



**COUNTY JUDGE**  
Fort Bend County, Texas

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October 23, 2018

Mr. Alan Clark  
Metropolitan Planning Organization Director  
Houston-Galveston Area Council  
3555 Timmons Lane, Suite 120  
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Via Application Submittal

Subject: 2018 TIP Call for Projects for Bus and Bus Service for Downtown Houston  
Letter of Local Match Support

Mr. Clark:

Regarding the request for grant funding to support our TIP Call for Projects for Bus and Bus Service for Downtown Houston, this letter will confirm the County's request for transportation development credits in lieu of the required local match. If transportation development credits are not available to match the attached application for federal funding, the local match would be provided from Fort Bend County General Revenue funds.

As proposed, an amount up to \$875,000 would be used as the local cash match share over the three year period. If you have any questions regarding this application or need any additional information, please contact Yvette R. Maldonado in the Public Transportation Department at 281-633-7433, or by email at [Yvette.Maldonado@fortbendcountytx.gov](mailto:Yvette.Maldonado@fortbendcountytx.gov).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Robert Hebert".

Robert Hebert  
County Judge



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October 11, 2018

Mr. Alan C. Clark  
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Houston-Galveston Area Council  
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RE: TIP Application for Operation of Fort Bend Park & Ride Service to Downtown Houston

Dear Mr. Clark:

The Downtown District is pleased to provide this letter of support and local match funding commitment for Fort Bend County Public Transportation's TIP funding application.

Since 2010, the Downtown District and Fort Bend County Public Transportation have been engaged in collaboration to determine the best means of providing seamless Park & Ride service from Fort Bend County to Downtown Houston. The funds sought in this application will assist in the implementation of commuter transit service from Fort Bend County to Downtown Houston.

The Downtown District's current service plan incorporates financial support for the proposed service. If TIP funds are awarded, the Downtown District commits to provide local match funding support of up to \$300,000 for Park & Ride service operation.

Fort Bend County Public Transportation is a model for coordination within the region and we welcome the opportunity to support their program. They demonstrate commitment and determination to create real, positive, and enduring benefits for the residents of the region.

Best regards,

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Robert M. Eury  
Executive Director

Cc: Paulette Shelton, Fort Bend County Public Transportation  
Cc: Lonnie Hoogebom, Downtown Management District