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Rosalinda, we have 243 tobacco retailers within our precinct boundaries which is where we intend to concentrate our support efforts...our precinct area encompasses the following zip codes: 78572, 78574, 78501, 78502

Question #5 Explain your agency's plan to implement this grant and how it will support and enforce Health and Safety Code, Chapter 161, as it relates to educating local retailers and court personnel and reducing illegal tobacco sales to minors...

Our support efforts are to include the following activities:

- Make contact with retail operators
- Inform them of the tobacco laws as required by Section 161.085

Our enforcement efforts are to include the following activities:

- Make use of unannounced inspections on licensed retailers as allowed by Section 161.088
- Issued citations for related violations
- Follow up with report of violations to The Texas Office of Comptroller as required by Section 161.090

If you need further clarification on this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

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