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January 24, 2008

Honorable Juan "J.D." Salinas
County Judge, Hidalgo County
P.O. Box 1356
Edinburg, Texas 78540

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COUNTY JUDGE

**RE: Removal of the CR 341(Nittler Road) Bridge from TxDOT's Inventory
Str. # AA03-41-001 over Willacy Main Canal**


Honorable Judge Salinas;

Back September 2000, the subject bridge project was funded for replacement under the Federal Bridge Rehabilitation and Replacement program. However, at the time the County did not consider this structure a priority for their off-system transportation infrastructure and chose to use the funds to replace the bridge on Mile 2 West Road (Str. # AA08-25-002) over the Main Supply Canal instead. This was done in accordance with our off-system bridge substitution criteria.

Since that time, the CR 341 (Nittler Road) bridge has remained closed to traffic and we are unaware of any plans by the County to replace it. As such, please note that we will be removing the subject bridge from our inventory listing as an active off-system bridge at the end of February 2008. If the County does have plans to replace and reopen the subject bridge, please advise us by February 15, 2008.

Should you have any questions or need additional information, please feel free to contact myself or Mr. Rex A. Costley, P.E., our District Bridge Engineer, at (956) 702-6100.

Sincerely,



Mr. Mario R. Jorge, P. E.
Pharr District Engineer

Enclosures

MJ: eg

cc: Honorable Sylvia Handy, County Commissioner Precinct #1
Jody R. Ellington, P.E., Director of Transportation Planning and Development
Rex A. Costley, P.E., District Bridge Engineer
Hector Gonzalez, P. E., Pharr Area Engineer
District File

PRECINCT #4

PRECINCT #1

Nittler Road
CR 341
Str. #AA03-41-001

CR 825
Mile 2 West Road
Str. #AA08-25-002

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