



June 25, 2018

Mr. J. Chris Trevino
Hidalgo County Operations Manager
100 N. Closner, Ste. 303
Edinburg, TX 78539

Dear Mr. Trevino,

Congratulations!

The Texas Association of Counties has selected your county to receive a 2018 County Best Practices Award for your "Nuisance Abatement 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".

Gene Terry
Executive Director

cc: Hon. Ramon Garcia

TEXAS ASSOCIATION of COUNTIES
COUNTY BEST PRACTICES AWARDS PROGRAM

Nomination Form

1. Complete this entry form and attach it to the narrative. The narrative should address the Eligibility Criteria and Standards as described on page 2. Narratives should not be longer than six pages. Counties wanting to nominate more than one program can access an interactive form on the TAC website at county.org.
2. Forms may be submitted electronically, emailed to BestPractices@county.org, or mailed to Texas Association of Counties, Attn: Best Practices, 1210 San Antonio St., Austin, TX 78701.
3. The narrative description of a County Best Practices Awards program should respond to the following:
 - a. The challenge or concern that prompted the development of the program/project;
 - b. The solution and steps taken to address the problem and an explanation of the objectives and how they were met;
 - c. The results and how the program impacted the community and/or county operations;
 - d. The summary, a 100-word description that includes elements of the challenge, solution and results.
4. The deadline for nominations is **March 30, 2018**.

I. Program Information

County Hidalgo County

Program title Executive Office - Nuisance Abatement Program

Official/individual playing significant role J. Chris Trevino

Actual implementation date Approved by Comm. Court on September 16, 2016 - In operation on October 2, 2016

II. Authorization

Please check this box to approve the online posting of your winning nomination form.

By checking this box, I authorize TAC to use, exhibit, display, broadcast and distribute in any form the materials I have submitted for the County Best Practices Awards Program.

III. Contact Information (person to whom correspondence should be sent)

Name J. Chris Trevino

Title County Operations Administrator

Department Hidalgo County Executive Office - Nuisance Abatement Division

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Fax n/a

Email chris.trevino@co.hidalgo.tx.us

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

Name Ramon Garcia

Title Hidalgo County Judge

Signature

Ramon Garcia