COMMISSIONERS COURT AGENDA Tuesday, February 4, 2025 9:30 a.m.



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COMMISSIONERS COURT Neal Franklin, County Judge Commissioner Christina Drewry, Precinct 1 Commissioner John Moore, Precinct 2 Commissioner J Scott Herod, Precinct 3 Commissioner Ralph Caraway Sr, Precinct 4



COUNTY OF SMITH COMMISSIONERS COURT 200 E. Ferguson, Suite 100 Tyler, Texas 75702

Phone: (903) 590-4605

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Pursuant to Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code, this notice is to advise that a regular meeting of the **Smith County Commissioners Court** will be held at **9:30 a.m. on Tuesday, February 4, 2025**, in the **Smith County Commissioners Courtroom** on the 1st floor of the **Smith County Courthouse Annex**, 200 E. Ferguson, Tyler, Texas.

Questions regarding this agenda should be directed to Commissioners Court Administrative Assistant at 903-590-4605. The agenda is available on the County's website (<u>http://www.smith-county.com</u>).

CALL TO ORDER DECLARE A QUORUM PRESENT DECLARE LEGAL NOTICES POSTED AND COURT DULY CALLED INVOCATION PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

PUBLIC COMMENT: Members of the public who have previously filled out a participation form have an opportunity to address the Commissioners Court on agenda items. The Court is unable to deliberate on non-agenda items. If you desire to request a matter on a future agenda, you may make the request to a member of Commissioners Court. Individual comments are limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes. If you wish to address the Court, obtain a public participation form at the Commissioners Court entryway and submit the completed form to a staff member before the meeting begins. Please be mindful of the Commissioners Court Rules of Procedure, Conduct and Decorum when making your comments and/or attending public meetings.

OPEN SESSION:

COURT ORDERS

COMMISSIONERS COURT

- 1. Consider and take necessary action to adopt a resolution of support to establish and rename a portion of Farm-to-Market Road 2493 as the "Captain Kevin Williams and Firefighter Austin Cheek Memorial Highway" in Smith County.
- 2. Consider and take necessary action to authorize the resolution of resale for struck-off property, suit number 25,641-C and authorize the county judge to sign all related documentation.
- 3. Consider and take necessary action to approve the settlement Automobile Claim Settlement, Claim Number APD20242201-2 from Texas Associations of Counties, and authorize the county judge to sign all related documentation.

TAX OFFICE

4. Consider and take necessary action to approve tax refunds in excess of \$2,500, pursuant to Texas Tax Code 31.11, and authorize the county judge to sign all related documentation.

AUDITOR'S OFFICE

5. Consider and take necessary action to accept the State Criminal Alien Assistance Program (SCAAP) funds for correctional purposes from the Bureau of Justice Program (BJA), including approval of grant conditions, and authorize the Auditor's Office to sign all necessary documentation.

PURCHASING

- 6. Consider and take necessary action to declare the following items surplus and/or salvage, and authorize the Purchasing Department to advertise an online auction beginning February 12, 2025, and ending February 26, 2025, in accordance with the Texas Local Government Code 263.152, and remove from inventory:
 - a. 3 Ford Taurus
 - b. 16 Chevrolet Tahoes
 - c. 1 Chevrolet Impalas
 - d. 1 Ford F-150
 - e. 1 Ford Explorer
 - f. 2 GMC Sierras
 - g. 1 John Deer Tractor
 - h. 3 Brush Hog Mower Decks
 - i. 2 Lots of Tires

FIRE MARSHAL/ EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

7. Consider and take necessary action to authorize the sale of fireworks for Texas Independence Day.

8. Consider and take necessary action to accept a grant from the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ), Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC) division, for an amount not to exceed \$23,000, for the purchase of a drone, and allow the county judge to sign all related documentation.

7TH DISTRICT COURT

9. Consider and take necessary action to approve a contract with Rusty W. Drake for indigent criminal defense services for the 7th District Court, pursuant to Texas Code of Criminal Procedure, § 26.04, and Texas Administrative Code Chapter 174, and authorize the county judge to sign all related documentation.

RECURRING BUSINESS

ROAD AND BRIDGE

- 10. Consider and take necessary action to authorize the county judge to sign the:
 - a. Re-Plat for Blue Ridge Estates, Phase 3, Lots 5 and 7, Precinct 1, and
 - b. Re-Plat for Barbara Road Estates, Unit 2, Precinct 3.
- 11. Receive pipe and/or utility line installation request (notice only):

a. County Road 3101, 3102, 3116, 3117, 3208, Charter-Spectrum, install underground fiber optic cable with vaults, Precinct 3,

b. County Road 217, 2299, 223, 2290, 246 S, 2264, 233, Charter-Spectrum, install aerial and underground fiber optic cable with vaults and pedestals, Precinct 3,

c. County Road 3116, 3118, 3168, 3119, 3111, 3113, 4342, 4343, Charter-Spectrum, install aerial and underground fiber optic cable with vaults and pedestals, Precinct 3,

d. County Road 371, 373, 366, 373, 374, 3110, Charter-Spectrum, install underground fiber optic cable with pedestals, Precinct 3,

e. County Road 122, CenterPoint Energy, install gas line for service, Precinct 1,

f. County Road 429, CenterPoint Energy, install gas line for service, Precinct 4,

g. County Road 235, Jackson Water Supply Corporation, install line for service, Precinct 3, and

h. County Road 24, CenterPoint Energy, install distribution line and service line, Precinct 3.

AUDITOR'S OFFICE

12. Consider and take necessary action to approve and/or ratify payment of accounts, bills, payroll, transfer of funds, amendments, and health claims.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE

13. Receive report on status of Smith County jail operations, inmate population, employee overtime, and employee vacancies.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: For purposes permitted by Texas Government Code, Chapter 551, entitled Open Meetings, Sections 55 1.071, 55 1.072, 551.073, 551.074, 551.0745, 551.075, and 551.076. The Commissioners Court reserves the right to exercise its discretion and may convene in executive session as authorized by the Texas Government Code, Section 551.071, et seq., on any of the items listed on its formal or briefing agendas.

551.087 DELIBERATION REGARDING ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT NEGOTIATIONS 551.071 CONSULTATION WITH ATTORNEY

14. Deliberation and consultation with attorney regarding prospective businesses that intend to locate and/or expand in Smith County, potential economic development negotiation, and financial or other incentives available in Smith County.

ADJOURN

SMITH COUNTY COURTHOUSE ANNEX ACCESSIBILTY STATEMENT FOR

DISABLED PERSONS This meeting site is accessible to disabled persons as follows: Entrance to the Courthouse Annex is accessible through the front entrance on the south side of the Courthouse Annex located at 200 E. Ferguson. A wheelchair ramp provides access to the front entrance. The Commissioners Courtroom is on the first floor. If any special assistance or accommodations are needed in order to attend a Commissioners Court meeting, please contact Commissioners Court staff at 903-590-4605, in advance, so accommodations can be arranged.

Date: 1/31/2025

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Time: <u>2:00 p</u>

Posted By: Jennafer Bell

NEAL FRANKLIN, COUNTY JUDGE



SMITH COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT AGENDA ITEM REQUEST FORM

Submission Date: 01/30/2025	Submitted by: Casey Murphy	
Meeting Date: 02/04/2025	Department: Commissioners Court	
Item Requested is: 🖌 For Action/Consid	leration For Discussion/Report	
Title: Resolution of Support		
Agenda Category:Briefing SessionRecurring BusinessCourt OrdersResolutionPresentationExecutive Session		
rename a portion of Farm-to	ry action to adopt a resolution of support to establish and p-Market Road 2493 as the "Captain Kevin Williams and emorial Highway" in Smith County.	
Background: This request came from Senator Bryan Hughes Office and Assistant Fire Chief Keith Tate, with the Flint-Gresham Volunteer Fire Department and Smith County Emergency Services District 2.		
Financial and Operational Impact:		
Attachments: Yes 🖌 No 🗌 Is a	Budget Amendment Necessary? Yes No 🖌	
Does Document Require Signature? Yes 🖌 No 🗌		
Return Signed Documents to the following:		
Name: Casey Murphy Email	cmurphy@smith-county.com	
Name: Jennafer Bell Email	Email: jbell2@smith-county.com	
Name: Email		
Name: Email	:	

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SUBMIT

RESOLUTION

At a regular meeting of the Smith County Commissioners Court held at the Smith County Courthouse Annex, Tyler, Texas, at which a quorum was present, the following Resolution was adopted:

WHEREAS, Smith County Commissioners Court is in support of the State of Texas naming a portion of Farm-to-Market Road 2493, also known as Old Jacksonville Highway, to the Captain Kevin Williams and Firefighter Austin Cheek Memorial Highway; and

WHEREAS, Smith County Commissioners Court is in support of the state recognition, being pursued by the Flint-Gresham Volunteer Fire Department and Texas Senator Bryan Hughes' Office; and

WHEREAS, Capt. Williams, 42, and Firefighter Cheek, 19, died while fighting a housefire off of FM 2493 in Flint on August 3, 2007. They were both Noonday Volunteer Firefighters; and

WHEREAS, Senator Hughes has filed a bill in the Texas Legislature to rename the portion of FM 2493 in Smith County, between its intersection with Church Street in Flint and its intersection with County Road 150.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Smith County Commissioners Court does support the establishment of the Captain Kevin Williams and Firefighter Austin Cheek Memorial Highway in Smith County.

WITNESS OUR HANDS THIS 4th day of February 2025

Neal Franklin County Judge

Christina Drewry Commissioner, Precinct 1 John Moore Commissioner, Precinct 2

J Scott Herod Commissioner, Precinct 3 Ralph Caraway Sr. Commissioner, Precinct 4



SMITH COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT AGENDA ITEM REQUEST FORM

Submission Date: 1/29/2025		Submitted	^{I by:} Jennafer Bell
Meeting Date: 2/4/2025		Departme	^{nt:} Commissioners Court
Item Requested is: 🖌 For Action/C	Considera	ation	For Discussion/Report
Title: Resolution of Resale for the sale of struck-off property			
Agenda Category:Briefing SessionRecurring BusinessOcourt OrdersResolutionPresentationExecutive Session			
Agenda Wording: Consider and take necessary action to authorize the resolution of resale for the sale of struck-off property, suit number 25,641-C and authorize the county judge to sign all related documentation.			
Background: See attached.			
Financial and Operational Impact:			
Attachments: Yes 🖌 No	Is a Bud	dget Amen	adment Necessary? Yes No
Does Document Require Signature? Yes 🖌 No			
Return Signed Documents to the following:			
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		ccord@smith	n-county.com
	Email:		
Name:	Email:		

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SUBMIT

LINEBARGER GOGGAN BLAIR & SAMPSON, LLP

ATTORNEYS AT LAW 1517 West Front Street Suite 202 Tyler, Tx 75702

Main: 903-597-2897

February _____, 2025

Email: Candice.Dillon@lgbs.com Direct: 903-597-2897

The Honorable Neal Franklin, County Judge Smith County Commissioners Court Attn: Rachel McCord 200 E. Ferguson, Ste. 100 Tyler, Texas 75702

RE: Suit No. 25,641-C, WINONA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL VS. WILLIAM D. ELLIS, AKA WILLIAM DANIEL ELLIS, DOING BUSINESS AS ELLIS TRUCKING INTEREST

Dear Judge Franklin:

We have received a full bid on the above referenced Struck-off property from ETMUD 1. This tract contains one of the MUD'S fresh water supply wells.

The bid offered is the opening bid proposed at the tax sale, therefore the only approval needed to execute this re-sale is your signature. Please sign the deed and have it notarized where noted. A self-addressed stamped envelope is enclosed for the return of the documents to our office.

We appreciate your assistance in this matter, and if you have any questions please give me a call.

Very truly yours

Jing L. Lambeth Attorney at Law

CD/srm

Linebarger Goggan Blair & Sampson, LLP Attorneys at Law 1517 W. Front Street Suite 202 Tyler, Texas 75702

MEMORANDUM	Date:, 2025
TO:	Commissioners Court
FROM:	Jim Lambeth, Attorney
SUBJECT:	Tax Resale Bid(s)

BACKGROUND

PROPERTY DESCRIPTIONS:

1.012 acre, more or less, situated in the K. H. Muse Survey, Abstract 650, Smith County, Texas, as described as being out of Block 50, Eastern portion of Owentown, Texas, in deed dated March 20, 1998, from Michael C. Branch to Ellis Trucking Interest, in Volume 4252, Page 245, Official Records of Smith County, Texas. (180885005000002080)

<u>CAUSE NO.</u> 25,641-C

Resolution(s), Exhibit(s) and Deed(s) attached

FISCAL/OPERATIONAL IMPACT

See Exhibit "A" Bid Analysis

RECOMMENDATION

Properties offered at Sheriff's Tax Sale with no bids received – posted in the Smith County Re-sale Property List.

The Re-Sale bid amounts meet the approval of Gary Barber, Smith County Tax Assessor-Collector

Submitted by:

Jim Lambern, Attorney

Approved by:

Commissioners Court Administrative Assistant

Date:

EXHIBIT "A" BID ANALYSIS

Cause Number:	25,641-C
Bid Amount:	\$9,500.00
Bidders Name:	East Texas MUD
Bidders Address:	
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Previous Owner:	William Ellis
Judgment Value:	\$13,759.00
Opening Bid at Sale:	\$9,500.00
Date of Sale:	June 4, 2024
Date of Bid Submitted	: June 19, 2024

Sale Recording Date: September 27, 2024 Redemption Expires:

PROPERTY DESCRIPTION

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SITUS OR LOCATION: 12488 FM 3311

JUDGMENT INFORMATION

<u>Tax Entity</u>	Tax Years	Amount Due
WINONA ISD	2010-2022	\$5,555.48
SMITH COUNTY	2010-2022	\$1,303.97
TYLER JUNIOR COLLEGE	2010-2022	\$ 777.25
EAST TEXAS MUD	2010-2022	\$1,223.42
SMITH CO ESD #2	2010-2022	\$ 325.40
	TOTAL:	\$9,185.52
	COSTS	
Court Costs Sheriff's Fees: Publication Fee: Title Research: Recording Fee:	\$1,381.00 \$155.00 \$0.00 \$175.00 \$0.00	
TOTAL:	\$1,711.00	
	PROPOSED DISTRIBUTI	ON
Bid Amount: Costs: Net to Distribute:	\$9,500.00 \$1,711.00 \$7,789.00	
ENTITY	PERCENTAGE	AMOUNT TO DISBURSE
WINONA ISD	62.70%	\$4,883.29
SMITH COUNTY	14.20%	\$1,146.68
TYLER JUNIOR COLLEGE	13.63%	\$1,061.61
EAST TEXAS MUD		
SMITH CO ESD #2	8.95%	\$ 697.42
	TOTAL:	\$7,789.00

RESOLUTION NO.

WHEREAS. Smith County, Trustee has become the owner of certain real property by virtue of the fact that a sufficient bid was not received at a sale conducted by the Sheriff pursuant to an order of the District Court, and

WHEREAS, a potential buyer of the property has come forward, and

WHEREAS, all taxing entities involved in the above referenced cause must consent to the sale of the hereinabove described real property, and

WHEREAS, it is to the benefit of all the taxing entities involved that the property be returned to their respective tax rolls;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE

Commissioners Court of the County of Smith, Smith County, Texas

That the County Judge be and is hereby directed and authorized to execute the deed and any and all documents necessary to convey the following described real property:

Cause No. 25,641-C

WINONA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL

Vs.

WILLIAM D. ELLIS, AKA WILLIAM DANIEL ELLIS, DOING BUSINESS AS ELLIS TRUCKING INTEREST

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To:	East Texas MUD
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for and in consideration of the cash sum of \$9,500.00, said money to be distributed pursuant to Chapter 34 of the Texas Property Tax Code and

Resolved this the _____ day of _____ 2025.

Attest:

Karen Phillips, County Clerk

Neal Franklin. County Judge

{seal}			
Commissioners Court:		Voting Yay	g: Nay
Judge Neal Franklin	Date		
Commissioner Christina Drewry	Date		
Commissioner John Moore	Date		
Commissioner J. Scott Herod	Date		
Commissioner Ralph Caraway, Sr.	Date		

Notice of confidentiality rights: If you are a natural person, you may remove or strike any or all of the following information from any instrument that transfers an interest in real property before it is filed for record in the public records: your social security number or your driver's license number.

TAX RESALE DEED

STATE OF TEXAS	§	
	§	KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS
COUNTY OF SMITH	§	

That **Smith County, Trustee**, acting through the presiding officer of its governing body, hereunto duly authorized by resolution and order of said governing body which is duly recorded in its official Minutes, hereinafter called grantor, for and in consideration of the sum of \$9,500.00 cash in hand paid by

East Texas Municipal Utility District

hereinafter called grantee(s), the receipt of which is acknowledged and confessed, has quitclaimed and by these presents does quitclaim unto said grantee(s) all of the right, title and interest of grantor and all other taxing units interested in the tax foreclosure judgment against the property herein described, acquired by tax foreclosure sale heretofore held under Suit No. 25,641-C, Winona Independent School District, Et Al vs. William D. Ellis, Aka William Daniel Ellis, Doing Business As Ellis Trucking Interest, in the district court of said county, said property being located in Smith County, Texas, and described as follows:

1.012 acre, more or less, situated in the K. H. Muse Survey, Abstract 650, Smith County, Texas, as described as being out of Block 50, Eastern portion of Owentown, Texas, in deed dated March 20, 1998, from Michael C. Branch to Ellis Trucking Interest, in Volume 4252, Page 245, Official Records of Smith County, Texas. (18088500500002080)

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said premises, together with all and singular the rights, privileges, and appurtenances thereto in any manner belonging unto the said grantee(s), their heirs and assigns forever, so that neither the grantor, nor any other taxing unit interested in said tax foreclosure judgment, nor any person claiming under it and them, shall at any time hereafter have, claim or demand any right or title to the aforesaid premises or appurtenances, or any part thereof.

Taxes for the present year are to be paid by grantee(s) herein.

This deed is given expressly subject to any existing right of redemption remaining in the former owner of the property under the provisions of law and also subject to any recorded restrictive covenants running with the land, and valid easements of record as of the date of this sale, if such covenants or easements were recorded prior to January 1 of the year the tax lien(s) arose. IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF SMITH COUNTY has caused these presents to be executed this _ day of ______, 2025.

SMITH COUNTY

BY:		
NFA	L FRANKLIN	
Coun	ty Judge	

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF SMITH

This instrument was acknowledged before me on this _____ day of _____, 2025 by NEAL FRANKLIN, County Judge of **SMITH COUNTY**.

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Printed Name: _______ Notary Public, State of Texas My Commission Expires: ______

Property Detail

Account Number: 18 Tax Year: 2025 Ch	10885005000002080 nange Year: 2025 ~	<u>Tax</u> <u>History</u>	<u>Print This</u> <u>Page</u>	<u>Map It</u>	<u>Search</u> Results
Owners	hip Information	Prel	iminary Va	lues	
YEAR PIN NUMBER ACCOUNT NUMBER OWNER IN CARE OF ADDRESS CITY STATE ZIP	2025 R116987 1-80885-0050-00-002080 ELLIS TRUCKING INTEREST TX 75792-6437	IMPROVEMENT VALUE LAND VALUE MARKET VALUE	(+) (+) (=) \$0		
Ju	risdictions	Estimate	d Tax Info	rmation*	¢
COUNTY ISD COLLEGE UTILITY DIST EMERGENCY SERV DIST	SMITH COUNTY WINONA ISD TYLER JR. COLLEGE EAST TEXAS MUD SCESD #2	* For Actual Tax Levy c Assessor/Collector at (9 Tax amounts shown are County Appraisal Distric	903) 590-2920. e only Estimate		by Smith
Lega	I Information				
LOCATION MAP NUMBER MAP GRID ABSTRACT SUBDIVISION SECTION BLOCK/LOT/TRACT ACRES	21690 K-12.2D OWENTOWN OWENTOWN BLOCK 50 LOT 2H, 2F 1.012				
Deec	I Information		Exemption	5	
RECORDING DATE INSTRUMENT VOLUME NUMBER PAGE NUMBER	3/23/1998 WD 11798 4252 245	* For privacy reasons n	ot all exemptic	ons are show	n online.
	Dwellin	g Information			





SMITH COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT AGENDA ITEM REQUEST FORM

Submission Date: 1/31/2025	Submitted by: T. Wilson		
Meeting Date: 02/04/2025	Department: Commissioner Court		
Item Requested is: 🖌 For Action/Consider	ration For Discussion/Report		
Title: Auto Claim Settlement - APD20242201-2			
Agenda Category:Image: Briefing SessionImage: Cell ResolutionImage: Orders Image: PresentationImage: Cell ResolutionImage: Cell ResolutionImage: Orders Image: PresentationImage: Cell ResolutionImage: Cell ResolutionImage: Orders Image: PresentationImage: Cell ResolutionImage: Cell Resolution			
Agenda Wording: Consider and take necessary action to approve the settlement Automobile Claim Settlement, Claim Number APD20242201-2 from Texas Associations of Counties, and authorize the County Judge to sign all necessary documentation.			
Background: This is a total loss, from Smith County Sheriff's Office. This is a K9 vehicle, and adverse driver was at fault. TAC has agreed to settle this claim. This settlement covers both the vehicle and the equipment.			
Financial and Operational Impact: Total Settlement Amount Total Loss Offer: 2019 CU Less Taxes (Progressive Less Deductible: (\$2,500 Net Settlement: \$19,622. Equipment Replacement Depreciation © 20%: (\$ Actual Cash Value: \$21,0	00.63 Evaluation): (\$1,378.17) .00) 46 Cost Value: \$26,267.50 .253.50)		
Attachments: Yes 🖌 No 🗌 Is a Bu	udget Amendment Necessary? Yes No 🖌		
Does Document Require Signature? Yes No			
Return Signed Documents to the following:			
Name: Email:			

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SUBMIT



January 29, 2025

TOTAL LOSS OFFER - AUTO

VIA E-MAIL TO: chaney@smith-county.com Ms. Christina Haney Smith County Assistant Purchasing Agent/Risk Coordinator & Risk Management Pool Coordinator 200 East Ferguson Ste 414 Tyler, TX 75702-7236

RE	TAC RMP Claim #:	APD20242201-2
	Member:	Smith County
	DOL:	12/04/2024
	Coverage #:	CAS-2120-20240701-1
	Coverage Period:	July 1st 2024- July 1st 2025
	Vehicle:	2019 Chevrolet Tahoe
	VIN#:	1GNLCDEC9KR335455

Dear Ms. Haney:

The Texas Association of Counties Risk Management Pool ("Pool") has reviewed the abovereferenced claim. Our records show Smith County has designated you as the Pool Coordinator and as such, we are presenting this total loss offer and permanently attached equipment offer to you as follows:

Total Loss Offer: 2019 Chevrolet Tahoe

Actual Cash Value: \$23,500.63 Less Taxes (Progressive Evaluation): (-\$1,378.17) Less Deductible: (-\$2,500.00)

Net Settlement: \$19,622.46

In addition to physical damage to the aforementioned auto, this auto sustained damage to permanently attached equipment.

^{(512) 478-8753 • (800) 456-5974 • (512) 478-0519} FAX • www.county.org • 1210 San Antonio, Austin, TX 78701 • P.O. Box 2131, Austin, TX 78768-2131 Susan M. Redford, Executive Director

APD20242201-2 January 29, 2025 Page 2 of 2

- Teeco Safety Upfitting \$12,517.76 per unit.
- Motorola Solutions- camera and push bumper- \$2,130.00
- Teeco Quote for K-9 unit- \$7,993.25
- Motorola Solutions- cables and dash mount- \$102.41
- CDW-G Quote- less excluded equipment \$3,524.08

Replacement Cost Value: \$26,267.50 Depreciation @ 20%: (-\$5,253.50) Actual Cash Value: \$21,014.00

Please return this letter with the appropriate signature of the County Judge or designated representative authorized to accept this offer on behalf of the County.

If you have any additional or new information that we should consider, please forward it to my attention at Makaelahk@county.org or call me at (512) 615-8916.

Sincerely,

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Makaelah Kaiser Claims Examiner II Texas Association of Counties Risk Management Services

County Judge or Presiding Officer

Date



SMITH COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT AGENDA ITEM REQUEST FORM

Submission Date: 1/24/2025	Submitted by: Jennafer Bell			
Meeting Date: 2/4/2025	Department: Tax Office			
Item Requested is: 🖌 For Action/Co	onsideration For Discussion/Report			
Title: Tax Refund				
Agenda Category:Briefing SessionRecurring BusinessOcourt OrdersResolutionPresentationExecutive Session				
Agenda Wording: Consider and take neces Texas Tax Code 31.11,	ssary action to approve tax refunds in excess of \$2,500, pursuant to and authorize the County Judge to sign all related documentation.			
Background: See attached.				
Financial and Operational Impact:				
Attachments: Yes 🖌 No	Is a Budget Amendment Necessary? Yes No			
Does Document Require Signature? Y	ies No			
Return Sig	ned Documents to the following:			
Name: Gary Barber E	mail:gbarber@smith-county.com			
	mail: jbell2@smith-county.com			
	mail:			
Name: E	mail:			

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APPROVAL FOR REFUND IN EXCESS OF \$2500.00

In accordance with Sec 31.11(a) of the Texas Property Tax Code, governing body approval is required before a refund may be issued on the following account. Please sign and return as soon as possible to the Smith County Tax Office, Attn: Property Tax Bookkeeping, P.O. Box 2011, Tyler, Tx.. 75710.

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	City Of Bullard	\$. 0	Chapel Hill ISD	\$	
	City Of Lindale	\$. 0	Lindale ISD	\$	
	City Of Troup	\$. 0	Tyler ISD	\$	
	City Of Tyler	\$. 0	Whitehouse ISD	\$	
	City Of Whitehouse	\$	0	Winona ISD	\$	
	City Of Winona	\$. 0	Emerald Bay M.U.D	\$	
	Tyler Jr. College	\$	0	Smith Co. R.F.P.D.#1	\$	
	Smith Co. W.C.I.D.#1	\$	0	Kilgore College	\$	
	Smith Co. R.F.P.D. #2	\$	0	Troup ISD	\$	
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	GARY B. BARBER TAX ASSESSOR-CO	LLECTOR		DATE PREPARED		
		F	or Taxing Un	it Use		
	()Approved	()Rejected	()Other		-
	Governing Body Repr	esentative	Date	Item	#	- M. Jor

GARY B. BARBER SMITH COUNTY P.O. BOX 2011 TYLER, TX 75710-2011 903-590-2920			Original Receipt Property Account Number: 150000049100020000				
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SMITH COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT AGENDA ITEM REQUEST FORM

Submission Date: 1/24/25	Submitte	Submitted by: Heather Foster		
Meeting Date: 2/4/25	Departm	Department: Auditor's Office		
Item Requested is: 🖌 For Action/Con	nsideration	For Discussion/Report		
Title: FY24 SCAAP Award				
Agenda Category: O Briefing Session O Court Orders Presentation	Ŏ Resoluti	ng Business on re Session		
Agenda Wording: Consider and take necessa the BJA, including approva necessary documentation.	ary action to accept I of grant conditions	the SCAAP funds for correctional purposes from , and authorize the Auditor's Office to sign all		
Background:				
Financial and Operational Impact:				
Attachments: Yes 🖌 No	s a Budget Ame	ndment Necessary? Yes No 🖌		
Does Document Require Signature? Ye	es No 🖌			
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Office of Justice Programs

Bureau of Justice Assistance

Washington, D.C. 20531

Name and Address of Recipient:	COUNTY OF SMITH 200 E FERGUSON ST STE 407
City, State and Zip:	TYLER, TX 75702
Recipient UEI:	DSSVC76HSBE1
Project Title: FY24 SCAAP	Award Number: 15PBJA-24-RR-05958-SCAA
Solicitation Title: BJA FY24 State Crir	ninal Alien Assistance Program
Federal Award Amount: \$68,579.00	Federal Award Date: 1/16/25
Awarding Agency:	Office of Justice Programs Bureau of Justice Assistance
Funding Instrument Type: Opportunity Category: O Assistance Listing: 16.606 - State Criminal Alien Assistanc	Reimbursement e Program
Project Period Start Date: 7/1/22	Project Period End Date: 12/31/25
Budget Period Start Date: 7/1/22	Budget Period End Date: 12/31/25
Project Description:	

Award Letter

January 16, 2025

Dear HEATHER FOSTER,

On behalf of Attorney General Merrick B. Garland, it is my pleasure to inform you that the Office of Justice Programs (OJP) has approved the application submitted by COUNTY OF SMITH for a Payment Award (non-grant) under the funding opportunity entitled 2024 BJA FY24 State Criminal Alien Assistance Program. The approved payment amount is \$68,579.

Review the award instrument below carefully and familiarize yourself with all requirements before accepting your payment award. The award instrument includes the payment award offer and award acceptance. In connection with this payment award, references to the term "award" should be understood as this payment award.

Prior to accepting the award, your Entity Administrator must assign a Financial Manager, Grant Award Administrator, and Authorized Representative(s) in the Justice Grants System (JustGrants). The Entity Administrator will need to ensure the assigned Authorized Representative(s) is current and has the legal authority to accept awards and bind the entity to the award terms and conditions. To accept the award, the Authorized Representative(s) must accept all parts of the award offer in the Justice Grants System (JustGrants), including by executing the required declaration and certification, within 45 days from the award date.

To access your funds, you will need to enroll in the Automated Standard Application for Payments (ASAP) system, if you haven't already completed the enrollment process in ASAP. The Entity Administrator should have already received an email from ASAP to initiate this process.

Congratulations on your payment award.

Brent J. Cohen Acting Assistant Attorney General

Award Information

This award is offered subject to the conditions or limitations set forth in the award instrument.

Recipient Information

Recipient Name COUNTY OF SMITH

UEI DSSVC76HSBE1

Street 1 200 E FERGUSON ST STE 407

City TYLER

Zip/Postal Code 75702

County/Parish no value

Street 2

State/U.S. Territory Texas

Country United States

Province no value

Award Details

Payment Award Date 1/16/25

Award Number 15PBJA-24-RR-05958-SCAA

Payment Award Amount \$68,579.00

Award Type

Supplement Number

Funding Instrument Type Reimbursement

Assistance Listing Assistance Listings Program Title Number

16.606

State Criminal Alien Assistance Program

Statutory Authority

8 U.S.C. 1231(i) and 1365. Department of Justice Appropriations Act 2024 (Pub. L. No. 118-42, 138 Stat. 25, 147)

[] I have read and understand the information presented in this section of the award instrument.

Award Conditions

This award is offered subject to the conditions or limitations set forth in the award instrument.

Condition 1

In accepting this award, the recipient declares and certifies, among other things, that it has current information in the System for Award Management, as indicated in 2 C.F.R. Part 25.

Condition 2

In accepting this award, the recipient declares and certifies, among other things, that any payment made will be used only for "correctional purposes," as required by 8 U.S.C. § 1231(i)(6).

[] I have read and understand the information presented in this section of the award instrument.

SCAAP Certifications

Applicant Government and Submitting Government Official

On behalf of myself and the applicant government, and in support of this SCAAP application, I certify to OJP, under penalty of perjury, that the information on the applicant government and the submitting government official entered above as part of this online SCAAP application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, based upon diligent inquiry and review, and is provided in accordance with the requirements, definitions, and instructions set out in the SCAAP solicitation under which this application is submitted for funding. I further certify that I have the legal authority to make this certification to OJP, including from the chief executive of the applicant government.

I understand and acknowledge that OJP will rely upon this and all other certifications in this online application as material representations in any decision to make a SCAAP payment to the applicant government in response to this application.

I understand and acknowledge that a materially false, fictitious, or fraudulent statement (or concealment or omission of a material fact) in this certification, or in the application that it supports, may be the subject of criminal prosecution (including under 18 U.S.C. §§ 1001 and/or 1621, and/or 34 U.S.C. §§ 10271-10273), and also may subject me and the applicant "State" or "unit of local government" to civil penalties and administrative remedies for false claims or otherwise (including under 31 U.S.C. §§ 3729-3730 and §§ 3801-3812). I also understand and acknowledge that payments under OJP programs such as SCAAP, including certifications provided in connections with such payments, are subject to review by DOJ, including by OJP and the DOJ's Office of the Inspector General.

Information on "Eligible Inmates"

On behalf of myself and the applicant government, and in support of this SCAAP application, I certify to OJP, under penalty of perjury, that the information on "eligible inmates" entered or uploaded as part of this online SCAAP application (1) was determined and is reported here using due diligence, and in accordance with the requirements, definitions, and instructions set out in the SCAAP solicitation under which this application is submitted for funding, and (2) is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, based upon diligent inquiry and review. I further certify that I have the legal authority to make this certification to OJP, including from the chief executive of the applicant government.

I understand and acknowledge that OJP will rely upon this certification as a material representation in making any SCAAP payment to the applicant government in response to this application and that this certification is subject to review by DOJ. I also understand that, if this certification is false or otherwise inaccurate or misleading (including because of omission of a material fact), both I and the applicant government may be subject to criminal prosecution, civil penalties, and/or administrative remedies, including as described in the certification in this online application as to the "Applicant Government and Submitting Government Official."

Information on "Correctional Officers" and "Facilities"

On behalf of myself and the applicant government, and in support of this SCAAP application, I certify to OJP, under penalty of perjury, that the information on "correctional officers" and "correctional facilities" entered or uploaded as part of this online SCAAP application (1) was determined and is reported here using due diligence, and in accordance with the requirements, definitions, and instructions set out in the SCAAP solicitation under which this application is submitted for funding, and (2) is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, based upon diligent inquiry and review. I further certify that I have the legal authority to make this certification to OJP, including from the chief executive of the applicant government.

I understand and acknowledge that OJP will rely upon this certification as a material representation in making any SCAAP payment to the applicant government in response to this application, and that this certification is subject to review by DOJ. I also understand that, if this certification is false or otherwise inaccurate or misleading (including because of omission of a material fact), both I and the applicant government may be subject to criminal prosecution, civil penalties, and/or administrative remedies, including as described in the certification in this online application as to the "Applicant Government and Submitting Government Official."

[] I have read and understand the information presented in this section of the award instrument.

SCAAP Use Of Funds

In accepting this award, the recipient declares and certifies, among other things, that any payment made will be used only for "correctional purposes," as required by 8 U.S.C. § 1231(i)(6). Please select at least one of the options below to indicate that payment will be used for one of the following allowable "correctional purposes."

no Salaries for corrections officers value

no Overtime costs value

Corrections work force no recruitment and retention value

Construction of corrections value

no Training/education for offenders value

Training for corrections officers no related to offender population valumanagement

Consultants involved with offender population

Medical and mental health value

Vehicle rental/purchase for transport of offenders value

no Prison industries value

no Pre-release/reentry programs value Technology involving offender

no management/inter-agency value formation sharing Disaster preparedness

no continuity of operations for

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[] I have read and understand the information presented in this section of the award instrument.

Award Acceptance

Declaration and Certification to the U.S. Department of Justice as to Acceptance

By checking the declaration and certification box below, I--

A. Declare to the U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ), under penalty of perjury, that I have authority to make this declaration and certification on behalf of the applicant.

B. Certify to DOJ, under penalty of perjury, on behalf of myself and the applicant, to the best of my knowledge and belief, that the following are true as of the date of this award acceptance: (1) I have conducted or there was conducted (including by applicant's legal counsel as appropriate and made available to me) a diligent review of all terms and conditions of, and all supporting materials submitted in connection with, this award, including any assurances and

certifications (including anything submitted in connection therewith by a person on behalf of the applicant before, after, or at the time of the application submission and any materials that accompany this acceptance and certification); and (2) I have the legal authority to accept this award on behalf of the applicant.

C. Accept this award on behalf of the applicant.

D. Declare the following to DOJ, under penalty of perjury, on behalf of myself and the applicant: (1) I understand that, in taking (or not taking) any action pursuant to this declaration and certification, DOJ will rely upon this declaration and certification as a material representation; and (2) I understand that any materially false, fictitious, or fraudulent information or statement in this declaration and certification (or concealment or omission of a material fact as to either) may be the subject of criminal prosecution (including under 18 U.S.C. §§ 1001 and/or 1621, and/or 34 U.S.C. §§ 10271-10273), and also may subject me and the applicant to civil penalties and administrative remedies under the federal False Claims Act (including under 31 U.S.C. §§ 3729-3730 and/or §§ 3801-3812) or otherwise.

Agency Approval

Title of Approving Official Acting Assistant Attorney General Name of Approving Official

Brent J. Cohen

Signed Date And Time 1/13/25 6:46 PM

Authorized Representative

[] no value

Entity Acceptance

Title of Authorized Entity Official no value

Signed Date And Time no value


SMITH COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT AGENDA ITEM REQUEST FORM

Submission Date: 1/28/2025	Submitted by: Christina Haney		
Meeting Date: 2/04/2025	Department: Purchasing		
Item Requested is: 🖌 For Action/Consid	eration For Discussion/Report		
Title: Request to hold online at	uction		
Agenda Category: Briefing Session Court Orders Presentation 	 Recurring Business Resolution Executive Session 		
Agenda Wording: Consider and take necessary action to declare the following items surplus and/or salvage, and authorize the Purchasing Department to advertise an online auction beginning February 12, 2025, and ending February 26, 2025, in accordance with the Texas Local Government Code 263.152, and remove from inventory: A. 3-Ford Taurus, B. 16 - Chevrolet Tahoe's, C. 1 Chevrolet Impala, D. 1- Ford F-150, E. 1- Ford Explorer, F. 2- GMC Sierra, G. 1- John Deer Tractor, H. 3- Brush Hog Mower Decks, I. 2- Lot of Tires			
Background: Auction with be online with GovDeals. There is a link under the Purchasing Department's web page for Online Auctions that will take you directly to GovDeals. Viewing will be on 2/17 & 2/21 from 1:00pm - 4:30pm at 1700 W. Claude Street Tyler, TX Advertisement Dates for the paper: February 12th and 19th.			
Financial and Operational Impact:			
Attachments: Yes No	Budget Amendment Necessary? Yes No 🖌		
Does Document Require Signature? Yes No 🖌			
Return Signed I	ocuments to the following:		
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AUCTION 2025 FEBRUARY 12, 2025- FEBRUARY 26, 2025 VIEWING DATES: FEBRUARY 17 AND FEBRUARY 21, 1:00-4:30 PM VIEWING LOCATION: 1700 WEST CLAUDE STREET, TYLER,TX

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SHERIFF	2012	CHEVROLET	TAHOE	1GNLC2E0XCR185982	130,386
SHERIFF	2017	FORD	TAURUS	1FAHP2D86HG106651	118,907
SHERIFF	2017	FORD	TAURUS	1FAHP2D88HG106652	113,569
SHERIFF	2013	CHEVROLET	TAHOE	1GNLC2E02DR260708	150,844
SHERIFF	2015	CHEVROLET	TAHOE	1GNLC2EC2FR571021	191,862
SHERIFF	2015	CHEVROLET	TAHOE	1GNLC2E09ER192327	237,589
SHERIFF	2013	CHEVROLET	TAHOE	1GNLC2E01DR284658	196,231
SHERIFF	2009	FORD	150	1FTRX12W79FB04795	167,000
SHERIFF	2018	CHEVROLET	TAHOE	1GNLCDEC0JR125048	169,405
SHERIFF	2017	CHEVROLET	TAHOE	1GNLCDECXHR175580	198,180
SHERIFF	2017	CHEVROLET	TAHOE	1GNLCDEC9HR175960	193,067
SHERIFF	2013	CHEVROLET	TAHOE	1GNLC2E06DR286292	121,984
SHERIFF	2017	CHEVROLET	TAHOE	1GNLCDECXHR176745	185,302
SHERIFF	2016	FORD	EXPLORER	1FM5K8AR5GGA78671	276,116
SHERIFF	2013	CHEVROLET	TAHOE	1GNLC2E05DR344361	144,024
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CONSTABLE 5		CHEVROLET	ТАНОЕ	1GNLC2EC9FR570755	264,083
CONSTABLE 5	2013	CHEVROLET	TAHOE	1GNLC2E01DR369239	187,387
ROAD AND BRIDGE	2000	GMC	SIERRA	1GDHC34F0YF486534	87,297
ROAD AND BRIDGE	2009	GMC	SIERRA	3GTEC13C29G136485	189,852
ROAD AND BRIDGE		JOHN DEERE	5203 TRACTOR	6547	22,438
ROAD AND BRIDGE		3-BRUSH HOG	MOWERS	DECK W/ GEAR BOX REMOVED	
ROAD AND BRIDGE		LOT OF 38 TIRES		MISC TIRES	
ROAD AND BRIDGE		LOT OF 36 TIRES		9 COMPLETE SET OF TIRES	



SMITH COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT AGENDA ITEM REQUEST FORM

Submission Date: 1/29/2025	Submitted by: Jennafer Bell	
Meeting Date: 2/4/2025	Department: Commissioners Court	
Item Requested is: 🖌 For Action/Consid	eration For Discussion/Report	
Title: Independence Day Firew	orks	
Agenda Category: O Briefing Session O Court Orders Presentation	 Recurring Business Resolution Executive Session 	
Agenda Wording: Consider and take necessary action to authorize the sale of fireworks for Texas Independence Day.		
Background:		
Financial and Operational Impact:		
Attachments: Yes 🖌 No 🗌 Is a l	Budget Amendment Necessary? Yes No	
Does Document Require Signature? Yes 🖌		
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Name: Jennafer Bell Email:	jbell2@smith-county.com	
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TEXAS INDEPENDENCE DAY FIREWORKS PERIOD (FEBRUARY 25-MIDNIGHT, MARCH 2) DEADLINE TO ADOPT ORDER: FEBRUARY 14, 2025

Occupations Code, §2154.202(h), permits the commissioners court to adopt an order authorizing the sale of fireworks for Texas Independence Day (March 2).

If the court decides to permit the sale of fireworks during the Texas Independence Day period, the order must be adopted <u>before</u> February 15. If the court does not wish to permit the sale of fireworks during this period, no action is required.

Please note the distinction between this law (Occupations Code, §2154.202(h)), which **allows** the commissioners court at its **discretion** to **permit** fireworks sales for the holiday period and the other law (Local Government Code, §352.051) which **requires** the court to take action to **restrict or prohibit** sales during certain times of the year if drought conditions are present.

To assist the court in determining whether conditions are suitable for authorizing the sale of fireworks, the Texas A&M Forest Service is required to make its services available each day during the Texas Independence Day period to respond to the request of a county as to whether or not drought conditions exist. To obtain a determination from the Texas A&M Forest Service, call (979) 458-7331.

If the court decides to adopt such an order for Texas Independence Day, it may **restrict or prohibit** the sale of "restricted fireworks," which are defined as "skyrockets with sticks" and as "missiles with fins." A violation of the order is a Class C misdemeanor. Also, a citizen may file suit for an injunction to prevent a violation or threatened violation of the order.

Under Local Government Code §352.051(f), the county may also designate one or more "safe" areas where the use of restricted fireworks is not prohibited. In determining if an area may be considered "safe" the court should take into account whether adequate public safety and fire protection services are provided to the area.

A copy of Local Government Code §352.051, and the portions of the Occupations Code that define and explain permitted and prohibited fireworks, are available online at <u>county.org/fireworks</u>. A sample order authorizing the sale of fireworks during this period is provided on the following page. If your court decides to designate "safe" areas, the sample order will need to be modified to include appropriate language. If you have any questions, please contact the TAC Legal Department at (888) 275-8224.

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF _____

SAMPLE ORDER AUTHORIZING TEXAS INDEPENDENCE DAY FIREWORKS SALES

WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court of ______ County is authorized under Occupations Code Section 2154.202(h), to issue an order allowing retail fireworks permit holders to sell fireworks to the public in celebration of Texas Independence Day; and

WHEREAS, on the ____ day of _____, 2025, the Commissioners Court of _____ County has determined that conditions are favorable to issue such an Order;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Commissioners Court of _____County adopts this Order authorizing the sale of fireworks to the public by retail fireworks permit holders during the Texas Independence Day period beginning February 25, 2025 and ending at midnight March 2, 2025, subject to the following restrictions:

- a. This order expires on the date the Texas A&M Forest Service determines drought conditions exist in the county or midnight, March 2, 2025, whichever is earlier.
- b. [Describe specific restrictions, if applicable]

Approved this the ____ day of _____, 2025, by the _____ County Commissioners Court.

County Judge



STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF SMITH

IN THE COMMISSIONERS COURT

ORDER AUTHORIZING TEXAS INDEPENDENCE DAY FIREWORK SALES

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WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court of Smith County is authorized under the Texas Occupations Code § 2154.202(h), to issue an order allowing retail fireworks permit holders to sell fireworks to the public in celebration of Texas Independence Day; and

WHEREAS, on the 4th day of February 2025, the Commissioners Court of Smith County has determined that conditions are favorable to issue such an Order.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE SMITH COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT THAT the sale of fireworks to the public by retail fireworks permit holders is **AUTHORIZED** during the Texas Independence Day period beginning from February 25, 2025 and ending midnight, March 2, 2025, subject to the following restrictions:

1. This order expires on the date the Texas Fire Service or the Smith County Fire Marshal determines drought conditions exist in the county or midnight, March 2, 2025, whichever is earlier.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS 4th DAY OF FEBRUARY 2025 BY THE SMITH COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT.

NEAL FRANKLIN COUNTY JUDGE



SMITH COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT AGENDA ITEM REQUEST FORM

Submission Date: 01/29/2025	Submitted by: Brandon Moore	
Meeting Date: 02/04/2025	Department: Fire Marshal	
Item Requested is: 🖌 For Action/Consid	eration For Discussion/Report	
Title: TCEQ LEPC Grant		
Agenda Category: O Briefing Session • Court Orders	O Recurring Business O Resolution	
O Presentation	O Executive Session	
Agenda Wording: Consider and take necessary action to accept a grant from Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ), Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC) division, for an amount not to exceed \$23,000, for the purchase of a drone, and allow the county judge to sign all related documentation.		
Background: Permission to apply for this grant was approved by the Court on 10/01/2024. The grant was formally submitted on 10/01/2024(back up documentation attached). The drone selected is a Parrot ANAFI USA GOV US and conforms to all applicable federal regulations. https://www.parrot.com/us/drones/anafi-usa/proven-and-trusted		
Financial and Operational Impact:		
Attachments: Yes 🖌 No 🗌 Is a	Budget Amendment Necessary? Yes No 🖌	
Does Document Require Signature? Yes No		
Return Signed Documents to the following:		
Name: Brandon Moore Email	bmoore2@smith-county.com	
Name: Chad Hogue Email	chogue@smith-county.com	
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Office Use Only Agenda Item # _

The Texas Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC) Grant Program is an opportunity for LEPCs to receive grant funds to help implement the requirements of the Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act (EPCRA). Chapters 505.016(d), 506.017(d), and 507.013(d) of the Texas Health and Safety Code authorize up to 20% of chemical reporting fees to be awarded as grants to the LEPCs. The grant is awarded to assist LEPCs in fulfilling their responsibilities under EPCRA.

Only LEPCs officially recognized by the State Emergency Response Commission (SERC) are eligible for this grant.

Application Submission Information - If an application is found to be incomplete, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) will notify the applicant in writing and provide details about what is missing from the application. Applicants will be given a deadline to submit the missing information to TCEQ. A complete application and required attachments must be submitted electronically to <u>LEPCGRANTS@tceq.texas.gov</u>, or by postal mail to:

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality Attention: LEPC Grant Program, MC 177 PO Box 13087 Austin, TX 78711-3087

All applications must be received by TCEQ no later than 5:00 p.m. Central Time, on the application submission deadline, October 11, 2024.

Applications are reviewed and awarded at TCEQ's discretion. Priority will be given to first-time grantees that are unfunded, requesting items that preserve life and safety. Any funds awarded will first be allocated towards items that preserve life and safety.

TCEQ is not obligated to select applications for funding, even if received within the application deadline. TCEQ may also select parts of a proposal for funding and may offer to fund less than the dollar amount requested in a proposal.

Acknowledgements

The documents listed in this section must be submitted to be considered a complete application. By initialing next to each line below you acknowledge that each item has been completed and agreed upon.

Initial

_____ LEPC Grant Application

Budget Information Sheet: **Up to \$475,000 total for all awards will be available this grant period.** The ranking list is an important part of your grant application.

A complete Texas Division of Emergency Management (TDEM) 151 Form must be submitted with this application. Forms can be accessed from the TDEM website under Forms or at <u>TDEM-151</u>.

Acknowledgement of timeline of events:

If you are selected for a grant award, by **initialing next to each line** below, you acknowledge that each item will be completed and is agreed upon.

Initial

Submit an initial Financial Status Report to allow upfront funding within 30 calendar days of receiving your official notice to proceed.

Quarterly Financial Status Reports will be due within 15 calendar days following the end of the reporting quarter.

Request approval for any cost or description change in writing from the TCEQ Grant Manager **prior** to purchase.

LEPC Contact Information

The application contact will be the primary person the TCEQ can contact regarding information provided in the grant application.

Application Contact	Please Print or Type
a. Name:	
b. Title:	
c. Phone Number:	
d. Fax Number:	
e. Email Address:	
f. Mailing Address:	
g. Physical Address: (if different than mailing address)	

The secondary contact will be available in the absence of the primary contact.

Secondary Application Contact	Please Print or Type
a. Name:	
b. Title:	
c. Phone Number:	
d. Fax Number:	
e. Email Address:	
f. Mailing Address:	
g. Physical Address: (if different than mailing address)	

LEPC Status and Funding Needs Statement

LEPC Status Information	Please Print or Type
How long has the LEPC been active?	
Date of last LEPC meeting. (MM/DD/YY)	
Has the LEPC received any non- TCEQ funding in the last three years?	

Funding Needs StatementPlease Print or TypeIn your own words, explain the LEPC needs for funding. Explain how these funds
would benefit the LEPC's growth and development in fulfilling their requirements
under the Emergency Planning Community Right-to-Know Act (EPCRA).

EPCRA Requirements – Item Justification

Directions: This grant's purpose is to help LEPCs fulfill their requirements under EPCRA. The A-D list below are the four main requirements under EPCRA. Please use the list of EPCRA requirements to describe how each line item on this application will assist in implementing EPCRA. Note: Section references come from Public Law 99-499 and subsection references come from the United States Code 42.

- A. Emergency planning (Sections 301-303, Subchapter I 11001-11003)
- B. Emergency release notification (Section 304, Subchapter I 11004)
- C. Hazardous chemical storage reporting requirements (Section 311-312, Subchapter I 11021-11022)
- D. Toxic chemical release inventory (Section 313, Subchapter I 11023)

Item 1	
EPCRA Fulfilment	<i>Write Justification below for each applicable EPCRA Requirement that will be fulfilled with this item.</i>
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LEPC or Community Benefit	
Life and Safety Need or Benefit	

Item 2	
EPCRA Fulfilment	<i>Write Justification below for each applicable EPCRA Requirement that will be fulfilled with this item.</i>
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EPCRA Requirements - Item Justification (continued)

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EPCRA Fulfilment	<i>Write Justification below for each applicable EPCRA Requirement that will be fulfilled with this item.</i>
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EPCRA Requirements - Item Justification (continued)

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Item 5	
EPCRA Fulfilment	<i>Write Justification below for each applicable EPCRA Requirement that will be fulfilled with this item.</i>
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Item 6	
EPCRA Fulfilment	<i>Write Justification below for each applicable EPCRA Requirement that will be fulfilled with this item.</i>
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Life and Safety Need or Benefit	

*Attach additional pages for additional item requests.

Item Ranking: Please use this area to rank each item requested by importance, with the most important items at the top (1) and the least important items at the bottom (10). TCEQ will take the item rankings into consideration if the entire application cannot be funded. Please include additional pages if more space is required.

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	Signature Page
1. LEPC Name:	
2. Federal Tax ID Number:	
3. Total Amount Requested:	

County Judge or Emergency Management Coordinator Authorization:

The <u>County Judge or appointed Emergency Management Coordinator must sign</u> <u>below</u> to authorize this grant application. By signing this document, you certify that you have reviewed this Grant Application and the Budget Information Sheet and that the funds will be expended in accordance with Budget Information Sheet unless otherwise stated in writing by the TCEQ Grant Manager.

I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge all information provided in this application and any attachments is true and correct. If the application was prepared by a third party, I certify that I have read the complete application after all forms and information were completed, I agree with the information provided, and the date provided below is the date I signed the form. I further understand that before incorporating this information into a grant contract, the data and information may be revised by TCEQ for accuracy, and that accepting a grant contract will constitute agreement with those revisions. Failure to sign the application or signing it with a false statement may make the submitted offer or any resulting contracts voidable.

Printed Name:	
Official's Title:	
Date of Signature:	

Budget Information Sheet

LEPC Name:

a. Cost Budget Overview*

Directions: Fill in each budget category that is part of your grant application. Place zeros in fields for the budget categories that will not be included. <u>Please note:</u> No match is required for this grant.

Budget Categories	TCEQ Grant Application Totals
Salaries	
Contracts	
Travel	
Training	
Supplies	
Other	
Equipment	
Total:	

*The itemized lists on the following pages must be filled in and include a justification for each purchase. All items will require supporting documentation such as receipts, training transcripts, certificates, and/or proof of product delivery.

b. Current Funding Sources

Directions: List all funding sources the LEPC received in the 2024 calendar year. This should include City or County allocation, donations, fundraising, and any other funding received.

Funding Source	Funding Amount (yearly)
Total:	

c. Application Budget Plan

Directions: Fill in each table that pertains to your budget proposal. Grant funds cannot be used to purchase food, drinks, alcohol and grant preparation services. **To ensure accurate pricing, a quote must be provided for each item that is applied for and submitted** with the Application. All funds must be expended during the timeframe outlined in the Scope of Work, Section II, Schedule of Quarterly Reports of the Contract.

Salaries: Must submit documentation showing this position will only be filled during the grant period.

Item	Price Per Unit	Quantity	Total	Description and Purchase
ex. John Smith	\$2,500/month	12 months	\$30,000	Budget/Contract Manager salary for one fiscal year.
Total:				

Contracts:

Item	Price Per Unit	Quantity	Total	Description and Purchase
				Example Company will review and revise the County Emergency Plan and improve the effectiveness and
ex. Emergency Plan Review	\$1,250/month	1 plan	\$1,250	quality of the plan.
Total:				

Travel: All travel must take place during the timeframe outlined in the Scope of Work, Section II, Schedule of Quarterly Reports of the Contract (maybe add a reference to the shell). This grant can only fund actual costs and requires meal receipts and documentation of all purchases and expenses.

Item (Include Travel Dates)	Price Per Unit	Quantity	Total	Description and Purchase
ex. Hazardous Management Training - Travel (December 2-5, 2018)	\$250/person	2 people	\$500	The purpose of this travel is to attend the Hazardous Management Training in Dallas, Texas.
Total:				

Training: A training schedule, transcript, or certificate must be submitted as supporting documentation after the training has been completed.

Item	Price Per Unit	Quantity	Total	Description and Purchase
ex. CAMEO Training	\$500/person	5 people	\$2,500	Training on CAMEO Data Manager to keep track of chemical inventories and contact information for facilities; to assist in emergency response and planning.
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Total:				

Equipment:

Item	Price Per Unit	Quantity	Total	Description and Purchase
ex. Laptop Computers	\$1,500/per laptop	3 laptops	\$4,500	Laptops will be used in EOC and available to be taken into the field for emergency response.
Total:				

Supplies:

Item	Price Per Unit	Quantity	Total	Description and Purchase
ex. Printer paper	\$15/box	30 boxes	\$450	Printer paper will be used to create flyers and informational packets for employees and public
Total:				

Other:

Item	Price Per Unit	Quantity	Total	Description and Purchase
ex. Promotional Items	\$3.00/item	100 items	\$300	<i>Promotional items will be used to promote the LEPC and LEPC activities.</i>
Total:				



SMITH COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT AGENDA ITEM REQUEST FORM

Submission Date: 1/28/2025	Submitted by: Jennafer Bell			
Meeting Date: 2/4/2025	Department: 7th District Court			
Item Requested is: For Action/Consider	ration For Discussion/Report			
Title: 7th District Court, Indigent Criminal Defense Service				
Agenda Category:Briefing SessionRecurring BusinessOcourt OrdersResolutionPresentationExecutive Session				
Agenda Wording: Consider and take necessary action to approve a contract with Rusty W. Drake for indigent criminal defense services for the 7th District Court, pursuant to Texas Code of Criminal Procedure, § 26.04, and Texas Administrative Code Chapter 174, and authorize the county judge to sign all related documentation.				
Background: See contract attached.				
Financial and Operational Impact:				
Attachments: Yes 🖌 No 🗌 Is a Bu	udget Amendment Necessary? Yes No 🖌			
Does Document Require Signature? Yes 🖌 No 🗌				
Return Signed Documents to the following:				
Name: Email:				

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SUBMIT



Kerry L. Russell

JUDGE, SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT 100 N. BROADWAY AVENUE, ROOM 203 SMITH COUNTY COURTHOUSE TYLER, TEXAS 75702

Terry Cockrum Civil Court Coordinator

Laura Demarinis Criminal Court Coordinator

January 28, 2025

Mr. Thomas Wilson Assistant District Attorney 200 East Ferguson Street Tyler, Texas 75702

RE: Contract for Legal Services in Seventh District Court

Dear Thomas:

Please find enclosed the following executed document:

1. Contract for Legal Services for Indigent Criminal Defendants for Attorney Rusty W. Drake beginning February 1, 2025.

Mr. Drake will be our fourth contract attorney. Please present this contract to the Commissioner's Court for approval at your earliest convenience.

Thank you. Very truly yours, KERRY L. RUSSELI Presiding Judge Enclosure

Website: www.smith-county.com

Jennifer Lowrance, CSR Court Reporter 903/590-1647

Facsimile 903/590-1641

Office Phone 903/590-1640

CONTRACT FOR LEGAL SERVICES FOR INDIGENT CRIMINAL DEFENDANTS

This Contract is authorized by Texas Code of Criminal Procedure 26.04 and the Texas Administrative Code Title 1, Part 8, chapter 174, and is made by and between the parties identified below for the purpose of providing legal services to indigent defendants in the criminal courts of Smith County, Texas.

NOW THEREFORE, the Parties agree as follows:

- 1. Parties. The Parties are the Appointing Authority, Contracting Authority, and Contractor.
- 2. Appointing Authority shall mean the Honorable Judge of the 7th Judicial District Court of Smith County, who has authority to establish an indigent defense plan and approve attorneys to represent indigent defendants in criminal cases under Article 26.04, Code of Criminal Procedure.
- 3. Contracting Authority shall mean Smith County, Texas, acting by and through its duly elected County Judge and Commissioners Court.
- 4. Attorney shall mean Rusty W. Drake.
- 5. Term. The term of this contract shall be for eight months beginning on February 1, 2025 and ending on September 30, 2025, unless sooner terminated as set forth herein.
- 6. Compensation. Attorney will receive a monthly sum of Ten Thousand and no/100 Dollars (\$10,000.00) for the eight (8) month term of this agreement totaling Eighty Thousand and no/100 Dollars (\$80,000.00) for the term of the contract, unless the Contract is terminated sooner.
- 7. Payment of Compensation. No attorney payments shall be made until the attorney has completed an itemized voucher that has been approved by the Appointing Authority. Upon approval of an itemized voucher, the Appointing Authority shall submit the approved voucher to the Office of the Smith County Auditor for normal accounts payable processing.
- 8. Attorney Qualifications. By signing this Contract, Attorney represents to the Appointing Authority that he or she meets the following minimum qualifications:
 - a. maintains the minimum qualifications to practice law in the State of Texas and will immediately inform the Appointing Authority of any change in status with the State Bar of Texas;
 - b. is familiar with the Texas Penal Code, the Texas Code of Criminal Procedure, the Texas Rules of Evidence, Texas Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct, Texas case law and the local rules of practice for the criminal courts of Smith County, Texas;
 - c. consistently demonstrates commitment to providing effective assistance of counsel and quality representation to criminal defendants;

- d. consistently demonstrates professionalism, proficiency, and reliability in representing criminal defendants, and in dealing with the courts and opposing counsel;
- e. is of sound mind, as well as good moral and ethical character;
- f. has not been sanctioned by a court for failure to appear;
- g. has not been sanctioned by a court for any type of unprofessional conduct or abusive conduct;
- h. maintains his or her principal office in Smith County (A principal office is the commercial location where the attorney conducts the majority of his or her criminal law practice, and does not include a post office address);
- i. maintains a secretary, receptionist, answering service or daily monitored answering machine or voice mail system at his or her principal Smith County office;
- j. maintains a current listing in the Tyler, Texas telephone book and/or in directory assistance;
- k. maintains a functioning fax machine on a dedicated telephone line or an e-mail address, available 24 hours a day and monitored on a daily basis;
- 1. files with the Appointing Authority a complete, accurate sworn "Application for Felony Court-Appointments," including all required attachments; and
- m. Attorney qualifications shall equal or exceed the qualifications provided in the Indigent Defense Plan.
- 9. Caseload. Attorney may handle up to a maximum of 200 cases, including felonies and applications to revoke probation or proceed to final adjudication in felony cases, per year. If Attorney is appointed to 200 cases in any contract term, Attorney shall be required to notify the Appointing Authority immediately so that Attorney will not receive further appointments. This Contract shall include appointments for representation in First, Second, Third, and State Jail Felonies, but shall not include appointment for representation in capital felonies.
- 10. Compensation for Expenses. Counsel appointed to represent indigent defendants shall be reimbursed for reasonable and necessary expenses, including expenses for investigation and for mental health and other experts without prior court approval and same shall be reimbursed in accordance with Article 26.05(d) and Article 26.052(h) of the Texas Code of Criminal Procedure. Expenses incurred with prior court approval shall be reimbursed in accordance with Article 26.05(d) and Article 26.052(f) and (g) of the Texas Code of Criminal Procedure according to the following procedures:
 - a. Procedure for Prior Court Approval of Expenses. Appointed counsel shall file with the court a pretrial request for advance payment of investigative and/or expert witness expenses to investigate potential defenses. In the discretion of the attorney, this request may be filed as an ex parte confidential request.
 - b. The request for approval of expenses must state the type of investigation to be conducted or the type of expert witness to be retained, must set out specific facts that suggest the investigation will result in admissible evidence or that the services of an expert witness are reasonably necessary to assist in the preparation of a potential defense, and shall include an itemized list of anticipated expenses for each investigator and/or expert witness. The judge shall grant the request for payment of

expenses in whole or in part as far as the request is reasonable. If the judge denies the request in whole or in part, the judge shall state the reason for the denial in writing, attach the denial to the request, and submit the request and denial as a sealed exhibit to the record.

- 11. Independent Contractor. Attorney is not an employee of the Contracting Authority or the Appointing Authority. At most, Attorney is an independent contractor who shall complete the requirements of this Contract by Attorney's own means and methods of work, and in accordance with the Attorney's professional legal judgment, which shall be in the exclusive charge and control of the Attorney, and is not subject to control or supervision of the Appointing Authority or the Contracting Authority, except as specified in this Contract. ANY DEFENDANT IS THE CLIENT OF THE ATTORNEY NOT THE CLIENT OF EITHER THE CONTRACTING AUTHORITY OR THE APPOINTING AUTHORITY. IT IS THE DUTY OF THE ATTORNEY AT ALL TIMES TO PROVIDE COMPETENT, ZEALOUS LEGAL SERVICES TO EACH CLIENT IN ACCORDANCE WITH RESPONSIBILITIES UNDER TEXAS LAW, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO THE TEXAS CODE OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE AND THE TEXAS DISCIPLINARY RULES OF PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT.
- 12. Standard of Performance. Attorney shall, for the consideration expressed above, provide legal services to each person for whom he or she is appointed, as follows:
 - a. Provide quality, effective, competent, zealous legal representation to all clients in a professional, skilled manner consistent with the attorney's responsibilities under the Texas Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct, the Texas Code of Criminal Procedure, and all applicable laws.
 - b. Make every reasonable effort to contact any court-appointed client not later than the end of the first working day after the date on which the attorney is appointed and to interview the defendant as soon as practicable after the attorney is appointed .
 - c. Ensure continuity of representation of the client unless relieved or replaced in accordance with Texas Code of Criminal Procedure article 26.04(j)(2).
 - d. Attorney shall not assign, subcontract, or delegate any part of the services to be provided by the Attorney under this Contract.
 - e. Attorney shall not accept any payments from a client or third-party for legal services provided in a case assigned under this Contract.
 - f. Attorney shall not release confidential attorney-client information or work product related to any case assigned under this Contract, except when authorized by the Texas Disciplinary Rule of Professional Conduct.
 - g. Attorney shall not represent any defendant when to do so would create a conflict of interest. In the event of a conflict of interest, Attorney shall present evidence to the Appointing Authority, and if so ordered, be allowed to withdraw from representation of that defendant.

- 13. Continuing Requirements. In addition to the foregoing qualifications and performance standards, Attorney shall:
 - a. Submit a monthly report to be approved by the Appointing Authority, in accordance with Texas Code of Criminal Procedure 26.05. The report must include the number of cases disposed of in the previous month and the types of cases as well as the number of cases currently open and assigned by the courts.
 - b. Submit an annual report regarding percentage of practice time dedicated to appointed cases in Smith County. The report shall be in the form attached hereto as Exhibit A.
 - c. Maintain the minimum qualifications to practice law in the State of Texas and must immediately inform the Appointing Authority of any change in the status of the Attorney's law license. Upon request, Attorney shall provide Appointing Authority with proof of licensure in good standing.
- 14. Termination of Contract. This Contract may be terminated by the Appointing Authority for good cause, including but not limited to the following:
 - a. Appointing Authority may terminate this Contract if Attorney closes his active office for the practice of law in Smith County, Texas.
 - b. Appointing Authority may terminate this Contract if Attorney fails to perform the duties set forth in this Contract. Such failure shall be supported by judicial findings of that failure.
 - c. Attorney may terminate this Contract if Contracting Authority fails to make timely payments as specified herein.
 - d. Attorney may terminate this Contract if, for reasons beyond the control of Attorney, Attorney is unable to perform the duties required hereunder.
 - e. The Appointing Authority and Attorney may mutually terminate the Contract for force majeure or any change in the applicable or authorizing law, which renders the Contract moot.
- 15. Effect of Termination Upon the Attorney-Client Relationship. The attorney-client relationship commences upon the appointment of Attorney to represent any person under this Contract. In the event of termination of the Contract, the attorney-client relationship shall continue until the conclusion of the matter for which Attorney was appointed. Appointing Authority, Contracting Authority, and Attorney agree that compensation paid during the term of the Contract shall be adequate consideration for all services to be performed pursuant to the Contract, including the conclusion of any representation described in this paragraph. In the event that Attorney is no longer able or is legally not qualified to conclude such matter, the Appointing Authority shall consider whether the client remains indigent, and if so, make such other appointment as may be necessary to provide effective legal representation for the indigent person.
- 16. Disputes. Venue of any dispute arising under or with regard to this Contract shall be in a court of competent jurisdiction in Smith County, Texas.

- 17. Providing false information in an application for appointment under this Contract shall be grounds for immediate termination of the Contract.
- 18. Falsification of any report, billing documentation or other submission by the Attorney will be grounds for immediate termination of the Contract. In addition, such actions may subject the Attorney to professional discipline and/or criminal prosecution.

-28-25 Honorable Judge Kerry L. Russell Date

Honorable Judge Neal Frankling

Date

1-28-2025 Date Rusty

Attorney Reporting Instructions and Form

Attorney Reporting Requirements Contained in Article 26.04, Code of Criminal Procedure

Background

Beginning in 2014, Article 26.04(j) of the Code of Criminal Procedure will require all attorneys who accept appointments in adult criminal and juvenile delinquency cases to submit an annual statement that describes the percentage of their practice time that is dedicated to work on those appointed cases. Attorneys must submit this statement to each county in which they accept appointments, and the county will forward the information contained in the attorney practice-time statements to the Texas Indigent Defense Commission. The Commission will add this information to other indigent defense information that is made available to the public via the Commission website.

In addition to this attorney reporting requirement, Texas counties will be required to report the number of appointments made to every attorney who accepts appointments in the county. When viewed together, the appointment information submitted by the county and the practice time information submitted by the attorney will provide an overview of the average amount of time an attorney allocated to the representation of each indigent client.

The Legislature also has directed the Commission to conduct and publish a study on criminal defense attorney caseloads "for the purpose of determining guidelines for establishing a maximum allowable caseload for a criminal defense attorney that . . . allows the attorney to give each indigent defendant the time and effort necessary to ensure effective representation." That study is due to be completed by January 1, 2015.

Instructions

Every year, an attorney is required to submit a practice-time statement to each county in which the attorney accepted an appointment in an adult criminal or juvenile delinquency case during a fiscal year period that begins on October 1 and ends on September 30. The statement is due no later than October 15 immediately following the close of each fiscal year. For example, if, during the fiscal year that begins on October 1, 2013 and ends on September 30, 2014, an attorney who accepts appointments in County A and County B must submit separate practice-time statements to County A and to County B by October 15, 2014.

The statement submitted to each county must describe (1) the percentage of an attorney's total practice time (time spent in legal practice in all jurisdictions) that was dedicated to work on trial and appeal appointments in adult criminal cases in that county's district and county courts during the fiscal year beginning on the preceding October 1; and (2) the percentage of an attorney's total practice time that was dedicated to work on trial and appeal appointments in juvenile delinquency cases (cases alleging delinquent conduct or conduct indicating a need for supervision) in that county's district and county courts during the fiscal year beginning on the preceding October 1.

The percentages reported in the practice-time statement submitted to each county should not include time dedicated to work on appointments to cases (such as CPS cases and guardianship cases) that

are not adult criminal or juvenile delinquency cases, and should not include time dedicated to federal criminal appointments.

The attorney may submit the practice-time statement via the Commission's electronic attorney reporting portal, on the attached Commission reporting form, or on any other physical or electronic form specified by the county that captures all of the information requested on the Commission form. A county may require attorneys who accept appointments in that county to use a specific method to submit their practice-time statements.

The Commission recognizes that attorneys who accept criminal appointments use a variety of case management systems, and attorneys are not required to use any single methodology to complete the practice-time statement. However, the statement should provide percentages that are as accurate as possible given the attorney's chosen case management system.

The Commission will also work with the criminal defense community to promulgate a worksheet that may help attorneys calculate the percentages that must be included in the practice-time statement submitted to each county. Attorneys are not required to use or submit the worksheet to the county or to the Commission.

Attorneys who keep time records for all or a portion of their caseload may use those records to calculate their practice-time percentages or, in the case of partial records, to complete some of the lines on the worksheet. Time records will provide the most accurate method for calculating practice-time percentages.

Attorneys who do not keep time records may consider using a case-counting methodology to calculate practice-time percentages. This methodology involves looking at the number and types of cases in an attorney's total caseload, and calculating practice time percentages based on the number of cases in different case type categories. An attorney may keep track of the number and types of different cases the attorney handles during an entire fiscal year, or may choose to base the calculation on the number of cases the attorney has open at a specific point in time.

For example, an attorney who is appointed to 50 adult criminal cases in County A and is retained by 50 individual clients may calculate that 50% of the attorney's practice time is dedicated to adult criminal appointments in County A, if the appointed cases and retained cases are similar in complexity. The attorney may adjust the percentages as necessary to account for any significant difference in the degree of complexity of cases in each category.

Attorneys who do not keep time records or use the case counting methodology will be encouraged to use the worksheet to help them consider all of the types of cases they handle when calculating their practice-time percentages. The worksheet will be designed to help attorneys avoid over- or under-estimating the percentage of time they spend on appointments and report to the county.

Penalties

Penalties for failing to submit a required practice-time statement by the October 15 due date may be prescribed by the judges trying criminal cases in each county. Penalties may include an attorney's removal from the list of attorneys eligible to receive future court appointments.

TEXAS INDIGENT DEFENSE COMMISSION

ATTORNEY REPORTING FORM

County, Texas

Under Article 26.04(j), Code of Criminal Procedure, attorneys are required to report to each county in which they accept appointments the percentage of their total practice time that is dedicated to appointed adult criminal cases and juvenile delinquency cases in that county. This form must be submitted annually to each county no later than October 15. Please see the Attorney Reporting Instructions published by the Commission for additional information about this form.

- 1. During the preceding fiscal year (October 1 September 30), ___% of my total practice time was dedicated to work on adult criminal cases in which I was appointed to represent the defendant in _____ County, Texas.
- During the preceding fiscal year (October 1 September 30), ___% of my total practice time was dedicated to work on juvenile delinquency cases (cases alleging delinquent conduct or conduct indicating a need for supervision) in which I was appointed to represent the juvenile in _____ County, Texas.

3. The percentage of practice time reported was determined primarily by:

Time records;
Case counts;
Combination of time records and case counts.
Other

Attorney Name

State Bar of Texas No.

Attorney Signature

Date




Submission Date: 01/28/2025	Submitted by: KAREN NELSON	
Meeting Date: 02/04/2025	Department: ROAD & BRIDGE	
Item Requested is: 🖌 For Action/Consider	ration For Discussion/Report	
Title: Plats		
Agenda Category:Image: Briefing SessionImage: Court OrdersImage: Court OrdersImage: DescentationImage: Court Orders) Recurring Business) Resolution) Executive Session	
Agenda Wording: Consider and take necessary a. Re-Plat for Blue Ridge Esta b. Re-Plat for Barbara Road E	ates, Phase 3, Lots 5 and 7, Precinct 1; and	
Background: See attached.		
Financial and Operational Impact:		
Attachments: Yes 🖌 No 🗌 Is a Bu	udget Amendment Necessary? Yes No	
Does Document Require Signature? Yes	Νο	
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	Final Plat (mylar & 3 prints)	1-22-253B.		
E .	Plat Fee	\$25 1-22-255.B	\$100	\$250
Prior to Court Submission	Construction Bond (\$20 /ft.)	Not Required	Not Required	
	Testing Fee (\$1.50/ft with Curb & Gutter, \$1/ft without)	Not Required	Not Required	
Cour	911 Clearance Letter	1-22-255.B		
ior to	Designated Rep. (Pledger) Clearance Letter	See notes below		
ā.	Tax Certificate	1-22-25 5.8		
	Plans and Specifications (2 copies)	Not Required	Not Required	
	TCEQ Permit for Dam (if lake or pond present)			
	Flood Plain Development Permit & Fee (if required)	\$100	\$100	\$100
At Completion of Construction	Final Inspection	Not Required	Not Required	
R/W Accepted as County Road by	Maintenance Bond (\$30/ft.)	Not Required	Not Required	
Commissioners Court	County Rd Number	Not Required	Not Required	

Notes: Increase lot(s) – Pledger letter "NOT" required Decrease lot(s) – Pledger letter "IS" required

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OUNTY	Subdivision Name:	Blue Kide	e Estates	S Phase Three
	Adjacent Road:	Memory		
E	Developer:		Phone	:
F	email:		Fax	•
1000	Surveyor:	Halo Sun	ry, La Phone	*
EXA	email:		Fax	
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	Item	Resub/Lot Line Adjustment	No Roads	With Roads
	Preliminary Plat (2 copies)	Not Required		
	Preliminary Plat Approved	Not Required		
	Final Plat (mylar & 3 prints)	1-23-2558		
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Submission Date: 01/28/2025	Submitted by: Karen Nelson		
Meeting Date: 02/04/2025	Department: Road & Bridge		
Item Requested is: For Action/Conside	ration For Discussion/Report		
Title: Utility Permit			
Agenda Category: 💿 Briefing Session (Recurring Business		
🔘 Court Orders 🛛 🤇	Resolution		
O Presentation (Executive Session		
b. County Road 217, 2299, 223, 2290, 246 S, 22 pedestals, Precinct 3,	st (notice only): Charter-Spectrum, install underground fiber optic cable with vaults, Precinct 3, 64, 233, Charter-Spectrum, install aerial and underground fiber optic cable with vaults and 8113, 4342, 4343, Charter-Spectrum, install aerial and underground fiber optic cable with vaults		
Precinct 3, e. County Road 122, CenterPoint Energy, insta f. County Road 429, CenterPoint Energy, instal	I gas line for service, Precinct 4, prporation, install line for service, Precinct 3; and		
Financial and Operational Impact:			
Attachments: Yes No Is a Budget Amendment Necessary? Yes			
Does Document Require Signature? Yes No 🖌			
Return Signed Do	ocuments to the following:		
Name: Email:			
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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT FOR THE INSTALLATION PIPE AND/OR UTILITY LINES WITHIN A COUNTY MAINTAINED RIGHT OF WAY OR EASEMENT Smith County Road & Bridge Department P.O.Box 990 Tyler, Texas 75710

Phone:

CR 24

1. Applicant: Andrea Pickens Date: 1/10/2025 Company Name (if different): CenterPoint Energy Phone: 713-207-4246 Address: 1111 Louisiana St, Ste 1060 Fax: Houston Texas Zip: 77002 24/7 Contact Name: Odneil Camacho Phone: Contractor: Phone: Bonding Company: Phone: 2. Franchise Holder: Phone: _____

- 3. Franchise Contact:
- 4. Location (if applicable, length of installation in feet): 426 CR 24 Propose to install 1" IP Pla Svc and 2" IP Pla gas see drawing

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 5. Type of work, location, and description of the proposed line and appurtenances is shown by 3 copies of drawings attached to this application. The line will be constructed and maintained on the County right-of-way as directed by the Road Administrator/Engineer in accordance with SMITH COUNTY specifications.

6. Describe all traffic controls or warning devices anticipated for this project:

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All work on the county right-of-way shall be performed in accordance with the Road Administrator/Engineer's instructions. The installation shall not damage any part of the road way.

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- 5. No lines are to be installed under or within 50 ft. of either end of a bridge. No lines shall be placed in a culvert or within 10 ft. of the closest point of same.
- 6. Parallel lines will be installed as near the right-of-way as is possible and no parallel line will be installed in the roadbed or between the drainage ditch and roadbed without special permission of the Road Administrator/Engineer.
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- 9. At least one half of the traveled portion of the road must be open to traffic at all times.
- 10. This permit is permissive, is subject to the public right of travel on and access to the right-of-way, and may not be assigned.
- 11. The applicant shall secure all other necessary or required permits, licenses, or approvals before starting work.
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- 13. All work shall conform to the design standards and specifications of the County.
- 14. Restoration of the right-of-way is required and shall be completed within 30 days of the completed work within the right-of-way.
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- 16. The applicant shall provide proof of Insurance.
- 17. The applicant shall be responsible for all utility locates.
- 18. All residents or businesses affected by any scheduled maintenance causing road closure, or interruption of any utility service shall be notified forty-eight (48) hours prior to any work. Emergency situations are exempt.
- 19. Petrochemical or other hydrocarbon pipelines: Does this pipeline fall under the Texas Rail Road Commission (flowlines). Yes_____ No_____
- 20. Final Inspection: All permits must have a final inspection once work is complete. Please call (903)590-4801 to schedule a final inspection.

Applicants Signature	Andrea Pickens
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Approved:	
Smith County	Road Administrator/Engineer

Date: 1/10/2025





APPLICATION FOR PERMIT FOR THE INSTALLATION PIPE AND/OR UTILITY LINES WITHIN A COUNTY MAINTAINED **RIGHT OF WAY OR EASEMENT** Smith County Road & Bridge Department P.O.Box 990

Tyler, Texas 7	57	10
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1. Applicant: Donald Whaley	Date: 1/1//2025
Company Name (if different): CenterPoint Energy	Phone: 713-207-7663
Address: 1111 Louisiana St, Ste 1060	Fax:
Houston Texas	Zip: 77002
24/7 Contact Name: Kevin Chavez	Phone:
Contractor:	Phone:
Bonding Company:	Phone:
2. Franchise Holder:	Phone:
3. Franchise Contact:	Phone:
4. Location (if applicable, length of installation in feet): 16910 (CR 122

Propose to install 2" IP Pla Svc gas see drawing 5. Type of work, location, and description of the proposed line and appurtenances is shown by 3 copies of drawings attached to this application. The line will be constructed and maintained on the

County right-of-way as directed by the Road Administrator/Engineer in accordance with SMITH COUNTY specifications.

6. Describe all traffic controls or warning devices anticipated for this project:

7. Proposed start date:	1/31/2025	Completion date:	4/30/2025	
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- 11. The applicant shall secure all other necessary or required permits, licenses, or approvals before starting work.
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- 20. Final Inspection: All permits must have a final inspection once work is complete. Please call (903)590-4801 to schedule a final inspection.

Applicants Signature:	Donald Whaley	Date: 1/17/2025

Approved:_

Smith County Road Administrator/Engineer





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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT FOR THE INSTALLATION PIPE AND/OR UTILITY LINES WITHIN A COUNTY MAINTAINED RIGHT OF WAY OR EASEMENT Smith County Road & Bridge Department P.O.Box 990 Tyler, Texas 75710

1. Applicant:Charter - Spectrum		Date: <u>1/15/2025</u>	
Company Na	me (if different):	Phone: (214) 500-7559	
Address:	4520 Stonewall St.	Fax:	
	Greenville, Texas 75401	Zip:	
24/7 Contact	Name: Glenn Valentine	Phone:	
Co	ntractor: Mastec North America - Juan Jaramillo	Phone: (214) 542-9484	
Bonding C	ompany:	Phone:	
2. Franchise H	lolder: Charter - Spectrum	Phone:	
3. Franchise (Contact: Glenn Valentine	Phone: (214) 500-7559	

4. Location, *(if applicable, length of installation in feet)*: Charter-Spectrum is proposing to Install approx. 30,189' of aerial fiber optic cable attached to existing poles, and approx. 27,008' of underground conduits e/w fiber optic cable, and approx. 82
 Vaults, and approx. 5 pedestals within the ROW of Old Providence Rd, High Hill Dr, Lex La, Ashley La, Kate La, Westelde Br,
 5. Type of work, location, and description of the proposed line and appurtenances is shown by 3 This Alle copies of drawings attached to this application. The line will be constructed and maintained on the PaivArt County right-of-way as directed by the Road Administrator/Engineer in accordance with SMITH COUNTY specifications.

6. Describe all traffic controls or warning devices anticipated for this project:

Traffic control plans to be used are the TxDOT Traffic Operations Division Standard:

	Lane Tow Way Traffic Cont		
Conventional Road Should	er Work - TCP (1-1)18, and	l Temporary Rumble Strip	os – WZ (RS)-22
7. Proposed start date:	1/29/2025	Completion date:	1/29/2026

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Specific instructions and conditions are as follows:

CR 223

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CR 2299, Bob Still Rd, CR 2290, CR 246 S, Wild Arrow Ct, Apache Rd, Navaho Str, Choctaw St, Chorekee St, Pueblo St, Chevenne St, Arapaho Str, Pawnee St, CR 2264, And CR 233.

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- 19. Petrochemical or other hydrocarbon pipelines: Does this pipeline fall under the Texas Rail Road Commission (flowlines). Yes_____ No_X___
- 20. Final Inspection: All permits must have a final inspection once work is complete. Please call (903)590-4801 to schedule a final inspection.

Applicants Signature: Marwah Altaje Approved: Smith County Road Administrator/Engineer

Date: 1/15/2025



PIPE AND/OR UTILITY LINES RIGHT OF W Smith County Ro	APPLICATION FOR PERMIT FOR THE INSTALLATION PIPE AND/OR UTILITY LINES WITHIN A COUNTY MAINTAINED RIGHT OF WAY OR EASEMENT Smith County Road & Bridge Department P.O.Box 990 Tyler, Texas 75710					
1. Applicant: Jack Son Water Supply Cor Company Name (<i>if different</i>): Address: 17764 C.R. 26	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$					
24/7 Contact Name: Contractor: James Colton Hor Bonding Company: Red Underground Uti						
2. Franchise Holder:	Phone:					
4. Location (if applicable, length of installation in feet): 705 indall 60'of 2" casing 5. Type of work, location, and description of the propose						
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Applicants Signature: 4 Approved:

Date: 1/23/25

Smith County Road Administrator/Engineer

MINIMUM DEPTH- 36"

14 GA COPPER LOCATE WIRE INCLUDED

ADDRESS: 7050 CR 235

TYLER, TX 75707



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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT FOR THE INSTALLATION PIPE AND/OR UTILITY LINES WITHIN A COUNTY MAINTAINED RIGHT OF WAY OR EASEMENT Smith County Road & Bridge Department P.O.Box 990 Tyler, Texas 75710

1. Applicant:	Charter - Spectrum	Date:	01/17/2025
Company Na	me (if different):	Phone:	(214) 287-0416
Address:	4520 Stonewall St.	Fax:	
	Greenville, Texas 75401	Zip:	
24/7 Contact	Name: Rosendo (Rose) Lowe	Phone:	
Co	Ontractor: Mastec North America - Juan Jaramillo	Phone:	(214) 542-9484
Bonding C	ompany:	Phone:	
2. Franchise H	older: Charter - Spectrum	Phone:	
3. Franchise (Contact: Rosendo Lowe	Phone:	(214) 287-0416

4. LOCation (if applicable, length of installation in feet): Charter-Spectrum is proposing to install approx. 22,867' of 1-2" H.D.P.E. underground conduit Install approx. 95 handholes and 17 pedestals within the ROW of CR371, CR373, CR366, CR373, CR374 and CR3110.

5. Type of work, location, and description of the proposed line and appurtenances is shown by 3 copies of drawings attached to this application. The line will be constructed and maintained on the County right-of-way as directed by the Road Administrator/Engineer in accordance with SMITH COUNTY specifications.

6. Describe all traffic controls or warning devices anticipated for this project:

Traffic	control	plans	to	be	used	are	the	TxDOT	Traffic	Operations	3 Div	vision	Standard:		
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Traffic Control Plan One	Lane Tow Way Traitio	: Control - TCP (1-2)18, Tra:	ffic Control Plan
Conventional Road Should	er Work - TCP (1-1)18	, and Temporary Rumble Strip	ps - WZ (RS)-22
7. Proposed start date:	02/01/25	Completion date:	12/30/2025

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- 19. Petrochemical or other hydrocarbon pipelines: Does this pipeline fall under the Texas Rail Road Commission (flowlines). Yes_____ No X____
- 20. Final Inspection: All permits must have a final inspection once work is complete. Please call (903)590-4801 to schedule a final inspection.

Date: 01/17/25

Applicants Signature: Thai Bui						
Approved Frank 1/22/25						
Approved: The cus (127/23						
Smith County Road Administrator/Engineer						





APPLICATION FOR PERMIT FOR THE INSTALLATION PIPE AND/OR UTILITY LINES WITHIN A COUNTY MAINTAINED RIGHT OF WAY OR EASEMENT Smith County Road & Bridge Department P.O.Box 990 Tyler, Texas 75710

1. Applicant: CARA MONTEAU		Date:	1/16/	202	25	
Company Name (if different): CENTERPOINT EN	ERGY	Phone:	409-8	60-	7129	
Address: 7415 WINDCASTLE DR		Fax:				
BEAUMONT, TEXAS		Zip:				-
24/7 Contact Name:		Phone:				
Contractor:		Phone:				
Bonding Company:		Phone:				
2. Franchise Holder:		Phone:				
3. Franchise Contact:		Phone:				
4. Location (if applicable, length of installation in feet):	PROP TO INS	STALL 1	00' OF		SERVICE	LINE

IN " CASING UNDER CR 429 APPROX 505' NORTH OF CR 428 CENTERLINE 5. Type of work, location, and description of the proposed line and appurtenances is shown by 3 copies of drawings attached to this application. The line will be constructed and maintained on the County right-of-way as directed by the Road Administrator/Engineer in accordance with SMITH COUNTY specifications.

6. Describe all traffic controls or warning devices anticipated for this project:

CONSTRUCTION SIGNS, TRAFFIC CONES, AND SAFETY FLAGS

7. Proposed start date: 1/27/2025 Completion date: TBD - APPROX 2 DAYS

It is expressly understood that the SMITH COUNTY Commissioners Court does not purport, herby, to grant and right, claim, title, or easement in or upon this county road; and it is further understood that in the future should for any reason SMITH COUNTY should need to work, improve, relocate, widen, increase, add to or in any manner change the structure of this right-of-way, this line, if affected, will be moved under the direction of the SMITH COUNTY Road Administrator/Engineer and shall be relocated at the complete expense of the owner.

All work on the county right-of-way shall be performed in accordance with the Road Administrator/Engineer's instructions. The installation shall not damage any part of the road way.

- 1. All underground lines are to be installed a minimum of 36 inches below flow line of the adjacent drainage or borrow ditch.
- 2. All buried lines carrying an electrical current, or electronic or optical signal shall have yellow plastic tape at least two inches in width, buried a minimum of twelve inches above such lines.
- 3. Lines crossing under surfaced roads and under surfaced cross roads with in the right-of-way shall be placed by boring. Boring shall extend from crown line to crown line.
- 4. All lines under roads carrying pressure in excess of 50psi shall be enclosed in satisfactory casing extending from right-of-way line to right-of-way line. Pipe used for casing may be any type approved by the Road Administrator and shall be capable of supporting the roadbed and traffic loads and shall be constructed such that there is no leakage through the casing, carrier pipe, joints or couplings. (Lines installed 48 inches or greater below flow line encasement is not required.)

- 5. No lines are to be installed under or within 50 ft. of either end of a bridge. No lines shall be placed in a culvert or within 10 ft. of the closest point of same.
- Parallel lines will be installed as near the right-of-way as is possible and no parallel line will be installed in the roadbed or between the drainage ditch and roadbed without special permission of the Road Administrator/Engineer.
- 7. Overhead lines will have a minimum clearance of 18 ft. above the road surface at point of crossing.
- 8. The cost of any repairs to road surface, roadbed, structures or other right-of-way features as a result of this instillation will be borne by the owner of this line.
- 9. At least one half of the traveled portion of the road must be open to traffic at all times.
- 10. This permit is permissive, is subject to the public right of travel on and access to the right-of-way, and may not be assigned.
- 11. The applicant shall secure all other necessary or required permits, licenses, or approvals before starting work.
- 12. Signs and traffic controls shall comply with the current edition of the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices, as approved by the Texas Department of Transportation.
- 13. All work shall conform to the design standards and specifications of the County.
- 14. Restoration of the right-of-way is required and shall be completed within 30 days of the completed work within the right-of-way.
- 15. Right-of-Way surfaces shall be cleaned before the end of each day's work. All catch basins, culverts or other improvements affected by any deposits of dirt, mud, rock, debris, or other material shall be cleaned daily or as specified by the County.
- 16. The applicant shall provide proof of Insurance.
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- 19. Petrochemical or other hydrocarbon pipelines: Does this pipeline fall under the Texas Rail Road Commission (flowlines). Yes_X_No____
- 20. Final Inspection: All permits must have a final inspection once work is complete. Please call (903)590-4801 to schedule a final inspection.

____ Date: 1/1/2/25 Applicants Signature: Approved:

Smith County Road Administrator/Engineer



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1. Applicant: Charter	- Spectrum		Date:	1/22/2025
Company Name (if diffe			Phone:	(214) 500-7559

Company Name (if different):	Phone: (214) 500-7559
Address: 4520 Stonewall St.	Fax:
Greenville, Texas 75401	Zip:
24/7 Contact Name: Glenn Valentine	Phone:
Contractor: Future Infrastructure Holdings- Jerry Ringo	Phone: 469-260-3947
Bonding Company:	Phone:
2. Franchise Holder: Charter - Spectrum	Phone:
3. Franchise Contact: Glenn Valentine	Phone: (214) 500-7559
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4. LOCATION (if applicable, length of installation in feet): Charter-Spectrum is proposing to install approx. 28,723' of underground conduits e/w fiber optic cable, and approx. 59 Vaults, and approx. 10 pedestals within the ROW CR 3101, CR 3102, CR 3116, CR 3117 AND CR 3208

5. Type of work, location, and description of the proposed line and appurtenances is shown by 3 copies of drawings attached to this application. The line will be constructed and maintained on the County right-of-way as directed by the Road Administrator/Engineer in accordance with SMITH COUNTY specifications.

6. Describe all traffic controls or warning devices anticipated for this project:

Traffic control plans to be used are the TxDOT Traffic Operations Division Standard:

Traffic Control Plan One	Lane Tow Way Traffic (Control - TCP (1-2)18, Trai	fic Control Plan
Conventional Road Shoulde:	r Work - TCP (1-1)18,	and Temporary Rumble Strip	os - WZ (RS)-22
7. Proposed start date:	1/29/2025	Completion date:	1/29/2026

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Smith (County Road	Administrat	or/Engineer

Date: 1/22/2025





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1. Applicant:	Char	ter - Spectrum	Date:	1/9/2025
Company Nam	ne (if differ	ent):	Phone:	(469) 503-6112
Address:	452	0 Stonewall St.	Fax:	
	Gree	enville, Texas 75401	Zip:	
24/7 Contact I	Name:	GLENN VALENTINE	Phone:	
Cor	ntractor:	Mastec North America - Juan Jaramillo	Phone:	(214) 542-9484
Bonding Co	mpany:		Phone:	
2. Franchise Ho	older:	Charter - Spectrum	Phone:	
3. Franchise Co	ontact:	GLENN VALENTINE	Phone:	(214) 500-7559

4. Location (if applicable, length of installation in feet): Charter-Spectrum is proposing to install approx. 36667' of underground conduits e/w fiber optic cable, approx. 26 Pedestals and approx. 86 Vaults within the ROW of CR 3116 & CR 3118, CR 3168, CR 3119, CR 3111, CR 3113, **48.41**9, CR 4342, CR 4343.

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1/9/2025

Applicants Signature Marwah Altaie	Date:
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Approved: Fronk two 1/22/25	
Smith County Road Administrator/Engineer	





Submission Date:	Submitted by: Jennafer Macmillan	
Meeting Date: Weekly	Department: Auditor	
Item Requested is: For Action/Consi	deration For Discussion/Report	
Title: Weekly Bill Pay		
Agenda Category: O Briefing Session O Court Orders Presentation	 Recurring Business Resolution Executive Session 	
Agenda Wording: Consider and take necessary action to approve and/or ratify payment of accounts, bills, payroll, transfer of funds, amendments, and health claims.		
Background:		
Financial and Operational Impact:		
Attachments: Yes 🖌 No 🗌 Is a	Budget Amendment Necessary? Yes No	
Does Document Require Signature? Yes 🖌 No 🗌		
Return Signed Documents to the following:		
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Submission Date: 1/27/2025	Submitted by: Jennafer Macmillan	
Meeting Date: 2/4/2025	Department: Sheriff Office	
Item Requested is: For Action/Conside	eration For Discussion/Report	
Title: Smith County Jail Update		
Agenda Category:Briefing Session O Court Orders PresentationImage: Court orders O Resolution O Executive Session		
Agenda Wording: Receive report on status of Smith County jail operations, inmate population, employee overtime, and employee vacancies.		
Background:		
Financial and Operational Impact:		
Attachments: Yes 🖌 No 🗌 Is a H	Budget Amendment Necessary? Yes No	
Does Document Require Signature? Yes No 🖌		
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Submission Date: 01/31/2025	Submitted by: T. Wilson	
Meeting Date: 02/04/2025	Department: Commissioners Court	
Item Requested is: 🖌 For Action/Co	onsideration For Discussion/Report	
Title: Executive Session		
Agenda Category: O Briefing Sessio O Court Orders O Presentation	n O Recurring Business O Resolution O Executive Session	
Agenda Wording: 551.087 DELIBERATION REGARDING ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT NEGOTIATIONS 551.071 CONSULTATION WITH ATTORNEY Deliberation and consultation with attorney regarding prospective businesses that intend to locate and/or expand in Smith County, potential economic development negotiation, and financial or other incentives available in Smith County.		
Background:		
Financial and Operational Impact:		
Attachments: Yes No	Is a Budget Amendment Necessary? Yes No 🖌	
Does Document Require Signature? Yes No		
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