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✓ **Re: Mission of Mercy Written Report, \$1,700 in Outside Agency Funds, FY 2012-2013**

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Dear Judge Neal:

Once again let me first take this opportunity to thank you and other members of the Nueces County Commissioners Court for your assistance in helping Mission of Mercy fulfill its mission in 2012-2013 with a \$1,700 grant in Outside Agency Funds. Thanks to Nueces County, along with charitable donations made by foundations, corporations, and individuals, Mission of Mercy has provided diagnoses, treatment, and follow-up care for patients at risk for or suffering from diabetes, heart disease and stroke as delivered through our program's regular and consistent healthcare services. We have done this through approximately 3,045 patient visits and approximately 897 prescription medications at no cost to our patients during our 2012-2013 fiscal year.

We know by talking with our patients that we make a huge difference in their lives. We are now in the process of researching electronic medical records software that will allow us to provide even better care for our patients.

We continue to operate mobile clinics at four Nueces County sites, providing services on regularly scheduled days once or twice a month at each site from our 40-foot recreational vehicle, which has been equipped as a mobile clinic with four exam rooms and an on-board pharmacy. The Nueces County mobile clinics take place at the following sites:

- Corpus Christi Metro Ministries (this replaces the site formerly held in Bishop),
- First United Methodist Church in Corpus Christi,
- St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church in Flour Bluff, and
- Wesley Community Center in Robstown.

Each of these organizations donates the use of its facilities where patients sign in, meet with nurses for triage, and wait until they are seen by volunteer physicians, physician assistants, and nurse practitioners. We hear time and again what a tremendous need there is in Nueces County for the healthcare and prescriptions we provide, and how grateful our patients are that Mission of Mercy exists in our community.

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