I just wanted to take a moment and update the residents of Hays County on projects that are have been completed, ones that are in construction, and those that are in the planning stage for Precinct 2.

*Pass-Through Finance Projects*

- FM 1626 South Project
- **Construction activities for the Week of 12/4/2016 – 12/10/2016 are listed below:**
  
  - Due to recent inclement weather, minimal construction activities were conducted on the project.
  - Centerpoint Energy continued gas line relocations along the east ROW south of Oyster Creek to Elm Grove Elementary
  - Frontier Communications (formerly Verizon) - not on site due to conditions
  - PEC – not on site due to conditions
  - City of Buda continued installing the 8” waterline crossing immediately north of Hy Rd.
  - Subcontractor C-3 Environmental Services continued brush and small fence removal throughout the project.
  - Subcontractor BMP Specialists started installing SW3P items beginning on the east side of FM 1626 from RM 967 to Onion Creek.
Anticipated activities for the next week are as follows:

- Centerpoint Energy to continue gas line relocations along the east side of the project between Elm Grove Elementary and Coldwater Hollow.
- Frontier to continue setting poles and installing span wire on the west ROW between Onion Creek and Mustang Creek.
- PEC to continue setting and relocating near Onion Creek.
- City of Buda to complete installation of 8” waterline crossing north of Hy Rd.
- Subcontractor C-3 Environmental Services to continue brush removal and small fence removal.
- Subcontractor BMP Specialists to continue installing SW3P items from Onion Creek to FM 2770.

*TXDOT Partnership Projects*

- **Buda Truck Bypass (Robert S. Light Extension)**
  - The design is ongoing.
  - The development and approval of the environmental documentation process is progressing with the County, TXDOT, and FHWA.
  - Preliminary schematic is nearing completion.
  - Right-of-way acquisition and utility relocation is ongoing

- **FM 2001 Realignment**
  - Schematic design and environmental document preparation is underway.
  - There is a map showing the proposed alignment at the Buda Substation. Please call in advance if you would like to look at the map. 512-262-2091.
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- FM 150 from I-35 to Arroyo Ranch Road
  - The nature and character study is underway.
  - Final design and construction are pending due to the need to locate a funding source.

*Precinct 2 Completed Projects*

- FM 1626 North from FM 967 to Brodie Lane
- Yarrington Rd. Bridge
- Leisurewoods Drainage Project Phase II
- FM 967 Widening from Cole Springs to FM 1626
- Old Black Colony Rd.
- Dacy Ln. Turn Lane into McCormick Middle School

*SH 45 SW Project*

- Construction has begun on this project.

*Precinct 2 County Projects*

*Projects in the Works*

- Dacy Lane Phase II from Bebee Road to Windy Hill
  - Design and limited right-of-way acquisition has begun.

Please pass this information on to your friends and neighbors. Thank you for giving me the opportunity to serve as your Hays County Precinct 2 Commissioner. If you have any questions, please contact my office at 512-262-2091.