



GLENN HEGAR TEXAS COMPTROLLER OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

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August 29, 2022

The Honorable Tricia Jacks
Sabine County Treasurer
P. O. Box 597
Hemphill, TX 75948

Dear Treasurer Jacks,

To prepare for the fiscal year 2022 (payment year 2023), payments to the states under the Secure Rural Schools and Community Self Determination Act, as amended and reauthorized by P.L. 117-58 (the Act), we request that you **confirm your election no later than Friday, September 16, 2022.**

Expired Elections With FY 2021 Earnings							
Fiscal Year : 2021							
County	Total FY21 Earnings *	Distribution Category**	Expired Title I (%)	Expired Title II (%)	Expired Title III (%)	Expired Failure to Elect (%)***	Expired to Treasury (%)
Sabine	\$444,399.53	Major	85%	15%	0%	0%	0%

Note * - This figure represents the actual amount the county earned in FY2021. Title I, III were distributed to the county via the State payment process. Title II and Failure to elect amount are withheld by the Forest Service pending Resource Advisory Committee (RAC) project request/approval process. To Treasury percentage is transferred to the US Treasury General Fund.

Note ** - See SRS guidelines, below, for election distribution rate based upon current FY 21 earned amount.

Note *** - The Failure to Elect percentage represent the county failed to make an SRS election in 2013 and the value has carried forward based on SRS legislative reauthorizations. This category is not an available option within the current election cycle by the county.

- **\$350,000 or greater (major distribution)** If the county share of the State payment is \$350,000 or greater, the county must allocate 15-percent to 20-percent of its share to title II, title III, or a combination of both, except that the allocation for title III projects may not exceed 7-percent. The total percentage allocated to title II and title III combined must be no less than 15-percent and no greater than 20-percent. The county also may opt to return its allocation, in whole or part, to the Federal Government.

Please **confirm or update your election no later than Friday, September 16, 2022.** If you fail to confirm an election with us by Friday, September 16, 2022, we will reapply your county's expired election from the previous year.

Sincerely,

Isabel Mays
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