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To: Judge J.D. Salinas, County Judge
Precinct #1 Commissioner Sylvia S. Handy
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Precinct #3 Commissioner Joe M. Flores
Precinct #4 Commissioner Oscar Garza

CC: SAFEGuard Committee

From: Valde Guerra, Commissioners' Court Executive Officer

Date: Friday, June 12, 2009

Re: SAFEGuard Initiative Status Report to Commissioners' Court

Since its creation on April 28, 2009, the SAFEGuard Committee has met on five occasions, on the dates listed below:

- Friday, May 22, 2009
- Thursday, May 28, 2009
- Wednesday, June 3, 2009
- Wednesday, June 10, 2009
- Thursday, June 11, 2009

The Executive Office compiled a total of 51 proposed activities submitted by the committee, departmental staff, and the general public. During the last meetings held on June 10, 2009 and June 11, 2009, the SAFEGuard Committee members in attendance reviewed the status and feasibility of each proposed activity, and determined which ones would be included in the final recommendation to Commissioners' Court for implementation under the SAFEGuard Initiative.

While the committee carefully reviewed every proposed activity that was submitted, it is important to note that some proposed activities will not be included in the final recommendation for implementation. The full report to Commissioners' Court will include the committee's responses to the activities that were labeled "Do Not Include," as well as the reason for exclusion, including activities that have ready been implemented, are in progress, or are just not feasible.

Next Steps

1. SAFEGuard Committee will report to Commissioners' Court on the status of the project at Commissioners' Court on **Monday, June 15, 2009**.
2. Executive Office will finalize the complete list of activities that the Committee has recommended for implementation, and will forward to Mr. Mendoza for legal review.
3. Final report with recommendations will be submitted to Commissioners' Court on **June 30, 2009**.