



**RURAL VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
FUNDING SUMMARY-- MEETING #3**

The 77th Texas Legislature passed House Bill 2604 in 2001, establishing the Rural Volunteer Fire Department Assistance Program. The program assists volunteer fire departments with the purchase of equipment and training. Beginning September 1, 2014, grant funds are set at approximately \$12.8 million annually.

The Texas A&M Forest Service conducted the last funding meeting for fiscal year 2015 on August 05, 2015. During this meeting, approximately \$1.7 million in grants were awarded to Texas volunteer fire departments.

All departments awarded a grant at this meeting will receive official written notice of approval. Approval letters were emailed to each department on 8/05/15, and will be mailed to non-responding departments on 8/14/15. Any applications for assistance not approved at this meeting will automatically roll forward and will be reviewed at future funding meetings.

The next funding meeting is scheduled for October 7, 2015.

Funding Meeting Approvals:

#	VFD	COUNTY	CATEGORY	APPROVED AMOUNT
1	ALABAMA-COUSHATTA TRIBES OF TX	POLK	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 12,975.00
2	BEAR CREEK VFD	SAN JACINTO	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 15,000.00
3	BECKVILLE VFD	PANOLA	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
4	BELLEVUE VFD	CLAY	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
5	BLUE BRANCH VFD	LEE	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
6	BLUE BRANCH VFD	LEE	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
7	BOWIE RURAL VFD	MONTAGUE	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
8	BOWIE RURAL VFD	MONTAGUE	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
9	BOWMAN COMMUNITY VFD	ARCHER	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 8,809.00
10	BRADY VFD	MCCULLOCH	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
11	BRECKENRIDGE F D	STEPHENS	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 4,500.00
12	BREMOND VFD	ROBERTSON	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 15,000.00



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#	VFD	COUNTY	CATEGORY	APPROVED AMOUNT
13	BYERS VFD	CLAY	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
14	BYERS VFD	CLAY	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
15	CADDO TEXAS VFD	STEPHENS	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
16	CADDO TEXAS VFD	STEPHENS	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
18	CAMPBELL VFD	HUNT	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 4,748.00
19	CHICO COMMUNITY VFD	WISE	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 15,000.00
20	CHILDRESS VFD	CHILDRESS	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
21	CHINA GROVE VFR	BEXAR	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
22	CHINA SPRING VFD & RESCUE	MCLENNAN	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
23	CLARKSVILLE CITY/WARREN CITY VFD	GREGG	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 6,720.00
24	CLAUDE VFD	ARMSTRONG	TANKER	\$ 200,000.00
25	CLIFTON VFD	BOSQUE	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
26	COFFEE CITY VFD	HENDERSON	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
27	COLDSRING VFD	SAN JACINTO	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
28	COLMESNEIL VFD	TYLER	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
29	COLORADO CITY VFD	MITCHELL	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 12,177.00
30	COLORADO CITY VFD	MITCHELL	RESCUE EQUIPMENT	\$ 7,770.00
31	COOPER VFD	DELTA	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
32	COTTONDALE VFD	WISE	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
33	COTTONDALE VFD	WISE	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
34	COTULLA VFD	LA SALLE	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
35	COTULLA VFD	LA SALLE	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 2,657.00
36	CRESSON VFD	HOOD	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00



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37	DALHART V F D	DALLAM	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
38	DAVIS MT PROPERTY OWNERS ASSN VFD	JEFF DAVIS	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
39	DAWN V F D	DEAF SMITH	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
40	DOUGLASS VFD	NACOGDOCHES	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
41	DRIFTWOOD V F D (HAYS CO ESD #6)	HAYS	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
42	EAGLE MOUNTAIN VFD	TARRANT	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 3,000.00
43	EARLY COMMUNITY FIREFIGHTERS, INC.	BROWN	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
44	EDCOUCH V F D	HIDALGO	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
45	EDCOUCH V F D	HIDALGO	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
46	ELIASVILLE VFD	YOUNG	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
47	EUSTACE AREA V F D	HENDERSON	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
48	EVANT VFD	CORYELL	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 6,600.00
49	EVERMAN VFD	TARRANT	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
50	FLAT FD	CORYELL	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
51	FLORENCE VFD	WILLIAMSON	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
52	FLORENCE VFD	WILLIAMSON	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
53	FRELSBURG VFD	COLORADO	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
54	GATESVILLE VFD	CORYELL	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
55	GILMER VFD	UPSHUR	TRUCK CHASSIS LARGE	\$ 90,000.00
56	GREENWOOD RURAL VFD	PARKER	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 7,800.00
57	GREENWOOD-SLIDELL VFD	WISE	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 14,089.00
58	GREGORY VFD	SAN PATRICIO	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 6,535.00
59	GREY FOREST AREA VFD	BEXAR	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00



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#	VFD	COUNTY	CATEGORY	APPROVED AMOUNT
60	HAMLIN VFD	JONES	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 7,875.00
61	HIGH ISLAND VOL FIRE RESCUE	GALVESTON	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
62	HIGHLANDS VFD	HARRIS	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
63	HITCHCOCK VFD	GALVESTON	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
64	HOOKS V F D	BOWIE	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
65	HOOVER VALLEY VF & EMS	BURNET	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 15,000.00
66	HUBBARD CREEK VFD	STEPHENS	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 15,000.00
67	HUFFMAN VFD	HARRIS	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
68	HUFFMAN VFD	HARRIS	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
69	INDIAN CREEK VFD	COOKE	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
70	INDIAN CREEK VFD	COOKE	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
71	IREDELL VFD	BOSQUE	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 4,050.00
72	IVANHOE VFD	TYLER	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
73	JARRET VOLUNTEER FIRE ASSN. INC.	BEXAR	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
74	JARRET VOLUNTEER FIRE ASSN. INC.	BEXAR	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
75	JONES CREEK V F D	BRAZORIA	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
76	JONES CREEK V F D	BRAZORIA	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
77	KAMAY VFD	WICHITA	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
78	KAMAY VFD	WICHITA	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
79	KOUNTZE VFD	HARDIN	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 14,598.00
80	LA JOYA V F D	HIDALGO	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
81	LA VERNIA VFD	WILSON	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
82	LACY-LAKEVIEW FD	MCLENNAN	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00



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#	VFD	COUNTY	CATEGORY	APPROVED AMOUNT
83	LAKE NACOGDOCHES AREA VFD	NACOGDOCHES	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
84	LEFORS VFD	GRAY	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
85	LEFORS VFD	GRAY	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
86	LOWRY CROSSING VFD	COLLIN	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 775.00
87	MATAGORDA VFD	MATAGORDA	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
88	MATAGORDA VFD	MATAGORDA	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
89	MAYDELLE VFD	CHEROKEE	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
90	MEDINA VFD	BANDERA	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 12,000.00
91	MICO VFD	MEDINA	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
92	MICO VFD	MEDINA	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
93	MILDRED VFD	NAVARRO	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
94	MINERAL WELLS VFD	PALO PINTO	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
95	MONAHANS VFD	WARD	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
96	NAVARRO VFD	NAVARRO	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
97	NAVASOTA VFD	GRIMES	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
98	NEEDVILLE FIRE DEPT	FORT BEND	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
99	NEW DEAL VFD	LUBBOCK	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 10,200.00
100	NEWTON VFD	NEWTON	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 15,000.00
101	NOCONA RURAL VFD	MONTAGUE	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
102	NOONDAY VFD	SMITH	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
103	NORTH HOPKINS VFD	HOPKINS	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
104	NORTH HOPKINS VFD	HOPKINS	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
105	NORTH LAKE BROWNWOOD VFD & EMS	BROWN	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 10,500.00



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106	NORTH LAKE BROWNWOOD VFD & EMS	BROWN	RESCUE EQUIPMENT	\$ 6,675.00
107	NUECES JIM WELLS CO ESD #5	NUECES	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
108	NUECES JIM WELLS CO ESD #5	NUECES	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
109	OAKHURST VFD	SAN JACINTO	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
110	OGBURN VFD	WOOD	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
111	ORANGE CO ESD #3 (LITTLE CYPRESS)	ORANGE	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 3,187.00
112	OYSTER CREEK COMMUNITY VFD, INC	BRAZORIA	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 9,600.00
113	PADUCAH VFD	COTTLE	RESCUE EQUIPMENT	\$ 15,000.00
114	PALO PINTO V F D	PALO PINTO	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
115	PANHANDLE VFD	CARSON	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
116	PARADISE VFD	WISE	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
117	PINELAND VFD	SABINE	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
118	PLACEDO V F D	VICTORIA	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
119	PLACEDO V F D	VICTORIA	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
120	PLEASANT GROVE VFD (UPSHUR CO)	UPSHUR	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
121	POSSUM KINGDOM WESTSIDE VFD	PALO PINTO	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 15,000.00
122	POTOSI VFD	TAYLOR	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 6,750.00
123	POTOSI VFD	TAYLOR	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 1,350.00
124	POTTER CO FIRE & RESCUE	POTTER	RESCUE EQUIPMENT	\$ 15,000.00
125	PRESTON VOL EMERGENCY SERV INC	GRAYSON	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
126	PROCTOR V F D	COMANCHE	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
127	PROCTOR V F D	COMANCHE	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
128	RALLS VFD	CROSBY	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00



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129	RALLS VFD	CROSBY	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
130	RANDALL COUNTY FD	RANDALL	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
131	RENDON VFD	TARRANT	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
132	RHOME VFD	WISE	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
133	RICE VFD	NAVARRO	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
134	RIO VISTA VFD	JOHNSON	RESCUE EQUIPMENT	\$ 12,300.00
135	RIVER OAKS VFD	TARRANT	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 1,650.00
136	RUSK FIRE DEPARTMENT	CHEROKEE	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
137	SANGER VFD	DENTON	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
138	SAVOY VFD	FANNIN	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
139	SEALY VFD	AUSTIN	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 2,000.00
140	SHELBYVILLE VFD	SHELBY	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
141	SIX MILE COMMUNITY VFD	CALHOUN	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 1,300.00
142	SPICEWOOD VFD	BURNET	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
143	TENNESSEE COLONY VOL FF ASSOC	ANDERSON	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
144	TOOL VFD	HENDERSON	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
145	TURNERSVILLE VFD	CORYELL	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
146	TURNERSVILLE VFD	CORYELL	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
147	VAL VERDE COUNTY FIRE DEPT.	VAL VERDE	TRUCK CHASSIS SMALL	\$ 45,000.00
148	VALLEY VIEW VFD	COOKE	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
149	VAN ZANDT-MIDWAY VFD	VAN ZANDT	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 4,500.00
150	WAYLAND VFD	STEPHENS	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
151	WELLINGTON VFD	COLLINGSWORTH	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,397.00



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#	VFD	COUNTY	CATEGORY	APPROVED AMOUNT
152	WELLS VFD	CHEROKEE	FIRE EQUIPMENT	\$ 8,289.00
153	WEST VFD	MCLENNAN	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
154	WHITE SETTLEMENT VFD	TARRANT	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
155	WHITESBORO VFD	GRAYSON	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 8,000.00
156	WILD PEACH VFD	BRAZORIA	TRAINING EQUIPMENT	\$ 1,000.00
157	WILLIAMSON COUNTY ESD #5	WILLIAMSON	TRAINING LIBRARY	\$ 7,500.00
158	WILLOW CITY VF & R	GILLESPIE	SLIP ON UNIT	\$ 18,000.00
159	WILMER FD	DALLAS	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 6,300.00
160	WINCHELL VFD	BROWN	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
161	WOODLAWN VFD	HARRISON	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 5,850.00
162	WOODVILLE VFD	TYLER	STRUCTURAL GEAR	\$ 8,400.00
163	WOODVILLE VFD	TYLER	WILDLAND GEAR	\$ 8,400.00