

West Texas HIDTA
High **I**ntensity **D**rug **T**rafficking **A**rea

Travis B. Kuykendall
Executive Director

August 16, 2021

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**Honorable Ricardo A. Samaniego, County Judge
And Members of Commissioner's Court
County Courthouse, Room 301
El Paso, Texas 79901**

RE: Grant Award Modification

Dear Sir and Members of Commissioners' Court:

**Respectfully request that the following Grant Award Modification be placed
on the County Commissioner's Consent Agenda of August 23, 2021.**

**Respectfully request that Commissioners' Court authorize the County Judge
to accept and sign the attached Grant Award Modification:**

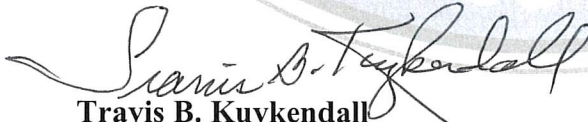
**Grant Award Modification #1 for G20SW0003A – District Attorney -
West Texas HIDTA Prosecution Initiative – Increased to \$731,195**

**All terms and conditions of the original award apply to this modification.
This modification has been reviewed and approved as to form by the County
Attorney's office. This award modification is at no cost to the County.**

Your favorable consideration of this request would be greatly appreciated.

Please return the signed copies to our office.

Sincerely,


Travis B. Kuykendall
Executive Director

Attachment: 1

5801 Acacia Circle
El Paso, TX 79912-4859
Office: (915) 532-9550 Fax: (915) 532-9931



COMMISSIONERS COURT CONTRACT FORM

CONTRACT SUMMARY

Approve and authorize the County Judge to sign Grant Award Modification #1 increasing the grant in the amount of \$4,600 for the West Texas HIDTA Prosecution Initiative Grant (G20SW0003A) on behalf of the District Attorney's Office. This award modification is at no cost to the County. (Contract No. 2021-0599)

ADDITIONAL BACKGROUND: This modification increases the grant by \$4,600

FISCAL IMPACT: No cost to the County

PRIOR COURT ACTION: Grant Application 2020-066 Approved 2-3-20, Grant Award G20SW0003A 2020-0188 approved 3-30-20

RECOMMENDATION: Approval

BASIC CONTRACT DETAILS

CONTRACT NO.: 2021-0599

CONTRACT TITLE: HIDTA / DA / Prosecution Initiative / Grant Award No. G20SW0003A / Modification 1 - Increased

SECOND PARTY: Executive Office of the President, Office of National Drug Control Policy [ONDCP]

CONTRACT TYPE: Grant Modification

TERM AND BUDGET DETAILS

TERM:

EXTENSION OPTIONS:

EFFECTIVE DATE:

MOD EFFECTIVE DATE (If Applicable):

EXPIRATION DATE:

MOD EXPIRATION DATE (If Applicable):

EXTENSION DEADLINE DATE (If Applicable):

AMOUNT:

MOD AMOUNT (If Applicable):

APPROVALS

COUNTY ATTORNEY APPROVAL

The attached document has been given legal review by the El Paso County Attorney's Office on behalf of the County of El Paso, its officers, and employees. Said legal review should not be relied upon by any person or entity other than the County of El Paso, its officers, and employees.

COUNTY ATTORNEY: Donnie McGilbra

LEGAL REVIEW: Approved as to Form as Submitted

LEGAL REVIEW NOTES (If Applicable):

DATE: 8/13/2021

DIRECTOR/DEPARTMENT HEAD APPROVAL

The undersigned hereby certifies that he/she has read the contract, understands and approves the contract terms and conditions and further certifies that the contract conforms to the bid specification, if any, and acknowledges that he/she is responsible for administering all terms and conditions.

DIRECTOR/DEPARTMENT HEAD/DESIGNEE: Travis Kuykendall

DEPARTMENT CONTACT: Connie Banko

DEPARTMENT: West Texas High Intensity Drug Trafficking Areas (HIDTA)

DATE: 08/16/2021

West Texas HIDTA

High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area

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Executive Director

August 6, 2021

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Christina Ford
El Paso County Attorney's Office
500 E. San Antonio Ave., Room 503
El Paso, Texas 79901

**Re: Grant Modification #1 for G20SW0003A – District Attorney's Office
– West Texas HIDTA-Prosecution Initiative – Increased to \$731,195**

Dear Ms. Ford:

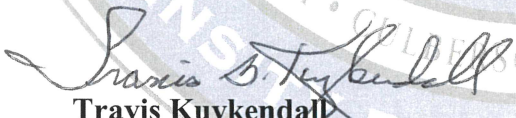
Attached are the original Cooperative Agreement Modification Contract Data Form, Review and Budget Impact form for the referenced Grant for your review.

West Texas HIDTA would like to have this Grant Modification on Commissioners' Court Agenda for August 30, 2021.

All terms and conditions of the original award apply to the modification. This award modification is at no cost to the County.

Please call Connie Banko at 532-9550 as soon as this modification is reviewed and approved. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to call me.

Sincerely,


Travis Kuykendall
Executive Director

Attachments 1

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West Texas HIDTA

High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area

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Judge Ricardo Samaniego

El Paso County
500 E. San Antonio, Room 301
El Paso, TX 79901

Dear Judge Samaniego,

We are pleased to inform you that the modification for the FY 2020 grant award (G20SW0003) has been approved for the 34th District Attorney in support of the West Texas HIDTA Prosecution initiative.

If you accept this award, sign all necessary documents and return a copy to our office. Keep the original in your files. We will forward your acceptance documents to the HIDTA Assistance Center in Miami.

If you have any questions pertaining to this agreement, please feel free to contact Rosa Marquez at (915) 532-9567.

Sincerely,


Travis B. Kuykendall
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May 11, 2021

The Honorable Ricardo Samaniego, El Paso County, on behalf of:
34th District Attorney
500 E San Antonio
El Paso, TX 79901-2419

Dear Judge Samaniego:

Grant number G20SW0003A has been increased and now totals \$731,895.00.

The original of Modification 1 is enclosed. If you accept this Modification, sign the Modification and return a copy to the Assistance Center in Miami. Keep the original Modification for your file.

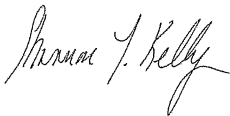
All terms and conditions of the original award apply to the Modification. If you have any questions pertaining to this grant award, please contact Jayme Delano at (202) 395 - 6794.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Shannon J. Kelly". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "S" and "K".

Shannon Kelly
National HIDTA Director

Enclosures

Executive Office of the President Office of National Drug Control Policy		AWARD Grant	Page 1 of 1
1. Recipient Name and Address The Honorable Ricardo Samaniego 34th District Attorney 500 E San Antonio El Paso, TX 79901-2419		4. Award Number: G20SW0003A	
		5. Grant Period: From 01/01/2020 to 12/31/2021	
1A. Subrecipient IRS/Vendor No.	6. Date: 5/11/2021	7. Action Initial <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Supplemental	
Subrecipient Name and Address	8. Supplement Number 1		
2A. Subrecipient IRS/Vendor No.:	9. Previous Award Amount:	\$727,295.00	
3. Project Title West Texas HIDTA Prosecution Initiative	10. Amount of This Award:	\$4,600.00	
	11. Total Award:	\$731,895.00	
12. • The above grant is approved subject to such conditions or limitation as are set forth in the original Grant.			
13. Statutory Authority for Grant: Public Law 116-93			
AGENCY APPROVAL		RECIPIENT ACCEPTANCE	
14. Typed Name and Title of Approving Official Shannon Kelly National HIDTA Director		15. Typed Name and Title of Authorized Official Ricardo Samaniego The Honorable	
16. Signature of Approving ONDCP Official 		17. Signature of Authorized Recipient/Date	
AGENCY USE ONLY			
18. Accounting Classification Code DUNS: 098970403 EIN: 1746000762A4		19. HIDTA AWARD OND1070DB2021XX OND6113 OND2000000000 OC 410001 JID: 74496	

Initiative Cash by HIDTA

FY 2020

Current Budget (net of reprogrammed funds)

HIDTA	Agency Name	Initiative	Cash	Type	Grant
West Texas HIDTA - Southwest Border	34th District Attorney	West Texas HIDTA Prosecution Initiative	731,895.00	Investigation	G20SW0003A
Agency Total : 34th District Attorney			731,895.00		
Total			731,895.00		

Budget Detail

2020 - West Texas HIDTA - Southwest
Border

Initiative - West Texas HIDTA Prosecution Initiative

Investigation

Award Recipient - 34th District Attorney (G20SW0003A)

Resource Recipient - 34th District Attorney's Office

Indirect Cost: 0.0%

Current Budget (net of reprogrammed funds)		\$4,600.00
Supplies	Quantity	Amount
Supplies		\$4,600.00
Total Supplies		\$4,600.00
Total Budget		\$4,600.00