



COUNTY JUDGE

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To Whom It May Concern:

Please accept this letter of support for the application of the Fort Bend County Health & Human Services department for funding under the *Accreditation Support for Public Health Departments and Organizations that May Provide Technical Assistance for Accreditation* RFA.

Fort Bend County Health and Human Services has been working towards voluntary national accreditation as offered by the Public Health Accreditation Board. The department was instrumental in development of the recent Local Health Department Accreditation Skill Building Conference in Austin, Texas.

The funding requested in this application will allow the department to work on the precursors to accreditation, The Community Health Assessment, The Community Health Improvement Plan and the Agency Strategic Plan.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robert E. Hebert", is written over a light blue horizontal line.

Robert E. Hebert
County Judge