



THE TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTORS ASSOCIATION OF TEXAS

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The Honorable Terry Canales, Chair
The Honorable Rep. Brooks Landgraf, Vice Chair and
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RE: Interim Charge 1A

Dear Chairmen and Members,

Thank you for your service. We appreciate all you do for the State of Texas.

Pursuant to the request for information on the Interim Charges 1-5 and Inquiries 1-3 dated August 17th, 2020, the Tax Assessor-Collectors Association of Texas would like to provide the following feedback.

Interim Charge 1A: Relating to the toll project financial reporting and enforcing unpaid tolls while protecting customer rights. Through the SCOFFLAW program (Transportation Code Sec. 502.010), Tax Assessor-Collectors or the Department may refuse to register a vehicle for an individual if they have unpaid fines or fees. TACA supports this program. Our Association has also been in contact with NTTA, and agrees with us SCOFFLAW should remain voluntary for Tax Assessor-Collectors.

Thank you for your good work on the Transportation Interim charges. We hope you stay safe during these trying times. If you have any other questions, please feel free to reach out to our Association.

Sincerely,

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