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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Please be advised the Youth Ministries Department of the South Texas District Council of the Assemblies of God is holding our South Texas District Fine Arts Festival on April 26-27th, 2024 at Mercy Gate Church, Mont Belvieu, TX . This annual event has been hosted by our ministry for numerous years, and was, prior to that, nationally established by the General Council of the Assemblies of God. It has continued to function as a discipleship tool of national youth ministries designed to "help students discover, develop and deploy their ministry gifts". We've had hundreds of junior and senior high school students enter in as many as 66 categories offered in 8 main divisions: Art, Communication, Dance, Drama, Exhibition, Instrumental, Vocal, and Writing. This year we anticipate participation from over 20 churches in the South Texas District.

There are students in school session on Friday, April 26, 2024, who would like to participate in the event. Please allow those students wishing to participate in this particular religious function to be granted an excused absence for this day (or part of this day, whichever applies to their particular case). If you need any further information, please feel free to visit the official Fine Arts Festival website: faf.ag.org, or call our office where we would be happy to answer any questions you may have.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Tido Rodriguez", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Tido Rodriguez
District Youth Director
South Texas District Council of the Assemblies of God