

## Hidalgo County C.A.R.E.S. Program

**WHEREAS**, The Hidalgo County Commissioner's Court finds it in the best interest of the citizens of Hidalgo County, that the Hidalgo County Cognitive Access for Remote Engagement and Supervision (C.A.R.E.S.) Program be operated for the 2026 year; and

**WHEREAS**, The Hidalgo County Commissioner's Court agrees that in the event of loss or misuse of the U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ), Office of Justice Programs (OJP), Bureau of Justice Assistance Department (BJA) funds, Hidalgo County Commissioner's Court assures that the funds will be returned to the U.S. Department of Justice in full.

**WHEREAS**, Hidalgo County Commissioner's Court designates Faustino Lopez, Director of the Hidalgo County CSCD as the grantee's authorized representative. The authorized representative is given the power to apply for, accept, reject, alter or terminate the grant on behalf of the applicant agency.

**WHEREAS**, Hidalgo County Commissioner's Court designates Leticia Chavez, Hidalgo County Auditor, as the grantee's financial officer. The financial officer is given the power to submit financial and/or programmatic reports or alter a grant on behalf of the applicant agency.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that Hidalgo County Commissioner's Court approves submission of the grant application for the Hidalgo County Cognitive Access for Remote Engagement and Supervision (C.A.R.E.S.) Program to the U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ), Office of Justice Programs (OJP), Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) department.

Signed by:

Richard F. Cortez  
County Judge

Passed and Approved this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2026.

Grant Number: \_\_\_\_\_