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PURPOSE	The purpose of this policy is to set forth the eligibility of Non-Revenue Passage on the NTTA's toll facilities in accordance with the NTTA's Bond Documents and applicable law.
POLICY STATEMENT	<p>The Act authorizes the NTTA to adopt rules regarding the usage of its toll facilities and the assessment and collection of tolls.</p> <p>The NTTA is prohibited under its Bond Documents from granting Non-Revenue Passage except in certain limited circumstances.</p> <p>The NTTA is required by law to grant Non-Revenue Passage to certain emergency, governmental and military vehicles.</p> <p>Except as specified below, no person or vehicle shall be granted Non-Revenue Passage.</p> <p>The NTTA hereby permits Non-Revenue Passage (i) for all vehicles required by law to have Non-Revenue Passage, (ii) during an Emergency Mode, and (iii) for certain employees, board members, consultants, contractors, TxDOT district engineers, employees and board members of certain other tolling agencies, all in accordance with the procedures implemented for this policy.</p>
RESPONSIBILTIES	<p>This policy will be implemented by the NTTA's Toll Programs and Services Department.</p> <p>Final approval of requests for Non-Revenue Passage will be made by the Deputy Executive Director or his/her designee.</p>

SCOPE	<p>This policy applies to all Non-Revenue Passage.</p> <p>This policy affects all board members, employees, consultants, contractors, TxDOT district engineers, employees and board members of certain other tolling agencies and the owners of vehicles required by law to be granted Non-Revenue Passage.</p>
DEFINITIONS	<p>“Act” means the Regional Tollway Authority Act, codified as Chapter 366 of the Texas Transportation Code.</p> <p>“Bond Documents” means the documents evidencing or securing the NTTA’s outstanding bonds or other financial obligations.</p> <p>“Emergency Mode” means a lane mode that allows for temporary Non-Revenue Passage for all vehicles for emergency or safety reasons.</p> <p>“Non-Revenue Passage” means passage on an NTTA toll facility in which a toll is not assessed.</p>