

**THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF HIDALGO**

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**ORDER
No. 90834**

ORDER APPROVING THE EXECUTION OF THE ADVANCE FUNDING AGREEMENT (AFA) WITH AUTHORITY FOR THE COUNTY JUDGE TO SIGN THE AGREEMENT WITH TXDOT FOR THE OFF THE STATE SYSTEM BRIDGE REPLACEMENT AND REHABILITATION PROJECT FOR MILE 17 ½ NORTH ROAD AT NORTH MAIN DRAINAGE DITCH.

WHEREAS, the federal off-system bridge program is administered by the Texas Department of Transportation (the State) to replace or rehabilitate structurally deficient and functionally obsolete (collectively referred to as deficient) bridges located on public roads and streets off the designated state highway system; and

WHEREAS, County of Hidalgo, hereinafter referred to as the Local Government owns bridges located at Mile 17 ½ North at Main Drainage Ditch, National Bridge Inventory (NBI) Structure Number 21-109-0-AA02-29-001, State Control-Section-Job (CSJ) Number 0921-02-513; and

WHEREAS, a project to remedy the bridge is included in the currently approved program of projects as authorized by Texas Transportation Commission Minute Order Number 116292. Dated August 30, 2022; and

WHEREAS, federally-eligible items of work for this project are approved for 100% federal and state funding through the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (IIJA) as well as the Highway Bridge Replacement and Rehabilitation Program (HBRRP); and,

WHEREAS, the typical estimated local match fund participation requirement for federally-eligible items of work is waived in full for CSJ#0921-02-513; and,

WHEREAS, any non-eligible items of work will be paid by the Local Government.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED, the County Commissioners Court approves the execution of the Advance Funding for public improvements related to the replacement and/or rehabilitation of the Mile 17 ½ North at Main Drainage Ditch (CSJ#0921-02-513) and authorizes the County Judge to sign said agreement with TXDOT.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 30th day of May, 2023.

Richard F. Cortez
County Judge

ATTEST:

Arturo Guajardo, Jr.
County Clerk