



El Paso County

January 13, 2025

Director Rosie Hidalgo
Office on Violence Against Women
145 N Street, NE
Suite 10 W. 100
Washington, DC 20530

Dear Director Hidalgo:

This letter serves to certify that, in fulfillment of the statutory applicant requirement, El Paso County will:

Demonstrate that adequate security measures, including adequate facilities, procedures, and personnel capable of preventing violence, and adequate standards are, or will be, in place (including the development of protocols or policies to ensure that confidential information is not shared with courts, law enforcement agencies, or child welfare agencies unless necessary to ensure the safety of any child or adult using the services of a program funded by OVW), the County proposes to operate supervised visitation programs and services or safe visitation exchange.

Sincerely,

Ricardo A. Samaniego
County Judge

