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To: Bob Space

The County Judge and the County Auditor's office reviewed the proposals received for Financial Advisory Services. Two proposals were received. Following is the ranking for each proposal.

- 1) Specialized Public Finance, Inc.
- 2) First Southwest Company.

These rankings are based on the firms meeting the mandatory requirements of the RFP and experience of the team proposed by each firm. The mandatory requirements were met by both firms. The experience of each team was the basis of the recommendation. The team with Specialized Public Finance, Inc. has completed the last 18 debt transactions for the county.

Please place this item on the court agenda for approval on December 23, 2008

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