jason Weatherford		Councilman, Position 5	City of Devers	
Hon.	Kim Retherford		Councilmember, Position 4	City of Daisetta	
Hon.	David Papillion		Alderman, Position 1	City of Ames	
Hon.	Jennifer Bergman		Councilman, Position 4	City of Cleveland	
Hon.	Mark A. Bricker		Mayor	City of Bay City	
Hon.	Glen Smith		Mayor	City of Palacios	
Hon.	Stephen McGovern		Alderman, Place 6	City of Palacios	
Hon.	Chrystal Folse		Councilwoman, Position 3	City of Bay City	
Hon.	Julie L. Estlinbaum		Councilwoman, Position 1	City of Bay City	
Hon.	Andy Erdelt		Alderman, Place 5	City of Palacios	
Hon.	Jason Childers		Councilman, Position 5	City of Bay City	
Hon.	Judy Chavez		Alderwoman, Place 2	City of Palacios	
Hon.	William Cornman		Councilman, Position 2	City of Bay City	
Hon.	Becca Sitz		Councilwoman, Position 4	City of Bay City	
Hon.	Johnny Tran		Alderman, Place 1/Mayor Pro Tem	City of Palacios	
Hon.	Mary Crocker		Alderwoman, Place 3	City of Palacios	
Hon.	Troy S. Lewis		Alderman, Place 4	City of Palacios	
Hon.	Leonard Reed		Mayor	City of Willis	
Hon.	Toby Powell		Mayor	City of Conroe	
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Hon.	Dorothy Welch		Mayor	City of Splendora	
Hon.	Kirk Jones		Mayor	City of Montgomery	
Hon.	Lee Ann Walker		Mayor	City of Plum Grove	
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Hon.	Michael McLeod		Council Member, Position 5	City of Shenandoah	
Hon.	Sharon McClure		Alderwoman, Position 1	City of Stagecoach	
Hon.	Tamara Young-Hector		Council Member, Position 1	City of Willis	
Hon.	James Osteen		Alderman, Position 3	City of Stagecoach	
Hon.	Thomas Belinoski		Council Member, Position 3	City of Willis	
Hon.	Dean Bishop		Council Member, Position 4	City of Panorama Village	
Hon.	Duke Coon		Councilman, Place 3	City of Conroe	
Hon.	Guy Martin		Councilman, Place 4	City of Conroe	
Hon.	Clinton McClaren		Council Member, Position 2/Mayor Pro Tem	City of Oak Ridge North	
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Hon.	Buck Clendennen		Alderman, Position 5/Mayor Pro Tem	City of Splendora	
Hon.	Vacant		Alderman, Position 3	Town of Woodloch	
Hon.	Conley Wallace		Council Member, Position 5	City of Roman Forest	
Hon.	Courtney Brown		Alderwoman, Position 1	Town of Woodloch	
Hon.	W.L. Van Alstyne		Council Member, Position 5	City of Willis	
Hon.	Bill McGahen		Alderman, Position 5/Mayor Pro-Tem	City of Stagecoach	
Hon.	Brenda Hoppe		Council Member, Position 4	City of Magnolia	
Hon.	David Aden		Alderman, Position 4	City of Splendora	
Hon.	Frances Gates Planchard		Council Member, Position 5	City of Oak Ridge North	
Hon.	Clyde Reeves		Councilman, Position 5	City of Patton Village	
Hon.	Johnathan Whitworth		Councilman, Position 1	City of Patton Village	
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Hon.	Ted Nichols		Council Member, Position 3	City of Panorama Village	
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Hon.	Mark McGill		Alderman, Position 4	City of Stagecoach	
Hon.	Scott Essmeier		Councilman, Position 1	City of Woodbranch Village	
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Hon.	Tish Humphrey		Councilmember, Ward 2	City of Huntsville	
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Hon.	Lisa Koonce		Councilmember	City of New Waverly	
Hon.	Bill Tutor		Council Member	City of Riverside	
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Ms.	Connie A. Nicholson	Community Services Director	Galveston County	
Ms.	Laurie Flores	President	La Bonita Community Development Corporation	
Ms.	Starr Amos	Development Director	MacGregor Area Community Development Corporation	
	Joanne Callahan Ducharme	Community Development Director	Montgomery County	

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Ms.	Laura Timme	Director of Community Development	Neighborhood Centers, Inc.	
Pastor	Willie Collins	Chief Executive Officer	North Main Street Community Development Corporation	
Ms.	Elaine Johnson	Program Director	Optimum Lifestyle Community Development Center	
Mr.	Dana Hogan	Executive Director	Temenos Community Development Corporation	
Mr.	Errol Howery	Director	Youth Performance Foundation, Inc.	

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Public Participation Plan Database - Regional Management Flood Council

Title	Contact	Suffix	Organization	Email Address
Emergency Management Coordinator	Ray Chislett		Austin County	
Floodplain Administrator	Joe Ripple		Brazoria County	
Water Resources Planner	Pamela Hannemann		Brazos River Authority	
911/GIS Coordinator	Brad Wilber		Chambers County	
Environmental Health Director	Rex Tunze		Chambers County	
Director of Engineering	Jose Pastrana	PE, CFM	City of Baytown	
Project Engineer	Anne Tran		City of Conroe	
Building Official/Floodplain Manager	David Ewald		City of Galveston	
Engineering Manager	Lorenzo Wingate	EIT, CFM	City of La Porte	
City Engineer	Dan Johnson	PE, CFM	City of Manvel	
Assistant City Engineer	Jennifer Hobbs		City of Missouri City	
Assistant City Engineer	Rajendra Shrestha	PE, CFM	City of Pearland	
Councilmember, Position 3	Sandra Vrablec		City of Sealy	
Senior Engineer	Jorge Alba		City of Sugar Land	
Building Official	Ronnie Bollom		City of Wharton	
County Judge	Ty Prause		Colorado County	
Director and Chief Engineer	Mark Vogler		Fort Bend County Drainage Distr	
Interim Engineering Dept. Administrator	David Douglas		Liberty County	
Supervisor	David Walker		Lower Colorado River Authority	
General Manager	Scott Hall	PE	Lower Neches Valley Authority	
Environmental Health Director	Lisa Krobot		Matagorda County	
Administrator, Permitting Department	Phil D. Jones		Montgomery County	
Director of Raw Water	David Parkhill		San Jacinto River Authority	
Land & Emergency Management Coordinator	Chad Holton		Trinity River Authority	
Director of Planning and Development	Andrew Isbell		Walker County	
County Engineer	Yancy Scott	PE, CFM	Waller County	
Addressing Administrator	Monica Martin		Wharton County	

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LTRG Name	Contacts / Alternates	Position	Email
Bastrop County Long Term Recovery Team	Christine Files	President	
Bastrop County Long Term Recovery Team	Sheila Lowe	Executive Director	
Baytown Long Term Recovery Group	Melissa Reabold	CEO, Treasurer	
Baytown Long Term Recovery Group	Traci Dillard	Disaster Recovery Coordinator	
Brazoria County Long Term Recovery Committee	Gloria Luna	POC	
Brazoria County Long Term Recovery Committee	Jenna Haviland-Masters	Executive Director	
Chambers County Long Term Recovery Organization	Danny Bidy	President	
Coastal Bend Disaster Recovery Group	Beth Tatum	President	
Coastal Bend Disaster Recovery Group	John P. Jackson	Executive Director	
Fort Bend Recovers	Caroline Egan	Disaster Recovery Manager	
Fort Bend Recovers	Terri Stuart		
Galveston Long Term Recovery Group	Gary Scoggin	Chair	
Galveston Long Term Recovery Group	Kecia Mallette	Communications Director	
Hardin County Long Term Recovery Group	Pastor Arthur Smith	POC	
Hardin County Long Term Recovery Group	Michelle Brewer		
HelpImHurting	Cherly Brewer	POC	

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LTRG Name	Contacts / Alternates	Position	Email
HelpImHurting	Dr. Randy Vaughn	Board President	
LaGrange Area Disaster Recovery Team	Kenny Couch	Executive Director	
LaGrange Area Disaster Recovery Team	Joy Cameron	President	
Liberty County Long Term Recovery Committee	Barbara Lange	Chair	
Liberty County Long Term Recovery Committee	Barbara McIntyre	Co-Chair	
Montgomery County Community Assistance Recovery Efforts (MCCARES)	Judy Foster	POC	
Montgomery County Community Assistance Recovery Efforts (MCCARES)	Lucy Gomez	Director of Programs & Services	
Orange	Michelle Tubbleville	POC	
Victoria Long Term Recovery Group	Mark Longoria	Executive Committee Chair	
Victoria Long Term Recovery Group	Dolly Stokes	Executive Committee Secretary	
Walker County Long Term Recovery Committee	Michael McGinnis	Chair	
Walker County Long Term Recovery Committee	Sheila Cannon	Chair	
Waller County Long Term Recovery Committee	Bobbie Wilson	Chair	
Waller County Long Term Recovery Committee	Debbie Coker		
Wharton County Long Term Recovery Team	Carol Wootton	Chair	
Wharton County Long Term Recovery Team	Stephanie Konvicka	Vice Chair	

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Public Participation Plan Database - Regional Soil Water Conservation Boards

First	Last	Title	Organization	Email or mailing address
Ira G.	Lapham	Secretary - Austin	Austin County SWCD #347	
Herbert W.	Weige, Jr.	Secretary - Brazoria	Waters Davis SWCD #318	
Karla	Dean	Secretary - Chambers	Trinity Bay SWCD #434	
Kim	Gold	Secretary - Colorado	Colorado County #333	
Dale	Franz	Secretary - Fort Bend	Coastal Plains SWCD #317	
Burl	Thomas	Secretary - Liberty	Lower Trinity SWCD #435	
Michael	Grisham	Secretary - Matagorda	Matagorda County #316	
Charles E.	Parsley, Jr.	Secretary - Montgomery	Montgomery County SWCD #452	
Harvey	Laas	Secretary - Waller	Navasota SWCD #440	
Frederick M.	Weinzierl	Secretary - Walker	Walker County SWCD #453	
Wayne	Guess	Secretary - Wharton	Wharton County SWCD #342	

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Type	First	Last	Title	Organization	Email or mailing address
Community Development	J. Curtiss	Brown		Galveston County Community Service Division	
Community Development	Dale	Pillow	Executive Director	Adult Reading Center, Inc.	
Community Development	Marie	Lee		Alief Community Association, Inc.	
Community Development	Ginger	Graeter		Belfort Place Community Association	
Community Development	Bill	Sellars	Volunteer	Brazoria County Long-Term Recovery Committee	
Community Development	Robbie	Guin		Briarbend Community Improvement Association	
Community Development	Larry	Keller		Brookfield Improvement Corporation	
Community Development	Eldon	Lutz		Catalina Square Improvement Community	
Community Development	Nicholas	Foster	Community Development Specialist	CDM	
Community Development	Sue	Hawthorne		City of Anahuac	
Community Development	Garry	Brumback		City of Baytown - City Managers Office	
Community Development	Nancy	Mikeska		City of Conroe	
Community Development	Sterling	Patrick	Director	City of Galveston Grants & Housing	
Community Development	Jerry	Grooms		City of League City	
Community Development	Regina	Morales		City of Sugarland	
Community Development	Nicholas	Finan		City of Texas City	
Community Development	Allen	Cruthirds	Treasurer	Clear Lake Shores EDC	
Community Development				Clearlake City Community Association	
Community Development	Carol	Mitschlatis		East Sunset Heights Association	
Community Development	Karen	Johnson		Freedmens Town Association, Inc.	
Community Development	Jarvis	Johnson		Frenchtown Community Association	
Community Development	Jefferey	Sjostrom		Galveston Economic Development Partnership	



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Community Development	Chase	Mulhall		Garden Villas Community Association, Inc.	
Community Development	Connie	Pitcher		Glenshire Community Association	
Community Development	Carl	Borne		Gulf Coast Community Services Association	
Community Development	Ethel	McCormick	c/o KAM	Hunter's Ridge Village Community Association	
Community Development	John A.	Branch		Independence Heights War on Drugs	
Community Development	Laura	Wilson		L.L. Wilson ED Services	
Community Development	Vickie	Cain		Lake Houston Community Association	
Community Development	Martha	Messer		Lakeside Improvement Association	
Community Development	Tim	Gassiott		Liberty County Workforce Academy	
Community Development	Owen	Bludau		Matagorda County Economic Development Corporation	
Community Development	Jack	Rose		Nearatown Association	
Community Development	Larissa	Lindsay		Old Sixth Ward Neighborhood Association	
Community Development	Debbie	Allen		Pleasantville Strategic Planning and Revitalization Committee	
Community Development	Kathy	Cameron		Proctor Plaza Neighborhood Association	
Community Development	Becky	Vindiola		Ridgemont Community Improvement Association, Inc.	
Community Development	Vernon J.	Rush		Sagemont Park Community Improvement Association	
Community Development	Liliane	Parker		Scott Terrace Civic Association	
Community Development	Teresa	Vazquez-Evans		Seabrook Economic Development Corporation	
Community Development	Dick	Greiner		South Woodlands Hills Village Comm Assn	
Community Development	Janet	Steiben	Chief of Staff	State Senator Tommy Williams	
Community Development	Linda	Pancher		Sterling Knoll Community Association	
Community Development	John	Ridgway		Sunset Heights Civic Club	

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Community Development	George	Fuller	Director	Texas City - Community Dev.	
Community Development	Evalyn	Krudy		University Place Association	
Community Development	Jacqueline	Goff		Village Place Townhome Association	
Community Development	Fred	Washington	*apartment complex pulls up*	Westbury Village Association	
Community Development	Ben	Crocker		Westchester Villa Maintenance Association	
Community Development	Sarah	Helms		Westgrove Court	
Community Development	Jim	Hughes		Woodlake Forest Community Association	
Community Development	Laurel	Hendricks			
County health	Shannon	Kirchner	Environmental Investigator	Galveston County Health District	
County health	Ronald B.	Schultz		Galveston County Health District	
County health	Nancy	Morecraft	Purchasing Facilities Coordinator	Galveston County Health District	
Faith-based Organization	Rod	Chifton	Director	Arch Wind Institute	
Faith-based Organization	Ivory	Varner	Sr. Pastor/Teacher	Bible Way Fellowship Baptist Church	
Faith-based Organization	Dian	Groh	Case Manager	Boat People SOS	
Faith-based Organization	Faye	Miles-Robinson	Executive Director	Bread of Life, Inc.	
Faith-based Organization	Thomas	Sharon	Pastor	First Presbyterian Church	
Faith-based Organization	Holly	McDonald		Forgotten Angels, Inc.	
Faith-based Organization	Vivian	Pinard		Galveston County Interfaith and Moody Methodist Church	
Faith-based Organization	Ruama	Camp	Executive Director	GRACE Community Services	
Faith-based Organization	Joslyn	Hill		GRACE Community Services	
Faith-based Organization	Cornelia	Jammer	Assistant to Director	GRACE Community Services	
Faith-based Organization	Marva	Lawrence		GRACE Community Services	
Faith-based Organization	Jesse	Lucas		GRACE Community Services	
Faith-based Organization	Alonzo	Tibbs	Director, Education	GRACE Community Services	

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Faith-based Organization	Jay	Warfield	Education	GRACE Community Services	
Faith-based Organization	Sentrell	Weany		GRACE Community Services	
Faith-based Organization	Jacquelyn	Williams	Admin. Asst.	GRACE Community Services	
Faith-based Organization	Kenett	Williams	Case Manager	GRACE Community Services	
Faith-based Organization	Carol	Woodward		GRACE Community Services	
Faith-based Organization	Tim	Allen	Reverend	Greater Mt. Calvary Baptist Church	
Faith-based Organization	Gusta	Book	Minister	Greater Mt. Matthew Church	
Faith-based Organization	Lorraine	Brown		Gulf Coast Interfaith	
Faith-based Organization	Joe	Campian	Director	Gulf Coast Interfaith	
Faith-based Organization	Andrea	Greer	Member	Gulf Coast Interfaith	
Faith-based Organization	Maxine	Jones		Gulf Coast Interfaith	
Faith-based Organization	Manual	Thomas	Director	Holistic (CDC)	
Faith-based Organization	Manson	Johnson	Pastor	Holman Street Baptist Church	
Faith-based Organization	Carla	Crabtree	CCE Asst.	Immaculate Conception Church	
Faith-based Organization	Jennifer	Posten	Director	Interfaith Ministries	
Faith-based Organization	Carol	Reich		San Leon Church	
Faith-based Organization	Hai	Handy		San Leon Community Church	
Faith-based Organization	Kristi	Browning	Volunteer	League City United Methodist Church	
Faith-based Organization	Bernard	Scrogin	Director, Case Management	Lutheran Social Services Disaster Response	
Faith-based Organization	James A.	Hall		Nehemiah's Vision, Inc.	
Faith-based Organization	James	Nash	Pastor	St. Paul Baptist Missionary Church & HMAC	
Faith-based Organization	Ted	Hanley	Executive Director	The Jesse Tree	

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Faith-based Organization	John	Bowie	Pastor	True Light Missionary Baptist Church	
Faith-based Organization	Rev Dave	Smith	Executive Director	Good Sheperd Mission	
Faith-based Organization	Rev Dave	Smith	Executive Director	Good Sheperd Mission	
Faith-based Organization	Michael	Streeb	President	God's Garden	
Faith-based Organization	Tony	Oltremari	Parish Administrator	St. Laurence Parish	
Federal Office	Benny	Rodriguez	Community Planning and Development	US Department of Housing and Urban Development	
Federal Office	Gwendolyn	Berry	COOP Coordinator/Management Analyst	US Department of Housing and Urban Development	
Federal Office	Salin G.	Geevarghese	Senior Advisor	US Department of Housing and Urban Development	
Federal Office	Lorraine	Walls	Revitalization Specialist	US Department of Housing and Urban Development	
General Health	Jim	Parisi	Chief Operating Officer-MHHS Katy	Memorial Hermann Healthcare System	*specific location?
Housing Advocate	Linda	Ramirez		Bay City Housing Authority	
Housing Advocate	Joyce	Young		Baytown Housing Authority	
Housing Advocate	Evelyn	Blackmon		Bellville Housing Authority	
Housing Advocate	Ray	Skinner		Braeswood Glen Home Owner's Association	
Housing Advocate	Office	Manager		Braeswood Place Home Owners Association	
Housing Advocate	Nancy	Freudenberg		Brazoria County Housing Authority	
Housing Advocate	Linda	Eidman		Briarmeadow Home Owners Association	
Housing Advocate	J.E.	Murrheee, Jr		Candlelight Oaks Village Maintenance Fund, Inc.	
Housing Advocate	Mike	Fogarty	CDBG Coordinator	City of Missouri City	
Housing Advocate	Joe	Williams		Cleveland Housing Authority	
Housing Advocate	Community	Manager		Corinthian Pointe Home Owners Association	
Housing Advocate	Diane	Modesett		David Crocket Home Owners Association	
Housing Advocate	Barbara	Burns		Dayton Housing Authority	
Housing Advocate	Vicki	Molina		El Campo Housing Authority	
Housing Advocate	Harish	Krishnaro		Galveston Housing Authority	
Housing Advocate	Daniel	Bustamante	Executive Director	Greater Houston Fair Housing Center, Inc.	
Housing Advocate	Mauree	Martino		Greens Landing Property Owners Association, Inc.	
Housing Advocate	Pete	Bolds		Heights West Home Onwers Group	
Housing Advocate	Dewana	Harding		Huntsville Housing Authority	
Housing Advocate	Greg	Allen		Institute Lane Home Owner's Association	
Housing Advocate	Miriam	Beck		Keegans Wood Home Owners Association	
Housing Advocate	Willie	Carter		Liberty County Housing Authority	
Housing Advocate	Robert D.	Batten		Memorial Thicket Home Owners Association	
Housing Advocate	Diane	Pyles		Montgomery County Housing Authority	
Housing Advocate	Barbara	Hite		Northfield Section III Property Owners Association	
Housing Advocate	Chris	Camero		Nottingham Forest Village HOA	
Housing Advocate	Ronald	Richards		Oak Creek Homes	

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Housing Advocate	Zack	Derryberry		Oak Forest Home Owners Association	
Housing Advocate	Evalyn	Krudy		Old Braeswood Property Owners Association	
Housing Advocate	Susie	Garrison		Pasadena Housing Assistance Program	
Housing Advocate	Riaz	Ahmed		Piney Point Estates Home Owners Association	
Housing Advocate	Elaine	Bishop		Quail Glen Home Owners Association	
Housing Advocate	Sonja F.	Finley		Shady Lane Estates	
Housing Advocate	Kenneth	Nunelee		Sharing Point 1 Owners Association	
Housing Advocate	Madison	Sloan	Staff Attorney	Texas Appleseed	
Housing Advocate	George	Fuller		Texas City Housing Authority	
Housing Advocate	John	Henneberger	Co-Director	Texas Low Income Housing Information Service	
Housing Advocate				Walker County Housing Authority	
Housing Advocate	Michaelle	Wormly		Woman Inc.	
Housing Advocate	Vivian	Cline	Director of Grants Administration	Montgomery County Women's Center	
Housing Advocate	William R	Eckert III	Principal Officer	Bay Area Homeless Services, Inc.	
Housing Advocate	Karen	Carter	Founder & President	Infinite Hands Initiative	
Housing Advocate	Ver L.	Johnson	Executive Director	Fort Bend Family Promise	
Housing Advocate				New Horizon Family Center	
Housing Advocate	Norman	Dykes	Principal Officer	New Horizon Family Center	
Housing Advocate	Nicole	Moon		Montgomery County Food Bank, Inc.	
Housing Advocate	Tim	Barnes	Principal Officer	Montgomery County Homeless Coalition, Inc.	
Housing Advocate	Lin	Baron	Principal Officer	Colorado County Habitat for Humanity	
Housing Advocate	Dianne	Wilson	Principal Officer	Baytown Habitat for Humanity	
Housing Advocate	Barbara	Smith	Principal Officer	Habitat for Humanity of the Montgomery County	
Housing Advocate	Thomas	Wood	Principal Officer	Habitat for Humanity of Walker County TX	
Housing Advocate	Kenneth C.	Smith	Principal Officer	Habitat for Humanity of Southern Brazoria County	
Housing Advocate	Vita	Goodell	Chief Executive Officer	Fort Bend County Women's Center	
Housing Advocate	Roger	Nylin	Principal Officer	Bay Area Habitat for Humanity - Houston	
Housing Advocate	Robert	Marshall	President	Grace International Childrens Foundation USA, Inc.	
Housing Advocate	Sandra C	Scott		Springtime House in Romania -USA, Inc.	
Housing Advocate	Jessica	Russell	Director	A Chance to Bloom Inc.	
Housing Authority	Diego	Reyes	Purchasing Agent	Galveston Housing Authority	
Housing Authority	Robert	Solis	Manager	Palacios Housing Authority	
Houstin Advocate	Nicole	Cassier	Director of Fund Development	New Hope Housing, Inc.	
Houstin Advocate	Joy	Horak-Brown	Excecutive Director	New Hope Housing, Inc.	
Non-profit	Glory	Udoh	Founder/CEO	Asset Building Network, Inc.	
Non-profit	Thang Dinh	Nguyen	Executive Director	Boat People SOS, Inc.	
Non-profit	Angela	Hodson		Boys and Girls Clubs of Greater Houston, Inc.	
Non-profit	Vicki	Weesner	Executive Director	C4C Relief	
Non-profit	Anat	Kelman Shaw	Director, TX Communications	Children's Defense Fund - Texas	
Non-profit				Disability Policy Consortium	

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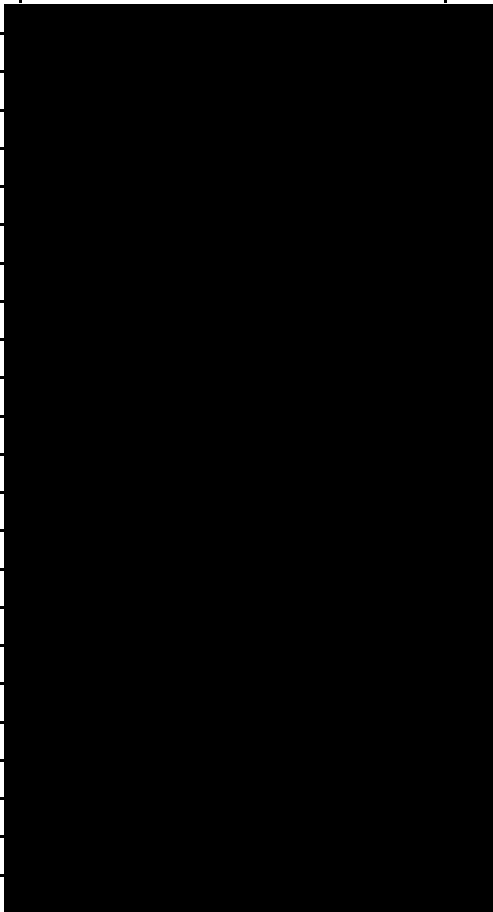
Type	First	Last	Title	Organization	Email or mailing address
Non-profit	Eddie	Hillard	Director of Recovery	Disaster Recovery	
Non-profit	Michele	Leal	Director Development	El Centro de Corazon	
Non-profit	Shelia	Lidstone	Administrator	Galveston County Recovery Fund	
Non-profit	Matthew	Brackman	Pastor	Galveston County Restore and Rebuild	
Non-profit	Barbara	Crews		Galveston County Restore and Rebuild	
Non-profit	Carlos	Simonson Orellana	Executive Director	Galveston Institute	
Non-profit	Cornelia	Banks		Galveston Northside Task Force	
Non-profit	Norris	Burkley, Sr.	Pastor	Galveston Northside Task Force	
Non-profit	W.L.	Jones	Pastor	Galveston Northside Task Force	
Non-profit	Patricia	Tolivaer	RN	Galveston Northside Task Force	
Non-profit	Mark	Davis	Executive Director	Gleanings from the Harvest/Galveston County R & R	
Non-profit	Rogene	Calvert	Executive Director	Greater Houston Asian Chamber of Commerce	
Non-profit	Laura	Murrell		Gulf Coast Interfaith	
Non-profit	Susan	Moore	Director	Gulf Coast Small Business Development Center	
				Houston Area Urban League	
Non-profit	Jerry	Bluitt	Planning Director	Houston Area Urban League	
Non-profit	Saliha	Bava	Ph.D.	Houston Galveston Institute	
Non-profit				Houston Hispanic Chamber of Commerce	
Non-profit	David	Mandell	Executive Director	HVLP - Houston Volunteer Lawyers	
Non-profit				LULAC	
Non-profit	Mike	Montgomery	General Manager	Memorial Villages Water Authority	
Non-profit				Mexican American Legal Defense	
Non-profit	Melissa	Tucker	Chief Executive Officer	MHMR - The Gulf Coast Center	
Non-profit	Carolyn	Rose	Director, Admin.	MHMR - The Gulf Coast Center	
Non-profit	Don	Higginbottom	Program Manager	MHMRA of Greater Houston	
Non-profit	Jeanette	Taylor	Executive Director	National Alliance on Mental Health (NAMI) - Gulf Coast	
Non-profit	Dave	Detcher		Neighborhood Centers Inc.	
Non-profit	Jimmie	Green	Disaster Recovery Rep.	Red Cross	
Non-profit	Larry	Kraus	Director of Grants	SEARCH Homeless Services	
Non-profit	Vickie	Dalton		Somebody Cares America	
Non-profit				Tri-County Black chamber of Commerce	
Non-profit				Tri-County Black chamber of Commerce	
Non-profit	Kenna	Bush		United Way of Galveston	
Non-profit				United Way of Galveston	
Non-profit	Anna	Babin	CEO	United Way of Greater Houston	
Non-profit	Kathy Hibbard			United Way of Greater Houston	
Non-profit	Elizabeth	White		United Way of Texas City	
Non-profit	Thuy	Nguyen	Executive Director	V-Family	
Non-profit				Tri-County Services	
Non-profit				Texana Center	
Non-profit	Charlie	Harris	Executive Director	Spindletop Center	
Non-profit	Ronald	Bishop		NAACP - Beaumont	
Non-profit				NAACP - Conroe	
Non-profit	Lynette	Reddix	President	NAACP - Missouri City & Vicinity	

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Non-profit	David	Miller		NAACP - Galveston Branch	
Non-profit	Kathy	Alt	Executive Director	Cinco Charities, Inc.	
Non-profit	Judy	Courts		Communities in School of Brazoria County, Inc.	
Non-profit	Brenda	Hooker	Principal Officer	Community Service Credit Union	
Non-profit	Vickie	Coates	Executive Director	East Fort Bend Human Needs Ministry, Inc.	
Non-profit	Shannon	Nelson		East Texas Dream Center	
Non-profit	Tim	Pylate	Principal Officer	Forgotten Angels Foundation	
Non-profit	James G.	McClellan	President and Trustee	Fred and Mabel R Parks Foundation	
Non-profit	Lisa	Wolling	Executive Director	Friends of Texas Wildlife	
Non-profit	Melissa	Burnham	EVP	Gulf Coast Medical Foundation	
Non-profit	SULTAN	HASSAN	SECRETARY	Humanity Help Inc.	
Non-profit	Ashley	Hamlin	Communications and Outreach Manager	Lone Star Community Health Center, Inc.	
Non-profit	Tressa	Leadford	Executive Director	Matagorda County United Way	
Non-profit	Carole	Smith	Executive Director	Palmer House	
Non-profit	Brittanee	Short	Director	Romani Relief Project	
Non-profit	Debbie	Smith	Director of Business Serv	Second Mile Mission Center	
Non-profit	Mose	Austin	Founder & President	Suburban Sugar Land Women (SSLW)	
Non-profit	Melinda	Vacek	Executive Director	The Dream Builder Foundation, Inc.	
Non-profit	Allison C.	Winnike	President/CEO	The Immunization Partnership	
Non-profit	Norma J	Crosby	President	The National Federation of the Blind of Texas, Inc.	
Non-profit	Melissa	Reabold	Principal Officer	United Way of Greater Baytown Area and Chambers County	
Non-profit	Komala	Krishnaswamy	Principal Officer	Vasudha Fountain USA	
Non-profit	Milly	Habibi	Secretary	Westrose Tia	
Non-profit	Jen	Powis	Co-founder	Coalition for Environment, Equity and Resilience	
Non-profit	Tom	Douglas	Chapter Representative	Houston Sierra Club	
Non-profit	Russell	Clark	Water Quality Investigator	Bayou Preservation Association, Inc.	
Non-profit	Kyle	Denny		Bayou Preservation Association, Inc.	
Non-profit	Jacqueline	Buskop		Bayou Preservation Association, Inc.	
Non-profit	Eric	Ruckstuhl		Bayou Preservation Association, Inc.	
Non-profit	Drew	Zimmerman	Intern	Bayou Preservation Association	
Non-profit	Cliff	Meinhardt		Bayou Preservation Association, Inc.	
Non-profit	Breanne	Martin	Intern	Bayou Preservation Association	
Non-profit	Bob	Lee		Bayou Preservation Association	
Non-profit	Suzanne	Simpson		Bayou Land Conservancy	
Non-profit	Stephanie	Prosser	Interim Executive Director	Bayou Land Conservancy	
Non-profit	Robert C.	Adair		Houston Land/Water Sustainability Forum	
Non-profit	Kate	Bolen	Manager	Healthy Family Initiatives	
Non-profit	Charles E.	Begley	Professor	The University of Texas Health Science Center	
State agency	Paulette	King		Health and Human Services	
State agency	Gabrielle	Novello	Program Specialist	Texas Department of State Health Services	
State agency	Sophia -Berry	Dubrevil-Berry	Program Specialist	Texas Health and Human Services Commission	
State agency	Tim	Irvine		Texas Department of Housing & Community Affairs	

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Type	Prefix	Contact	Suffix	Title	Organization	EmailAddress
US Senator	Hon.	Ted Cruz		United States Senator	United States Senate	
US Senator	Hon.	John Cornyn		United States Senator	United States Senate	
US Representative	Hon.	Randy Weber		District 14 - Clute	US House of Representatives	
US Representative	Hon.	Pete Olson		District 22 - Sugar Land	US House of Representatives	
US Representative	Hon.	Kevin Brady		District 8 - The Woodlands	US House of Representatives	
Texas Senator	Hon.	Lois W. Kolkhorst		District 18 - Katy	Texas Senate	
Texas Senator	Hon.	Robert Nichols		District 3 - Jacksonville	Texas Senate	
Texas Senator	Hon.	Brandon Creighton		District 4 - The Woodlands	Texas Senate	
Texas Senator	Hon.	Charles Schwertner		District 5 - Bryan	Texas Senate	
Texas Representative	Hon.	Briscoe Cain		District 128 - Baytown	Texas House of Representatives	
Texas Representative	Hon.	Leighton Schubert		District 13 - Caldwell	Texas House of Representatives	
Texas Representative	Hon.	Mike Schofield		District 132 - Katy	Texas House of Representatives	
Texas Representative	Hon.	Mark Keough		District 15 - The Woodlands	Texas House of Representatives	
Texas Representative	Hon.	Will Metcalf		District 16 - Conroe	Texas House of Representatives	
Texas Representative	Hon.	Ernest Bailes		District 18 - Dayton	Texas House of Representatives	
Texas Representative	Hon.	Joe Deshotel		District 22 - Beaumont	Texas House of Representatives	
Texas Representative	Hon.	Wayne Faircloth		District 23 - Galveston	Texas House of Representatives	
Texas Representative	Hon.	Greg Bonnen	MD	District 24 - Friendswood	Texas House of Representatives	
Texas Representative	Hon.	Dennis H. Bonnen		District 25 - Angleton	Texas House of Representatives	
Texas Representative	Hon.	Rick Miller		District 26 - Sugar Land	Texas House of Representatives	
Texas Representative	Hon.	Ron Reynolds		District 27 - Missouri City	Texas House of Representatives	
Texas Representative	Hon.	John Zerwas		District 28 - Richmond	Texas House of Representatives	
Texas Representative	Hon.	Ed Thompson		District 29 - Pearland	Texas House of Representatives	





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Hon.	Gary R. Nelson		Commissioner, Precinct 3	Chambers County	
Hon.	Andy Meyers		Commissioner, Precinct 3	Fort Bend County	
Hon.	Stacy L. Adams		Commissioner, Precinct 3	Brazoria County	
Hon.	Jimmy Henry		Commissioner, Precinct 4	Waller County	
Hon.	R. Jack Cagle		Commissioner, Precinct 4	Harris County	
Hon.	Kenneth Clark		Commissioner, Precinct 4	Galveston County	
Hon.	Nancy Arnold		Council Member	City of Waller	
Hon.	Chris Presley		Council Member, District 2	City of Baytown	
Hon.	Floyd Emery		Council Member, District D/Mayor Pro Tem	City of Missouri City	
Hon.	Cary Bass		Council Member, District G	City of Pasadena	
Hon.	Greg Travis		Council Member, District G	City of Houston	
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Hon.	Seth M. Gibson		Councilman, Place 2	City of Conroe	
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Hon.	Chuck Engelken	Jr.	Councilmember, District 2	City of La Porte	
Hon.	Sally Harris Branson		Councilmember, Position 2	City of Friendswood	
Hon.	Gerald Roznovsky		Councilmember, Position 3/Mayor Pro Tem	City of Lake Jackson	
Hon.	Jimmie J. Pena		Councilor, District 1/Mayor Pro Tem	City of Rosenberg	
Hon.	Charlie Riley		County Commissioner, Precinct 2	Montgomery County	
Hon.	Tim Lapham		County Judge	Austin County	
Hon.	Trey Duhon	III	County Judge	Waller County	
Hon.	Nate McDonald		County Judge	Matagorda County	
Hon.	Ty Prause		County Judge	Colorado County	
Hon.	Phillip S. Spenrath		County Judge	Wharton County	
Hon.	Jay Knight		County Judge	Liberty County	
Hon.	Joe R. Zimmerman		Mayor	City of Sugar Land	
Hon.	Tom Reid		Mayor	City of Pearland	
Hon.	Pat Hallisey		Mayor	City of League City	
Hon.	Andy Brauninger		Mayor	City of Huntsville	
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Ray Chislett	Austin County EMC	Austin County		
Andy Kirkland	Wharton County EMC	Wharton County EMC		
Phillip Spenrath	County Judge	Wharton County		
Solomon Holness	Disaster Relief	Lone Star Legal Aid		
Bruce Spitzenger	Consultant	Grant Works, Inc.		
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Rose Palmer	Resident - Dickinson			
Glen Swift	Resident - Santa Fe			
Margaret Creamer	Resident			
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Cheryl Wyatt	Resident - League City			
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Sean Anderson	Firt Chief / EMT	City of Cleveland	
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Nic Houston	CFO	Public Mgt	
Brant Gary	Asst. City Mgr	City of Fulshear	
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Rissie Owens	HGAC Bd Member	Huntsville	
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## **Public Comments**

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Public Comment Continuation: August 30, 2018 – September 14, 2018

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1	9/4/2018	Public Comment Form (Online)	Michael Coon, City Manager, City of Richwood	Why cities with less than 5,000 housing units were left off the grant reallocation method? As a percentage of total housing in the damaged area, Richwood has a higher percentage and there are a lot of improvements that could be done in Richwood with funds that may be available through reallocation. For instance, Brazoria County is #8 on the reallocation list, but if you were to look at just Richwood, we would be in the top 3. I think we should get a portion of any funds that are reallocated, now granted it would be smaller than most due to our smaller size, but I don't know why we don't use the previous formula for any funds that are to be reallocated. At 332 homes damaged, the City of Richwood had about 28 percent of our homes damaged.	<p>Thank you for your comment.</p> <p>The 5,000-unit threshold was established to ensure that reallocated funds will benefit communities with the greatest concentration of damages, not the largest percent by damage. Additionally, while the Texas General Land Office has set a minimum allocation threshold of \$1,000,0000 for housing buyouts/acquisitions, Brazoria County could elect to direct funds from its allocation to support these activities in the City of Richwood.</p> <p>Your comments will be passed along to the H-GAC Board of Directors and the Texas General Land Office.</p>
2	9/7/2018	Public Comment Form (Online)	Kimberly Avila, Homeowner in Montgomery County	We believe that the CBDG funds received from the Federal Government should be allocated for buyouts to the homeowners that were flooded during Hurricane Harvey in 2017. Many, if not all of these homes have flooded many times and will continue to flood in the future. FEMA has changed the flood zone of our properties from a flood zone to a floodway, making flood insurance rates extremely high and most can't pay the rates. Funds should not be allocated to those that stand to benefit economically and/or have caused the conditions that are causing our homes to flood more frequently. Many of us are still suffering one year after the storm. We are told that we have to raise our homes many feet to meet the requirements to obtain flood insurance. Raising a home is very expensive and none of us can afford it, making it impossible to rebuild. Our only option is a buyout.	<p>Thank you for your comment.</p> <p>The Texas General Land Office (GLO) tasked councils of governments, such as the Houston-Galveston Area Council (H-GAC), to develop a Method of Distribution for buyouts/acquisitions of flood-prone residential properties, as well as infrastructure repair. Under H-GAC's Method of Distribution, Montgomery County will receive a funding allocation for buyouts/acquisitions. It will be the responsibility of the county to identify specific buyout/acquisitions projects. We suggest you forward your concerns to the appropriate officials in Montgomery County.</p> <p>Your comments will be passed along to the H-GAC Board of Directors and the Texas General Land Office.</p>
3	9/7/2018	Public Comment Form (Online)	Patrick Wiltshire, President / CEO, Public Management Inc.	Regarding the Buyout/Acquisition allocation - in particular, the proposed uses of the Acquisition process: -Will jurisdictions be allowed to use the allocated funds to purchase Easement/Right-of-Way to acquire property that will focus on future drainage improvements? This could ensure compliance with the statement, "thereby preventing repetitive loss and the possibility of catastrophic human loss". -Proposals may include only taking a portion of the property necessary for proposed drainage improvements rather than acquiring the entire property and demolishing the structure.	<p>Thank you for your comment.</p> <p>Your comments will be passed along to the H-GAC Board of Directors and the Texas General Land Office.</p>

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4	9/10/2018	Oral Comment (Public Meeting)	Greg Vezorak, Homeowner in Montgomery County	Mr. Vezorak expressed concern over the status of home buy-outs in Montgomery County. State that he'd added his name to a list managed by the County Engineer's Office a year ago and hasn't received any follow up. Homes surrounding his were designated as part of the floodway; his was not. He is unable to raise his home the required amount but cannot rebuild yet.	<p>Thank you for your comment.</p> <p>The GLO tasked councils of governments, such as H-GAC, to develop a Method of Distribution for the local residential buyout/acquisition program and local infrastructure programs to eligible entities, including Montgomery County. Once the Method of Distribution has been approved by the GLO, it will be the responsibility of the county to identify specific buyout/acquisitions projects. We suggest you forward your concerns to the appropriate officials in Montgomery County.</p> <p>Your comments will be passed along to the H-GAC Board of Directors and the Texas General Land Office.</p>
5	9/10/2018	Public Comment (Online Form)	Rose Palmer, Homeowner in Galveston County	To: Mr. Jeff Tarbell GHAC. I was so wanting to attend the meeting this morning, however as a Caretaker for my elderly mom, I am unable to do so. My home was severely damaged during H-Harvey, and here we are a year later having to sign a new lease in an apartment in a nearby city. I wish to apply for the acquisition part of the program but have not been contacted by anyone. I guess my question is, how soon will we received assistance in order that we get back to a place we call home. I feel those who want the buyouts/Acquisition should be given the options to do whatever meets their needs. We have been very patient, and now after a year; we are ready to return home. Please help us. Thanks, Rose Palmer	<p>Thank you for your comment.</p> <p>The GLO tasked councils of governments, such as H-GAC, to develop a Method of Distribution for the local residential buyout/acquisition program and local infrastructure programs to eligible entities, including Galveston County. Once the Method of Distribution has been approved by the GLO, it will be the responsibility of the county to identify specific buyout/acquisitions projects. We suggest you forward your concerns to the appropriate officials in Galveston County.</p> <p>Your comments will be passed along to the H-GAC Board of Directors and the Texas General Land Office.</p>
6	9/11/2018	Public Comment (Online Form)	Scott Swigert, Assistant City Manager in Mont Belvieu	<p>Over the past 10 years, the Houston-Galveston region has been subjected to extensive damage due to direct hits from two major hurricanes (Ike and Harvey) and two significant flood events (Memorial Day and Tax Day).</p> <p>I believe the funding that has been allocated for Local Infrastructure Projects (\$129,751,761) needs to be used most efficiently to foster long-term recovery and permanent restoration of infrastructure within the "Most Impacted Areas" that will benefit the most people within the Houston-Galveston region and will assist in preventing further damages. With the Houston-Galveston region overall goal of rebuilding being to establish communities that can withstand or rebound from future disasters, it is my belief that projects within the "Most Impacted Areas" that have the greatest population benefit should have the highest priority followed by projects that provide benefits to populations beyond the applicant's borders or projects that have more than one applicant submitting the project, followed by projects that only impact the populations within the applicant borders. Hurricane Harvey's greatest cause of damage was flooding generated from waterways throughout the region.</p>	<p>Thank you for your comment.</p> <p>The GLO tasked councils of governments, such as H-GAC, to develop a Method of Distribution for the local residential buyout/acquisition program and local infrastructure programs to eligible entities. The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development has directed that, at a minimum, 80% of these funds be directed to the identified "Most Impacted Areas." Eligible activities under this program include repairs to various types of infrastructure damaged by Hurricane Harvey, including flood control infrastructure.</p> <p>Your comments will be passed along to the H-GAC Board of Directors and the Texas General Land Office.</p>

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				Priority funding should be given to projects that assist in preventing further damages caused by flooding to our regional waterways and that control the water not only through but ultimately out of the region.	
7	9/11/2018	Public Comment (e-mail)	Dian Stirn Groh	Please work faster to help businesses recover. Dickinson needs those businesses back.	<p>Thank you for your comment.</p> <p>Your comment will be passed along to the H-GAC Board of Directors and the Texas General Land Office.</p>
8	9/14/2018	Public Comment (Online Form)	Amelia Adams, Researcher and Community Planner for Texas Housers	<p>Dear Mr. Taebel,</p> <p>We at Texas Housers appreciate the opportunity to provide comment on the H-GAC Method of Distribution. H-GAC has specified that it is not requesting comments on its formulas for distribution, as they have already been approved by the board. For that reason, I will focus on the information provided on pages 5-8, as requested in the notice of the comment period.</p> <p>However, while H-GAC's board has already approved the distribution methodology from the original draft MOD, Texas Housers' original comments regarding the inadequacy of this methodology still stand. For this reason, I've incorporated these original concerns below.</p> <p>1) Long term planning and recovery The statement provided regarding long term planning and recovery is vague and doesn't offer any details as to what the various activities might be, apart from those allowed by the state. It would be more helpful to know what types of activities the region will prioritize, especially in terms of infrastructure funding, which can be interpreted in a very broad way. We are especially concerned that more research and planning is needed to impactfully and equitably designate buyout funding.</p> <p>The MOD's buyout allocation methodology is seriously flawed, which could result in funding allocation that doesn't reflect the areas that need long-term solutions.</p> <p>The first problem is that it assumes damage weights will reflect the suitability of these areas for buyouts, not to mention the fact that the damage was caused by flooding, as opposed to wind. Within the H-GAC region, the majority of Harvey damage claims appears to be, in fact, caused by flooding and not wind, which is not the case in all parts of the disaster area. However, there are areas such as Wharton County and the most-impacted zipcodes in Colorado County, where there are also considerable wind damage claims, according to the map provided in the</p>	<p>Thank you for your comment.</p> <p>For both the buyout/acquisition and infrastructure programs, all activities must be specifically related to Hurricane Harvey, and must meet the criteria as outlined in the State of Texas Plan for Disaster Recovery: Hurricane Harvey (Section IV.F.7.d).</p> <p>The H-GAC MOD is designed to provide flexibility for local jurisdictions to address unique local needs. H-GAC has not identified priorities for the region and has opted not to limit Grantees in the region to selecting projects within any specific priorities. H-GAC's allocation formula was based on the best data available at the regional level. However, H-GAC encourages local jurisdictions to utilize relevant local plans and the best available local data, and a robust public engagement process, to ensure that projects further long-term recovery and address long term housing needs.</p> <p>The requirement of 70% of the aggregate CDBG-DR funds to be utilized for the benefit of low- or moderate-income population is established in the Federal Register and is reiterated in the GLO's State Action Plan (referenced above). The responsibility for developing specific projects that meet this threshold will rest with local governments. If local governments are unable to deliver eligible projects, H-GAC has recommended a reallocation hierarchy that will redirect funding which cannot be utilized to jurisdictions that have the highest percentage of housing damage.</p> <p>It is H-GAC's understanding that the GLO will require each project applicant to meet the low- to moderate-income percentage requirement at the local level. H-GAC is developing a guidance for its member governments that will include a summary of public comments and inform prioritization of local projects within their jurisdictions.</p> <p>With respect to the minimum allocation per jurisdiction for Buyout/Acquisition (\$1,000,000) and Infrastructure (\$100,000) programs, these thresholds were established by the GLO. To increase these minimums would reduce the number</p>

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				<p>GLO's State Action Plan. For those wind-damaged units, buyouts will not solve the problem, which is why is it necessary to distinguish between FVL caused by various forces in order to truly consider suitability of damaged homes for buyouts.</p> <p>Second, local jurisdictions and H-GAC must make use of data available through the National Flood Insurance Program about concentrations of repetitive loss properties in order to intelligently allocate this funding. The Community Rating System (CRS) offers jurisdictions advice on locating concentration areas of repetitive loss properties, collecting remote data on these properties and determining the cause of the ongoing flooding problems there. This type of investigation will be essential in locating areas that are suited to buyouts, as opposed to individual homes that were damaged and should be rebuild with mitigation in mind or areas where poor infrastructure is to blame.</p> <p>2) Unmet housing needs Again, the vague statement provided in no way specifies how these programs will effectively target and address unmet needs in the region.</p> <p>There are also unresolved problems with the allocation methodology. For example, using FEMA-Verified Loss categories will reproduce inequality in disaster funding designation. FEMA damage levels (FVL) are not adequate to determine allocation of funding. One reason we're concerned is that FEMA-verified loss calculations (or variations thereof, such as those used in the MOD) rely on personal property damage for renters, which undercounts these households, leaving them out of the calculation of need. The "weighted damage" calculation will also further undercount households that were found to have low FVL levels due to the pre-existing condition or low value pre-storm value of their home. As a result, H-GAC should not rely entirely on this data to determine where funding will be distributed. The income (and hence ability to pay) of disaster survivors should be considered when determining whether they will require funding to recover. One way to accomplish this is to utilize the methodology recommended by Texas Housers in response to the Draft Action Plan. This methodology factors in the income level (ELI/VLI/LI) of the household when a threshold for unmet need. In other words, there is a lower threshold for unmet need among lower income households because they are more likely to require outside aid to recover.</p> <p>3) Low-to-moderate income requirement This section is entirely inadequate to provide guidance on how the LMI requirement will be met and which levels of government are responsible for ensuring that this happens. For example, this statement doesn't specify whether the local jurisdictions are required to meet the LMI requirement individually, or whether that will be calculated at the COG</p>	<p>of jurisdictions that would receive an allocation in H-GAC's Method of Distribution. Your comment will be passed along to the H-GAC Board of Directors and the Texas General Land Office.</p>

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				<p>level, allowing different jurisdictions to serve different income levels. How will this be communicated to the locals? This is not something that can be considered as an afterthought but must be a top priority in order to make sure low income households are given every chance to recover. Our experience on the ground shows that there is an enormous gulf between the state of low income and non-low income households a year after the disaster. Even if both were hit by the storm and suffered damage, those households with the resources (such as savings, access to credit, and family networks) to recover have already recovered. Those who don't have these advantages will continue to live in homes that are uninhabitable and unsafe. The purpose of CDBG-DR funds is to serve these people. This is why the LMI requirement and its execution cannot be taken lightly. All residents in the H-GAC region deserve to be considered, but it is the responsibility of the COG to ensure that the most vulnerable are taken care of with this funding.</p> <p>Other comments on the LBAP program: Small amounts of funding are not sufficient to engage in a well-planned buyout program that doesn't result in "checker boarding" of neighborhoods (lack of concentration of buyouts in affected areas) or strain on resources and city services (due to the continued need to serve areas that have been partially bought out). One million dollars, which is the cutoff for any jurisdiction to receive its own buyout funding (before it is rolled up to the next highest jurisdiction) is not enough to fund a significant buyout program that doesn't exacerbate these problems. Buyout programs need to be concentrated in areas that have repetitive flood losses that can only be addressed through an organized acquisition program that offers households sufficient money to move to an equivalent home in a safer area. Finally, when funding is "rolled up" to the county level, there should be a requirement to serve areas that doesn't have a large enough damage total to have their own funding allocation. It makes sense for jurisdictions NOT to receive small amounts of funding that are insufficient to engage in meaningful recovery or mitigation activities, but these areas shouldn't be left without funding. Otherwise, smaller jurisdictions with fewer housing units may end up not getting access to the funds necessary for recovery.</p> <p>Thank you for your consideration.</p>	
9	9/14/2018	Public Comment (e-mail)	Madison Sloan Director of Disaster Recovery and Fair Housing Project at Texas Appleseed and Cyrus Reed, PhD	<p>Dear Mr. Taebel:</p> <p>The undersigned appreciate the opportunity to provide comments on the reposted version of HGAC's Method of Distribution (MOD) covering \$240,705,199 in Community Development Block Grant for Disaster Recovery (CDBG-DR) funds allocated by the State of Texas in its Action Plan. We</p>	<p>Thank you for your comment.</p> <p>For both the buyout/acquisition and infrastructure programs, all activities must be specifically related to Hurricane Harvey, and must meet the criteria as outlined in the State of Texas Plan for Disaster Recovery: Hurricane Harvey (Section IV.F.7.d).</p>

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			<p>Conservation Director of Lone Star Chapter at Sierra Club and Earthea Nance, PhD, PE, CFM</p>	<p>do note that although the comment period began on April 30, 2018, notice of the reposting and new comment period was not distributed by email until September 11, 2018, three days before the comment deadline.</p> <p>Because H-GAC had not made changes to the MOD posted for public comment and approved by the Board on July 17, 2018, we have attached our original comments and incorporate them by reference herein.</p> <p>We offer the following additional comments:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Long-Term Planning and Recovery H-GAC does not explain “how its method of distribution fosters long-term community recovery that is forward-looking and focused on permanent restoration of infrastructure, housing, and the local economy.” Simply stating that “programs will be conducted by eligible communities through various types of eligible activities” does not even explain what these activities will be, let alone explain how they will contribute to long-term planning and recovery.</li> <p>H-GAC fails to cite to planning documents, including hazard mitigation plans or the GLO’s Coastal Resiliency Master Plan, to establish funding priorities is likely to result in ineffective and incomplete disaster recovery without consideration of mitigating future disasters. H-GAC’s allocation methodology exacerbates this problem, by making adequate funding for effective programs unavailable in certain jurisdictions.</p> <li>2. Unmet Housing Needs The MOD Guidelines require the COG’s Method of Distribution Summary Form to include “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 most impacted and distressed areas.” (MOD Guidelines at 13) SETRPC’s MOD does not include this explanation. A statement that “buyout/acquisition and infrastructure activities are critical to the long-term recovery and restoration of housing within the Houston-Galveston region” and again, vague assertions that the subrecipients will engage in “various eligible activities” is not an explanation.</li> <li>3. Low- to Moderate-Income Requirement The MOD does not include the required plan to meet the 70 percent low- and moderate-income requirement. (GLO Guidelines at 7 and 9.) It simply restates that the Action Plan requires that at least 70 percent of all program funds must benefit low- and moderate-income (LMI) persons. Restating a requirement is in no way a plan, and the MOD must be revised to meet this requirement.</li> </ol>	<p>The H-GAC MOD is designed to provide flexibility for local jurisdictions to address unique local needs. H-GAC has not identified priorities for the region and has opted not to limit Grantees in the region to selecting projects within any specific priorities. H-GAC’s allocation formula was based on the best data available at the regional level. However, H-GAC encourages local jurisdictions to utilize relevant local plans and the best available local data, and a robust public engagement process to ensure that projects further long-term recovery and address long term housing needs.</p> <p>The requirement of 70% of the aggregate CDBG-DR funds to be utilized for the benefit of low- or moderate-income population is established in the Federal Register and is reiterated in the GLO’s State Action Plan (referenced above). The responsibility for developing specific projects that meet this threshold will rest with local governments. If local governments are unable to deliver eligible projects, H-GAC has recommended a reallocation hierarchy that will redirect funding which cannot be utilized to jurisdictions that have the highest percentage of housing damage.</p> <p>It is H-GAC’s understanding that the GLO will require each project applicant to meet the low- to moderate-income percentage requirement at the local level. H-GAC is developing a guidance for its member governments that will include a summary of public comments and inform prioritization of local projects within their jurisdictions.</p> <p>With respect to the minimum allocation per jurisdiction for Buyout/Acquisition (\$1,000,000) and Infrastructure (\$100,000) programs, these thresholds were established by the GLO. To increase these minimums would reduce the number of jurisdictions that would receive an allocation in H-GAC’s Method of Distribution.</p> <p>Your comment will be passed along to the H-GAC Board of Directors and the Texas General Land Office.</p>

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				<p>This section also fails to explain why the COG has chosen to use 70% of the program fund to benefit LMI <b>individuals</b> instead of ensuring that 70% of funds benefit <b>areas</b> that are 51% or more LMI. While this may be a reasonable choice, H-GAC needs to explain that choice, particularly given that LMI communities, which are often where members of protected classes under the Fair Housing Act, frequently have substandard infrastructure that does not protect them from, or mitigate the future effects of, a natural disaster, as a result of discrimination and disinvestment.</p> <p>We support H-GAC, GLO, and HUD’s enforcement of this requirement, and urge you to resist any attempts to lower this LMI requirement in any way. We would in fact encourage you to consider a higher LMI requirement.</p> <p>4. Local Buyout and Acquisition Program  <i>The State of Texas Plan for Disaster Recovery: Hurricane Harvey – Round 1 (Action Plan)</i> states that “for both housing and infrastructure, the MOD establishes a balance between the total unmet need, the ability to recovery, and the relative population of the impacted areas . . . each of these variables plays a factor in the recovery process and is reflected in the distribution models.” (Action Plan at 73) Similarly, the GLO’s <i>Hurricane Harvey - Round 1 Council of Governments Method of Distribution Guidelines</i> (MOD Guidelines) require local MODs to “[e]stablish objective criteria for the allocation of funds to eligible entities or activities (<b>distribution based on, but not limited to, unmet need</b>)”. (MOD Guidelines at 7 and 8) (emphasis added)</p> <p>Levels of property damage are an inappropriate metric on which to allocate buyout funds. Areas with more recorded (by FEMA’s flawed system) damage may be getting buyout funds when they do not have repetitive loss areas, while jurisdictions where the majority of damage was in repetitive flood areas will not get enough funding for an effective buyout program. H GAC and its local jurisdictions must make use of data available through the National Flood Insurance Program about concentrations of repetitive loss properties and conduct a local needs assessment in order to capture LMI households who could not afford flood insurance, but still experience repetitive flooding, in order to effectively sub allocate this funding. The Community Rating System (CRS) offers jurisdictions advice on relocating concentrated areas of repetitive loss properties, collecting remote data on these properties and determining the cause of the ongoing flooding problems there. This type of investigation will be essential in locating areas that are suited for buyouts, as opposed to individual homes that were damaged and should be rebuild with mitigation in mind or areas where poor infrastructure is to blame.</p>	



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				<p>Allocating small amounts of funding to a large number of jurisdictions is also ineffective and not conducive to long-term recovery and planning or mitigating future disaster damage. Buying out a few homes in scattered areas will result in “checkerboard” neighborhoods (lack of concentration of buyouts in affected areas) that leaves remaining residents vulnerable to future disasters (and unable to access other disaster recovery resources); strain resources and city services because of the continued need to serve areas that have been partially bought out; and recreate current patterns of vulnerability and flood hazard. One million dollars is not enough to fund a significant buyout program that does not exacerbate these problems. Buyout funding needs to be concentrated in areas that have repetitive flood losses that can only be addressed through an organized acquisition program that offers households sufficient money to move to an equivalent home in a safer area.</p> <p>5. Local Infrastructure Program The current allocation methodology is likely to recreate current patterns of vulnerability and flood hazard. Some jurisdictions are receiving as little as \$106,901 for infrastructure projects. This amount is unlikely to be large enough to fund a significant infrastructure program that repairs disaster damage, let alone mitigates future disaster vulnerability. These are also the jurisdictions with the fewest other resources, like bond funding, to supplement CDBG-DR funding.</p> <p>This problem is exacerbated by H-GAC’s failure to prioritize eligible activities. H-GAC states in its Long-Term Planning and Recovery section that both the buyout and acquisition and infrastructure programs are supposed to “reduce repetitive loss and risk to human health and safety and improve critical infrastructure that was damaged or failed to function.” It is extraordinarily difficult to imagine how senior centers, parks, playgrounds, and other recreational facilities meet these goals. The method of distribution, however, makes it more likely that jurisdictions will choose projects like, for example, a traffic light study<sup>1</sup>, because they do not have enough funding for a drainage project, or to harden a water facility. This allocation also makes collaboration on regional projects that would protect larger numbers of households more difficult.</p> <p>Ideally, of course, CDBG-DR funds could return all aspects of a community to their pre-storm or more resilient condition, but there is not enough funding to do this. H-GAC must prioritize projects with the most urgent need, and the closest relationship to protecting communities from future disasters.</p> <p>The MOD fails to address the standards to which any new construction is built, including how the buildings will be inspected to assure compliance with HUD required standards (such as Energy Star), and the State of</p>	

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				<p>Texas minimum energy codes (2015 IECC for commercial and 2015 IRC, Chapter 11 for residential). Because Texas law does not allow county governments to directly inspect buildings, the MOD must address how entities using funding for reconstruction purposes will assure compliance with HUD and Texas standards on buildings, including compliance inspections. This is particularly important related to rebuilding of public facilities.</p> <p>In addition, infrastructure programs must prioritize the needs of LMI households and communities, in particular, communities with substandard infrastructure as a result of discrimination and disinvestment. A key issue for many of these communities is environmental justice, as they were impacted not only by flooding but also by hazards related to chemicals, oils, sewage, waste or air pollution during the event. Neighborhoods that were doubly impacted by floodwaters polluted with chemicals, oils, waste, or sewage should be prioritized for mitigation as well.</p> <p>In conclusion, we appreciate HGAC's work on the MOD, and your consideration of these comments. Please let us know if we can provide further information or be helpful in any way.</p>	
10	7/6/2018	Public Comment (e-mail)	Brennan Griffin, Deputy Director for Texas Appleseed	<p>We appreciate the opportunity to provide comments on the HGAC's Method of Distribution (MOD) covering \$240,705,199 in Community Development Block Grant for Disaster Recovery (CDBG-DR) funds allocated by the State of Texas in its Action Plan.</p> <p>Texas Appleseed is a public interest justice center that works to change unjust laws and policies that prevent Texans from realizing their full potential. Since Hurricanes Katrina and Rita in 2005, Texas Appleseed has worked with a network of organizations in Texas, including housing advocates, policy experts, and grassroots community groups, to ensure that all Texas families are able to recover in the wake of a natural disaster, that communities are rebuilt to be more resilient, and that all families have the opportunity to live in safe, decent neighborhoods with equal access to educational and economic opportunity.</p> <p>We do not believe that H-GAC's MOD is compliant with GLO requirements as it does not follow the MOD form provided by GLO and consists only of data and allocation tables. It provides no further information on the details of the buyout or infrastructure programs, nor does it contain any information on the public participation process, how HGAC's MOD furthers long term recovery, unmet housing needs, the LMI income requirement, or affirmatively furthering fair housing. HGAC must produce a complete and compliant MOD for public comment.</p> <p>We offer the following comments on what needs to be included in HGAC's MOD:</p>	<p>Thank you for your comment.</p> <p>This comment was originally submitted to H-GAC on 7/6/18 during the initial public comment period. In continuation of the Public Comment period, the MOD Summary Form and Citizen Participation Plan were posted online for additional comment from 8/30/18 – 9/14/18. H-GAC held an additional public meeting on 9/10/18 to further encourage comment on posted materials.</p> <p>As outlined in a Citizen Participation Plan submitted to the GLO on May 18, 2018, H-GAC implemented a media campaign using local English and non-English newspapers to inform and invite the public to four Public Planning Meetings and two Public Hearings. H-GAC posted notices of these meetings in relevant Papers of General Circulation for all 12 eligible counties and on the H-GAC, General Land Office, and the Secretary of State websites.</p> <p>H-GAC accepted written comments on the draft Method of Distribution beginning at 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, June 21, 2018 through 4:00 p.m. Friday, July 6, 2018. Comments were accepted by mail, through an online form, and in person at two public hearings.</p> <p>The Method of Distribution does not include a factor for Low- to Moderate-Income Households (LMI) and is based solely on housing damage, weighted for severity. The methodology behind this weighting are available on H-GAC's website.</p>

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				<p><b>A. Local Buyout and Acquisition Program:</b></p> <p>Program guidelines for this program must be developed in a transparent process with extensive community input. Local communities must have a citizen participation process for drafting buyout guidelines. Regardless of whether these planned buyouts are voluntary or mandatory, relocating, away from an existing community or a home that has been in a family for generations, can be difficult and even traumatic. Without planning and community buy-in, a voluntary individual buyout program can result in a patchwork of empty and occupied homes, creating a blighted neighborhood. One of the critical issues in ensuring a successful buyout program is equity and ensuring that program rules and processes do not have a disparate impact on particular groups of homeowners.</p> <p>Local buyout and acquisition programs must also prioritize LMI households in floodways and floodplains, who have the least resources with which to relocate on their own, leaving them a choice between housing instability and potential homelessness, or continuing to live in homes that may be structurally compromised or present health risks because of mold. It is particularly critical for LMI families that this buyout program includes not only acquisition and demolition, but relocation payments and other assistance and incentives as well. As the Federal Register Notice states, “a buyout program that merely pays homeowners to leave their existing homes does not result in a low- and moderate-income household occupying a residential structure and, thus, cannot meet the requirements of the LMH national objective.” (83 FR 5863) Local buyout programs should include plans to build housing in safer areas.</p> <p>Low- and moderate-income households must be provided with enough funds that the choice to move is a realistic one (or to ensure that they can actually move to a safer area in the case of mandatory buyouts.) The worst-case scenario is that families who accept a buyout are unable to find housing in safer areas and are forced to move back into their original or less safe neighborhoods.</p> <p>The decision of whether to use pre- or post-storm home value is an important one. In particular, using the pre-storm value of a home to determine disaster recovery program benefit limits often has a discriminatory impact on the basis of race or ethnicity as well. Following Hurricane Katrina, the National Fair Housing Alliance (NFHA), the Greater New Orleans Fair Housing Action Center (GNOFAC), and African-American homeowners sued the State of Louisiana and the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) alleging racial discrimination in the State’s CDBG-DR funded Road Home Program, which provided grants to homeowners to repair or rebuild their homes. The original grant formula was based on the pre-storm value of a home, which resulted in African-American homeowners receiving less repair money than White homeowners, because their homes were located in neighborhoods with lower home values based on market discrimination and the legacy of segregation. Many African-American families were left unable to complete repairs or return home or</p>	<p>The requirement of 70% of the aggregate CDBG-DR funds to be utilized for the benefit of low- or moderate-income population is established in the Federal Register and is reiterated in the GLO’s State Action Plan. The responsibility for developing specific projects that meet this threshold will rest with local governments. In the event that local governments are unable to deliver eligible projects, H-GAC has recommended a reallocation hierarchy that will redirect funding which cannot be utilized to jurisdictions that have the highest percentage of housing damage.</p> <p>It is H-GAC’s understanding that the GLO will require each project applicant to meet the low- to moderate-income percentage requirement at the local level. H-GAC is developing a guidance for its member governments that will include a summary of public comments and inform prioritization of local projects within their jurisdictions.</p> <p>H-GAC is not proposing as part of this Method of Distribution any additional requirements on local implementation of buyout/acquisition or infrastructure projects beyond those that have been established in in the Federal Register or GLO’s State Action Plan. H-GAC will provide the feedback regarding additional policies for buyouts/acquisitions to the GLO.</p>

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				<p>living in uninhabitable houses. As Louisiana Congressman Cedric Richmond said when the case was settled in 2011,</p> <p><i>[e]veryone knew that the Road Home formula for calculating grant awards was deeply flawed and punished folks in neighborhoods where home values were lower. . . After all, if two families are both rebuilding a three bedroom home then their construction costs will be the same—regardless of the neighborhood. In that case, each family deserves the same assistance from their government. Unfortunately, the flawed formula was effectively discriminatory, locking many families out of equitable assistance.</i></p> <p>HGAC’s and local program guidelines must ensure that buyout and acquisition programs are consistent regardless of whether the cost is funded by FEMA or CDBG-DR. CDBG-DR funding could be used to provide additional funds for LMI families in FEMA programs that would not provide them with enough funding to move, for example. HGAC should be particularly careful that they are not using a program that provides lesser benefits to serve communities and homeowners of color. <b>Local program guidelines must be identical, no family should have unequal access to disaster recovery simply because of where they live.</b> We recommend that HGAC, in collaboration with local communities and residents, develop one buyout program with one set of guidelines that is then administered by local jurisdictions.</p> <p><b>B. Local Infrastructure Program</b></p> <p>Resilience is the ability to withstand and recover from disasters quickly, in a way that mitigates future damage and vulnerability, and in a way that goes beyond physical infrastructure. Low-income communities and communities of color are disproportionately affected by and have a harder time recovering from a disaster because of both geographic and social vulnerability forced on them by segregation, discrimination, and often the cumulative effects of previous disasters, on wealth and access to opportunity. For its Natural Disaster Resilience Competition (NDRC) HUD defined a resilient community as one which “is able to resist and rapidly recover from disasters or other shocks with minimal outside assistance,” and that plan and implement disaster recovery that mitigates future threats “while also improving quality of life for existing residents and making communities more resilient to economic stresses or other shocks.” Improving the quality of life for existing residents and making them more resilient to other shocks, including economic stress that can push middle and working class families into poverty following a disaster, is at the core of our concern for equity in disaster recovery.</p> <p>Infrastructure programs must prioritize the needs of low- and middle-income households and communities, in particular, communities with substandard infrastructure as a result of discrimination and disinvestment. A key issue for many of these communities is environmental justice, as they were impacted not</p>	

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				<p>only by flooding but also by hazards related to chemicals, oils, sewage, waste or air pollution during the event. Neighborhoods that were doubly impacted by floodwaters polluted with chemicals, oils, waste, or sewage should be prioritized for mitigation as well.</p> <p>Also key to economic recovery and future resilience is ensuring that the jobs generated by recovery projects and programs are filled by local workers and those who lost jobs because of Harvey to create real jobs and job training for community residents and create additional opportunities for community businesses. An economic development program that provides loans to small business will not be successful unless that business has access to a workforce. Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968 (12 U.S.C. 1701u; 24 C.F.R 135) requires recipients of certain HUD financial assistance, including CDBG-DR, provide job training, employment, and contracting opportunities for low or very low income residents in connections with projects or activities in their neighborhoods to the greatest extent possible. Historically, Section 3 has not been vigorously enforced, and jurisdictions have completely failed to comply with its provisions. We urge HGAC to fully implement and enforce Section 3, including monitoring (for example, of whether contractors are genuinely Section 3 eligible), helping to set up a training and jobs pipeline, measuring success in terms of the number of hours worked by Section-3 eligible workers, clearly defining the geographic area from which residents should get preference as locally as possible, and imposing meaningful monetary penalties on contractors who do not meet their Section 3 goals. In addition to Section 3, jurisdictions routinely impose requirements like local hiring and job production in exchange for government financial assistance or other benefits and we encourage HGAC and its subrecipients to do so.</p> <p>Other options for increasing the number of jobs going to affected individuals and communities are ensuring that contractor qualifications include a commitment to local hiring and best value bidding processes that give more points to bidders who can comply with job quality and targeted hiring standards. CDBG-DR presents an opportunity to leverage housing and infrastructure funds into economic development funds as well.</p> <p><b>C. Needs Assessment and Funding Allocation</b></p> <p>We appreciate that HGAC has used a weighting factor for share of total weighted damage to make a preliminary allocation of program funds. However, seeing as this methodology is based on misleading data and methodology provided by FEMA and HUD, we are concerned that HGAC will not be accurately addressing the critical housing and infrastructure needs of low and moderate income people in the area. The methodology provided by HUD and GLO for determining unmet housing needs underestimates the amount of loss to low-income populations. Using this methodology will not include the severity of damage suffered by low-income homeowners and distort the geographic allocation of money based on</p>	

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				<p>that standard. We first raised this issue in our comments on how the MOD should be conducted on June 6, 2018.</p> <p>Using FEMA Verified Loss (FVL) of real property (owners) to determine unmet need at the State level found that 54% of affected homeowners had no unmet needs on the basis that their FVL was below the thresholds set for the FEMA damage categories. However, when this is broken down by income level, 69 percent of extremely low-income (ELI) owners were found to have no unmet needs. Conversely, only 41 percent of non-LMI owners were found to have no unmet needs. The conclusion, based on FEMA data, that families making less than 30% of Area</p> <p>Median Income (AMI), which, for example, is \$12,060 in the Beaumont-Port Arthur MSA and \$13,100 in in the Corpus Christi MSA, have been better able to recover than families making more than double that amount is simply not credible. The inaccuracy of this calculation is borne out by a study conducted by the Episcopal Health Foundation and the Kaiser Family Foundation three months after Hurricane Harvey. The study found that lower-income families and Black and Latinx Texans were less likely to have homeowners', renters', or flood insurance, and that,</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>[n]early half (46%) say they or someone else in their household lost job-related income as a result of the storm, such as getting fewer hours at work (32%), losing a job entirely (12%) or losing income from a small business or unpaid missed days (32%). These income disruptions affected a greater share of Hispanic (65%) and Black (46%) residents compared to White residents (31%).</i></p> <p>Lower- and even middle-income families are less likely to have the savings and access to credit that let them access safe housing (including more immediate repairs) and are more likely to be forced to relocate far from jobs and schools, to live in overcrowded housing or double up with family or friends, remain in unsafe housing, or become homeless.</p> <p>2015 Pew Charitable Trust study found that less than half (45%) of American households have even one month's income in savings in case of an emergency. Lower income households are in an even more precarious situation, with only two weeks of savings. Those at the bottom of the income scale could only survive 9 days on their liquid assets. The study also indicates that even middle-income households could only scrape together about four months of income; it has been nearly 10 months since Hurricane Harvey.</p> <p>Pew also looked at disparities in liquid savings among various racial and ethnic groups and found that,</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>[t]he typical white household has slightly more than one month's income in liquid savings, compared with just 12 days for the typical Hispanic</i></p>	

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				<p><i>household and only five days for the typical African-American household. In fact, a quarter of black households would have less than \$5 if they liquidated all of their financial assets, compared with \$199 and \$3,000 for the bottom 25 percent of Hispanic and white households, respectively.</i></p> <p>In addition, median white wealth is twelve times median black wealth, a disparity that can be traced to the history of segregation and discrimination in the United States, from government redlining to current lending discrimination.</p> <p>The primary purpose of the CDBG program is to benefit LMI populations, yet the HUD methodology the State and therefore HGAC using has the clear, disproportionate effect on LMI populations of excluding them from the unmet needs assessment conclusions. This disproportionate effect is not only on low- and moderate-income Texans, but on Black and Latinx populations as well.</p> <p>Using this methodology means that HGAC is budgeting for unmet housing needs with the expectation that most LMI households, who fall into lower level damage categories if they are represented at all, are not severely damaged and will not need their homes rebuilt. While the average FVL for non-LMI homeowners was about twice that of ELI owners, the average income for non-LMI owners is over 14 times that of ELI owners. This methodology underrepresents LMI housing needs by income level, particularly misrepresenting the level of unmet rental housing need for ELI families. HGAC's use of FVL damage categories to weight the geographic distribution of CDBG-DR funds, therefore, will end up allocating resources away from areas that need them the most, affecting not only those families, but those communities as a whole.</p> <p>Texas Appleseed supports the use of a data-based formula to allocate federal disaster recovery funds. But that formula must be adjusted to account for deficiencies in FEMA and other data and ensure that the needs of all Texans affected by Hurricane Harvey are taken into account. We strongly recommend that HGAC use the methodology proposed by the Texas Low Income Housing Information Service (Texas Housers) in its comments on the draft Action Plan - or a similar methodology - which relates a household's FVL to their income, thereby considering the level of impact on a household, acknowledging the loss valuation variations produced by the FEMA/HUD methodology, and more accurately counts households with unmet housing needs that are the least able to recover and most vulnerable to housing insecurity. This method also ensures that the geographic allocation of funding addresses the actual levels of unmet housing needs in each locality.</p> <p>In conclusion, we appreciate HGAC's work on the Action Plan and disaster recovery, and your consideration of these comments. Please let us know if we can provide further information or be helpful in any way.</p>	