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Community Closet

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Fri, Aug 21, 2026 at 1:29 PM

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Cc: Monica Salinas <monica.salinas@co.hidalgo.tx.us>, Laura Hinojosa <laura.hinojosa@co.hidalgo.tx.us>

Mr. Guerra,

I wanted to reach out with an idea that I believe could be a valuable resource for the families we serve through our office. I would like to explore the possibility of creating a Community Closet within our office for families who may be experiencing financial difficulties or have an immediate need for basic necessities.

Many of the families who come through our office may have limited resources, and even small items can make a meaningful difference. The goal of the Community Closet would be to provide hygiene products, school supplies, diapers, household necessities, and other appropriate items based on the needs of the families we serve, creating a resource for families who are referred to our office and experiencing financial hardship. I believe this would provide meaningful support while treating families with dignity, compassion, and respect during a difficult time.

I have also spoken to District Clerk, Laura Hinojosa, who has expressed an interest in helping with this project. With support from local community members, employees, and organizations. I believe we could build a meaningful collection of items without placing a financial burden on the county.

Before moving forward, I would also like to know whether this type of program would require approval from Commissioners Court. I want to make sure we follow all applicable county policies and procedures.

Thank you for considering the idea. I would appreciate your guidance on the appropriate steps to obtain approval and move forward.

Respectfully,

Ida Trejo

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"Building healthy relationships one family at a time"

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Fri, Aug 21, 2026 at 3:56 PM

To: "garza, victor" <victor.garza@da.co.hidalgo.tx.us>

Cc: "Vina, Robert" <robert.vina@da.co.hidalgo.tx.us>

Hi Victor,

Valde wanted me to share this with you. He said we should place an agenda item.

Your thoughts?

Respectfully,

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Sun, Aug 23, 2026 at 9:13 AM

To: Ida Trejo <ida.trejo@co.hidalgo.tx.us>, "guerra, valde" <valde.guerra@co.hidalgo.tx.us>

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Good morning Valde,

I am so excited about the possibility of helping our families with the Community Closet. As you know the DRO is near and dear to my heart. I will do whatever I can to ensure the Community Closet is a success!

Please advise on the best way to proceed.

Thank you,

Ms. Hinojosa

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