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## MEMORANDUM

TO: LRGVDC General Membership  
 CC: Crystal Balboa, Finance Director  
 FROM: Manuel Cruz, Executive Director   
 SUBJ: **Membership Dues**  
 DATE: January 25, 2023

Thank you for your continued membership in the Lower Rio Grande Valley Development Council (LRGVDC), the Regional Council of Governments for Cameron, Hidalgo, and Willacy Counties.

As you are aware, active membership in LRGVDC's association of local governments supports regional collaborative efforts and qualifies your entity for projects, plans and programs from the estimated 99% of state and federal funding received for continued development and prosperity across our region. Additionally, members shall have access to LRGVDC meeting room facilities, to include virtual platforms, (when available), project technical assistance and LRGVDC's governing body support of initiatives and efforts in alignment with the current 2020-2024 Lower Rio Grande Valley Strategic Plan.

Membership fees are based on population for the general governments (county, city, etc.) or an annually approved fixed fee for special purpose units: educational institutions, school districts, water districts, etc.)

To retain membership status and voting privileges, dues must be paid by **March 31, 2023**.

As we reflect on 2022, we can all agree that it's been a difficult year. However, the RGV continues to be resilient and the LRGVDC continued to be resourceful, and we anticipate a great and productive 2023. We hold you in high regard as an active LRGVDC member.

In advance, thank you for your participation in this great organization and for your support. If you have any questions or if there is anything the LRGVDC can be doing to assist you, please do not hesitate to let us know.

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Date: January 26, 2023

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2023 STATEMENT FOR MEMBERSHIP DUES

LRGVDC Member Hidalgo County

Amount: \$45,944.00

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