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Greetings,

I wholeheartedly endorse the Texas Department of Transportation District projects submitted for the 2023 Call for Projects, particularly in the funding categories of Operations/Congestion Management, High-Growth Area Needs, Major Projects, and Resiliency/State of Good Repair. These initiatives hold immense promise to enhance our transportation infrastructure, address critical needs, and foster sustainable development.

The Operations/Congestion Management proposals, such as intelligent transportation systems and traffic signal optimization, will improve traffic flow and reduce congestion, benefiting residents and businesses alike. With our region experiencing rapid growth, HGAC's projects focused on High-Growth Area Needs are essential to ensure that our transportation systems keep pace with demand and preserve our quality of life. Additionally, Major Projects will create new avenues for transportation, driving economic development and enhancing connectivity between communities.

Lastly, I commend Houston Galveston Area Council's commitment to prioritizing Resiliency/State of Good Repair projects, which are crucial in the face of changing climate patterns and extreme weather events. By investing in resilient infrastructure, we safeguard our communities and reduce the impact of future disruptions.

I urge the evaluation committee to consider and prioritize these projects, as they are instrumental in shaping a sustainable and prosperous future for Galveston County and the entire Houston-Galveston region. As a Galveston County County Commissioner, I am fully committed to supporting the successful implementation of these projects and collaborating for our shared vision.

Thank you for your dedicated service to our region. If you require any additional information or assistance, please feel free to contact me

Sincerely,

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