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County Judge

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COUNTY JUDGE ISSUES STATEMENT REGARDING TAX OFFICE

Today, federal and state agents took several people into custody in Cameron County. Among those taken into custody is County Tax Assessor Antonio “Tony” Yzaguirre, Jr.

While details of the developing situation are still not available, I am asking for the public to hold off on trying to take care of business at the tax offices throughout Cameron County until we have further clearance and direction from the law enforcement authorities.

It is my understanding that offices are closed this afternoon and will be open tomorrow for property tax collection business only. In addition, anyone needing to take care of business with the Texas Department of Motor Vehicles can do so at area HEB’s countywide and also at A.V. Lopez Supermarket in Brownsville (International Blvd.) and AMEX Check Cashing (Price Road).

We will continue to keep the public informed and make sure the continuity of service and operations of the tax office are safeguarded to the maximum extent possible.