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Ms. Joy Simonton, MPO, CPPO Purchasing Agent Williamson County 100 Wilco Way, Ste. P101 Georgetown, TX 78626

Subject: 2024 Achievement of Excellence in Procurement® Award

Dear Ms. Joy Simonton,

Congratulations! I am pleased to inform you that your agency's procurement department has earned the 2024 Achievement of Excellence in Procurement® Award!

We have attached your copy of the formal announcement letter sent to the organization official identified in your application.

Don't forget to visit the "AEP Webinar and Media" tab for graphics and a sample press release, and the "AEP by the Numbers" tab for detailed statistics and history!

The prestigious Achievement of Excellence in Procurement® Award will be shipped to your organization soon.

Please join us October 13-16 for our 56th Annual Conference, and the 29th Annual Achievement of Excellence in Procurement® Gala in Denver, CO. Your entire staff is now eligible to receive the member's registration rate. Just enter the code NPI2024AEP at checkout.

Sincerely,

Brian P. Garrity, CPSM, C.P.M., CPPB

Achievement of Excellence in Procurement® Award Officer

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