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Katy Resident Claims \$4 Million Lotto Texas Jackpot

(Austin, March 29) - - The Texas Lottery today paid RAS Trust the first installment of the \$4 million *Lotto Texas* jackpot it won for the drawing on March 6. The trustee is Ronnie Schriefer of Katy.

The first annuity share paid today was in the amount of \$160,000. The remaining 24 payments in the same amount will be made on March 15 each year.

M & C Food Store, 20230 Franz Road, Unit A, in Katy sold the winning Quick Pick ticket. The retailer is eligible to receive a one-percent bonus of \$40,000 for selling the jackpot-winning ticket.

The winning numbers drawn were: 45—01—40—11—30—39.

Saturday's *Lotto Texas* jackpot is an estimated \$21 million.

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