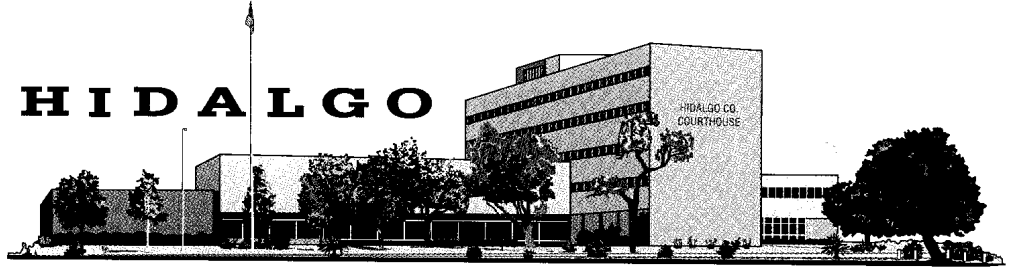


# COUNTY of HIDALGO



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October 5, 2009

The Honorable JD Salinas, Hidalgo County Judge  
The Honorable Sylvia Handy, Commissioner, Precinct No. 1  
The Honorable Hector "Tito" Palacios, Commissioner, Precinct No. 2  
The Honorable Jose M. Flores, Commissioner, Precinct No. 3  
The Honorable Oscar L. Garza, Commissioner, Precinct No. 4

**RE: Certification of Revenue**

Dear Judge and Commissioners:


Pursuant to Local Government Code § 111.0706 SPECIAL BUDGET FOR GRANT OR AID MONEY:

The county auditor shall certify to the commissioners court the receipt of all public or private grant or aid money that is available for disbursement in a fiscal year but not included in the budget for that fiscal year. On certification, the court shall adopt a special budget for the limited purpose of spending the grant or aid money for its intended purpose.

I, Ray Eufrazio, County Auditor of Hidalgo County, certify to the Hidalgo County Commissioners Court the allocation of \$390,000.00 for the FY2010 WIC BF Peer Counselor grant. These funds may now be made available by creating a new special budget or amending a current budget for its intended purposes.

AMOUNT	GRANT
\$390,000.00	WIC BF Peer Counselor

CERTIFIED BY:

  
Raymundo Eufrazio, CPA  
Hidalgo County Auditor

10/5/09  
Date

**HIDALGO COUNTY DISTRICT JUDGES**

## Linda Fong

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**From:** Mike Escaname [mike.escaname@auditor.co.hidalgo.tx.us]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 30, 2009 5:44 PM  
**To:** 'Linda Fong'  
**Cc:** becky.luna@auditor.co.hidalgo.tx.us  
**Subject:** FW: BF Peer Counselor Funding 2010 - Certification of Revenue Needed

Linda,

Below is the email from WIC State Office telling Norma they have already allocated \$390,000.00 for the WIC Breastfeeding Program for FY 2010. (The same as FY 09).

This should suffice for the Certification of Revenue?? There is an Agenda item to appropriate the WIC Breastfeeding for next Tuesday.

Mike E.

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**From:** Norma Longoria [mailto:norma.longoria@wic.co.hidalgo.tx.us]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 30, 2009 5:35 PM  
**To:** mike.escaname@auditor.co.hidalgo.tx.us; armando.perez@auditor.co.hidalgo.tx.us  
**Cc:** mague.gonzalez@wic.co.hidalgo.tx.us  
**Subject:** Fw: BF Peer Counselor Funding 2010

Please read email from Jewel Stremmer concerning BF Peer Counselor funding for Project 12. Thanks

Norma Longoria, MS, LD  
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-----Original Message-----

**From:** "Stremmer, Jewel" <Jewel.Stremmer@dshs.state.tx.us>  
**Sent:** 9/23/2009 9:24:49 AM  
**To:** "Norma Longoria" <norma.longoria@wic.co.hidalgo.tx.us>  
**Subject:** RE: BF Peer Counselor Funding 2010

Norma,  
We had a much earlier time frame for getting the allocations made this year and I have already submitted all the numbers. All of the special project allocations are going out in one letter and you should be getting that pretty soon. Your allocation for 2010 is \$390,000 the same as 2009. There will be a reallocation in the middle of the year and I am sure that if you still need the additional funding, it won't be a problem to get it to you in the reallocation. I will put you on the list right now. Also, keep in mind that peer counselor expenses can be charged to your lactation services funding, or your regular funding as breastfeeding and NE expenditures.

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Nutrition Services Section MC 1933

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**From:** Norma Longoria [mailto:[norma.longoria@wic.co.hidalgo.tx.us](mailto:norma.longoria@wic.co.hidalgo.tx.us)]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 22, 2009 6:07 PM  
**To:** Stremler, Jewell  
**Subject:** BF Peer Counselor Funding 2010

Hi Jewel,

I was working on the budget for next year and I underestimated the amount I needed for this fiscal year. My budget for 14 peer counselors with fringes \$404,729 and I had requested \$396,132 for this coming year. Is it possible that I can get the \$404,729? Please advice, Thanks

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