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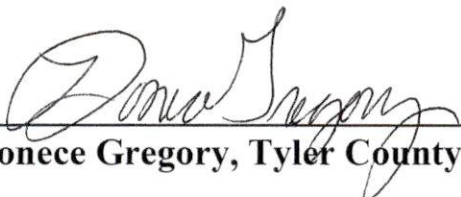
### **JUSTIFICATION**

The Tyler County Clerk requested funding through the 2025 Help America Vote Act (HAVA) Election Security/Sub-Grant to Texas Counties in the amount of \$42,487.50 (Federal Share). The county will be required to match 20%, which is \$8,497.50.

This funding is essential to support our department's upgrade for tabulation equipment for improvement of security needs. Present equipment, ES&S DS200 is over six years old. The upgrade tabulation equipment is a DS300. ES&S is phasing out the DS200 due to old technology and beginning to replace those with the DS300. This will ensure the continuity of secure and safe elections maintaining the paper ballot/optical scan system used by Tyler County.

The mobile ExpressPoll system will be used for disabled voters voting "curbside" and will enhance and improve efficiency of accessibility.

Hoping for your kind consideration, thank you.

  
Donece Gregory, Tyler County Clerk