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COUNTY JUDGE

The Honorable Ruben John Vogt Judge of El Paso County 500 E. San Antonio, Suite 301 El Paso, Texas 79901

Dear Judge Vogt:

The Local Government Assistance Program was established in 1997 under the Transportation Code §201.706 and requires the Department to assist counties with surplus materials to repair and maintain county roads. Giving preference to counties with an above average number of overweight trucks receiving weight tolerance permits based on the previous year's permit totals.

The rules for this program (43 Texas Administrative Code §29.3) provide the procedures used to determine the allocation to each county. Maximum use of surplus materials on hand is expected to meet the allocations. New materials will be made available when surplus materials on hand are not available in sufficient quantities or the haul distance or cost is prohibitive.

Due to budget restraints only surplus material will be distributed. Your county allotment for fiscal year 2019 is \$28,369.

In accordance with 43 TAC §29.3 rules, please submit to us within 45 days your requests for surplus materials to be distributed in fiscal year 2019. Surplus material not requested by your county will be made available to other counties. We look forward to receiving your request.

If you have any questions, please contact Joseph Lindsey, East Area County Maintenance Supervisor at 915-849-5555, Ricardo Romero, P.E., East Area Engineer at 915-849-5552, Hector Granados, West Area County Maintenance Supervisor at 915-757-5921, Mo Moabed, P.E., West Area Engineer at 915-757-5901 or Ken Barnett, P.E., Director of Operations at 915-790-4300.

Sincerely,

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Robert Bielek, DPA, P.E. El Paso District Engineer

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OUR MISSION: Through collaboration and leadership, we deliver a safe, reliable, and integrated transportation system that enables the movement of people and goods.