

COUNTY BEST PRACTICES
AWARDS PROGRAM
NOMINATION FORM

I. Program Information

County: Hidalgo County

Program title: Hidalgo County Executive Office Vehicle GPS Program

Official/Individual playing significant role: J. Chris Trevino

Actual implementation date: July 22, 2015

II. Authorization

X

III. Contact Information

Name: J. Chris Trevino

Title: County Operations Administrator

Department: Hidalgo County Executive Office

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IV. Signature of the County Judge or Elected Official/Auditor

Name: Ramon Garcia

Title: Hidalgo County Judge

Signature: Ramon Marcia



September 26, 2016

Mr. J. Chris Trevino
Hidalgo County Operations Administrator
2818 S. Bus. Hwy. 281
Edinburg, TX 78539

Dear Mr. Trevino:

Congratulations!

The Texas Association of Counties has selected your county to receive a 2016 County Best Practices Award for your "Executive Office Vehicle GPS Program."

Thank you for your efforts to better serve the public and for sharing the details of your outstanding program with us. To help spread the word and encourage replication of your innovation, TAC will share information about it in *County* magazine, on our social media channels and will provide you with a news release you can use to announce your achievement.

Please contact Kelley Nail to discuss the best time for TAC to present your award, perhaps during an upcoming Commissioners Court meeting. Her direct phone line is (512) 615-8904.

Again, well done! We appreciate your participation.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gene Terry". The signature is fluid and cursive, written over a light blue horizontal line.

Gene Terry
Executive Director

Hidalgo County

- Domestic Abuse Intervention Specialist, Sheriff Lupe Trevino, 2013
- Deaf Link/Accessibility Project, Partnered with Cameron County, Hidalgo and Cameron County's Judges and Commissioner's Courts, both Health and Emergency Management Departments, 2009
- Barrier/Levee Project, County Judge J.D. Salinas, Commissioner Hector Palacios, the International Boundary and Water Commission and the US Border Patrol, 2009
- Operation A.P.E. (Awareness, Prevention and Enforcement), Lupe Trevino, Sheriff, 2011
- Records Management: Record, Retain, Recycle, Arturo Guajardo, Jr., County Clerk, 2012

Hood County

- Road Damage Recovery Program, Commissioners Steve Barry and Dick Roan/Commissioner's Court, 2008

Houston County

- Summer Jobs for Teens and Seniors, Lonnie Hunt, County Judge, 2010
- Houston County Facebook Page, Lonnie Hunt, County Judge, 2011

Hunt County

- Special Collections, TA/C, 2001

Jim Hogg County

- County Vaquero Association, Commissioner's Court/Vaquero Association/Texas Legislature, 2006

Jim Wells County

- Prescribed Burn Ban, County judge Arnoldo Saenz/Extension Agent Rogelio Mercado, 2009

Johnson County

- Conquering the Growth Challenge, County Judge/Commissioner's Court/School District/City of Cleburne, 2005