**Notices of Non-discrimination**

**Notice #1**

**Policy of Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Handicapped Status**

The County of Newton does not discriminate on the basis of handicapped status in the admission or access to, or employment in, its program or activities. Elizabeth Holloway, County Auditor has been designated to coordinate compliance with the nondiscrimination requirements contained in the Department of Housing and Urban Development's (HUD) regulations implementing Section 504 (24 CFR Part 8. dated June 2, 1988).

**Notice #2**

**Equal Employment Opportunity Statement**

The County of Newton does not discriminate on the basis of color, national origin, sex, religion, age and handicapped status in employment or the provision of services and encourages participation by Section 3 residents and businesses.

**\***The County of **Newton**  has adopted complaint and grievance procedures regarding its Texas Community Development Block Grant Programs. These procedures outline the steps for a citizen to follow if s/he wishes to file a written complaint about proposed TxCDBG activities. The County will make every effort to respond fully to such complaints within ten (10) working days. Citizens may obtain a copy of these written procedures at the Court House between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Citizens may also request the procedures be mailed to them by calling Elizabeth Holloway, County Auditor, at 409-379-5755.