The *Texas Register* is required by statute to publish certain documents, including applications to purchase control of state banks, notices of rate ceilings issued by the Office of Consumer Credit Commissioner, and consultant proposal requests and awards. State agencies also may publish other notices of general interest as space permits.

Coastal Bend Workforce Development Board

Request for Proposal for Management and Operation of Career Center System (Including Youth Services) RFP No. 26-04

The Coastal Bend Workforce Development Board, dba Workforce Solutions Coastal Bend (WFSCB) is soliciting responses from qualified individuals or firms for the Management and Operation of the Career Center System (Including Youth Services) for Fiscal Year 2026-27. The contract may be renewed for three (3) additional one-year periods beyond the original acceptance award for a total not to exceed four (4) years.

WFSCB serves the eleven (11) county Coastal Bend Region consisting of the following counties: Aransas, Bee Brooks, Duval, Jim Wells, Kenedy, Kleberg, Live Oak, Nueces, Refugio, and San Patricio. The Workforce Services Delivery System operates one-stop centers in the Cities of Alice, Beeville, Corpus Christi, Kingsville, and Sinton. WFSCB also operates satellite offices in the Cities of Falfurrias and Rockport. Services provided include general workforce information and referral; customer, employer, and job seeker services; customer intake, program eligibility and assessment; case management; enrollment into education and training programs; job placement; career counseling; support services; follow-up and retention services as funded by the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Youth, Adult, and Dislocated Worker, Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF)/Choices, Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), Employment and Training, and Wagner-Peyser.

The RFP will be available on Friday, November 20, 2026, at 2:00 p.m. Central Time and can be accessed on our website at: https://www.workforcesolutionscb.org/about-us/procurement-opportunities/ or by contacting Imelda Trevino at (361) 885-3059 or imelda.trevino@workforcesolutionscb.org

A Pre-Proposal Conference will be held on Wednesday, December 2, 2026, at 10:00 a.m. Central Time in the Main Conference Room at WFSCB's Administrative Offices located at 400 Mann Street, Suite 800, Corpus Christi, Texas 78401. The purpose of the meeting is to review the RFP requirements and answer any questions related to the RFP. While this meeting is not mandatory, attendance is strongly recommended. Parties unable to attend in person may participate virtually from a computer, tablet, or smart phone via Zoom:

Join Zoom Meeting

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88558422551?pwd=aHpT50hxMi8GVFRnoyTdKNPG5TZmQo.1

US Toll-Free: 888 475 4499

Meeting ID: 885 5842 2551

Passcode: 283481

The RFP process consists of the submission of an Application and a Proposal. **Applications are due on Tuesday, December 22, 2026, at noon Central Time** and **Proposals are due on Thursday, January 14, 2027, at noon Central Time.** Responses should be submitted via email to imelda.trevino@workforcesolutionscb.org or may be hand delivered or mailed to: Workforce Solutions of the Coastal Bend, 400 Mann Street, Suite 800, Corpus Christi, Texas 78401.

Workforce Solutions Coastal Bend is an Equal Opportunity Employer/Program. Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities. Relay Texas: (800) 735-2989 (TDD) and (800) 735-2988 or 711 (Voice). Historically Underutilized Businesses (HUBs) are encouraged to apply.

This document contains vital information about requirements, rights, determinations, and/or responsibilities for accessing workforce system services. Language services, including the interpretation/translation of this document, are available free of charge upon request.

Este documento contiene información importante sobre los requisitos, los derechos, las determinaciones y las responsabilidades del acceso a los servicios del sistema de la fuerza laboral. Hay disponibles servicios de idioma, incluida la interpretación y la traducción de documentos, sin ningún costo y a solicitud.

Tài liệu này có thông tin quan trọng về các yêu cầu, quyền hạn, quyết định, và/hoặc trách nhiệm để sử dụng các dịch vụ của hệ thống nhân lực. Các dịch vụ trợ giúp ngôn ngữ, bao gồm thông dịch/chuyển ngữ tài liệu này, có sẵn miễn phí khi quý vị yêu cầu.

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Imelda Trevino
Contracts & Procurement Manager
Coastal Bend Workforce Development Board
Filed: November 9, 2026

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Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

Agreed Orders

The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ, agency, or commission) staff is providing an opportunity for written public comment on the listed Agreed Orders (AOs) in accordance with Texas Water Code (TWC), §7.075. TWC, §7.075 requires that before the commission may approve the AOs, the commission shall allow the public an opportunity to submit written comments on the proposed AOs. TWC, §7.075 requires that notice of the proposed orders and the opportunity to comment must be published in the *Texas Register* no later than the 30th day before the date on which the public comment period closes, which in this case is **December 23, 2026**. TWC, §7.075 also requires that the commission promptly consider any written comments received and that the commission may withdraw or withhold approval of an AO if a comment discloses facts or considerations that indicate that consent is inappropriate, improper, inadequate, or inconsistent with the requirements of the statutes and rules within the commission's jurisdiction or the commission's orders and permits issued in accordance with the commission's regulatory authority. Additional notice of changes to a proposed AO is not required to be published if those changes are made in response to written comments.

A physical copy of each proposed AO is available for public inspection at both the commission's central office, located at 12100 Park 35 Circle, Building C, 1st Floor, Austin, Texas

78753, (512) 239-2545 and at the applicable regional office listed as follows. Additionally, copies of the proposed AO can be found online by using either the Chief Clerk's eFiling System at https://www.tceq.texas.gov/goto/efilings or the TCEQ Commissioners' Integrated Database at https://www.tceq.texas.gov/goto/cid, and searching either of those databases with the proposed AO's identifying information, such as its docket number. Written comments about an AO should be sent to the enforcement coordinator designated for each AO at the commission's central office at Enforcement Division, MC 128, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087 and must be postmarked by 5:00 p.m. on **December 23, 2026**. Written comments may also be sent to the enforcement coordinator by email to ENFCOMNT@tceq.texas.gov or by facsimile machine at (512) 239-2550. The commission enforcement coordinators are available to discuss the AOs and/or the comment procedure at the listed contact information; however, TWC, §7.075 provides that comments on the AOs shall be submitted to the commission in writing.

(1) COMPANY: ArcelorMittal Texas HBI LLC; DOCKET NUMBER: 2026-0698-IWD-E; IDENTIFIER: RN106597875; LOCATION: Portland, San Patricio County; TYPE OF FACILITY: direct-reduced iron/hot-briquetting iron facility; PENALTY: $19,912; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Madison Crawford, (512) 239-4603; REGIONAL OFFICE: 12100 Park 35 Circle, Austin, Texas 78753, CENTRAL OFFICE - AUSTIN.

(2) COMPANY: Brazoria County Municipal Utility District 55; DOCKET NUMBER: 2026-0535-MWD-E; IDENTIFIER: RN105177208; LOCATION: Rosharon, Brazoria County; TYPE OF FACILITY: wastewater treatment facility; PENALTY: $3,750; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Madison Crawford, (512) 239-4603; REGIONAL OFFICE: 12100 Park 35 Circle, Austin, Texas 78753, CENTRAL OFFICE - AUSTIN.

(3) COMPANY: City of Jourdanton; DOCKET NUMBER: 2026-1062-PWS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN101395648; LOCATION: Jourdanton, Atascosa County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; PENALTY: $16,687; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Emerson Rinewalt, (512) 239-1131; REGIONAL OFFICE: 12100 Park 35 Circle, Austin, Texas 78753, CENTRAL OFFICE - AUSTIN.

(4) COMPANY: City of Point Comfort; DOCKET NUMBER: 2024-1963-PWS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN101391266; LOCATION: Point Comfort, Calhoun County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; PENALTY: $2,575; SUPPLEMENTAL ENVIRONMENTAL PROJECT OFFSET: $2,060; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Ilia Perez Ramirez, (512) 239-2556; REGIONAL OFFICE: 5425 Polk Street, Suite H, Houston, Texas 77023-1452, REGION 12 - HOUSTON.

(5) COMPANY: Coleman County Special Utility District; DOCKET NUMBER: 2026-0385-MLM-E; IDENTIFIER: RN101212520; LOCATION: Coleman, Coleman County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; PENALTY: $24,360; SUPPLEMENTAL ENVIRONMENTAL PROJECT OFFSET: $19,488; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Wyatt Throm, (512) 239-1120; REGIONAL OFFICE: 12100 Park 35 Circle, Austin, Texas 78753Coleman, CENTRAL OFFICE - AUSTIN.

(6) COMPANY: Decatur Warehouse, LLC; DOCKET NUMBER: 2026-0723-PWS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN112421722; LOCATION: Decatur, Wise County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; PENALTY: $1,675; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Taner Hengst, (512) 239-1143; REGIONAL OFFICE: 12100 Park 35 Circle, Austin, Texas 78753, CENTRAL OFFICE - AUSTIN.

(7) COMPANY: H & K Jolly LLC; DOCKET NUMBER: 2025-1428-PST-E; IDENTIFIER: RN102078334; LOCATION: Wichita Falls, Clay County; TYPE OF FACILITY: convenience store with retail sales of gasoline; PENALTY: $11,177; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Rachel Murray, (903) 535-5149; REGIONAL OFFICE: 2916 Teague Drive, Tyler, Texas 75701-3734, REGION 5 - TYLER.

(8) COMPANY: Jackrabbit Road Public Utility District; DOCKET NUMBER: 2026-0159-MWD-E; IDENTIFIER: RN102343597; LOCATION: Houston, Harris County; TYPE OF FACILITY: wastewater treatment facility; PENALTY: $26,325; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Madison Crawford, (512) 239-4603; REGIONAL OFFICE: 12100 Park 35 Circle, Austin, Texas 78753, CENTRAL OFFICE - AUSTIN.

(9) COMPANY: Lowe's Home Centers, LLC; DOCKET NUMBER: 2026-0931-PST-E; IDENTIFIER: RN105498323; LOCATION: San Antonio, Bexar County; TYPE OF FACILITY: underground storage tank system; PENALTY: $5,125; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Sarah Kalainoff, (512) 239-4631; REGIONAL OFFICE: 12100 Park 35 Circle, Austin, Texas 78753, CENTRAL OFFICE - AUSTIN.

(10) COMPANY: Phelps Dodge Refining Corporation; DOCKET NUMBER: 2026-0814-PWS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN100226000; LOCATION: El Paso, El Paso County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; PENALTY: $1,992; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Tessa Bond, (512) 239-1269; REGIONAL OFFICE: 12100 Park 35 Circle, Austin, Texas 78753, CENTRAL OFFICE - AUSTIN.

(11) COMPANY: QU Drilling, LLC; DOCKET NUMBER: 2026-0617-WR-E; IDENTIFIER: RN112423256; LOCATION: Mill Creek, Shelby County; TYPE OF FACILITY: general contractor company; PENALTY: $4,000; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Logan Thompson, (512) 239-4576; REGIONAL OFFICE: 12100 Park 35 Circle, Austin, Texas 78753, CENTRAL OFFICE - AUSTIN.

(12) COMPANY: Reed Scrap Metals LLC; DOCKET NUMBER: 2026-1056-MSW-E; IDENTIFIER: RN105278303; LOCATION: Sulphur Springs, Hopkins County; TYPE OF FACILITY: scrap metal processing and recycling facility; PENALTY: $7,125; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Ramyia Wendt, (512) 239-2513; REGIONAL OFFICE: 12100 Park 35 Circle, Austin, Texas 78753, CENTRAL OFFICE - AUSTIN.

(13) COMPANY: T & W Water Service Company; DOCKET NUMBER: 2026-0953-PWS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN101195832; LOCATION: Vidor, Orange County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; PENALTY: $988; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Savannah Jackson, (512) 239-4306; REGIONAL OFFICE: 12100 Park 35 Circle, Austin, Texas 78753, CENTRAL OFFICE - AUSTIN.

(14) COMPANY: Texas Water Utilities, L.P.; DOCKET NUMBER: 2026-0930-PWS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN101284438; LOCATION: Center Point, Kerr County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; PENALTY: $1,050; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Deshaune Blake, (210) 403-4033; REGIONAL OFFICE: 14250 Judson Road, San Antonio, Texas 78233-4480, REGION 13 - SAN ANTONIO.

(15) COMPANY: Undine Texas, LLC; DOCKET NUMBER: 2026-1000-PWS-E; IDENTIFIER: RN101224541; LOCATION: Liverpool, Brazoria County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; PENALTY: $2,875; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Tessa Bond, (512) 239-1269; REGIONAL OFFICE: 12100 Park 35 Circle, Austin, Texas 78753, CENTRAL OFFICE - AUSTIN.

(16) COMPANY: Upper Jasper County Water Authority; DOCKET NUMBER: 2023-0048-MLM-E; IDENTIFIER: RN101185270; LOCATION: Jasper, Jasper County; TYPE OF FACILITY: public water supply; PENALTY: $10,256; SUPPLEMENTAL ENVIRONMENTAL PROJECT OFFSET: $8,205; ENFORCEMENT COORDINA-

TOR: Penny Wimberly, (512) 239-0538; REGIONAL OFFICE: 12100 Park 35 Circle, Austin, Texas 78753, CENTRAL OFFICE - AUSTIN.

(17) COMPANY: Valley Dewatering Services, Inc.; DOCKET NUMBER: 2025-1912-MLM-E; IDENTIFIER: RN104799044; LOCATION: Mercedes, Hidalgo County; TYPE OF FACILITY: municipal solid waste Type V processing facility; PENALTY: $25,689; ENFORCEMENT COORDINATOR: Celicia Garza, (210) 657-8422; REGIONAL OFFICE: 14250 Judson Road, San Antonio, Texas 78233-4480, REGION 13 - SAN ANTONIO.

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Gitanjali Yadav
Deputy Director, Litigation Division
Texas Commission on Environmental Quality
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Texas Health and Human Services Commission

Notice of Public Hearing on Proposed Medicaid Payment Rate Actions for Community Hospice

Notice of Public Hearing on Proposed Medicaid Payment Rate Actions for Community Hospice, Effective Retroactive to October 1, 2026, State Veterans Nursing, Effective Retroactive to September 1, 2026, and Truman W. Smith Children's Care Center, Effective December 1, 2026.

Hearing. The Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) will conduct a public hearing to receive public comments regarding proposed payment rates on Friday, December 11, 2026, at 9 a.m. CST.

The public hearing will be held at the following location:

Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS)

Robert Bernstein Building

Room K-100, First Floor

1100 West 49th Street

Austin, Texas 78756

This hearing will be conducted both in person and as an online event. To join the hearing from your computer, tablet, or smartphone, register for the hearing in advance using the following registration URL:

https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/8751004708017103449

Webinar ID: 763-007-083

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar. Instructions for dialing in by phone will be provided via email after you register.

The hearing will be held in compliance with Texas Human Resources Code Section 32.0282, which requires public notice of hearings on proposed Medicaid reimbursements. HHSC will consider feedback shared during the hearing before final rate approval. If you have any questions regarding the information in this document, contact:

HHSC Provider Finance Department (PFD), Long-term Services and Supports (LTSS) via email: PFD-LTSS@hhs.texas.gov.

HHSC will archive the recorded public hearing. After the hearing, the recording can be accessed on demand at https://hhs.texas.gov/about-hhs/communications-events/live-archived-meetings.

Proposal.

Medicaid Community Hospice

HHSC proposes the federal fiscal year (FFY) 2027 payment rate actions for Medicaid Community Hospice for routine home care, continuous home care, inpatient respite care, general inpatient care services, and the service intensity add-on, effective retroactive to October 1, 2026.

State Veterans Nursing Homes

HHSC proposes the interim rates determined by the Veterans Land Board (VLB) for the State Veterans Nursing Homes. The proposed interim rates account for actual and projected cost changes to operate these facilities. The proposed rate will be effective retroactive to September 1, 2026.

Truman W. Smith Children's Care Center

HHSC proposes to increase the payment rate for the pediatric care facility special reimbursement class, for which the Truman W. Smith Children's Care Center is the sole provider. The proposed rate will be effective December 1, 2026.

Background.

Medicaid Community Hospice

The Medicaid Community Hospice Program provides palliative care consisting of medical, social, and support services to terminally ill individuals when curative treatment is no longer effective. Payment rates for this program are calculated based on annual hospice rates established by CMS. 42 CFR 418.306(c) requires Medicaid hospice payment rates to be adjusted every federal fiscal year by the wage index data issued by CMS as published in the *Federal Register*.

CMS issued notification of the finalized Medicaid hospice payment rates in the *Federal Register* and published the federal fiscal year 2027 hospice wage indices on September 30, 2026.

State Veterans Nursing Homes

HHSC maintains a program so that Medicaid-eligible veterans can reside in State Veteran's Nursing Homes. Currently, ten homes are in operation, overseen by the Veterans Land Board (VLB). The VLB is authorized to operate these nursing facilities under Chapter 164, Natural Resources Code. The VLB determines rates for the Texas State Veterans Homes, which are available at https://vlb.texas.gov/veterans-homes/costs/index.html. However, HHSC is responsible for setting the Medicaid rates paid to these homes through our rate-setting process.

Truman W. Smith Children's Care Center

For pediatric care center services, HHSC PFD sets a facility-specific payment rate to recognize the cost differences between a nursing facility that serves adults and one that predominantly serves children. Currently, the Truman W. Smith Children's Care Center (Truman Smith) is the only member of the pediatric care facility special reimbursement class in Texas.

Methodology and Justification.

Medicaid Community Hospice

The proposed payment rate actions for Medicaid Community Hospice were calculated in accordance with Section 1814(i)(1)(C)(ii) of the Social Security Act, which outlines annual increases in payment rates for hospice care services. Payment rates for this program are calculated based on annual hospice rates and wage indices established by CMS.

State Veterans Nursing Homes

The specific administrative rule that governs the establishment of the fees in this proposal were calculated in accordance with Title 1 of the Texas Administrative Code (TAC) Section 355.311, concerning Medicaid Reimbursement Rates for State Veterans Homes.

Truman W. Smith Children's Care Center

The methodological rate for this class of services aligns with the nursing and non-therapy ancillary components, adjusted by applying the highest case-mix index, and non-case-mix component contained in the rural Medicare skilled nursing facilities federal per diem rate for the most recent federal fiscal year, as published in the *Federal Register*.

Rate Hearing Packet. A briefing packet describing the proposed payment rates will be made available by November 20, 2026, at https://pfd.hhs.texas.gov/rate-packets. Interested parties may obtain a copy of the briefing packet on or after that date by contacting the Provider Finance Department by telephone at (512) 730-7401, by fax at (512) 730-7475, or by email at PFD-LTSS@hhs.texas.gov.

Written Comments. Written comments regarding the proposed payment rates may be submitted instead of oral testimony until 5:00 p.m. on the day of the hearing. Written comments may be sent by U.S. mail, overnight mail, special delivery mail, fax, or email:

U.S. Mail

Texas Health and Human Services Commission

Attention: Provider Finance Department, Mail Code H-400

P.O. Box 149030

Austin, Texas 78714-9030

Overnight Mail or Special Delivery Mail

Texas Health and Human Services Commission

Attention: Provider Finance Department, Mail Code H-400

North Austin Complex

4601 W. Guadalupe St.

Austin, Texas 78751

Phone number for package delivery: (512) 730-7401

Fax

Attention: Provider Finance: (512) 730-7475

Email: PFD-LTSS@hhs.texas.gov

Preferred Communication. For the quickest response, use email or phone to communicate with HHSC regarding this rate hearing.

Persons with disabilities who wish to participate in the hearing and require auxiliary aids or services should call Provider Finance at (512) 730-7401 at least 72 hours before the hearing so appropriate arrangements can be made.

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Nycia Deal
Chief Counsel
Texas Health and Human Services Commission
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Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs

Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) Release for 2027 Community Services Block Grant Discretionary (CSBG-D) Funds - Reentry Activities

The Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs (the Department) announces the availability of $400,000 in CSBG Discretionary funding for Reentry Activities. Each year the Department sets aside 5% of its annual CSBG allocation for state discretionary use. Each year funds from CSBG Discretionary are used for specific identified efforts that the Department supports such as assisting previously incarcerated individuals reenter the community and helping them to obtain rental housing through landlord incentives, security deposits and other reentry activities related to housing. This year, $400,000 has been programmed for Reentry Activities for which the Department is issuing this NOFA. The Department will release funds competitively.

The Department's contract period for the 2027 CSBG Discretionary Reentry Activities is 12 months and is anticipated to begin May 1, 2027, and end on April 30, 2028.

Interested applicants must meet the requirements set forth in the NOFA and must submit a complete application through the established system described in the NOFA by 5:00 p.m., Central Time on December 4, 2026.

The application forms contained in this packet and submission instructions are available on the Department's web site at https://www.tdhca.texas.gov/notices-funding-availability-nofas. Should you have any questions, please contact Madison Lozano at (512) 475-3341 or madison.lozano@tdhca.texas.gov.

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Bobby Wilkinson
Executive Director
Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs
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Texas Department of Licensing and Regulation

Scratch Ticket Game Number 2790 "$100 LOADED!"

1.0 Name and Style of Scratch Ticket Game.

A. The name of Scratch Ticket Game No. 2790 is "$100 LOADED!". The play style is "key number match".

1.1 Price of Scratch Ticket Game.

A. The price for Scratch Ticket Game No. 2790 shall be $2.00 per Scratch Ticket.

1.2 Definitions in Scratch Ticket Game No. 2790.

A. Display Printing - That area of the Scratch Ticket outside of the area where the overprint and Play Symbols appear.

B. Latex Overprint - The removable scratch-off covering over the Play Symbols on the front of the Scratch Ticket.

C. Play Symbol - The printed data under the latex on the front of the Scratch Ticket that is used to determine eligibility for a prize. Each Play Symbol is printed in Symbol font in black ink in positive except for dual-image games. The possible black Play Symbols are: 01, 02, 03, 04, 06, 07, 08, 09, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 5X SYMBOL, 20X SYMBOL, $2.00, $5.00, $10.00, $20.00, $50.00 and $100.

D. Play Symbol Caption - The printed material appearing below each Play Symbol which explains the Play Symbol. One caption appears under each Play Symbol and is printed in caption font in black ink in positive. The Play Symbol Caption which corresponds with and verifies each Play Symbol is as follows:

Figure 1: GAME NO. 2790 - 1.2D

PLAY SYMBOL	CAPTION
01	ONE
02	TWO
03	THR
04	FOR
06	SIX
07	SVN
08	EGT
09	NIN
10	TEN
11	ELV
12	TLV
13	TRN
14	FTN
15	FFN
16	SXN
17	SVT
18	ETN
19	NTN
21	TWON
22	TWTO
23	TWTH
24	TWFR
25	TWFV
26	TWSX
27	TWSV
28	TWET
29	TWNI

30	TRTY
5X SYMBOL	WINX5
20X SYMBOL	WINX20
$2.00	TWO$
$5.00	FIV$
$10.00	TEN$
$20.00	TWY$
$50.00	FFTY$
$100	ONHN

E. Serial Number - A unique thirteen (13) digit number appearing under the latex scratch-off covering on the front of the Scratch Ticket. The Serial Number is for validation purposes and cannot be used to play the game. The format will be: 0000000000000.

F. Bar Code - A twenty-four (24) character interleaved two (2) of five (5) Bar Code which will include a four (4) digit game ID, the seven (7) digit Pack number, the three (3) digit Ticket number and the ten (10) digit Validation Number. The Bar Code appears on the back of the Scratch Ticket.

G. Game-Pack-Ticket Number - A fourteen (14) digit number consisting of the four (4) digit game number (2790), a seven (7) digit Pack number, and a three (3) digit Ticket number. Ticket numbers start with 001 and end with 125 within each Pack. The format will be: 2790-0000001-001.

H. Pack - A Pack of the "$100 LOADED!" Scratch Ticket Game contains 125 Tickets, packed in plastic shrink-wrapping and fanfolded in pages of two (2). One Ticket will be folded over to expose a front and back of one Ticket on each Pack. Please note the Packs will be in an A, B, C and D configuration.

I. Non-Winning Scratch Ticket - A Scratch Ticket which is not programmed to be a winning Scratch Ticket or a Scratch Ticket that does not meet all of the requirements of these Game Procedures, the State Lottery Act (Texas Government Code, Chapter 466), and applicable rules adopted by the Texas Lottery pursuant to the State Lottery Act and referenced in 16 TAC, Chapter 140.

J. Scratch Ticket Game, Scratch Ticket or Ticket - Texas Lottery "$100 LOADED!" Scratch Ticket Game No. 2790.

2.0 Determination of Prize Winners. The determination of prize winners is subject to the general Scratch Ticket validation requirements set forth in Texas Lottery Rule 140.302, Scratch Ticket Game Rules, these Game Procedures, and the requirements set out on the back of each Scratch Ticket. A prize winner in the "$100 LOADED!" Scratch Ticket Game is determined once the latex on the Scratch Ticket is scratched off to expose twenty-two (22) Play Symbols. PLAY INSTRUCTIONS: If a player matches any of the YOUR NUMBERS Play Symbols to either of the WINNING NUMBERS Play Symbols, the player wins the PRIZE for that number. If the player reveals a "5X" Play Symbol, the player wins 5 TIMES the PRIZE for that symbol. If the player reveals a "20X" Play Symbol, the player wins 20 TIMES the PRIZE for that symbol. No portion of the Display Printing nor any extraneous matter whatsoever shall be usable or playable as a part of the Scratch Ticket.

2.1 Scratch Ticket Validation Requirements.

A. To be a valid Scratch Ticket, all of the following requirements must be met:

1. Exactly twenty-two (22) Play Symbols must appear under the Latex Overprint on the front portion of the Scratch Ticket;

2. Each of the Play Symbols must have a Play Symbol Caption underneath, unless specified, and each Play Symbol must agree with its Play Symbol Caption;

3. Each of the Play Symbols must be present in its entirety and be fully legible;

4. Each of the Play Symbols must be printed in black ink except for dual image games;

5. The Scratch Ticket shall be intact;

6. The Serial Number and Game-Pack-Ticket Number must be present in their entirety and be fully legible;

7. The Serial Number must correspond, using the Texas Lottery's codes, to the Play Symbols on the Scratch Ticket;

8. The Scratch Ticket must not have a hole punched through it, be mutilated, altered, unreadable, reconstituted or tampered with in any manner;

9. The Scratch Ticket must not be counterfeit in whole or in part;

10. The Scratch Ticket must have been issued by the Texas Lottery in an authorized manner;

11. The Scratch Ticket must not have been stolen, nor appear on any list of omitted Scratch Tickets or non-activated Scratch Tickets on file at the Texas Lottery;

12. The Play Symbols, Serial Number and Game-Pack-Ticket Number must be right side up and not reversed in any manner;

13. The Scratch Ticket must be complete and not miscut, and have exactly twenty-two (22) Play Symbols under the Latex Overprint on the front portion of the Scratch Ticket, exactly one Serial Number and exactly one Game-Pack-Ticket Number on the Scratch Ticket;

14. The Serial Number of an apparent winning Scratch Ticket shall correspond with the Texas Lottery's Serial Numbers for winning Scratch Tickets, and a Scratch Ticket with that Serial Number shall not have been paid previously;

15. The Scratch Ticket must not be blank or partially blank, misregistered, defective or printed or produced in error;

16. Each of the twenty-two (22) Play Symbols must be exactly one of those described in Section 1.2.C of these Game Procedures;

17. Each of the twenty-two (22) Play Symbols on the Scratch Ticket must be printed in the Symbol font and must correspond precisely to the artwork on file at the Texas Lottery; the Scratch Ticket Serial Numbers must be printed in the Serial font and must correspond precisely to the artwork on file at the Texas Lottery; and the Game-Pack-Ticket Number must be printed in the Game-Pack-Ticket Number font and must correspond precisely to the artwork on file at the Texas Lottery;

18. The Display Printing on the Scratch Ticket must be regular in every respect and correspond precisely to the artwork on file at the Texas Lottery; and

19. The Scratch Ticket must have been received by the Texas Lottery by applicable deadlines.

B. The Scratch Ticket must pass all additional validation tests provided for in these Game Procedures, the Texas Lottery's Rules governing the award of prizes of the amount to be validated, and any confidential validation and security tests of the Texas Lottery.

C. Any Scratch Ticket not passing all of the validation requirements is void and ineligible for any prize and shall not be paid. However, the Executive Director of the Texas Lottery ("Executive Director") may, solely at the Executive Director's discretion, refund the retail sales price of the Scratch Ticket. In the event a defective Scratch Ticket is purchased, the only responsibility or liability of the Texas Lottery shall be to replace the defective Scratch Ticket with another unplayed Scratch Ticket in that Scratch Ticket Game (or a Scratch Ticket of equivalent sales price from any other current Texas Lottery Scratch Ticket Game) or refund the retail sales price of the Scratch Ticket, solely at the Executive Director's discretion.

2.2 Programmed Game Parameters.

A. GENERAL: The top Prize Symbol will appear on every Ticket, unless restricted by other parameters, play action or prize structure.

B. GENERAL: Consecutive Non-Winning Tickets within a Pack will not have matching patterns, in the same order, of either Play Symbols or Prize Symbols.

C. KEY NUMBER MATCH: No prize amount in a non-winning spot will correspond with the YOUR NUMBERS Play Symbol (i.e., $2 and 02).

D. KEY NUMBER MATCH: There will be no matching non-winning YOUR NUMBERS Play Symbols on a Ticket.

E. KEY NUMBER MATCH: There will be no matching WINNING NUMBERS Play Symbols on a Ticket.

F. KEY NUMBER MATCH: A non-winning Prize Symbol will never match a winning Prize Symbol.

G. KEY NUMBER MATCH: A Ticket may have up to two (2) matching non-winning Prize Symbols, unless restricted by other parameters, play action or prize structure.

H. KEY NUMBER MATCH: The "5X" (WINX5) Play Symbol will only appear on winning Tickets, as dictated by the prize structure.

I. KEY NUMBER MATCH: The "20X" (WINX20) Play Symbol will only appear on winning Tickets, as dictated by the prize structure.

2.3 Procedure for Claiming Prizes.

A. To claim a "$100 LOADED!" Scratch Ticket Game prize of $2.00, $5.00, $10.00, $20.00, $50.00 or $100, a claimant shall sign the back of the Scratch Ticket in the space designated on the Scratch Ticket and may present the winning Scratch Ticket to any Texas Lottery Retailer. The Texas Lottery Retailer shall verify the claim and, if valid, and upon presentation of proper identification, if appropriate, make payment of the amount due the claimant and physically void the Scratch Ticket; provided that the Texas Lottery Retailer may, but is not required, to pay a $50.00 or $100 Scratch Ticket Game. In the event the Texas Lottery Retailer cannot verify the claim, the Texas Lottery Retailer shall provide the claimant with a claim form and instruct the claimant on how to file a claim with the Texas Lottery. If the claim is validated by the Texas Lottery, a check shall be forwarded to the claimant in the amount due. In the event the claim is not validated, the claim shall be denied, and the claimant shall be notified promptly. A claimant may also claim any of the above prizes under the procedure described in Section 2.3.B of these Game Procedures.

B. As an alternative method of claiming a "$100 LOADED!" Scratch Ticket Game prize, the claimant may submit the signed winning Scratch Ticket and a thoroughly completed claim form via mail. If a prize value is $1,000,000 or more, the claimant must also provide proof of Social Security number or Taxpayer Identification (for U.S. Citizens or Resident Aliens). Mail all to: Texas Lottery, P.O. Box 16600, Austin, Texas 78761-6600. The Texas Lottery is not responsible for Scratch Tickets lost in the mail. In the event that the claim is not validated by the Texas Lottery, the claim shall be denied, and the claimant shall be notified promptly.

C. Prior to payment by the Texas Lottery of any prize, the Texas Lottery shall deduct the amount of a delinquent tax or other money from the winnings of a prize winner who has been finally determined to be:

1. delinquent in the payment of a tax or other money to a state agency and that delinquency is reported to the Comptroller under Government Code §403.055;

2. in default on a loan made under Chapter 52, Education Code;

3. in default on a loan guaranteed under Chapter 57, Education Code; or

4. delinquent in child support payments in the amount determined by a court or a Title IV-D agency under Chapter 231, Family Code.

D. If a person is indebted or owes delinquent taxes to the State, other than those specified in the preceding paragraph, the winnings of a person shall be withheld until the debt or taxes are paid.

2.4 Allowance for Delay of Payment. The Texas Lottery may delay payment of the prize pending a final determination by the Executive Director, under any of the following circumstances:

A. if a dispute occurs, or it appears likely that a dispute may occur, regarding the prize;

B. if there is any question regarding the identity of the claimant;

C. if there is any question regarding the validity of the Scratch Ticket presented for payment; or

D. if the claim is subject to any deduction from the payment otherwise due, as described in Section 2.3.D of these Game Procedures. No liability for interest for any delay shall accrue to the benefit of the claimant pending payment of the claim.

2.5 Payment of Prizes to Persons Under 18. If a person under the age of 18 years is entitled to a cash prize under $600 from the "$100 LOADED!" Scratch Ticket Game, the Texas Lottery shall deliver to an adult member of the minor's family or the minor's guardian a check or warrant in the amount of the prize payable to the order of the minor.

2.6 If a person under the age of 18 years is entitled to a cash prize of $600 or more from the "$100 LOADED!" Scratch Ticket Game, the Texas Lottery shall deposit the amount of the prize in a custodial bank account, with an adult member of the minor's family or the minor's guardian serving as custodian for the minor.

2.7 Scratch Ticket Claim Period. All Scratch Ticket prizes must be claimed within 180 days following the end of the Scratch Ticket Game or within the applicable time period for certain eligible military personnel as set forth in Texas Government Code §466.408. Any rights to a prize that is not claimed within that period, and in the manner specified in these Game Procedures and on the back of each Scratch Ticket, shall be forfeited.

2.8 Disclaimer. The number of prizes in a game is approximate based on the number of Scratch Tickets ordered. The number of actual prizes available in a game may vary based on number of Scratch Tickets manufactured, testing, distribution, sales and number of prizes claimed. A Scratch Ticket Game may continue to be sold even when all the top prizes have been claimed.

3.0 Scratch Ticket Ownership.

A. Until such time as a signature is placed upon the back portion of a Scratch Ticket in the space designated, a Scratch Ticket shall be owned by the physical possessor of said Scratch Ticket. When a signature is placed on the back of the Scratch Ticket in the space designated, the player whose signature appears in that area shall be the owner of the Scratch Ticket and shall be entitled to any prize attributable thereto. Notwithstanding any name or names submitted on a claim form, the Executive Director shall make payment to the player whose signature appears on the back of the Scratch Ticket in the space designated. If more than one name appears on the back of the Scratch Ticket, the Executive Director will require that one of those players whose name appears thereon be designated by such players to receive payment.

B. The Texas Lottery shall not be responsible for lost or stolen Scratch Tickets and shall not be required to pay on a lost or stolen Scratch Ticket.

4.0 Number and Value of Scratch Prizes. There will be approximately 6,000,000 Scratch Tickets in Scratch Ticket Game No. 2790. The approximate number and value of prizes in the game are as follows:

Figure 2: GAME NO. 2790 - 4.0

Prize Amount	Approximate Number of Winners*	Approximate Odds are 1 in **
$2.00	624,000	9.62
$5.00	384,000	15.63
$10.00	144,000	41.67
$20.00	72,000	83.33
$50.00	20,250	296.30
$100	7,500	800.00

*The number of prizes in a game is approximate based on the number of tickets ordered. The number of actual prizes available in a game may vary based on number of tickets manufactured, testing, distribution, sales and number of prizes claimed.

**The overall odds of winning a prize are 1 in 4.79. The individual odds of winning for a particular prize level may vary based on sales, distribution, testing, and number of prizes claimed.

A. The actual number of Scratch Tickets in the game may be increased or decreased at the sole discretion of the Texas Lottery.

5.0 End of the Scratch Ticket Game. The Executive Director may, at any time, announce a closing date (end date) for the Scratch Ticket Game No. 2790 without advance notice, at which point no further Scratch Tickets in that game may be sold. The determination of the closing date and reasons for closing will be made in accordance with the Scratch Ticket closing procedures and the Scratch Ticket Game Rules. See 16 TAC §140.302(j).

6.0 Governing Law. In purchasing a Scratch Ticket, the player agrees to comply with, and abide by, these Game Procedures for Scratch Ticket Game No. 2790, the State Lottery Act (Texas Government Code, Chapter 466), applicable rules adopted by the Texas Lottery pursuant to the State Lottery Act and referenced in 16 TAC, Chapter 140, and all final decisions of the Executive Director.

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North Central Texas Council of Governments

Notice of Contract Award for Fort Worth to Plano Regional Trail Branding and Wayfinding Plan

Pursuant to the provisions of Government Code, Chapter 2254, the North Central Texas Council of Governments publishes this notice of contract award. The request appeared in the June 12, 2026, issue of the *Texas Register* (51 TexReg 3942). The selected entity will develop a branding and wayfinding signage plan for the Regional Trail from Fort Worth to Plano in the Dallas-Fort Worth (DFW) metropolitan area.

The entity selected for this project is Moore Iacofano Goltsman Inc.; 317 Lexington Ave, #2, San Antonio, Texas 78215, for a contract not to exceed $260,000.

Issued in Arlington, Texas on November 5, 2026.

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Public Utility Commission of Texas

Project No. 59999 - SLLIA Proposal Notice

The Public Utility Commission of Texas (commission) proposes and requests comments on the new Standardized Large Load Interconnection Agreement (SLLIA).

The new form will serve as the standard agreement for all large loads interconnecting within the ERCOT region of Texas and continue the implementation of Senate Bill (SB) 6 enacted in the 89th Legislature (R.S.). Specifically, SB 6 requires the commission to, by rule, ensure that large load customers that are subject to the standards adopted under Public Utility Regulatory Act (PURA) §37.0561 contribute to the recovery of costs associated with interconnecting the large load to the utility's system. (See PURA §35.004(c-1)) SB 6 further requires such standards to be established in a manner designed to support business development while minimizing the potential for stranded infrastructure costs and maintaining system reliability. (See also PURA §37.0561(b))

Accordingly, the SLLIA will also integrate specific provisions and obligations as required by 16 Texas Administrative Code §25.194, relating to Large Load Interconnection Standards, adopted in Project 58481. The SLLIA will also integrate the transmission cost recovery standards for large load customers pending in Project 58000, including any obligations associated with the "minimum billing demand." Specifically, the SLLIA will incorporate any related terms, definitions, and requirements established by the amendments to §25.192, relating to Transmission Service Rates and §25.193, relating to Distribution Service Provider Transmission Cost Recovery Factor (TCRF), and new §25.252 relating to Large Load Customer Tariffs upon adoption of those rules by the commission. Additionally, the SLLIA also reflects recent changes to the ERCOT interconnection process for large loads, as implemented by Planning Guide Revision Request (PGRR) 145 and other changes to the ERCOT protocols.

The contents of the standard agreement are subject to change upon adoption to reflect the final rule text in Project 58000 and any policy decisions reached by the commission in that project.

The proposed new SLLIA will ensure the uniform obligations established by the commission and by ERCOT are imposed upon large loads interconnecting within the ERCOT region at transmission or distribution voltage while maintaining flexibility for different interconnection configurations. The SLLIA is accordingly drafted such that it may be entered as a bilateral (two-party) or trilateral (three-party) agreement and requires certain preceding interconnection agreements to be integrated and merged into the standard form. Additionally, the SLLIA establishes specific performance obligations for large load customers at each stage of the interconnection process, including for transmission cost recovery, as required by 16 TAC §25.194. The SLLIA further imposes disclosure obligations including large load water and energy usage and specifies audit and verification requirements in the event an audit is required by the commission or ERCOT. The SLLIA also requires the reallocation of a large load customer's transmission capacity in the event the 24-month delay threshold established for phased energization is exceeded; establishes specific and limited conditions for assignment; and requires compliance with the Lone Star Infrastructure Protection Act by all parties to the SLLIA, including affiliates of those parties. Project 59999 is assigned to this proceeding.

Questions concerning the project should be directed to Mackenzie Arthur, Rules and Projects, at mackenzie.arthur@puc.texas.gov. Hearing and speech-impaired individuals with text telephones (TTY) may contact the Commission at (512) 936-7136.

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